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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.24, 8.58, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 6.42, 10.25, 11.35 P. M. Sunday, 9.30, A. M., 5.30, P. M. RETURN, 6.35, 7.10, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.00, 8.02, P. M. Sunday, 8.45 A. M., 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.24, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.24, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. RETURN, 6.40, 7.40, 9.30, A. M., 12.05, 6.00, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester, Concord, N. H., 7.27, 8.24, 8.58, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H., 8.24 A. M., 1.35, P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton N. H. 8.24, 11.23, A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For WARNER, BRADFORD, SUNAPEE, NEWPORT, N. H., and CLAREMONT at 8.24, 11.23, A. M., 6.02 P. M.

For PENACOOK, FRANKLIN, LEBANON and WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, 8.24, 11.23 A. M. 1.35, 6.42 P. M.

For TILTON, LACONIA, MEREDITH, ASHLAND and PLYMOUTH at 8.24, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For stations north of Plymouth and stations on the Passumpsic R. R., at 8.24, A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL at 8.24, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.47, 9.00, 10.12, 10.50, *11.37 A. M., 12.44, 1.10, 1.58, 2.40, 4.25, 5.12, 6.18, 6.45, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12, M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M.

*On notice to Conductor.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.17, 8.51 10.02, 11.16, A. M., 12.37, 1.28, 2.20, 3.28, 4.16, 5.01, 5.50, 5.55, 6.19, 6.35, 7.05, 7.47, 9.24, 10.17 P. M. Sunday: 9.19 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 8.19, 8.33, 10.37 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, 9.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, *6.15, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 10.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.50, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, A. M., 12.25, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.55, 9.50, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, †10.00, 10.45, 11.45 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, *6.15, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10 A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.10, *6.40, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 1.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., 12 M., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.25, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.50, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50, P. M.

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J. E. SEWELL, Supt.

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IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1890.

Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.08, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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Clerk of Common Council,	E. H. Lounsbury
City Clerk,	David F. Moreland
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23	Cor. Main and Clinton Sts., Central Square.
26	Cor Main and School St., North Woburn.
27	Junction Elm and Pearl Sts., North Woburn.
32	Junction Burlington and Lexington Sts.
34	Junction Cambridge and Lexington Sts.
35	Cor. Willow and Bedford Sts. (Cummingsville)
38	Cor. Winn and Bedford Streets.
42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
43	Montvale Ave., opp. Vernon Street.
45	Salem Street, Walnut Hill.
46	Central Street, opp. School-house (Montvale.)
51	Cor. Green and Mt. Pleasant Sts.
53	Fowle Street near Highland Station.
56	Main Street, opp. Joseph Buck's
57	Conn Street, Bryant & King's Factory.
62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
63	Junction Montvale Ave. and Union Street.
65	High Street, McDonald's Lumber Yard.
67	Cor. Main and Kirby Streets.
68	Main Street opp. Catholic Church.
69	Cor. Pleasant and Canal Streets.
212	Merrimac Chemical Works, North Woburn.
512	Pumping Station, Horn Pond. (Private.)
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11—Two blows dismiss department.
111—Three blows calls out the entire department.
11-11—Twenty-two, once repeated, at 8.05 A. M., and at 12.45 P. M., denotes no session of schools.
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The Woburn Journal

HELEN'S GIFT.

It was early in June, and Helen Seebright, home from the shop, sat in a low easy chair gazing dreamily out of the window.

She heard a brisk step on the porch, which was followed almost instantly by a short rap. Her aunt opened the door just in time to hear the postman say, "A letter for Miss Helen," before he was off again.

Helen had read and seen much; yet she impressed one as having a large amount of reserve force, which nothing in the experience of her life had awakened. She had been raised in one of the neutral States. At 16 she came to a northern city to live with a wealthy aunt and uncle, who were glad to welcome the orphan in their beautiful but childless home.

She was a lady both in appearance and in manner. Though she had the real sea shell, pink complexion and full, dark eye, no one ever thought of calling her beautiful. Indeed, many wondered what it was that her face lacked that kept it from being handsome. "Strange," one of her friends said, "that a young girl of Miss Helen's capacity never says or does anything interesting." Two years after her arrival north her portly uncle died of apoplexy. Everything but one small cottage went in "settling up his business."

After Helen and her aunt moved into this cottage they had just one $10 bill left.

Helen turned to her aunt and said: "What shall I do? I don't know enough to teach, I can't sew; for I never made a garment in my life."

"We'll starve! We'll starve! That is all," said Mrs. Belle, in a despondent tone.

"We will do nothing of the kind," said Helen, with more spirit than she had ever shown in her life.

Putting on her wraps, she went to Fourth street, and entered the largest and most fashionable stores, asking in each for a clerkship. The answer was either that the season was either too dull, or that they already had more help than they needed. She did not give up. The next morning she entered the plainer stores, but she had no better success, and was treated with even less courtesy.

At the end of the third day she was both tired and discouraged. Turning to go home she met Mary Paine, a young woman of wealth. She knew Helen well, and was acquainted with the reverses in her fortune. At a glance, she understood what her business was.

"Helen, you are just the girl that I wanted to see. My father needs some one in the button department, and as usual came to me to recommend one of my friends. Our clerks are my pride. I never recommended one who does not actually need the place for bread and butter."

Helen winced under this last speech. "What need I care?" she said mentally. "She means to be kind. If I am to be a working woman, I might as well make up my mind to share the pain as well as the gain of such a life." When she spoke aloud, it was with a tear of gratitude that she said: "Thank you, my friend."

Without any more ado, Miss Paine slipped her arm through Helen's. After walking a half square in silence they entered one of the largest stores in the city.

"Father," said Miss Paine, "there is Col. Belle's niece, Miss Seebright. I have selected her to fill the vacancy in the button department. She is a capable girl and, with a little instruction, will give you satisfaction."

She walked off, leaving Helen alone in the private office of the great merchant.

He looked at her steadily for a moment, and then said: "You do not want to talk too much to your customers. Remember that you cannot be too obliging. My success depends largely upon the courtesy of my employes."

He then struck a little bell, and one of the floor walkers entered.

"Mr. Robinson," he said, "this is Miss Seebright, who is to have charge of the button department. You will please remain in here and give her the necessary instructions. I will take your place."

It is, perhaps, not an exaggeration to say that Helen learned more in that half hour than in any other month of her life. When he had thoroughly tested her attention to the minutiæ of his instruction, he said:

"Your salary will be five dollars a week. Report to me at half past 7 Monday morning."

She knew that she was now dismissed. While delighted to obtain the situation, she had many misgivings as to how they could live on five dollars a week. She had business insight enough to know that in her uncle's time their daily expenses were rarely less than that amount.

At the appointed hour she reported to Mr. Robinson, and entered the work with an ease that surprised even that calm business master. As the days went by she was given harder work and a higher salary. At the end of five years Mr. Paine asked her to come to his office at 6 o'clock. How her heart beat when she entered! Not seeming to notice her excitement, he said, pleasantly:

"Miss Seebright, you do good work, but I have always thought it was in you to do better."

"I am sorry," she said, in a trembling voice.

But Mr. Paine interrupted her: "I am not finding fault with your work. There are few women in the store that do better. To-morrow Miss Brown takes the supervision of the silk department, and you may take her place in the lace department."

"Thank you," said Helen, and arose to go; but before she reached the door Mr. Paine said, in a careless tone: "Your salary will be $10 a week."

Again Helen said "Thank you;" but this time it was in a tone that was at once haughty and indifferent.

"Why is it," mentally ejaculated Mr. Paine, "that the very women who need money the most are ever the proudest about the acceptance of it?"

Helen was indeed at home among those soft, creamy laces. She handled them as tenderly as a student would a rare manuscript; her touch seemed to have a magic about it. Under her handling patterns seemed almost to match themselves. How it hurt her when people came in with soiled hands and took hold of those dainty meshes.

When the customers were gone she talked very little to the other employes; but if any of them were sick or tired out no one was so quick to detect it as she. If they ever thought her handsome it was when that sympathetic look crept into her face, as she said: "Let me take your place a while."

When the rainy days came or the dull season set in a far away look crept into her eyes. "Helen is dreaming today," the other girls would say.

With the same dreamy look Helen opened her letter. It was from an attorney in San Francisco, informing her of the death of her only uncle, who had left her a bank deposit of $150,000.

Helen read the letter with great agitation to her aunt. When she was able to think she kept wondering what she could do with so much money. Her joy was subdued from the first by an overwhelming sense of responsibility. Her uncle had given his life for this money. The great question to her was how should she make this life worth something to the world.

After a long consultation with a friend, who was a lawyer, she decided to turn the money over to him to invest in mortgages. He was to pay her 6 per cent., and retain all above that amount that he made.

As she went home she kept repeating: "Nine thousand a year. I must make a great many hearts happier with that."

When she entered the store the next morning everyone had a word of congratulation for her. The publicity worried her, but she tried not to show her irritation, lest it might be misinterpreted. Mr. Paine came in at 9 o'clock, and she followed him into the office. Before she could say a word, he said: "I see by the morning paper that the fates have been very kind to you."

"They have treated me more kindly than I deserve. I came to resign my position."

"Perfectly natural. It has always been my custom to require two weeks' notice; but these circumstances are so unusual that I will make an exception in your case."

"The first homage that my wealth has received," she said mentally, but aloud. "If that has been your rule I shall remain at my counter two weeks longer," and walked out.

"Heigh day!" exclaimed Mr. Paine. "She does not seem to know that she showed more pride by remaining."

Back to her place she went, and sold her laces better than ever. The novelty of her position aroused her. It was wonderful to see how many of the friends of her former days recognized her. They asked so kindly after the health of her "dear aunt," too.

Some of the shop girls patronized her, but the majority of them had penetration enough to see that it was offensive to her.

One evening, about a week later, Mary Paine came up to her and said: "How glad I am for you. Especially glad, because you have too much sense to let this inherited wealth make a fool of you. As soon as you are free, go and see sweet little Lucy Snow. She is completely broken down."

The two weeks at last came to an end, but in that time Helen had decided that to put people into relations where they could help themselves was a higher and better thing to do than to give them direct assistance.

When Helen reached home her aunt said: "Mrs. Thompson just left and her last words were, 'I must have this cosy cottage when you move.'"

"Move!" exclaimed Helen.

"Why, of course. You do not mean to live in this little seven-room cottage? I had been hoping that you would buy our old home on Washington avenue."

"We will live right here."

"Helen you surely have lost your senses?"

"On the contrary, my mind was never clearer. We will keep a servant, however."

"Really, I feel like sending for Dr. Churchman and having him examine your head. A woman with $150,000 to be content with one servant! There is something wrong with you, my child."

"No, aunt; the wrong is with the women who make a business of running a big establishment. To manage a household of servants is an occupation in itself."

"Seriously, what will society think of your Quixotic notions?"

"It is very immaterial to me what society thinks."

"Helen!"

"Society dropped me at 18; at 28 I do not propose to take it up."

"What are you going to do?"

"I am going to see Lucy Snow just now. Goodby."

"Strange girl!" said Mrs. Belle. "She is never so full of plans as when she will say nothing about them. I prepare myself for anything that is unselfish; for while she is economical, she could not do a little or mean thing."

Helen found Lucy on the third floor of a fourth rate tenement house. There was but one window in the room, and that overlooked the back yard of a soap factory.

Helen was shocked to see how the girl had changed since she left the store. Her face was as white as a lily and her large brown eyes were so clear and brilliant that they were startling.

Lucy was weak and nervous and almost hysterical. When she looked up and saw Helen, the tears filled her eyes.

Helen did not seem to notice this, but said pleasantly; "How are you today?"

"I don't know. I just feel so tired. The least little thing that occurs excites me so. The doctor says I must have a change. He recommends that I go to the sea shore. He might as well recommend the leopard to change his spots."

"There is your piano, Lucy."

"I know that." Again the tears filled her eyes, but she controlled herself to say: "It was a secondhand one when I got it. I was three years paying for it. No one will ever know the sacrifices that I had to make to pay for it. How can I ever part with it?"

"I know only too well what sacrifices women clerks have to make, if they ever try to make their salary do more than feed and clothe them. But, my friend, you must be more practical. Do you propose to keep the piano and die?"

"Oh! I hope to get better."

"Not in this hot room." Opening the piano she struck several chords, and rich tones filled the room.

"This is an excellent instrument, Lucy. What did you pay for it?"

"One hundred and fifty dollars."

"It is worth every cent of it. I will buy it of you at that price."

"You don't need it, Helen. You have the fine one that your uncle gave you before he died."

"I am not buying it for myself, but for a friend, Amelia White, who is a seamstress. Every Sunday afternoon she comes over to our house. I always ask her to play, for I know that is why she comes. Such beautiful music as she does play—and it is all her own, too."

"Thank you, Helen—thank you."

"No need of thanking me. This is strictly a business transaction. Amelia will pay every dollar it is worth in her neat sewing."

"What a good woman you are, Helen!"

"Please don't be ironical over my bargains. By the way, I too am feeling tired. Suppose that we go to some quiet place in Maine for two or three weeks."

"Now, Helen, there is some more of your kindness."

"Oh, no! My aunt has not been out of the city since my uncle's death. It my first duty to give her a little pleasure after so many long and monotonous years. I think it would be so pleasant for us to go together."

"Delightful!" exclaimed Lucy. Positively a little color crept into her face.

"When can you be ready?"

"Any time. I have nothing to do but pack that little trunk, and have not enough to fill it."

"Very well. I mean to be the man on this expedition; will get the tickets and send the expressman for your trunk. Good-by."

"Good-by. May God bless you, my friend, for your sympathy and kindness."

Helen started off, deeply touched by Lucy's gratitude. She had not gotten down but one flight of steps when she suddenly turned and went back.

"Lucy," she said, "we will start early to-morrow morning. I will tell the expressman to come and get the piano in the afternoon."

Just as she was closing the door she heard Lucy say: "You thoughtful creature! You did not want me to see the piano go."

The next morning three happy women took the train for a quiet seashore town.

The excitement of the preparation gave Lucy the strength to start, but by the time they reached their journey's end she had almost to be carried into the hotel.

Helen rose early the next morning to see the sun rise out of the ocean; she went down on the piazza. Imagine her surprise when she found Lucy sitting in an easy chair.

"Oh, Helen! was there ever anything so strengthening? I am well already."

"I suppose it must be to you, my dear. Those great surging waves only make me feel my insignificance."

She seated herself and neither of them spoke another word. Hearing a footstep they turned, and there stood one of Helen's schoolmates.

"Helen Seebright? I never dreamed of seeing you! Are you married yet?"

"No; but those two little brown eyed girls tell me you are."

"Yes, I married Charley Marshall, whom I used to hate so, because he teased me with his practical jokes."

On and on they talked about their school days. Lucy, who knew none of these people, took the children on the beach for a walk.

The days were so bright and restful, Mrs. Belle, who had in some way regained her old social position, grew ten years younger, and Lucy, she fairly blossomed. Her songs and stories completely fascinated the children. They literally lived out of doors; the beach, the bathing, the walks, the croquet and the tennis left them only time in the house for their meals.

At the end of two weeks Helen suddenly announced that she should take the evening train for home. Her aunt and Lucy must stay, but that she had some very important business to attend to.

The trunk was soon packed and the goodbys hurried through.

On reaching home the first familiar face she saw was that of her seamstress.

"Why, Amelia! You look as though you had been to the seashore."

"I have, Miss Helen, and roamed over plains and climbed mountains besides."

"How?" said Helen, who understood her perfectly, but wanted to give her an opportunity to express herself.

"With my piano keys."

Helen passed on smiling with pleasure and wondering if the poets themselves had not had something to do with the creation of paradise.

Her practical mind found itself busy in renovating the cottage. Never did she find it so hard to keep from actual manual labor. Seemingly she was idle, but oh, the needy people to whom her folded hands gave employment! They always left her with the feeling that they had performed a service that no one else could have done half so well.

"Mrs. Craft," she said one morning, "don't you want to rest from washing for a week and help me with the house cleaning?"

"I'd be so glad for a change."

"Very well, then. I will pay you just as much as you get for your washing, and, besides, you may have the old carpets, if you think that you can do anything with them."

Mrs. Craft, who had not one yard of carpeting in her house, smiled her thanks.

"In refurnishing the house," continued Helen, "there will be many of the dear old things which I should love to give to some one that I knew."

At last all was complete. Helen met her aunt several days afterward with the new phaeton and gentle pony. Mrs. Belle was very enthusiastic about them.

"They are your very own, my dear aunt. Simon Craft is to have the care of them, and at any hour will be on hand to drive you."

Presently Mrs. Belle said: "Why don't you ask something about Lucy?"

"I supposed of course Mrs. Marshall had taken her home with her to be the governess for her children."

"What made you think of that? Lucy would not write about it, but wanted me to surprise you by telling you."

"I am not at all surprised. The eternal fitness of things suggested it to my mind before I left the seashore. So Lucy is to live in that comfortable southern home. She is one of those fragile plants that blossom only under the sunniest of skies.

When they reached home Mrs. Belle was so delighted with the tasteful arrangements of the house that she almost cried. She opened the kitchen door. There sat old "Dinah," Helen's colored nurse, who had come north with her and had lived with them as long as they were able to keep a servant. This was too much for the tired traveler. The tears, already so near the surface, rolled down on her cheeks.

When she could finally control herself she said: "This is better than the big houseful of strange servants. My child do you mean to spend your life and fortune in trying to make other people happy?"

Helen answered evasively, "Not a very bad to do, is it, Aunt?"

The next morning Amelia White came over to fit a fine wool tea gown for Mrs Belle. While she was busy, Helen came into the room, dressed for walking.

"Where are you going now, Miss Helen?"

"Only to the postoffice."

"Only to the postoffice means something else. What errand of mercy are you on now?"

"I am going to mail a note to Lucy Snow, and a letter of recommendation to Mr. Paine for our bright young neighbor, Harry Born, and"—

"And what else?"

"One of my old academy teachers, who is now president of a college in central Kentucky, is here looking for a music teacher, but that he wants kept a secret."

"What has that to do with your going to the postoffice?"

"You don't give me the chance to tell you. There is Professor Moller, who knows so much about music"—

"But he has a position in the public schools," said Amelia, interrupting her again.

"No, I saw in the morning paper that that shrewd Mr. Miller was elected to that place last night. I mean to invite Professor Moller and my teacher to take tea with us tomorrow evening. That is all."

"Are you sure that is all?"

"It is all that I have to do in the affair. I hope that my teacher will like the professor; but his music must be his first recommendation for such a position; after that, I am ready to say all sorts of nice things about his noble character."

As she walked off Mrs. Belle said: "Helen ought to have been a Sister of Charity."

"She is Charity dwelling with us," said Amelia, and she folded up her sewing to go home.—*Elizabeth Ware in Independent.*

The Only Pure Baking Powder.
(From Hall's Journal of Health.)
We feel it our duty to state that of a number of different kinds of Baking Powder purchased in a neighboring city for examination, the only one we found made of Pure Grape Cream of Tartar, and that did not contain any Alum, Acid Phosphates, or Ammonia, and that was absolutely free from adulterations, was Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder.

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Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groten, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co's Drugstore, regular size, 50c. and $1.00.

Among various expressions of intelligence which often places the dog in no mean place of comparison to his master, a little habit developed by a dog in the suburbs is worth mentioning. Whenever this dog becomes angry, instead of making an exhibition of his temper he turns away from the offending person as quickly as possible and makes a bee line like a flash to the nearest brook. In a few minutes he returns dripping, but serene, without a trace of his former excitement in his manner. His plunge has apparently cooled off all angry feelings and even caused forgetfulness of causes of disturbance.

100 Ladies Wanted

And 100 men to call on any druggist for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains. For diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing up the complection it does wonders. It is the best spring medicine known. Large size package, 50 cents. At all druggists'.

While the Indians of Eagle Valley, Nev., were at a fandango last week they left in camp an aged buck named Teekaboo and his squaw. Teekaboo was quite infirm, so his spouse dug a hole in the ground, put him in up to the neck and filled in the dirt solid. She then left for the fandango, first placing a cup of water near the buried buck. He was rescued by some sheepmen after 65 hours' confinement. The squaw had not been found at last accounts.

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"100 Doses One Dollar" means simply that Hood's Sarsaparilla is the most economical medicine to buy, because it gives more for the money than any other preparation. Each bottle contains 100 doses and will average to last a month, while other preparations taken according to directions, are gone in a week. Therefore, be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier.

There is an old lady living in Polk county, Fla., who is quite a genius. She can write poetry and set it to music, and has written two books. She hunts phosphate, plants trees, clears land, works in an orange grove, can knit dresses, make neat shoes, plait hats of palmetto and make flowers out of shucks.

How Nice

Miss Bell is looking, Addie. Yes, Laura. Why, only a year ago her face was completely covered with pimples, blotches and sores. She told mother that she owed her nice, clear complection to her using Sulphur Bitters. Well, Laura, I shall try them too.

The work of restoring the historic castle at Heidelberg has begun and will continue for two years at least. It is not intended to restore the picturesque ruins, but to renew the foundations and restore certain portions of the castle in strict conformity to its appearance in the time of the Electors Palatine.

Until the blood is cleansed of impurities, it is useless to attempt the cure of any disease. Rheumatism, which is traceable to an acid in the blood, has been cured, in numerous cases, by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, external treatment being of no avail.

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1890.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

"NO CAUSE OF ACTION."

Last Monday the legislative investigating committee appointed to look into the matter of the West End charter for an elevated railroad in Boston reported to the Legislature "no bill" against that corporation or anybody connected with the business in the capacity of legitimate attorneys or members. The committee gave the lobby quite a severe handling which was deserved or not according as people look at those things.

George Fred Williams, Mugwump member of the House, instigated the investigation, made the charges and helped to manage the case before the committee, and the general feeling around the State House was, at the close of the trial, that George Freddie wished very much that he had let the matter severely alone.

The West End Company spent considerable money in getting their charter for the elevated road but there was no evidence that any member of the Legislature was ever paid a dollar or was promised one for his vote on the bill. The whole body of lawmakers emerged from the trial absolutely clean and undefiled.

Williams wanted and expected to fasten bribery on the West End and members of the Legislature but his attempt was a complete failure. He didn't start out with any intention of doing the State or morality a service but to gratify his disposition to meddle with other peoples' business. If it had been an honest attempt at legislative reform, although there was really no reforming needed, George Fred's efforts would have commanded public respect and sympathy; but as it was, he was the laughing stock of everybody not only in the Legislature but out of it. His failure was signal, complete, and must have been very humiliating to his Mugwump spirit.

The committee dressed down the lobby in severe measures, but as the testimony failed to convict that body of outside legislators with the inside ones, or with the West End Co., only in a very weak and uncertain way, the scaring didn't count very much in the proceedings or report. Thus ended a great legislative farce.

GOV. BRACKETT'S VETO.

The Governor displayed good sense and a praiseworthy regard for the interests of the people when he sent back to the Senate the Gas and Electric Light Consolidation bill the other day with his veto attached. The measure was calculated to play into the hands of unscrupulous men and was thoroughly bad in principle as it would have turned out to be in practice. It was against the common people and favored the rich, which was enough to condemn it in the eyes of Gov. Brackett. His reasons for vetoing it were sound and clearly expressed and strong enough to convince any person that he did exactly right in rejecting the measure.

Gov. Brackett is quite apt to be found on the side of the masses when their wellfare is endangered by the machinations of speculators and monopolists.

☞ Editor C. H. Shepard has sold the Danvers *Mirror* to Moynahan & Colby, two young men of ability and newspaper experience. The *Mirror* has been one of the very best of our exchanges and we expect it will keep right on doing so under the new proprietorship.

LOCAL NEWS.

Sew Advertisements.

Fred Smith—Memory.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
George J. Munroe—To Let.
C. S. Gosse—Com. Com. Coll.
N. W. Ayer & Son—Geneva Nur.
Royal B. P. Co.—Baking Powder.
Hump. Adv'g Agency—Flanders.
N. W. Ayer & Son—Meilin's Food.

— Read and ponder on a card headed "Memory" in this paper.

— Civil Engineer Cummings is very busy professionally about these days.

— Ninety in the shade has been no uncommon degree of heat this week.

— Miss Nellie and Miss Lottie Ellis were at the St. Clouds, Hull, last week.

— Read the change in the time-table of the East Middlesex Street Railway. Several changes will be observed.

— Innitou Club have postponed their annual drill and float from July 4 to Labor Day—first Monday in Sept.

— McGregor at the Dow greenhouses has had a great month for roses. His output of hydrangias is a splendid one.

— Leather business is in a very prosperous condition in this city. All factories are going and everybody is at work.

— Rev. M. F. McDonnell of St. Charles church is spending the summer at Wabasha, Minn., where he is enjoying life.

— Mr. Forrest Hooper employs 12 firstclass plumbers at his establishment on Main street and has plenty of work for them all.

— Gregory, the real estate dealer, sold 15,575 feet of land belonging to the late Eliza Murray of Boston to Martin Golding.

— Monday was a severely hot day. Had there not have been a good breeze going the temperature would have been exceedingly oppressive.

— Messrs. Copeland & Bowser make an important change in their advertisement this week. They are selling very cheap to close out summer stock.

— We can't find anybody in this city who has not made up his, her or its mind to attend the great 4th of July celebration at Winchester to-day.

— Mr. S. C. Small has sent us an illustrated catalogue of the contents of his big Boston fine furniture store. In church, hall and lodge furniture S. C. Small & Co. excel.

— The report is current that Andrews, Cutler & Co. are about to start a newspaper in this city. It is a pretty poor field for such an enterprise, but the more the merrier.

— Mr. and Mrs. William C. Lawson started for their home in Chicago last Tuesday noon. They went via White Mountains, Lakes George, Champlain, and Ontario, Canada, etc.

— Mr. W. H. Cummings says building is reviving in good shape and that business in that line is very encouraging. He sees signs of renewed prosperity for our city in other directions.

— The people of this city who persist in violating law by the sale of intoxicating drinks without a license will think by and by perhaps that a law-abiding, honest life pays the best after all.

— Dr. John M. Harlow and wife left on Thursday morning for Chicago, St. Paul and other points in the West. Mrs. Harlow will visit old friends in Chicago, and the Dr. once practiced at St. Paul.

— Mr. Willard Smith has had a very nice trade indeed in carpets this spring and early summer. It is a well known fact that such goods, as well as others, can be bought as low at Smith's as in Boston.

— The manufacturers and business men of this city will do well to read carefully an article in this issue of the JOURNAL taken from last week's *Shoe and Leather Reporter*. There is much food for reflection in it.

— Rev. Fr. Slattery is passing his vacation in the White Mts. and getting well and rugged. He will take up his pastoral work here in the fall which, it is to be hoped, will not be interrupted by sickness again very soon.

— William McClancy had three fingers on his left hand split open in a splitting machine at Murdock's factory last Saturday afternoon. All three of them were split right in two making a bad accident of it for William.

— A card from the County Commissioners announces that the new Probate Building at East Cambridge will be open for public inspection from 2 o'clock this p. m. (July 3) to 5 p. m. Saturday. It is said to be a very fine building.

— Mr. Elisha F. Hayward has been appointed agent for the sale of the stock of the Cardiff Coal and Iron Company in this city and and vicinity. Several stockholders reside here and the number will be likely to increase under Hayward's work.

— Mr. J. Howard Nason went to Portland last Tuesday evening by boat to attend the reunion of his old Regiment, the 5th Maine Infantry, which took place there Wednesday. He took along with him his niece and expected to be back here on this, Friday morning.

— Mr. J. L. Smith of near Locke's Hill in Winchester made us his annual visit last Tuesday and duly deposited his offering on the altar of real genuine journalistic worth. Having been lads together Mr. Smith's and the Editor's annual meetings are very pleasant personal affairs.

— Mr. W. R. Cutter, Librarian of Woburn Public Library, wrote the historical sketch of Winchester which is to be read to-day at the grand celebration. He did it at the request of the Winchester Historical and Gen'l Society because of his recognized ability and reliability as a local historian.

— It is said that Mr. Faxon has pledged $100 for the purchase of a window to be inscribed with prohibition sentiment and that Rev. Hugh Montgomery very much desires that it may have a companion W. C. T. U., window. There is opportunity for some generous friend to contribute for the purpose.—*Ex.*

— The Woburn High School Battalion declined a Jack-at-a-pinch invitation from the Winchester 4th-of-July Committee to parade in the great celebration there to-day. They say that after the Boston and Medford H. S. B. declined the Woburn boys were honored with an invite. "Small potatoes and few in a hill."

— Mayor Johnson will speak for Woburn at the after-dinner tables of the Winchester 4th of July celebration by invitation of the managers. We shouldn't be surprised if the Mayor made rather a spicy speech—that he will make a good one nobody doubts. The grand celebration will come off this day, Friday.

— A new Automatic Chair is offered for sale which is so contrived as to follow every motion of the body automatically. The head rest, the foot rest, the back, the seat, the leg rest and the arms all work automatically. It is a marvel of comfort. It can be seen at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Hon. J. G. Pollard has received the appointment from Collector Beard of Janitor of the Boston Custom House. It is a position of responsibility with a good salary. Mr. Pollard has many friends here and elsewhere who congratulate him on his good fortune in securing such a desirable position in the public service.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Almost a fortnight ago Mr. John Gilcreast, Superintendent of the Woburn Gaslight Co., returned from a visit with his son at Pottsville, Pa. He spent a good deal of time among the coal mines in that region and gathered up considerable valuable information respecting the modes of operating them and matters connected therewith. He enjoyed the trip and visit very much.

— In connection with matters concerning the grand Winchester 4th of July celebration to-day we would state that a substantial Grand Stand has been erected on Bacon's field for the accommodation of those attending the Band Concerts and Fireworks, so that all can have a nice comfortable seat for a very reasonable price. This is a capital good thing.

— Mrs. Paulina and her daughter Miss Clarabel D. Flinn started last Wednesday for East Wilton, N. H., where they expect to spend the summer months with relatives and friends up there. Neither lady enjoys very robust health and it is hoped that a sojourn among the hills of the old Granite State will do them good. And the JOURNAL hopes it will.

— Mr. Samuel W. Mendum, Assistan Principal of the High School, Mr. O. F. Bryant, a teacher of more than 25 years standing in Chauncy Hall School, Boston, and Mr. Winthrop Hammond, expect to join the excursion which will leave Boston today (4th) for the annual convention of the National Teachers Association to be held at Minneapolis, Minn., on July 7-11.

— Last week Judge Wade of Helena, Montana, a nephew of the old Abolition war-horse Ben Wade of Ohio, paid Col. Hayes and family of this city, a visit. He is a relative of Mrs. Hayes who was a Wade on one side of her parentage. The Wades were natives of Medford and there is where old Ben's ancestors settled when they came to this country. Col. and Mrs. Hayes enjoyed the visit of their Montana relative.

— Lawyer Allen, for the defense, and Lawyer Curren for the Commonwealth, got up quite a breeze in the District Court last Tuesday morning over the trial of druggist Mitchell and his clerk Devlin for alleged selling of intoxicating liquors illegally. There was considerable "pitching in" on both sides, and it took pretty plain talk from Judge Converse to quell the war of words. Nobody, however, was very seriously hurt.

— Mr. Elisha F. Hayward, one of the census enumerators, has addressed Commissioner Porter for permit for him and his associates to disclose the number of inhabitants which they find Woburn to contain. It was a good thing for Mr. Hayward to do and we can see no reason why the Superintendent of Census should not comply with his very reasonable and proper request. It is to be hoped that the permission asked for will be promptly granted.

— Farmers are just about well under way in their haying operations. Now and then a very smart one has finished up the job and has his hay all nicely housed, but the most of them are not half through yet. It used to be the old stereotyped habit of farmers to set in haying, in right down good earnest, the next Monday after the 4th of July, but of late years the rule has been so far modified as to allow of considerable work in that line being done the week before the 4th.

— The JOURNAL's family have enjoyed a visit this week from Rev. and Mrs. Drake, home missionaries and residents of South Dakota, who have been preaching and lecturing in Massachusetts ever since the National Convention at Saratoga early in June in behalf the churches and church building in that new State. They have been cordially received everywhere and have secured handsome contributions for the support of their noble work. They will leave New England for their Western home early next week.

— Mr. Fred A. Flint has kindly consented at the request of the Managers to receive subscriptions for the purchase of a parlor organ for the Old Ladies Home and those of our people who wish to aid this worthy object will find him at his desk in the store of G. R. Gage & Co., and himself ready to receive and give credit for contributions. The object is a good one. The Managers would like to buy the instrument but cannot do so without help from the public, and Mr. Flint has volunteered to lend a helping hand.

— The records of Water Registrar Barrett show a large increase of water takers in this city since April 1. Changes of course are always going on; people are leaving tenements and others come in and take them. The records referred to show that the number of new takers is just about twice as large as the number who have gone away, the total figuring showing that Woburn's population has been increasing rapidly in the last few months. The JOURNAL believes that the reports of the census men will show that this city is and has been growing right along.

— George W. Emery who died at the city almshouse a couple of weeks ago had experienced a good many of life's vicisitudes in his nearly 70 years of existence. He was a prominent comb manufacturer once at which he made a good deal of money. There was a time when he could count his dollars by the many thousands and nobody held their head higher than he. But rum, the great enemy of mankind whose victims outnumber those of all the wars that have been waged since Adam's Fall—rum got the upper-hands of him; he lost his business, his wealth, his health, his good name, his everything that a man ought to hold dear; he was taken "over the hill to the poor-house" at last, and there he died, a poor, broken-down, friendless old man, a couple of weeks ago. That is just the way rum serves them all.

— The Johnston Electric Signal Company have elected Mr. C. H. Delano Superintendent of their factory in this city and he has accepted the position. Up to a few months since he was manager of the business of the Woburn Electric Light Company in which capacity he did first class service which was appreciated and prized. He understands the electrical business as thoroughly as any man we have among us and will fill the position of Superintendent of the Johnston Company to the satisfaction of everybody. The Company are already beginning to turn out electrical wares from their factory and in about three weeks will be in operation under a full head of steam. At present they derive their power from J. T. Freeman & Co., in the same building. They have orders from the B. & R. RR. Co. to finish up the work on that road at once, in addition to which orders for signals are being received daily from away. It is the intention of the Company to manufacture not only electrical railroad signals but all sorts of electrical goods, for which they are rapidly getting into working trim. Things will soon be heard humming down there at the Johnston electrical factory.

— *Watson's Illuminator* of Biddeford, Maine, came out last month double its former size, that is, 16-page instead of 8, and such another crowing and and swinging of hats history has made no record of. The *Illuminator* is the jolliest monthly in America, and Editor Watson knows it, and nobody Down East takes more pride in his production than he does.

— The Board of Trade special committee, Messrs. Lawrence Reade, Fred A. Flint and F. H. Lewis, appointed to consult with the authorities of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. in relation to securing an earlier morning mail, called on Superintendent Sanborn a few days since and submitted to him their story. Supt. Sanborn received the committee in the most friendly and courteous manner and gave them assurances that their wants should be promptly and carefully looked into and acted upon. The committee were right well pleased with the new Superintendent of the Lowell System of the B. & M.

— "The Fall of Babylon" is a grand open-air spectacular representation at Oakland Garden, Boston, by Barnum (the prince of showmen) and Bailey, which everyone in this city ought to see, and a great many of them will, we have no doubt. It is one of the most gorgeous and at the same time unique shows ever given to the public. The first presentation of this wonderful and colossal scenic, scriptural and historical drama was on last Monday evening when thousands visited and admired it and will be continued until further notice. Nothing of the kind or anywhere like it was ever given in this country. It no doubt will attract throngs of people daily from all over New England for there has never been anything in Boston so well calculated to draw crowds.

— A considerable fear of dogs prevails in this city at the present time. Considering that two persons have died of hydrophobia in the last few months it is not very strange that people feel alarmed about themselves. The fright is not confined to this city either—there is a good deal of a mad dog scare in other parts of the State and New England. There is a feeling prevailing in this this community that something ought to be done by the authorities to protect the inhabitants against possible injury by the dogs, and the JOURNAL thinks it would be a good plan for them to look into it. Just what the authorities can do in the premises we are not aware, but we have no doubt they will take such measures as may be in their power to protect the people from harm from the dogs.

— The surprise party for Mr. and Mrs. Austin A. Crowell which was given at their residence, 221 Salem street, last Monday evening, was an affair that will not soon be forgotten. It was a genuine social treat which everyone enjoyed and none more so than Mr. and Mrs. Crowell who were the recipients of fine presents among which were a set of dining-room chairs. Music, conversation and games constituted an evening's excellent entertainment. Among the friends present were: Col. O. J. Hart and wife, Mrs. Austin G. French, Mrs. George H. Woodside, Miss Lucy Woodside, Geo. Butters, Mrs. Ella Howard, Edgar S. Ellis and wife, Arthur U. Dickson and wife, Mrs. Sidney S. Richardson, Miss Ida Smith, Miss Nellie Smith, Miss Stella Smith, Mrs. Walter N. Randall, Miss Mellie Spinney, Miss Hattie Whitty, Councilman Fowle and wife, Clarence S. Paine and wife, Mr. McNeish.

— Edward H. Lounsbury has been Master of the Cummings School in this city five years. Our educational authorities all say he has done excellent work there, besides which, parents and pupils hold him in high esteem. It is said, and it is probably true, that Mr. Lounsbury's work has steadily grown more valuable to the school year after year on the score of increased experience, and that his interest in the young people under his charge is excelled by no teacher in the city's corps. There is a rumor that Mr. Lounsbury contemplates leaving the Woburn schools for either some other one or some other occupation. He had an invitation not long back to accept a firstclass position in the Somerville schools at a handsome salary and why he did not take it is what we do not know. His salary here is $1,200: he thinks his services are worth $1,500, and declines, as we hear the story, to remain longer for less. The School Committee, while they do not doubt the value of his services, are afraid Mr. Lounsbury might, even at $1,500 per annum, take it into his head to leave here—in other words, they would not be assured of his continued services even were the salary he asks paid him, and therefore make a halt before his proposition. So the matter rests, rumor says, and what will come out of it cannot yet be determined. If Master Lounsbury should go our schools will lose the services of one of the best educators in this part of the State.

Johnston Electric Train Signal Co.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Kindly inform the citizens of Woburn, who have paid for their stock in this company, that their certificates are ready and will be delivered at any time by the City Treasurer. Further, those who have subscribed and not paid will do well so to do right away.

The balance of the 2,000 shares set aside to Woburn at $5 per share is offered for sale in Woburn only for a period of 10 days from date, after which no more can be obtained at that figure.

We are pushing our work rapidly along and all of the machinery will soon be in place.

Applications for work will be received from Woburn people only and these must be made in writing, stating age, previous employment and give reference.

JOHNSTON TRAIN SIGNAL CO.
Wm. C. Johnston, Jr., Manager.
Woburn, July 3, 1890.

A well digger at Talbottom, Ga., after clearing out a well last week found that his jet black hair had changed its color to a bright yellow or golden shade. The cause is a mystery.

Love's labor may be often lost, but Fitz & Stanley's customers say there is no labor lost using Brussels soap.

Cummings Grammar School.

"Public Day" was observed on Tuesday, June 24th, closing with exercises in the school hall. In spite of the intense heat, a large number of friends favored the school with their presence. An hour before the time set for the exercises, people began to arrive; by two o'clock every available seat was occupied, and late comers were obliged to stand. The decorations were simple and save for a slight excentricity on the part of the "1890" were really very pretty. At ten minutes past two the "assembly" was sounded and the long lines of pupils marched to the hall to the inspiring music of the Cummings School Fife & Drum Corps.

The exercises, presented chiefly by the graduating class, were of a varied character, designed to call forth the talents of the individual as well as of the class as a whole. The literary part of the programme was entirely original in both conception and elaboration. A curtain being necessary, an ingenious arrangement had been made by means of wire and pulley, which, nevertheless, though carefully tested beforehand, took a malicious pleasure in breaking at a critical point. Thanks, however, to the ready resource and prompt action of stage-carpenter Dimick and an able corps of assistants, serious delay was avoided.

The programme as a whole was well rendered and gave evidence of hard work. The choruses—in four parts and without instrument—were particularly fine and reflect much credit on Professor Russell, the Director of Music. The Class History, by Alice Huse provoked much laughter by its brilliant sallies, and the illustrated pieces were well received. The most interesting part of the programme in the opinion of many was the Calisthenic exercise by the girls of the graduating class, assisted by some from the eighth grade. Their marching in particular was so well done as to call forth outbursts of hearty applause, and must have opened the eyes of those juvenile cynics whose notions of a girl's general ability to "do things" is based on observation of her efforts to throw stones or sharpen lead pencils.

The following is a programme of the exercises.

1. March. By the orchestra.
2. Semi-Chorus. 7th, 8th and 9th grades.
   a. Contentedness. German Folk Song.
   b. Sweet and Low. Barnaby.
3. Dumb Bell Drill. Boys of 9th grade.
4. Male Quartette. Integer Vitae.
5. Calisthenics.
6. Junior Orchestra.
   Ida Taylor, piano. Gertie Harris, banjo.
   Dora Ronco, violin. Ned Johnson, piccolo.
7. Original Composition.
   Scenes from Camp Life. Philip M. Brown.
   Read by Almy M. Carter.
   Illustrations
   a. Reveille.
   b. Company Drill.
   c. Dress Parade.
   d. Camp Fire.
   e. Capturing a Spy.
   f. An Execution.
   g. Packing a Box for the Soldiers.
   h. Arrival of Box in Camp.
   i. Peace.
8. Violin Solo. Carnival of Venice.
   Maud Ronco.
   Kate Barker, accompanist.
9. Original Composition. Woburn in 1990.
   Charles R. Carter.
   Read by Mabel T. Newton.
   Illustrations
   a. Laundry in the 20th Century.
   b. Church Scene.
   c. A Flag Raising.
11. Semichorus. Farewell to the Forest.
    Mendelssohn.

The Class has organized with Leon F. Parkhurst President, and Hattie J. Buck, Secretary. The members are as follows: John C. Andrews, Jennie M. Barter, Samuel D. Bartlett, Clara L. Blake, Irene F. Boone, Philip M. Brown, Hattie J. Buck, Almy M. Carter, Charles R. Carter, Etta F. Charman, Daniel B. Dimick, Chester R. Fowle, Florence M. Hartwell, Herbert C. Hartwell, Gertrude M. Heartz, Benjamin S. Hinckley, Alice M. Huse, Cyrus F. Lamb, Edward A. Maguire, Thomas J. McColgan, Maud McLean, Florence C. Meriam, Peter N. Miller, Mabel T. Newton, James A. Ordway, Grace M. Page, Leon F. Parkhurst, Lilla E. Patterson, Clara M. Ryder, Leila A. Seller, Frank H. Smith, Ada C. Waterman, John W. Waters, Mamie Waters.

On Thursday evening following graduation, the class held a lawn party at the home of Leon Parkhurst, Green street, and despite the depressing pressure of "Rabat-joie the Venerable," had a delightful time. Games were played on the lantern-lighted lawn and a few of the old school room songs were sung to a large and appreciative audience without the gate of Paradise. After refreshments the company went indoors and the President of the Class, in a speech so neat and appropriate as to call for three separate editions thereof, in behalf of the class presented their teacher, Mr. Lounsbury a very fine pair of opera glasses. The recipient was visibly affected but by special indulgence was allowed to retire to the front hall for reflection, after which he thanked the class in a short speech. More games and singing followed, a little dancing, and then the strains of "Auld Lang Syne" told the close of an evening of perfect enjoyment. As one by one the bright faces vanished and glad laughter died in the distance, to many came like a benediction, an echo from the verse of the sweet singer by the Charles,

"Bear through sorrow, wrong, and ruth,
In thy heart the dew of youth,
On thy lips the smile of truth"

The thanks of the class are due to Mr. Henry L. Andrews for the gift of programmes for the lawn party.

Uncle Sam Ahead.

Recent experiments on the Annapolis proving ground have demonstrated that this country is now not only manufacturing the finest rifled breechloading cannon in the world, but that it is also producing the most effective modern powder. In view of the fact that a half a dozen years ago we were behind all the other nations of the world in the art of making modern ordnance, this is a most conspicuous object lesson of the wisdom of encouraging home industry.—*Boston Journal.*

While there's life there's soap, and Wm. H. Curtis says he never saw any thing in their life take as the patent tray that goes with Brussels soap.

Blaine vs. Gladstone.

Blaine's famous reply to Gladstone has just been issued in pamphlet form. This is one of the ablest presentations of the benefits of Protection yet published, and should be widely read. Send for a copy to the American Protective Tariff League, 23 West Twenty-third Street, New York, inclosing a two-cent stamp.

Y. M. C. A.

BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

State Secretary Armstrong was with us at the 4 o'clock meeting last Sunday.

Moonlight excursion down the Harbor July 31; news in later issue of the JOURNAL.

At the Boy's meeting last Sunday Mrs. W. W. Hill gave a talk upon "Truthfulness."

Basket picnic at Middlesex Fells! Arrangements are being made. See the JOURNAL this week in regard to it.

The frequenters of our Reading Room will be glad to learn that we are to have a new paper and magazine table.

The JOURNAL has printed the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association, and is now at work on the Auxiliary's, which will be out in a few days.

The 4 o'clock Mens meeting next Sunday afternoon, will be led by Mr. Frank Johnson of Amherst College. We also expect a cornetist to lead the singing.

The Boy's meeting will be held as usual at 3 o'clock Sunday, afternoon. The speaker will be one who understands how to interest boys. Be sure your boy hears him.

The regular quarterly members meeting last Tuesday evening was well attended. The chairmen of the different committees gave encouraging reports of the work of the past quarter.

The Boys are talking of a summer encampment with other Junior Branches. The place is to be Paddock's Island opposite Pemberton and parents of Juniors who desire to know about it will have sent them a circular of information on application.

The Woman's Auxiliary met last Tuesday week. After a very interesting meeting, they adjourned until September. The reports of the different committees showed that active work was going on, and that the interest was increasing among members, and also among others who are not members, but will be in the fall. A good sum was netted at their last sociable.

Lately we have heard such expressions as these: "The Y. M. C. A. Rooms have been the means of keeping me out of bad company;" "The influence I have received at the Y. M. C. A. Rooms has changed my course of life, and a few months ago I gave myself to Christ in one of the 4 o'clock meetings, and I thank God for the Young Men's Christian Association." And yet we hear people say of "what use are they?" "What good do they do?" My friend, if you knew more of the work, you would not critisize so harshly. If you want to see results, give us encouragement instead of discouragement. God is certainly blessing His work in this place. For when we see one young man, who has led a wasteful life, change to a useful one, it certainly shows that some one has been busy in the Master's vineyard.

Lawn Party.

On the afternoon of Tuesday, June 27, the officers of the Woburn Woman's Club gave to the members and ex-officers of the Club a lawn party on the grounds of Mrs. P. L. Converse and of Mrs. Martha Hayward. Showers had fallen during the morning but the sun shone brightly at the proper hour of four, and many were the guests received by the President and the two Vice Presidents between the hours of four and six. Invitations were extended to the Board of Management of the Winchester "Fortnightly," and to the ex-President of the Malden Club—"The Old and New"—who served as a delegate to the convention of the "Federation of Women's Clubs" held in New York city this spring; and to the ex-President of the Melrose Woman's Club who was a delegate to the 21st anniversary of Sorosis in the same city last year; and to other friends who had at one time or another served the Club.

Mrs. Hayward generously allowed the Club the use of her roomy barn, and the interior was prettily decorated with flowers of the garden and the field. Within was placed the long table from which was served the refreshments of cake and lemonade.

And let me say here that the "Woburn Woman's Club" possesses many excellent cake makers. A pleasing effect in white and green was given by a scarf of ferns which lay on the white cloth through the centre of the table, and among the ferns reposed the daisy heads. The study in green and white was further carried out in the wall hangings of white linen which were dotted and fringed with ferns that still retained their woody fragrance. In the centre of the hangings, peonies, roses and other garden beauties made a gay bit of color.

As a fitting tribute to one whose presence on this gala-day had been so sadly missed, the flowers that had brightened the fete were laid by loving hands on the grave of Emma Putnam Kelley. G. M. B.

Trying To Defraud Housekeepers.

Respectable grocers are much incensed at the disreputable practices resorted to by a baking powder concern to introduce its goods in this market. It employs a lot of cheap and incompetent people to go around and make what they call "tests" of baking powders, which simply mean condemning every kind except the one they peddle. So ignorant and unprincipled are these parties that where two samples from the same package have been given them they have pronounced one very good and the other very bad. They indiscriminately condemn the best known goods of very highest reputation which in any way compete with their own. All the high class grocers are dealing largely, and have been for years, in the baking powders condemned by these itinerants, and they resent the accusation that they are selling impure and adulterated goods, especially as they know it to be untrue and made for purely mercenary purposes.

An evidence of the fraudulent intent of these parties exists in the fact that in several instances they have given their own baking powder to examine, when, supposing it to be another, they have unhesitatingly condemned it as adulterated.

Methods of this kind indicate both ignorance of the first principles of business and absence of either honor or morality, and will disgust consumers as well as dealers.

Dripping water may wear away a stone, but water dripping from the Brussels soap tray saves soap.

Insure your Property in Solid Companies!

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SPRING STYLES.

WALL PAPERS.

Now selling at HORTON'S WOBURN BOOKSTORE for WAY DOWN PRICES. First-class Paper Hangers furnished. Please call and order before rush season comes on.

Thompson—Wyman.

A notable wedding took place in this city last Monday afternoon, the contracting parties being Miss Ella Frances Wyman of Woburn and Mr. Leonard Smalley Thompson of Boston. The bride is a twin daughter of the late Calvin A. Wyman, and the ceremony was held on the lawn in front of the residence of Mrs. Sophia B. Wyman, the bride's mother, at 46 Wyman street. The event was witnessed by the relatives and a number of immediate friends of the couple, the Rev. Charles Macomber Smith, D. D., of Somerville officiating. The bride was dressed in a cream white satin de Lyon, moss plush, lace and silk cord, with a head dress of lace and natural moss to match, Miss Emma Louisa, her twin sister, stood with her, dressed in a costume exactly the same. The services took place at 3 P. M. and was the Christian Science ceremony. Many letters and telegrams of congratulation were received from friends at a distance. A wedding repast was served, after which the happy pair started on a wedding trip in New Hampshire, Vermont, New York and Canada. The bride has been for some time a teacher in the Rice Training School of Boston. The newly-wedded couple were the recipients of elegant and beautiful gifts.

Among the friends present were: Edwin P. Seaver, Superintendent of the Public Schools of Boston, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Crane of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gregg of Boston, Mrs. Daniel Lane of Boston, Mrs. John Cummings and Mrs. A. Maria Winn of Woburn, Arthur A. Fowle, Managing Editor of the Boston *Globe*, and wife, E. C. Dana of New York, Lewis J. Chase of Providence, R. I., Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Warren of Boston, and Major and Mrs. C. W. Stevens and family of Boston. There were many other Woburn friends and relatives present from all of whom the bride and groom received warm congratulations.

A Correction.

The publication in the JOURNAL of date June 13, ult., of an article headed "The Geographical Centre" evidently gave rise to considerable irritation of temper in this community—at least, it probably intensified feelings that had not been theretofore altogether fraternal. Several people were suspected of being the authors of the screed and blame was bestowed accordingly. None of the parties suspected, however, had anything to do towards writing or had any knowledge concerning it, until it appeared in the JOURNAL.

The Editor of the JOURNAL wrote the article and was alone responsible for its authorship and publication. No one else had the first thing to do about it—no one even suspected that such a piece of composition was to appear in print.

The Editor based what he said about the school house lot on what he honestly supposed to be a solid groundwork of facts. In this he was in error. His informant had been mislead, for while he supposed he was relating hardpan truth to the Editor his statement in relation to the location of the new school house on Mr. Pollard's land was erroneous. The sub-committee on the new school house had not then even held a meeting and therefore had indicated no choice of site by word or act. Irresponsible rumors were the only basis for the statement in the article that a site on Mr. Pollard's land had been selected, or strongly preferred.

"The Geographical Centre" was written in a spirit of pleasantry and ought so to have been accepted. It probably would have been so taken but for the irritating public talk that preceded its publication and officious intermeddling of people subsequently. All this assailing the ears of Mr. Pollard and Mr. Carter it naturally threw them out of humor. But with this the JOURNAL has nothing to do.

The Editor of the JOURNAL hadn't the remotest intention of wounding the feelings of anyone when he wrote and published the article: he does not now believe the article was of sufficient importance to have caused so much stir and talk, or to have disturbed anybody's equinimity; but that, seemingly, having been its effect, the Editor and author of it embraces this means and time to assure the parties aggrieved that to do them injustice was as opposite his intent as one pole is from the other.

How It Works.

EDITOR OF WOBURN JOURNAL: I have kept strict watch of the result of the no-license vote in our city. While there has been a desperate effort made by the liquor sellers to evade the law yet there has been a steady decrease in drunkenness, which the following figures show: Total arrests for all offences in June, 1890, was 18: Drunks, 11. For June, 1889, total arrests 54; Drunks, 35.

This shows one criminal under no-license this year for three under high license last year. This week I asked the Chief of Police if his force were as faithful in arresting drunken men as they were before. He said: "Certainly, if not more so."

Through the Chief's faithfulness an ex-Alderman and ex-Counciliman, together with two other liquor sellers, are now serving their sentence in Cambridge. There are more whom he expects to see lodged in the same place before many months.

Now is the time for every honest, law-abiding citizen to rally to the aid of our Chief of Police in an unbiased enforcement of the liquor law. The liquor dealers will make a strong effort to have the people believe there is more liquor sold than ever, thus boasting in their ability to defy the law in order to change the vote to license the coming fall. The facts concerning the absence of drunkenness and profane language in various parts of the city prove that no license is a great success.

Next Sunday evening I propose to tell how the illegal sales are carried on and give the names of the parties who are engaged in them.

Yours for suffering humanity,
HUGH MONTGOMERY.
Woburn, July 2, 1890.

What J. H. NASON says About Shoes:

We invite the public to visit our Shoe Rooms at 329 Main street, opposite Post Office, and examine our prices in Boots and Shoes. We are making a Hand Sewed, Welted, French Calf Boot on the "Graham" last for **$6.00**. This shoe is as good in style and make as can be found in Boston and at much less price. The bottom stock is White Oak. We have made arrangements for machine work in our cheaper grades, so can give sewed work for those who prefer it. We keep on hand School Shoes of our own make from solid stock and warranted.

Ladies can get made at our place any style of shoe in the market at lowest prices. We will also call at your homes when customers are unable to come to our rooms.

SCHOOL SHOES.

We have on hand to-day a Boy's School Shoe from $1.00 to $2.00: Misses at $1.25 to $1.50.

REPAIRING DEPARTMENT.

We are prepared to do as good repairing as is done in this city, using only the best stock, as can be seen by a visit to our rooms, and our prices are as low as the lowest.

Gentlemen, hand sewed,	$1.00
" nailed,	.75
Ladies', hand sewed,	.75
" nailed,	.65
Boy's, nailed,	.65

Any one needing good work at low prices will not fail to call and leave their order.

We thank the public for their liberal patronage in the past and with our much better facilities for turning out work we hope to serve you much better in the future.

J. H. NASON,
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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

A York (Pa.) tobacco dealer owns a snow white raccoon with pink eyes.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Teaching Morality in the Public Schools.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. Holy Communion; at 6 p. m. Epworth League prayer meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Duty of the Pulpit in regard to Prohibition. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Class meeting on Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Prelude "Freedom and Faith." Subject of Sermon "Christian Example." At 2.30 p. m. Communion Service; at 6 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. Monthly Concert; Missionary Lecture. "What can we teach China?" The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Special directions accompany family medicines bought at Dr. Dodge's Drug Store.

Married.

In this city, June 30, at the residence of Mrs. Calvin A. Wyman, by Charles Macomber Smith, D. D., of Somerville, Mr. Leonard S. Thompson of Boston and Miss Ella Francis Wyman of Woburn

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, June 25, George W. Emery, aged 68 years, 9 months, 15 days.

In this city, June 26, Nathaniel Hayford, aged 10 months.

In this city, June 30, Elizabeth L. Foley, aged 44 years, 10 months, 20 days.

In this city, July 1, Mary F. Roys, aged 82 years.

Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. Distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint

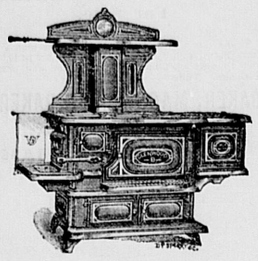
Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

Copeland & Bowser,

335 Main Street, WOBURN.



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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

The Other Side.

EDITOR OF JOURNAL: In the issue of the *City Press* of June 26, 1890, appeared an article headed "No Relief!" which impugned the official act of the Overseers of the Poor, and from which, if permitted to go unanswered, the public would infer that the said Overseers grossly neglect their duties. The case so highly colored by the *City Press* I will speak briefly of.

The family in question consists of husband, wife and two children—one 15 years old and the other 12. They have received aid for the past five years and up to June 1, 1890. During the summer months—say, June, July and August—whenever any reduction can be made, particularly where there are no young children, it has been the practice of this Board to make it when no suffering would be caused thereby. As the father of this family appeared to be physically able to labor (for I have seen him so employed), the mother took in washing, and the eldest boy, 15 years old, could earn something after school closed, it was thought they might be able to get along without any aid from the city for two or three months during warm weather—then have their aid restored. The family was able not long ago to entertain one of the inmates of the Almshouse for a week or ten days, therefore the Overseers concluded that they must have had some food to spare (even in their impoverished condition) for a man who was provided with full support by the city. Again, for the week ending June 28 the man "so used up with rheumatism" worked on the highways, and was so employed when the said article was written.

There must have been some motive of the author in going to so much trouble to make an *exparte* investigation, when the Overseers of the Poor were in session in their rooms at the time the farce was taking place in the City Clerk's office, and all that was necessary to be done was to step across the hallway, about ten feet, and hear what the Overseers of the Poor had to say about the case. But no, they were particularly avoided! Why?

The writer goes on to say that "we publish these particulars to call attention to the matter." Would it not have looked better if he had stepped into the room of the Overseers of the Poor with the asthmatic woman and requested them to review the case? They might have changed their verdict and Mr. Moreland thus saved his money. If they had refused to reconsider the case, then go ahead with the publication in the *City Press*.

The Overseers of the Poor never allow any of the poor to suffer. When a case of destitution and suffering is brought to their notice prompt action is invariably taken and that too without giving publicity to their acts. JOHN FERGUSON.

Everybody noticed a man smiling on Main street the other day. He had bought 7 bars of Brussels soap and a soap tray at Buckman & White's for his wife.

George T. Smith Sentenced.

George T. Smith of Somerville was yesterday (Wednesday) sentenced in the Superior Court at East Cambridge to three years and a half in the State Prison for burning the vacant dwelling house in Woburn belonging to John R. Carter on the night of Nov. 6, 1888. The grand jury failed to find any evidence connecting Samuel P. Smith with the matter, and he was discharged; as soon as Kendall learned of the arrest of Smith he skipped the country and it is said he is now in Europe. The insurance companies paid the loss on the house to J. R. Carter, who was an innocent victim, although they were not bound to, as he had neglected to notify the companies that the house was vacant. It is learned that Samuel P. Smith has died since the above events transpired.—*Boston Paper.*

Comer's Commercial College.

In our business columns will be found the announcement of Comer's Commercial College, 666 Washington St., Boston. The reputation of Comer's College as the leading institution for business education in New England is well known. The superior advantages enjoyed by the graduates from this well known school by reason of the thoroughness of their business education, is one of the best recommendations to be offered. The Semi-Centennial announcement, a finely illustrated catalogue just issued by the above named school, is now ready for delivery and will be sent to any address applied for free of charge.

The Lake Superior Transit Co.'s steamers between Buffalo, Detroit, and Sault Ste. Marie, with connection for Duluth, St. Paul, and Minneapolis, affords a delightful vacation trip. For special one way and excursion rates apply to J. A. Flanders, agent, 322 Washington street, Boston.

4 June Items.

1st.

INFANTS' MUSLIN CAPS. We have had 35 different styles of Infants' Caps made to our order, by one of the largest manufacturers in the country. They are beauties. Prices from 25c. to $2.00 each.

2d.

RIBBONS. This is a great season for Ribbons. We have the largest stock we have ever shown. They are selling fast. Why? Because they are right in both quality and price.

3d.

HOSIERY. Ladies' Fancy Hose, Ladies' Fast Black Hose, Ladies' Balbriggan Hose, Children's Back Hose from 10c. to 50 cents a pair.

4th.

SUMMER CORSETS. A Good Openwork Corset at 50 cents. Extra Value Openwork Corset at 75 cents. The sale on these thin goods is increasing every year.

C. Willard Smith

Dry Goods and Carpets,

399 & 401 Main Street, Woburn.

Woburn Is All Right.

"Why don't the leather makers of Woburn," asks the JOURNAL of that city, "try to get many more of the same trade to settle there and make this city the largest leather manufacturing place in the world? They can do it." The remarks of this leather city contemporary are pertinent. Woburn has advantages and disadvantages. All of her tanners with two or three exceptions are well located and arranged for a large business. The advantages which Woburn possesses over some other localities are many. Situated within ten miles of the greatest leather city in the world, undoubtedly, the place is enabled to get the product to market at very cheap freight rates and within a very limited time. The tanners and curriers of Woburn can easily watch the market. Spur tracks lead into all the principal tanneries, and the bark is unloaded directly from the car into the bark run, thus saving double or triple handling, which does much towards reducing the cost of bark. Woburn also has the experienced help, which a more remote point or a smaller tanning center might not be able to obtain. The city possesses all the advantages of a great metropolis, with its society, schools, and libraries, and it certainly offers an inducement to tanners to locate there, rather than in the hemlock or oak forests away from these advantages. It is not likely there will ever be any trouble in obtaining the best workmen. The two disadvantages which work against the city is the higher cost of bark and hides. But it is stated the advantages getting the bark directly to the vats with little handling in a measure makes up for the eighty per cent advance in cost of bark as compared with many tanneries located in the bark districts: The freight on hides is nearly balanced by the saving of freight of the finished leather. There is no reason why Woburn should lose any of its prestige as a leather producing center for many years to come; but what it needs is more enterprise, push and energy, in meeting the competition which is springing up in other sections of the country. Every legitimate improvement should be furthered, and the business men should never "hide their light under a bushel."—*Shoe and Leather Reporter.*

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

[Last week the town of Billerica was pasted all over with copies of the following poster.—ED. JOURNAL.]

To the Good People of the Town of Billerica.

Has it ever occurred to you that cheap fuel is more attractive to the manufacturer than exemption from taxation for a few years?

Has it ever occurred to you that the proposed new Middlesex Canal will place the Town of Billerica in close connection with the coal fields of Pennsylvania and cheap fuel?

Has it ever occurred to you that the Towns-people of Billerica exhibited very inconsiderable civic sagacity in opposing this public improvement?

OUTSIDE CAPITAL.

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Twenty-five years ago I knew every man, woman, and child in Peekskill. It has been a study with me to mark boys who started in every grade of life with myself, to see what has become of them. I was up last fall and began to count them over, and it was an instructive exhibit. Some of them became clerks, merchants, manufacturers, lawyers, doctors. It is remarkable that every one of those that drank is dead; not one living of my age. Barring a few who were taken off by sickness every one who proved a wreck and ruined his family did it from rum and no other cause.—Chauncey M. Depew.

It is wonderful the large trade Moore & Morris are having in Brussels soap.

The Legislature.

BOSTON, June 17, 1890.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:

The Massachusetts Legislature will soon adjourn. It was remarkable for many things. It dealt with the gypsy moth, and appropriated thousands of dollars on its account. It saved the scalp of the woodchuck, and left the little beast to devour the clover in summer time and to hibernate in the winter. It left the dogs to go unmuzzled, and the sheep to shift for themselves. It measured the length of a salable lobster, and saved his carcass from being broken in two, so that the purchaser may not be cheated with two halves that do not belong together. It left the little baby trout, with his five small inches, to swim till he gets to be six inches long, and then he may be fried, poor thing! It made the feathers fly while it went after the chicken thieves, even venturing into the province of the courts to fix the penalty for the thief who gets away with five dollars' worth of fowls, and for him who steals only one dollar's worth. It trifled with the rights of the courts again in trying to settle the punishment of burglars who enter by day, and of those who enter at night. It spent much time upon butter and lard and oleo, and it pursued the English sparrow, and tried to find the weight of a dozen of eggs.

But the most remarkable action of the Legislature is found in the care it took of the right of men to vote. Hitherto, if a man changed his residence, it involved the possible loss of his right to vote at the next election. But, to save to the human male his right to vote every time, the Legislature guarded him by a law, so that no change of residence can affect his right to vote at any election.

Several gentlemen from Lowell and Lawrence and Lynn appealed to the Legislature for protection from a class of gentlemen who have a habit of changing their residence often and of never paying rent. They have the names of a thousand such "dead beats." The gentlemen who had houses to rent got no protection from these frequent movers. But all the same the "dead beat" had his right to move and to vote made safe.

Then came up the case of men "guilty of infamous crimes," with the question whether, as a punishment for these crimes, the right to vote should be withheld from the criminal for ten years. But the right of the human male to vote was respected, and even with infamous crimes upon him he can still go unquestioned and deposit his vote.

It was proposed that the men who need "assistance to mark their ballots," presumably because they cannot read well enough to distinguish the party names readily, should have the assistance of a member of their own party to help them mark their ballots, but this did not pass. Still, however, there was the poll tax which a man must pay before he could vote. But the Legislature declared by a majority vote of both branches that the paltry tax of $2 must not stand between the freeman and his right to vote. All this for men.

Now, note the different treatment this remarkable Legislature gave to women. We asked that women may vote who have no need of assistance to mark their ballots, who have not been convicted of crime, and who have been in the country long enough to understand somewhat of its institutions. We did not ask for full suffrage, but only that such women might vote for the men who would levy taxes upon their property and have the spending of their money, and that in the cities and towns where they live they might vote on questions of common interest to man and woman. But the Legislature, so tender to suffrage for men, turned its heart to stone, and the House of Representatives, by a large majority, denied to all women the smallest shred of suffrage. There was indeed "a saving remnant" who stood for equal rights for women. God bless them! But, for the others, the historian has set down their shameful action, and the recording angel will not forget it.

Then women asked that a married mother may have the same legal right to her child that its father has, so that neither parent may dispose of the custody of the child without the consent of the other. But their petition was refused.

Then they asked that when a husband or wife borrows money of the other, the obligation to pay may have the same legal validity that it would in other cases of borrowed money. But their petition was refused. Now a husband may borrow the money of his wife and never pay a cent.

They asked that a woman whose husband is dead may have more than the forty days the law now allows to a widow to stay in the house without paying rent, while she adjusts herself to her new and hard conditions, with no man to help her. But the petition was refused.

Thus this Legislature has distinguished itself. It remains to be seen whether the same men can be returned another year. Meantime we have Bunker Hill, and Concord, and Lexington, and the harbor where the tea went over. We have the memory of noble men who "pledged their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor" for the defence of the very principle for the application of which women have sought in vain for many years. The heroes of that old time redeem their pledges with their lives. Surely, somewhere, they must have descendants who believe in representative government, who know that taxation without representation is tyranny no less to-day in the case of women, than it was in the case of George III and the colonists a hundred years ago. Where are they?

LUCY STONE.

Give it to them, Lucy.—ED. JOURNAL.

A painter remarked the other day, "No soap that I have ever used will remove paint or oil so thoroughly as Brussels."

Literary Notices.

OUR LITTLE ONES for July is a fine number of one of the prettiest and best magazines for children published in America. Its publishers are the Russell Publishing Co., Boston. The current issue contains a large number of pictures that will delight the small people, and stories and poetry full of interest and that make good reading for grown folks. OUR LITTLE ONES is a very nice magazine for children.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for July contains a large number of illustrated articles, of which Port Tarascon has 24 and Texan Types and Contrasts nearly as many. Social Life in Oxford, Baltic Russia, and A Famous Chapbook Villian also contain many pictures. It is a mid-summer number and as such is worthy of all praise as a literary and pictorial production.

***HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company, Boston, and at the Old Woburn Bookstore by Sparrow Horton.

The July number of THE COTTAGE HEARTH is a credit to the publishers and everybody else having had anything to with his makup. As usual it is filled with the very best of reading matter both in poetry and prose; there is a nice piece of new music in it; there are pages relating to the latest styles in the dresses of women and children; there is much useful information respecting household affairs, etc., etc., the total value of which far exceeds the cost of the magazine, as everyone who reads it will say.

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WINCHESTER.

A wedding in high life is on the tapis.

The *Star* just *more* than spreads itself this week.

Work on the South dam will be commenced right away.

All public schools closed last Friday for the long, jolly summer vacation.

Lawyer Elder's family are going to live at Nantasket during the "heated term."

Abijah Thompson, Esq., and wife expect to pass a portion of the summer at Hull.

People are coming to our great 4th of July celebration from all quarters of the country.

It is said that Mr. Spurr, lately deceased, has insurance on his life to the amount of $8,000.

The footings of the enumerators will show a big increase of the population in this return unless everybody has been guessing wild lately.

The *Star* says Dr. Evans (druggist) set out "flagrant Havanas" ad. lib. on the birth of an heir last week. There ought to be a law against setting out "flagrant" cigars.

This (July 4) is the big jubilee day for Winchester. Mystic Valley never saw such a celebration as ours is going to be today. All Woburn are expected to come down and help us celebrate.

The following list includes the High School graduates this year: Classical course, Edith Louisa Bishop, Mary F. Hinds, Edith J. Swett, Earnest W. Hatch, Herbert A. Rowe. English course, Elsie C. Locke, Nellie E. Smalley, Florence W. Underhill, Richard S. Sanborn; Scientific course, Albert E. McClellan; Partial course, Alice D. Homans.

GOOD SEATS. John H. Carter, Chairman of Committee on Fireworks, has had erected a spacious Grand Stand on Bacon's Field for the accommodation of those who wish to attend the Band Concerts and Fireworks at the celebration to-day which will afford everyone a full opportunity to secure good, comfortable seats for a very little money. The people will do well to make a note of this.

This is the true list of the Grammar School graduates: Lucy W. Bishop, Mary A. Boutwell, Bertha Brackett, Mabel Brooking, Carrie L. Ellard, Marion E. French, Gertrude E. Hall, Mary E. Haley, Grace F. Hawes, Edith A. Kimball, Anna S. Littlefield, Mary McGuinity, Anna K. McKenzie, Lucy M. Pratt, Alice S. Russell, Alice P. Sanborn, Hattie E. Snow, Ruth M. Taplin, Jennie Thompson, J. Donahue, Bertie A. Emerson, Henry B. Fielden, Miles A. Holbrook, Harold Huntress, Albert Littlefield, Henry M. Lyons, John F. O'Connor, Earl Richardson, George N. Robinson, John I. Sullivan, Frank C. Wilson, Walter W. Marsh, Edward W. Ray.

U. S. District Attorney Allen has appointed J. M. Marshall, Esq., of this place as Asst. Dist. Atty. The appointee is a son of Rev. B. D. Marshall, D.D., and was born in Lockport, N. Y., June 11, 1859. He was educated at the high school in Worcester, and was graduated from Brown University, in the closs of 1881, studied in the Harvard Law School, and was admitted to bar in 1885. After a year in the West, he returned and formed a law partnership with T. M. Osborne, with whom he was associated until Mr. Osborne's appointment to a position in the Superior Court. He is one of the best liked and respected among the younger members of the Suffolk bar, with an office at 54 Devonshire street.

Burlington.

Mrs. Affa Marion, the wife of Mr. E. T. Marion who died in Weymouth, June 24, was formerly a resident of this town and had many friends here who regret her early departure from this world.

The strawberry festival held in the church vestry Tuesday evening was a decided success. A large number of people attended and the tables, furnished with icecream, strawberries and cake, were well patronized. An enjoyable musical and literary entertainment was given by the young people assisted by Messrs. Haskell, Newton and Stephenson and other friends from Woburn whose musical efforts were much enjoyed.

Last Saturday afternoon the Lexington Historical Society visited the places of historic interest in Burlington. Taking the route of Hancock and Adams on the nineteenth of April, they first viewed the house of Mr. Edward Reed where the first prisoners of the Revolutionary War were kept for a time when it was owned by Capt. James Reed, an ancestor of Mr. Edward Reed. The party then proceeded to the house of Mr. Samuel Sewall, which was the retreat of Hancock and Adams with Dorothy Quincy on the eventful morning of the Battle of Lexington. It was then the home of Madam Jones, the widow of the second minister of Woburn Precinct. After a call at this house the society rode to the house of Mr. Joshua Reed one of the oldest houses in the State used as a garrison house when Indians infested the broad meadows of the Shawshine and at the time it was built one of the outposts of civilization in that direction. Here the party were most hospitably received by Mr. Joshua Reed and his wife. Mr. Reed is now verging upon his ninetieth year but is still interested in life and able to converse in an interesting manner of olden times. From this house the party guided by Rev. E. G. Porter and Mr. Lester B. Skelton took a footpath into the woods and after a short walk reached the Mecca of their pilgrimage, the site of the house of Amos Wyman where Hancock and Adams took refuge after being driven by a false alarm from the house of Madam Jones. In a little grassy clearing in the woods are still to be seen the cellar of the house filled with stones and the old well. Here the party halted and interesting accounts of the history of the places visited were given by Rev. E. G. Porter and Rev. C. A. Staples. Mr. Porter also read selections from "Henry Dunster and his Descendants"—a book of historic interest in which is recorded a sketch of the life of Rev. John Marrett, the son-in-law of Rev. Thomas Jones and his successor as minister of Woburn Precinct. Mr. Marrett was a direct descendant of Rev. Henry Dunster the first president of Harvard College. After a short time of resting during which a photograph of the place and the visitors was taken by Mr. Parsons, the party separated and adjourned to their carriages which had been left at Mr. Reed's for the homeward drive. About fifty ladies and gentlemen attended.

A New Superintendent.

Last week General Manager Furber of the Boston & Maine Railroad and its systems issued the following general order:

"Mr. William F. Simons, Superintendent of the Southern Division of the Lowell system, having tendered his resignation, to take effect July 1, Mr. Daniel W. Sanborn will, on July 1, be transferred to the position heretofore filled by Mr. Simons.

"The title "Lowell System," will hereafter be dispensed with, and the Boston & Lowell, the Nashua & Lowell, the Stony Brook, the Central Massachusetts, the Wilton, the Peterborough, and the Manchester & Keene railroads, with all other branch railroads, comprising what has heretofore been known as the "Southern Division of the Lowell System," will hereafter be known as the "Southern Division of the Boston & Maine railroad," and on and after July 1 will be under charge of Mr. D. W. Sanborn as Division Superintendent, with headquarters at Boston.

"Mr. Winslow T. Perkins is hereby appointed Division Superintendent of the Eastern Division, in place of Mr. Sanborn, transferred, and will assume the duties of his office on Tuesday, July 1, with headquarters at Boston."

Mr. Daniel W. Sanborn, the new Superintendent of the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine Railroad, is one of the best railroad men in New England. He was born in Wakefield, N. H., and entered the railroad service in 1859. He has gradually risen through the various grades, serving as master of transportation of the Eastern railroad from 1879 to 1884, when he was appointed superintendent of the Eastern division of the Boston & Maine. Away back he was one of the most faithful and popular conductors on the Eastern Railroad and at the time a resident of Portland where he was held in high regard. "Dan Sanborn's train" was as well known all over eastern Maine as it was between Portland and Boston and travelers always tried to make it in their way to hit it when going to and returning from the "Hub."

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Equitable,	1099	4,371,402
Penn Mutual	714	2,385,400
New York Life,	852	2,929,405
Mutual Benefit,	824	2,161,095
State Mutual,	861	2,082,000
North Western Mutual,	643	2,037,730
New England Mutual,	395	1,481,550
Ætna,	337	1,000,368

WEBSTER WOODMAN,

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by David Adams to Waldo Thompson and Leonard Thompson, dated June 3, 1884, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, South District, Book 1669, Page 37, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, JULY 8, A. D. 1890, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially as follows:—A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated on New Boston street, in Woburn, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, containing about nine thousand and fifty-three square feet; bounded northerly by Clinton street about 126 feet; southeasterly and southerly by Beach street 189 feet; and westerly by New Boston street 117 feet. Subject to any and all unpaid taxes and assessments.

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E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees will be held immediately after the Corporation meeting.

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Woburn, June 25, 1890.

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LAW OF THE SABBATH.

LESSON I, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JULY 6.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xiii, 10-17—Commit Verses 15-17—Golden Text, Matt. xii, 12—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

After encouraging them with the fact that it was their Father's good pleasure to give them the Kingdom, and that therefore He would surely see to their present need in the small matters of food and raiment, He commanded them to be watchful and diligent, expecting persecution while they improved the present time of grace. He then turned to the people with an admonition to repent, and by the parable of the fruitless fig tree taught them that they were spared as a nation only because of intercession, and through the long suffering of God.

10. "And He was teaching in one of the synagogues on the Sabbath." In His early ministry we read of Him that "As His custom was, He went into the synagogue on the Sabbath day;" and although He knew so well the hypocrisy of those who taught in the synagogues, yet He does not depart from His usual custom. Because there are false teachers, and many calling themselves Christians who are only hypocrites, this is no reason why others should forsake the house of God; but simply a strong reason why those who know and love the Truth should be always in their place and stand boldly for the Truth, both in public and in private.

11. "And, behold, there was a woman which had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years." Not so bad as the man at the pool of Bethesda who had an infirmity thirty-eight years (John v, 5), but bad enough surely. In Luke v, 15; vii, 21; viii, 2, we read of many who had been healed by Him of their infirmities, and it may be that this woman had heard through some of them of His wonderful power and love, or she may have been, notwithstanding her infirmity, a regular attendant at the synagogue and a true worshiper of the One God. The word translated "infirmity" signifies also "without strength" or weakness, sickness, disease—and it is the word used in reference to our Saviour in Matt. viii, 17, where it is written: "Himself took our infirmities and bare our sicknesses." In Him is health of body and soul for all the world.

12. "And when Jesus saw her, He called her to Him, and said unto her, Woman, thou art loosed from thine infirmity." When He called, she evidently came; He is still calling "Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest;" but how few seem to come. This woman was conscious of her helplessness and earnestly desired release, therefore she came readily. Sinners, though bowed down and unable to lift themselves up, are too often unconscious of it, do not think they are sick, and therefore heed not the physician. Oh for a deep conviction of sin and a realization of our utter helplessness. Lazarus stood at the grave's mouth alive and well, but he was bound hand and foot with grave clothes so that Jesus said unto them, "Loose him and let him go" (John xi, 44). Many Christians are bound hand and foot by some besetting sin, some earthward tendencies, from which in vain they seek to free themselves, but Jesus is able, and if they only knew the meaning of "Thine is the power" they would look to Him and be set free for service.

13. "And He laid His hands on her: and immediately she was made straight, and glorified God." His word was sufficient, for "He cast out the spirit with His word;" and "By the word of the Lord were the Heavens made" (Matt. viii, 16; Ps. xxxiii, 6). His word, without His actual presence, was sufficient, as in the case of the centurion's servant and the nobleman's son (Matt. viii; John iv). Yet He often used His hands in giving forth His power, as in Luke iv, 40; v, 13; viii, 54, etc. After His resurrection and ascension we find Him in Patmos laying his right hand upon John and saying, "Fear not." To every true believer He is saying, "I the Lord thy God will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not, I will help thee." Concerning the ungodly He says, "All day long I have stretched forth my hands unto a disobedient and gainsaying people" (Rev. i, 17; Isa. xli, 13; Rom. x, 21).

"And immediately she was made straight." How quickly the eighteen years' infirmity flees, and just as quickly was the man healed who was thirty-eight years sick. Neither infirmity, nor disease, nor death itself can abide in His presence, for He is The Life. That which neither skill, nor money, nor human effort can accomplish, He instantly does with a word or a touch. He is the same Jesus still and there is no necessity for any of His redeemed to be under the power of the devil (Luke x, 19).

"And glorified God." She either believed that Jesus was God or that God had given Him this power, and she glorified God for Him. Paul writes to the Galatians: "It pleased God to reveal His Son in me; and they glorified God in me" (Gal. i, 15, 16, 24). If we glorified God because of all He has done for us, our lives would be a continued thanksgiving.

14. "And the ruler of the synagogue answered with indignation." Here is a man more sick spiritually than this woman was physically. He is truly bowed down, and cannot lift himself up, but he does not know it. He is like the tree in the parable, a fruitless cumberer of the ground spared by the mercy of God. Satan in him grows indignant because some of his goods have been spoiled. A piece of work that Satan has had in hand eighteen years has been suddenly scattered to the winds, and this child of the devil grows angry.

"Because that Jesus had healed on the Sabbath day." This holy man (in his own estimation) was so jealous for the sanctity of the Sabbath day that he would not on any account have a sufferer relieved, but it was all right for him to get angry. I once saw an officer on a ferryboat rebuke a man for whistling on the Lord's day, while he himself was running his boat for ordinary traffic and collecting fares as on any other day. There is much straining out gnats and swallowing camels in religious matters.

15. "The Lord then answered him, and said, Thou hypocrite, doth not each one of you on the Sabbath loose his ox or his ass from the stall, and lead him away to watering?" A hypocrite is one who conceals his real motives and professes to be what he is not. This man professed to have a great reverence for the Sabbath, while his real motive was his hatred of Christ. He little thought that Christ read his inmost thoughts and knew well his real motive.

16. "And ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan hath bound, lo, these eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the Sabbath day?" The first verse in the New Testament calls Jesus the Son of Abraham; and Gal. iii, 16, says that "To Abraham and his seed (that is Christ) were the promises made." Here stood the seed of Abraham, the Christ, but unacknowledged, despised, hated by this hypocritical son of Abraham who gloried in the name, but was in reality no son of Abraham at all (John viii, 39). Here also is a poor afflicted woman, a true child of Abraham, yet despised by this proud Pharisee, who has been convicted by Jesus of esteeming an ox or an ass better than her.

Eupepsy.

This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are *searching* for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and oust the demon Dyspepsia and instal instead Eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c. and $1.00 per bottle by H. L. Flanders & Co., Druggists.

In an investigation of the lives of seventy-four centenarians it has been stated that most of these were above average height. None had a bad digestion. Out of fifty returns where fatness or leanness were mentioned only nine individuals were fat. Out of forty-six returns fifteen took no alcohol at all, and only one is described as taking "a great deal of beer." Seven out of forty-five smoked a great deal.

THE DEAD MARCH IN SAUL.

I hear it yet, that requiem for the dead—
The roll of muffled drums, the measured beat,
Like a world's pulse, of countless marching feet
Advancing slow with loud and louder tread.
The mournful thunder crashes overhead,
And seems with far off echoes to repeat
The rumble of the cannon in the street,
Pealing the knell for him whose soul has sped.
The long procession passes on its way,
The lightning flashes faintly through the gloom,
Above the thunder's growl the charger's neigh
Comes shrill upon the wind, the cannon boom
Their last farewell, and he is left for aye
To sleep in silence in a warrior's tomb.

—P. Toynbee.

Gentlemen in Philadelphia.

Coming home a day or two ago the loveliest woman I have seen this season entered the car. She was a picture in her dark blue cloth suit, with its chic trimming of blue. A dainty velvet bonnet sat perched above the red gold locks, while from beneath the gauzy veil a pair of the prettiest eyes imaginable sparkled and danced. My, thought I, that will bring them to their feet sure; but not a man moved. The pretty woman hung on to the strap while three ancient dames and a one legged man received first attentions. As my beauty left the car she remarked to her companion in distinctly audible tones, "The gentlemen of Philadelphia must all ride in their carriages. Catch a Washington man if you can keeping his seat while ladies are standing."

I want to tell this spoiled young woman that Washington was not a commercial city, which makes all the difference in the world.—Dorothy Maddox in Philadelphia Inquirer.

Good Sponges Are Expensive.

Good sponges have become so expensive that they are a luxury to be enjoyed only by those well to do. Of course you can buy a reef sponge cheap, a small one costing only a few cents; but if you want a Turkey cup sponge large enough for bathing purposes you will have to pay $4 or $5. Sponges come all sizes; the largest one I ever saw measured twenty inches across. These very large sponges are likely not to be perfect, and they do not bring as good prices as smaller and better ones. The largest of the perfect kind measures about fourteen inches across the top and nine inches through, such a sponge being worth about $20. It is too large for bathing purposes, and too expensive to be used in washing carriages, and is kept by dealers for a chance customer. A good size bathing sponge is about eight inches across the top and five through and is worth $8.—Boston Globe.

Misnamed Children.

It would be a good thing if the naming of children could be postponed long enough to give those who are to name them the opportunity of learning something of their character and talents. But, alas! this can never be, as children would then have to grow up nameless. So Cecilia detests music, Lily is a brunette of the darkest type, Helen is not beautiful, Sophia is not wise, and often Mabel is not lovable. And Cecil is not dimsighted, Clarence is not illustrious, and Edwin is not a gainer of property, Felix is not happy, nor is Goddard pious, Rufus has not red hair, nor is Solomon wise.—New York Star.

Imprudent Use of Carbolic Acid.

Professor Billroth, of Vienna, has sent out another earnest warning against the imprudent use of carbolic acid, which in many cases causes an insignificant wound to become gangrenous. He says: "The use of carbolic acid is much more limited in surgery than ever before. It may not only cause inflammation and gangrene; it may kill by blood poisoning. I dissuade most emphatically the application of carbolic acid without the prescription of a physician. I recommend as the best bandage for flesh wounds acetate of lead."—New York Telegram.

Why Englishmen Walk.

I have found out why the English are such famous walkers. It is because it costs them money to sit down. I found this out the other day as I sat on a bench in Hyde park. A man in a uniform came along and demanded twopence. "What for?" I asked. "For occupying a seat," said he. "We are authorized to collect tu'pence from everybody who sits down."—Eugene Field.

Power of a Ring.

In the cathedral of Perugia is still shown a ring said to have been the wedding circlet of Mary, the mother of Jesus. The remarkable cures attributed to this wonderful little talisman were the subject of a book printed in the latter part of the Seventeenth century.—St Louis Republic.

A Powerful Light.

Perhaps the most powerful electric light in the world is in use in the Housthoim lighthouse on the coast of Jutland. It is of 2,000,000 candle power, and is visible forty miles.—Chatter.

A large English railway company has increased its pay roll between nine and ten thousand pounds per year because it believed that the increased traffic of the line justified the payment of higher wages to the men.

The annual consumption of quinine in the United States is about 45,000,000 grains, and the trade here and abroad is almost entirely in the hands of a monopoly, whose great factory is located in Mannheim, Germany

A suit in London to recover the amount of a loan ($75) developed the fact that the borrower had been paying interest at the rate of 120 per cent. per year for six years.

William Barnes, of Charleston, Ind., has invented a little machine which is operated by clock work, and marks, automatically, on glass, 50,000 lines on the space of an inch.

It pays to plod! Don't make quantity more important than quality. The best work is work that takes time, and nowadays the best work is the work that is wanted.

Pain and dread attend the use of most catarrh remedies. Liquids and snuffs are unpleasant as well as dangerous. Ely's Cream Balm is safe, pleasant, easily applied into the nostrils, and a sure cure. It cleanses the nasal passages and heals the inflamed membrane, giving relief at once. Price 50c.

The most obstinate cases of catarrh are cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm, the only agreeable remedy. It is not a liquid or snuff, is easily applied into the nostrils. For cold in the head it is magical. It gives relief at once. Price 50 cents.

At a children's party in New York the table was entirely strewn with cabbage leaves, on which were mechanical rabbits of every imaginable kind, some playing the drum, some tambourines, while some sprang from boxes and others wheeled perambulators.

That tired feeling now so often heard of, is entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives mental and bodily strength.

GRAVEYARDS FOR INSOMNIA.

A Chicago Man Wanders at Random Through the Avenues of a Cemetery.

I was discussing with a few friends the other night the hold which certain superstitions had upon the human mind, when one of the group, a rather young man, spoke up:

"You'll laugh when I tell you my remedy for insomnia. It's nothing more nor less than a midnight trip through a graveyard.

"I live in Morgan Park, and between the Rock Island and the Grand Trunk roads, just outside the western village limits, lie Mount Greenwood and Mount Olivet cemeteries, side by side.

"So, you see, I have plenty of opportunities for dosing myself with my grewsome remedy for sleeplessness.

"I first tried the scheme one warm night in March, when I had vainly resorted to every other remedy to put myself to sleep. I got up, dressed myself and sauntered down the main thoroughfare of the village, having no particular destination in view.

"After walking half or three-quarters of a mile I neared the two cemeteries, and suddenly the idea of making a trip through one of them flashed across my brain, which was seething and bubbling as only that of a sufferer from insomnia can.

"The night was one when about half the sky was covered with clouds, and the full moon would occasionally disappear and an inky pall would suddenly descend upon everything.

"Well, I managed to effect an entrance into one of the cemeteries, and I began to wander among the gravestones and monuments, deciphering the inscriptions and reading the praises of this or that one deceased.

"I am very far from being superstitious and am not at all a believer in ghosts, and although my visit was made at 'the witching hour of midnight,' when unearthly apparitions are supposed to visit this world, my mind was soon in a wonderfully cool and calm state, and a feeling of drowsiness began to steal over my brain.

"The remedy was beginning to work. I had just made up my mind to return home when I received a momentary shock which came very near upsetting me.

"I had wandered into that portion of the cemetery where the poorer people are allowed to bury their dead, and was standing in front of a tall wooden headboard. The moon was temporarily behind a cloud and everything was dark.

"Suddenly the light came, and there appeared before me the head and shoulders of a man. The figure bore a wonderful resemblance to myself, but that fact didn't occur to me at the time.

"I was startled for the moment, and so, I dare say, would have been any man, no matter how stout his heart. A minute later I saw what it all meant.

"A large mirror had for some peculiar reason been tacked upon the cheap wooden headboard, and the returning light of the moon had suddenly flashed into my eyes the reflection of myself. I went home that night and slept like a top. I have since tried the cemetery cure a number of times and always with good results, but I don't recommend it to weak nerved people."—Chicago News.

Interviewing a Vanderbilt.

The first was Commodore Vanderbilt. I had often interviewed him before, but the most interesting talk was on an occasion when I tried to draw a great Wall street secret from him. I pressed him so hard that he made no reply at all until he had led me from his inner office out into the street. There he advanced to his carriage, and litting one foot to the step turned and at last answered me. This was how he did it:

"Young man, how much do you get a week?"

I told him.

"You are worth more," said he. "Take my advice and leave the newspaper business before you get set in its ways and can't do anything else. Go into mercantile life. This fooling away your time with the paper business is all right while you're young, but you won't make any more when you're gray than you do now. Take my advice; good day."—Julian Ralph in Chatter.

A Poor Boy's Faith.

Another London schoolboy, a child of poverty, showed that he felt the sentiment of poetry. The subject of his composition being "Flowers," the boy described the wonders of the country where flowers "grow wild in the fields and not in skwares and rounds.

"Nobody believes it till they go in the train. You can pull as many as you like and fill your baskets, and carry home to your fathers and mothers. And the teacher said that if we could only go the next day there would be just as many flowers again. Some boys would not believe what the teacher said, but I did, for God can easy do miracles. When I am a man I shall go the next day."—Youth's Companion.

Workmen while excavating in a lot near the McClellan house, Gettysburg, dug up the remains of a Union soldier, several Union buttons establishing the fact. The bones were taken to the National cemetery for reinterment. A number of teeth filled with gold were also found. It is said that the lot in which the body was buried was occupied at the time of the battle by an embalming establishment.

Among the singular differences between the two sides of the face a German professor notes that the right ear is almost invariably higher than the left.

Card of Thanks.

I hereby desire to extend to all of my friends my thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me during my past illness of over three months from rheumatism, and I especially desire to tell them that but for Sulphur Bitters I should have been suffering still. May you never suffer what I have is the wish of your friend, B. H. TAYLEUR.

At Bahrin, which is about the hottest part of the earth, no water can be obtained from digging wells to a depth of 500 feet in many cases, but, thanks to copious springs which break forth in the waters of the Persian Gulf, over a mile from shore fresh water is obtained by divers, who fill goatskin bags with the cooling liquid and sell it to the inhabitants.

No matter what may be the ills you bear from indigestion, a dose of Ayer's Cathartic Pills will ease you without question. Just try them once and be assured; they have much worse dyspepties cured. You'll find them nice and amply worth the price.

A GIGANTIC HORSE.

A Queer Monster That Has Existed in England for Over 1,000 Years.

About two miles to the north of Lambourne, in Berkshire, England, is White Horse hill, on the summit of which there is a large Roman entrenchment called Uffington castle. A little below the castle on the steep side of the hill facing the northwest is the figure of a gigantic white horse, the dimensions of which extend over about an acre of ground. Its head, neck, body and tail consist of one white line, as does also each of its four legs. The outlines of this monstrous specimen of the genus equu are formed by cutting trenches in the chalk, of which the hill is mainly composed, the ditches being 2 or 3 feet in depth and about 10 feet wide. The chalk of the trench being of a beautiful white color, and the surrounding turf the greenest of green, the figure of the horse can be plainly seen at a distance of twelve miles, and even farther, it is said, if the sun is shining brightly.

A white horse is known to have been the standard of the Saxons, and some have supposed that this monster emblematic figure was made by Hengist, one of the Saxon kings. Mr. Wise, an author who has written much of the celebrated white horse of Berkshire, brings several arguments to prove that this figure was made under order of Alfred during the reign of Ethelred, his brother, and that the figure is a monument to a victory over the Danes in the year 871. Other well known writers are of the opinion that the wonderful white horse is a natural freak, one of nature's oddest oddities. Ashmead-Burton thinks that the early tribes noted the outlines of a horse on the hillside and gradually worked it into its present graceful symmetry.

However this may be, it has been a custom since time out of memory for the neighboring peasants to assemble on a certain day of each year, usually about midsummer, to clear away the weeds from the White Horse and trim the edges of the trench so as to preserve the color and shape. This task is known for miles around as "Scouring the Horse."

A large mound at the foot of White Horse Hill and almost directly under the "Horse" is called Dragon Hill. Here, according to tradition, St. George killed the dragon. On the top of this mound, or "barrow," there is a space about fifty yards square upon which not a spear of grass has grown during the last thousand years. The peasants say that the grass cannot grow on account of the ground having been poisoned with the dragon's blood at the time St. George gave him the fatal wound.—St. Louis Republic.

"Down on the Nail."

This is a well known half slang phrase used for a cash payment. Of its history I cannot speak, but I confess to feeling startled when I found it, as it seems to me, in a parliamentary deed of King Robert the Bruce. By indenture dated July 15, 1326 (Scots Acts I, 476), a tenth penny was covenanted for, payable to the king. On his part he agreed not to exact certain prises and carriages unless he was passing through the realm, after the custom of his predecessor, Alexander III, "for which prises and carriages full payment should be made super unguem." (The words are, "Pro quibus prisis et cariagiis plena flat solucio super unguem.")

I am aware of the classical use of the phrase "in unguem," or "ad unguem," signifying "to a nicety," but it does not seem to apply here. At the same time the corresponding French phrase "payer rubis sur l'ongle" may make this doubtful. Just below the passage cited occurs another, in which payment is to be made "in manu." Both in my opinion refer to ready money, and I do not hesitate to translate "super unguem" "down on the nail." Hitherto I have supposed the nail to be a figure of speech for the counter on which the coin was told. Apparently this is erroneous, as it is clearly the finger nail which is referred to.—Notes and Queries.

Old Fashioned Parsons.

The old fashioned country parsons of the English church lived more on the social level of the farmers and yeomen than of the squires, though in many cases they were men of culture. The Rev. S. Baring-Gould tells an anecdote of a parson of this class who was invited to spend two days with a great squire some miles from the parsonage.

He went, stayed his allotted time and disappeared. Two days later the lady of the house, happening to go into the servants' hall in the evening, was amazed to find her late guest there. After he had finished his visit upstairs he had accepted the invitation of the butler to spend another two days below.

"Like Persephone, madam," he said apologetically, "half my time above, half in the nether world."—Youth's Companion.

Pianos, which have long been considered necessary school furniture in American schools, are being introduced into English board schools, in which all sorts of devices for accompaniment have been used previously. One teacher complained that the whistling of the boys frequently was too shrill and drowned the girls' voices.

The effect of the electric current on the compasses of some vessels is so great that it becomes necessary to determine how many hours the dynamo has been running before working out the vessel's reckoning.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

A well-known Irish Judge is reported to have said of a personage who had an apparently congenital indisposition to diviate into veracity, "I only once knew him to speak the truth, and then I could tell it by the natural embarrassment of his manner."

There is a craze for cooking schools in England and Scotland. In England the prices range from $50 to $100 for twenty lessons, according to the grade of cooking, while in Scotland they are given by the dozen as low as fifty cents to one dollar.

Josh Billings' Philosophy.

Genius, like the yung eagle, don't have tew make enny trial trips, but when it is full fledged, pushes boldly out, even toward the sun.

Fortune iz represented az blind, and thoze who receive most of her favors go it blind.

If thare wan't no evil in this world, thare wouldn't be much wisdum, I suppose.

It iz the little things ov life that makes the burden heavy—to carry a hundred weight at once iz no grate load, but tew have it put on our backs a pound at a time iz.

Men are often praized for their sagassity, but all the foresight in the world kant tell a dubble yelked egg until it is broken.

Haven't yu ever seen a little child tri tew pick up four apples with its little hands at once, and spill at least two ov them? Men are constantly trieing the same game, with the same kind of suckcess.

One way tew define love iz, that it makes us pheal phunny and akt phoolish.

Love feeds on hopes and fears, and, like the chameleon, takes its colors from what it feeds on.

Silence makes but phew blunders, and thoze it kan easily korrekt.

There is hardly enny man so wicked but that he respekts virtew for the protekshun it affords him.

My yung frend, don't forgit one thing—however cunning yu may be, the eazyest man in the world for yu tew cheat iz yurself.

The further advances a man makes in knowledge, the less satisfied he iz with what he knows.

Gallantry may possibly be defined az the politeness ov flattery.—New York Weekly.

A Bootblack's Secret.

It has been noticed for some time that a certain Washington bootblack was more prosperous than his fellows. He loafed less on the street corners. He seemed always to be going somewhere; he was always busy.

"Dat's a secret," the little Afro-American would remark when his competitors asked him how he got so much work.

It was useless for them to follow him. They could not get his formula out of him by kicks or cuffs. Spies had their trouble for their reward. Nothing short of dollars and cents and a business transaction could worm from him his golden sesame to prosperity.

At last twenty ragamuffins as a joke each dropped a nickel in the hat and told the young Napoleon of the street it would be his if he would tell, and he agreed to if he could have his nickels in his fist.

"Co'se yo' kin," said a big boy. "'Cause we'll lick ye if yo' lie and ketch ye if yo' run."

"Snuthin' 'tall," said Napoleon, when all the arrangements were completed, "than puttin' scent in my blackin'. I buys five cents worth of ile of cloves an' mixes it with the black, an' gemmen like it better'n they does the smell of m'lasses black. A lady up on Connecticut avenoo tole me how when she called me in t' black her little boy's shoes"——

The recital was ended with a whoop from twenty throats and forty legs were scrambling toward the nearest drug store where oil of cloves might be had, while the Napoleon stood contemplating the twenty nickels for which he had parted with the secret of his undue prosperity.—Washington Letter.

In a Boston Street Car.

In a crowded Columbus avenue car Saturday evening. A stout woman, radiant in silks and diamonds, and with a florid complexion, denoting health or rouge, enters. Directly in front of where she stands sits a slim, pale youth with "consumption" written in every line of his careworn face.

The car sways to and fro and the woman sways with it. Each time she approaches his side of the car she almost smothers the young man in her furbelows. She looks down upon him from her stately height with a scornful air which says plainly, "Why are you not gentleman enough to give up your seat to me?"

He finally succumbs, evidently thinking it preferable to stand than have his life crushed out, and resigns his seat. A grayheaded old gentleman, with "solid man of Boston" stamped upon him has been watching the proceedings. As alert as a boy he springs to his feet. "Take my seat, my boy," he says, half kindly, half irascibly. "I'm far better able to stand than you are. As for that woman she looks strong enough to carry the car."—Boston Record.

The Indians of San Blas.

The San Blas Indian is not such a bad specimen of the human race as might be supposed, when it is remembered that his ancestors were wont to rub themselves well with cocoanut oil and roll in the sand to complete their attire before attending a state dinner or an inauguration ball on the elevation of a brave to a chieftainship. They have become somewhat civilized since then. They appear to be a cross between the North American Indian and the negro. They are large and well formed men, for the most part, possessing splendid teeth and fairly intelligent faces. Their chief industry is gathering cocoanuts. While they are not fond of work, traders who visit them say they are far more energetic than the North American Indians, and can always be relied upon to carry out any task which they agree to perform.—Cor. New York Commercial Advertiser.

Bidding for a Lost Pocketbook.

Not long ago I went to the business place of an auctioneer to see the sights, and while there I lost my pocketbook, containing $230. I told the auctioneer about it, and requested him to announce that I would give $100 for its return. The auctioneer stated my proposition. Then I heard a drawling voice from away over in the corner say, "I'll give $125." They were still bidding on it when I left.—Interview in Louisville Times.

An experiment with electricity for tanning purposes was lately made in England. The process was accomplished in a revolving drum twelve feet in diameter and eight feet long, rotating at eight revolutions a minute. Turpentine and tannic acid were used to saturate the hides, and a strong current of electricity was caused to flow from a metal band which runs around the interior of one end of the drum to a corresponding band on the other end. The drum, after revolving five days, was opened, and the leather appeared to be of excellent quality.

It was said of a lean horse the other day that "he was so thin that the sun struck through and set the hay inside on fire."

Burns's manuscript of "Scots wha hae wi' Wallace bled" has been sold by auction for £70. The buyer is an American.

When Feeling "Out of Sorts"

Is a common expression, indicating a slight derangement, usually of the nerves, though it is difficult, sometimes, to locate the exact seat of the complaint. It may be taken for granted, however, that the blood needs to be invigorated, and that a bottle or two of **Ayer's Sarsaparilla** would soon restore the system to its normal condition.

"I have lately been a sufferer from **nervousness** and dyspepsia. After taking two bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, I feel as well and strong as ever."—Wm. C. Rose, North Dighton, Mass.

"My wife has been in poor health for a long time. After having tried almost all the medicines prominently advertised, I bought Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which has proved its superiority to all others by producing a marvelous improvement in her health."—Lorenzo S. Huggles, Auburn, Me.

"Last winter, in consequence of overwork, my system became very much disordered. I suffered from debility, loss of appetite, and indigestion; was nervous, troubled with

Sleeplessness,

lost flesh rapidly, and, before the winter was over, manifested every symptom of a decline. Early in May I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and seemed to improve from the first dose. I continued using this medicine, regularly, for nearly two months, at the end of which time my weight had increased over twenty pounds, and I was in perfect health."—William N. Bowker, Erie, Pa.

"Through the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla by the younger members of my family, I believe, and so do they, that their health has been improved. It has also made their complexions clearer through its effects on the blood. This is the simple truth, and it may gratify you to hear it. I have no hesitation in recommending Ayer's Sarsaparilla either in public or private."—Morris Phillips, Editor *The Home Journal*, New York City.

"About two years ago I was prostrated with nervous debility, so that I was hardly able to do anything. No doctoring did me any good. Finally, I tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and was soon restored to health."—J. B. Mohn, Shiloh, Ohio.

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saparilla has in my case."—Mrs. C. Johnson, 810 Hicks st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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All unsuspecting, the photographer did so. The picture was taken, and the operator went into the dark room, leaving Antonio alone. When he came out the boy had gone, and with him the gold watch chain and medals attached, worth $200.—*New York Sun*.

A Grand Jury in New Jersey recently tried to subpœna a Judge who had sharply criticised the conduct of the jurors, but he would not go. He wrote to them that he deemed it improper for a Judge to be a witness in a case before a Grand Jury which he may afterward be called to try. The Grand Jury will now endeavor to present him for contempt to a Judge of the Supreme Court.

According to the statements filed with the Bureau of Industrial Statistics at Harrisburg, it is shown that 261,600 members of building and loan associations in Pennsylvania have laid aside for a rainy day over $26,000,000. As a large amount of this sum goes into the purchase of permanent homes for the people, Pennsylvania might be considered one of the first States of property owners.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.23, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, 9.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.10, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 10.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.50, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, A. M., 12.25, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.55, 9.50, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, ‡10.00, 10.45, 11.45 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, *6.15, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10 A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.10, *6.40, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.25, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.50, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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MRS. WINTERS' TRIUMPH.

Poor little Mrs. Winters! She had committed an act which had placed her name in the mouths of her country neighbors for miles around. She might have seen the result had she stopped to consider that phase of the matter, but her mind had been so absorbed in another feature of the outcome as to cause her to overlook all minor points. Besides she had intended to keep her secret to herself for the time. But secrets are slippery things at the best. And it had been said of the neighborhood in question that if a choice bit of gossip should be whispered to some tiny pebble on the most distant mountain top and left there for safe keeping, the depositor would find it the common topic on his return.

No wonder then that Mrs. Winters' secret had leaked out. At first it had been cautiously whispered from mouth to mouth with the strictest injunction that it go no further until complete evidence in the matter could be obtained.

"It can't be possible!"

"Mrs. Winters is a woman of too much good sense to do such a thing!"

"I'll never believe it till I hear it from her own lips!"

Such had been the charitable expressions with which the news had been received. But the matter had, at length, been taken to the lady herself, and she, with some reluctance, had acknowledged the truth of the charge. Unlike the usual tale of the gossiper, the facts were up to the strongest reports. No one had had the heart to indulge in the least exageration. Now Mrs. Winters had numerous calls from her quizzical neighbors, who freely criticised what they regarded as her folly.

The pleasant character of Mrs. Winters made her universally esteemed, yet she could hardly claim to be "one" with the people of Rutville, on account of the short time she had lived among them. Four years previous she had moved there with her husband and three children. The husband dying soon after, the management of the farm had fallen into the hands of the widow, and the support of the family depended wholly on whatever income she could make it yield.

The neighbors proved themselves kind and sympathetic in her affliction, and advice poured in torrents on the lone woman concerning the management of the place. But this counsel, coming from so many different sources, was so conflicting it had a tendency to confuse rather than assist her.

It was quite a universal idea in the neighborhood that a woman was incapable of such an undertaking as the management of a farm, and many urged her to sell and engage in a more womanly pursuit. But Mrs. Winters had a different opinion from this, and by the employment of much earnest thought she kept the farm running at a moderate degree of prosperity. The home was neatly kept, the children comfortably clothed, and when two years had passed the manager was free from debt. This was a source of much surprise to her neighbors, who had made grave predictions as to the outcome of her farming.

But Mrs. Winters was not satisfied with this. She had plans for her children's future that would need money in carrying them out; hence her mind was constantly on the alert for something with which she could start an extra fund for such a purpose.

The country neighborhood in which she lived was well back among the mountains of New England. Each generation followed in the footsteps of its predecessor, regardless of new ways and improvements introduced by the world outside. The people, their flocks and herds, their hogs and poultry could all be traced back for many generations without crossing the town line in the locating of an ancestor. Few, indeed, were innovations among them; fewer still were those invited or even tolerated without passing through the crucial test of their severe criticism. The movements of the Winters had been suspiciously watched when they first came, but the favorable impression had continued so long that the people had almost accepted this family in full fellowship. But the recent act of the young widow had reawakened the feeling that she was not by birth a Rutvillite, and could not be relied upon to act as one of their own.

But what had this lady done to call forth such severe condemnation from her neighbors? There are slumbering laws laid away in dust—covered books in those regions whose resurrection is as rare as the century plant. Had she violated or treated with disrespect some one of those? Or was it some rigid moral or religious code that her busy foot had turned aside to trample upon? No her sin was found in none of these.

The grave misdemeanor of the unfortunate woman was just this. She had made an investment wholly outside of the usual range of Rutville purchases. She had paid six dollars, including express charges, for only fifteen eggs. True, it was claimed for them that they had been laid by a fine strain of fowls of the Plymouth Rock variety. But what of that? They were nothing but hen's eggs; and not a dweller in Rutville would have paid more than twenty cents for the lot. Long before the thirteen original states had formed a glorious Union and nestled beneath the protecting wing of a motherly administrator it was an established rule of that place that thirteen was the number of eggs to place under a sitting hen, and never since that early period had a Rutville hen been insulted with either more or less.

It has already been stated that Mrs. Winters had frequent condoling criticisms from her well meaning neighbors on this investment, which they regarded as an extremely foolish, extravagant whim. A few samples of these remarks will give an idea what an up hill road it was to progression in Rutville.

"I'd a gin you a settin' of aigs an' welcome," were the words of kind hearted old Mrs. Brown. "I'd a gin you two or three settin's for that matter if I'd a knowed you wanted ter go to raisin' poultry. It's too awful bad ter send so fer and pay so much, and after all mebbe won't none of 'em hatch."

"When I make an investment," pompously remarked Farmer Doolittle, "I wanter know what I'm gittin' of. When a man has had a flock of fowls all his life, an' his father and gran'father before him, he knows purty well what they be."

"Durin' the first year of Washington's administration," began Mrs. Pettigree, "there was jest an even dozen hens on our place. Grandpa Pettigree kep' an account of the aigs laid, and I wanter tell you what them hens done that year." And then for the one hundredth time she related the remarkable story, and ended by saying that the fowls now on the place came in unbroken descent from that same ancient, remarkable flock. Like many people who boast of their family lineage, she had nothing to say of the present.

To willfully select some new fangled kind of fowl in preference to their choice, ancient birds was an insult to every true Rutvillite. Having been committed, however, by an unprotected, well meaning woman, the majority were inclined to look upon it as a mistake, and to pity rather than censure the offender.

Meanwhile, the old hen that sat with such patience on the eggs little dreamed of the commotion she had caused, or of the deep interest her mistress felt in the result of her task. But one thing she did which might have been a lesson to many of her owner's neighbors—she attended strictly to her own business. The result was that she came off her nest at the proper time with eleven chicks, active little fellows, all alike. They had the best of care and grew both in stature and points of beauty in a manner that made the mistress proud of her venture. Even the neighbors, for they were honest at heart, could not help admiring the handsome young brood.

It was a disappointment to the owner, as time passed on, to find that but four of the number were pullets. She was at a loss what to do with so many male birds. They were too valuable to be sacrificed for food, and she well knew there would be no sale for them in her locality. One of her neighbors at length became sufficiently friendly to these intruding fowls as to offer to exchange a hen for one of the young roosters; Mrs. Winters courteously declined this generous proposition.

Toward fall, when the young fowls were several months old, they were as handsome a brood as the most critical fancier need care to possess. It was Mrs. Winters' plan to keep a superior grade of fowls, and for both birds and eggs obtain a correspondingly high price. Just how to most advantageously reach an appreciative market was the question which puzzled her. Her limited means would not permit of much advertising and there was no prospect of a local trade.

She was reading the county paper one evening, which contained an account of the fair with premium list, to be shortly held in a distant part of the county, where the people were of more progressive mind. Among the premiums offered was one of five dollars for the best coop of fine fowls. Instantly Mrs. Winters thought of her own fine birds and of the good opportunity this would be to display them. But there was the difficulty she would encounter in getting her birds to the fair. It was a day's journey from her home; if she should go, there was the impediment of leaving her home and children. However, the idea would not forsake her that this was an opportunity that she would improve, and she determined to make the effort. She engaged a near neighbor to attend to her place; left her two younger children with a friend, and, accompanied by her eldest child, a boy of 12, she undertook the long journey.

With the aid of her son she had constructed two neat coops. One was for her exhibition fowls, in the other she put her surplus roosters which she intended to offer for sale, hoping to dispose of them at a better price than she could obtain in her neighborhood.

There would be too much injustice in the fate that directs our lives, if such hope, determination and industry as characterized Mrs. Winters should go unrewarded. Yes, though criticised and laughed at by her neighbors, success was at last to be hers. Her fowls were by far the finest at the fair, taking the premiums offered; and the five surplus roosters found appreciative buyers at the handsome sum of $2 each; giving the happy widow $15 as a result of her trip to the fair.

It is useless to describe the feelings of victory that Mrs. Winters enjoyed on her return home. The neighbors were astounded. Mrs. Winters' success was the sole topic of conversation for a fortnight, and rapidity with which her fowls grew in popularity was something surprising. The prejudice of her neighbors so far subsided that in less than three years every flock of fowls in the neighborhood had this new blood. Mrs. Winters commenced her poultry business as an offshoot to the farm operations. At present it is her main business, and a thriving one, too. But few farmers of Rutville are more prosperous than the slender little woman who dared to have a mind of her own and step outside of the rut, even though living in the depths of Rutville.—*Nellie Burns in Springfield Homestead.*

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Woman's Column.

How to Cure Social Ills.

Rev. S. J. Barrows, editor of the *Christian Register*, said in a recent address:

We have several kinds of cures for political and social ills. We have a salt cure. Salt keeps things from spoiling; it is the type of the respectable conservative. Lot's wife was of this type. Salt is a good thing, but when you have about ninety-eight per cent of it in your composition, you are apt to become a little fixed. I believe in a certain amount of salt; but the trouble with a good deal of the salt in our politics is that it has lost its savor, and is fit only to be trodden under foot of men. Another cure is the smoke cure. A good deal of our legislation begins with smoke and ends in smoke. It begins in tobacco smoke and ends in legislative smoke. If you put in a proposition for woman suffrage, it is very apt to end in smoke. I have noticed that if you take a ham and smoke it through and through, it loses its power of locomotion; and that is the trouble with our Legislature; it has been smoked through and through. Another cure is the spirit cure. Go to the Agassiz Museum, and there you will find a great many bottles filled with alcohol, and in them are all sorts of creatures, disagreeable looking specimens with long names. It reminds me of my experiences in New York when I used to attend the ward caucus. You would find there a great array of bottles, for it was nearly always held in a saloon; and you would also find a great many disagreeable-looking specimens; but the difference between the museum and the caucus was that in the museum most of the alcohol was outside of the specimens, and in the ward caucus most of the specimens were outside of the alcohol. Now, I believe in the sugar cure. Woman suffrage is simply the formation of a sugar trust, only it is a trust without any monopoly. We want the sweetness of woman,—her moral sweetness and purity—to sweeten not only the home, but society and government as well.

Miss Kate Marsden has been awarded the insignia of the Russian Red Cross, by the Empress, at Gatchina. She is one of five English sisters who went to nurse the Russian sick and wounded in Bulgaria.

The Woman's Liberal Federation of England will present a memorial to Mr. Gladstone asking him to include the granting of the franchise to women in the programme of issues to be settled at the next general election for members of Parliament.

The Boston *Globe* comments approvingly upon the recent meeting of the Association of Women Ministers, and says it is time that the women should do a little more of the preaching and the men a little more of the practising. That is the situation in a nutshell.

Mrs. Laura Ormiston Chant has given 159 speeches and sermons since her arrival in this country on Feb. 8, 1890. During anniversary week she made eighteen addresses in Boston and vicinity, and she is about to sail for home, still in good health and spirits.

Mlle. Bibesco, a young Roumanian lady, is soon to deliver a thesis before the Faculty of Law in Paris, in order to obtain the diploma of Doctor of Law. Her subject will be "The Condition of the Married Woman and Widow, according to the Code Civil and the Code Napoleon."

Mrs. H. S. Lane, a sister of Mrs. Lew Wallace, is contributing an interesting series of papers to *The Home Magazine*, entitled "A Trip to Hebron." They are notes of travel in the Holy Land, which she visited with her sister and General Wallace while he was minister to Turkey. Owing to special courtesy, shown to the American Minister, they enjoyed privileges never before extended to Christian travellers by Mohammedan authorities.

Miss Nordhoff, a daughter of Mr. Charles Nordhoff, of Washington, D. C., having a strong taste for bookbinding, lately went to England to apprentice herself to a well-known binder there, only to find that, not belonging to a trades-union, she could nowhere learn the secrets of the craft. Returning to America, the same difficulty confronted her. But by dint of dogged perseverance she has at last conquered a place, and is studying her art from its beginnings to its finest results.

The Engineer

Of the Wakefield, Mass., Rattan Works, C. N. Young says: In all cases of biliousness accompanied with those terrible sick headaches, I have found no other medicine that seems to take hold and do the good that your Sulpher Bitters does. It is the best family medicine made.

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Literary Notices.

Raising the Schoolhouse Flag is the title of a full page illustrated poem by Hezekiah Butterworth in the 4th of July Double Number of THE YOUTH'S COMPANION. This noble poem expresses the sentiments of the many thousands of schoolboys and girls who have been working for a Flag to be raised over their own schoolhouses. The name of the school in each State, and that of the successful writer of the essay which won the Flag recently offered by THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, are given in this number.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for July is brimful of good things. It contains a great mass of valuable reading on various sciences "made easy" by treating them in a popular manner, among which are an illustrated account of Greenland and the Greenlanders; a very interesting paper by President Jordan of the University of Indiana on the Evolution and Distribution of Animals; a valuable contribution by Miss M. W. Brooks on Insect Pests of the House and a score or more of others of equal importance. POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY is published by D. Appleton & Co., N. Y.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for June 28th and July 5th contain Greater Britain, Quarterly; The Great Equatorial Forest of Africa, and A Glance at Contemporary Greece, The Law in 1847 and the Law in 1889, and Brought Back from Elysium, Great and Big, Life in Damascus, Characteristics of Russian Literature, and The Romance of History, William Lithgow, Across the Cordillera, from Chili to Buenos Ayres, On the Character of Nero, A Nordfjord Wedding, The Horses of the Pampas, and Kaffir Humor, Court Functions, Notes of a Pilgrimage; with instalments of Marcia and Without Benefit of Clergy, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The July ST. NICHOLAS has several reminders of Revolutionary days and the glorious Fourth. The Baby a Prisoner-of-War relates the capture and return of a grandniece of Washington. Julia C. R. Dorr tells in verse of The Armorer's Errand, Laura E. Richards and Jane Ellis Joy contribute amusing verse about the Fourth. Mrs. Pennell writes of Cycling, F. W. Pangborn tells How to Sail a Boat, and Edward Burgess has made for ST. NICHOLAS readers complete working-drawings of a boy's sail-boat. H. W. Henshaw contributes a study of the commoner American hawks. A most natural and amusing little story is How Hugh Went to the Party. There are illustrated poems by Anna M. Pratt, Harriet Prescott Spofford, Oliver Herford, Margaret Johnson, Katherine Pyle, and Mrs. Richards; continued stories and sketches; and the departments.

To be known as constantly doing good, as a rich man who holds his riches in trust for the benefit of others, as the friend of every humane enterprise, as the proprietor of one of the great and most prosperous newspapers in the country, and as the friend of the most distinguished persons of his time, is the happy fortune of Mr. George W. Childs, of Philadelphia. The recollections of such a life are necessarily full of interest. His little volume of Recollections, just published by the Lippincott Company, is rich with reminiscences of famous persons and accounts of exceedingly interesting possessions, and of public gifts and delightful occasions, all pervaded with the spirit of the generous giver who is sure to double his generosity by giving quickly. Artists always paint themselves in their pictures, and Mr. Childs has unconsciously given us himself in his book.—*George W. Curtiss.*

Among the contributors to THE ARENA for July are Senator Wade Hampton of South Carolina, O. B. Frothingham, Rabbi Solomon Schindler, Rev. Carlos Martyn, D. D., Junius Henri Browne, Hamlin Garland, H. O. Penticost, Rev. Minot J. Savage, Hon. A. B. Richmond, Frances E. Willard, and Gen. Marcus J. Wright. The No-Name paper in the July ARENA is a poem entitled Progress and Pain. It is said to be written by one of the most accomplished essayist of America. In the number is a complete drama entitled Under the Wheel, written by the talented young Boston artist, Hamlin Garland. It is something more than an entertaining social drama—a strong moral purpose lies behind it, or rather may be said to have inspired it. Bismarck and his time, is the subject of a very able and entertaining sketch by Rabbi Schindler in THE ARENA. The learned Rabbi having spent the greater part of his life under the German sky, brings to the subject an actual knowledge of the condition of German affairs since the iron chancellor came in power.

Perhaps the most striking feature of the July CENTURY is the long-expected debate on the The Single Tax, by Edward Atkinson and Henry George. Mr. Atkinson opens the discussion in a paper on A Single Tax upon Land; Mr. George replies in A Single Tax on Land Values, and there is a rejoiner by Mr. Atkinson. Another article that marks this number of THE CENTURY is the beginning of THE CENTURY'S Prison Series, the first paper being a thrilling account of the life of A Yankee in Andersonville, by Dr. T. H. Mann, accompanied by a plan, and pictures made from rare photographs. Dr. Edward Eggleston in an illustrated article tells the story of Nathaniel Bacon, the Patriot of 1676. Joseph Jefferson, in his charming Autobiography, describes his early experiences in Peru and Panama; he also tells how he revived the play of Rip Van Winkle, in London, with the literary assistance of Dion Boucicault. Mrs. Amelia Gere Mason describes the Women of the French Salons of the 18th Century; and the engraver Cole presents us with one of his most exquisitely engraved blocks—the frontispiece of the number. The Editorial Topics are: On Lack of Conscience as a Means of Success, New-York's Reformed Electoral System, A Recent Sermon, and Tom-Toms in Politics. There is an Open Letter on The Inside Facts of Lincoln's Nomination.

Forced To Leave Home.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggists for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicines. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggists to-day for a *free* sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large size packages 50 cents.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at H. L. Flanders & Co. Drug-store.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE LEGISLATURE.

At the close of a six months session the Massachusetts General Court adjourned for good at half past 11 o'clock, p. m., on July 1. The unusual length of the term ought to teach the people that biennial sessions of the Legislature of this State can't come a minute too soon. Not only are biennial sessions demanded by the best interests of the Commonwealth, but sessions should be limited in duration to 90 days. The appearance of questionable methods, if not actual corruption, among our law-makers is due almost entirely to frequent and long sessions and the sooner the constitutional change is made the better it will be for the people.

This Legislature was in session 183 days, exceeding in that respect all other Legislatures excepting that of 1883, which was prolonged until July 27, covering 206 days. There have been passed this year 456 acts and 79 resolves, and but one veto has been received from the Governor.

BOSTON'S POPULATION.

The good people of the "Hub" are crowing lustily over the increase which the city has made in population since 1880, and well they may. Chief Wadlin estimates the number of people in Boston at 437,200, and some of the Assessors place it at 40,000 or 50,000 above that.

The gain from 1880 is 75,000, or very close to it. When the fact is taken into account that the suburbs have been growing rapidly, especially in the last five years, at Boston's expense her growth in the last decade is a matter over which her citizens have a right to crow.

☞ Last Wednesday this office received a copy of "The Cambridge Tribune Souvenir" which on examination we found to be something well worth preserving. It is the product of a piece of enterprise on the part of Mr. F. Stanhope Hill, publisher of the Cambridge *Tribune*, well deserving of imitation and much praise. The "Souvenir" is a 34-page paper, or book, with an artistically designed cover, containing local sketches, historical and descriptive, written by several of the most eminent of the literati of the University City, the same being illustrated with more than 100 finely executed pictures, including portraits of distinguished citizens, the new Harvard Bridge, Harvard College buildings, Longfellow's house, scenes at Mount Auburn, churches and other public edifices. The publication is a valuable as well as handsome one and deserves to be carefully preserved for future use.

☞ Last Monday morning the Boston *Herald* announced the result of the *Herald* scholarship competion for prizes worth $1000 offered by the enterprising managers of that sterling Boston daily for the best pieces of English composition furnished within a certain time. The contest has excited a keen interest all over New England and the result has been eargerly watched for by innumerable people. The first prize, $600, was won by Miss Silvia Clark of Pinkerton Academy at Derry, N. H., and the second, $400, was taken by Albert E. Thomas of 174 West Bartlett street in Brockton, Mass. The prize essays were fine pieces of writing, and it is possible that among the mass of manuscripts which the judges had to go over there were many others almost equally meritorious. It was a praiseworthy scheme on the part of the *Herald*. What next?

☞ The last number of the Stoneham *Independent* contained a growl at the E. M'x st. R'y Co. headed "The Railroad Rebuked," based on an item which the editor says was clipped from the JOURNAL. The JOURNAL never published the item or anything resembling it, and if the *Independent* will exercise a little more care in crediting its clippings it will greatly oblige the people of the JOURNAL office, all of whom are friends of the East Middlesex road.

☞ The *Sunday Critic* of Lowell has been bought by Mr. John S. Chandler who will hereafter manage its business. Mr. Henry J. Moulton, who retires from the Editor's chair, has made a successful paper of it ever since it was founded by him in 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. S. Spurr—Notice.
Montvale Ave.—Lost.
H. S. Conn—Removal.
City of Woburn—Dogs.
J. I. Munroe—For Sale.
Mrs. Newman—Wanted.
A. F. Blank—Drugstore.
J. P. Shields—Pharmacist.
84 Pleasant St.—$5 reward.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
W. E. Jenks—Investments.
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.—Investments.
Royal Baking Powder Co.—Baking Powder.

— Dr. Bowman is building a race track.

— No. 111 Mont. Ave. has lost an eye-glass. See ad.

— Read the ad. put in by 84 Pleasant street, entitled "Lost."

— There are 800 dogs in this city that must be muzzled or shot.

— Capt Conn, insurance, has moved to Room No. 3, National Bank Block.

— Mrs. Newman wants a nurse. See her "wanted" in another column.

— Postmaster Reade decorated the Post-office last Friday in handsome style.

— Mr. A. F. Morrill will please accept thanks for a roll of late California papers.

— The Fanciers Club will hold a meeting at Legg's photograph rooms on July 22.

— Tuesday was another scorcher. We are getting a plenty of hot weather right along now.

— A young man named Flynn of Montvale, was injured on the Fourth by a cannon cracker.

— People of this city on vacation bent are flitting hither and yon—mostly however to the seaside.

— After to-day unmuzzled dogs will be lawful game for anybody who may feel like shooting them.

— With a brisk N. W. breeze it was much more comfortable on Wednesday than the day and night before.

— There fell last Monday evening a gentle and refreshing rain and the only "out" about it was its brevity.

— Post 33 and Relief Corps 84 will make their annual visit to the Soldiers Home at Chelsea to-morrow, Saturday.

— John I. Munroe has recently sold the residence of Charlotte A. West on Orange street to Thomas A. Finnigan.

— The latest and best American magazines are to be found on the counters of Horton's Old Woburn Bookstore.

— The talked of Hooper testimonial benefit will be given in Porter Hall at Montvale on this, Friday, evening.

— A man named Pongauski, a clothing manufacturer in Boston, is about to build a factory at North Woburn.

— John H. Bates takes the place of Thomas Boice on fire steamer No. 1 until the latter is able to resume the position.

— To get money to visit and tarry at the seaside Mr. Frank B. Dodge will sell watches, jewelry and silverware very cheap.

— Nicholas Murphy was severely injured on one of his hands July 4, by a cannon cracker. He will lose one or more fingers.

— There has been considerable hot weather here since the last issue of the JOURNAL—95 in the shade not being at all unusual.

— Next Tuesday there will be a German picnic at the grove of the Land and Improvement Company at North Woburn.

— Mrs. Sarah L. Spear and her daughter Grace have gone to Chicago to visit a son of Mrs. Spear who is in business there.

— Mr. Nathan B. Eaton and family are taking their ease and comfort at that popular seaside resort, Manchester-by-the-Sea.

— The choir of the First Congregational Church are taking their vacation and volunteer vocalists are doing the Sunday singing there.

— If anybody wants some good, bracing reading this hot weather the 4th of July after-dinner speech of Mayor Johnson will fill the bill.

— There was a notable fishing party on Horn Pond last Tuesday with dinner et cetera and-so-forth. The party reported "great luck."

— Tuesday night was the hottest night on record. It followed a terrible hot day. There was but little sleep for anybody until well towards morning.

— Gage & Co., Merchant Tailors, have made a change in their card this week. It is possible to buy summer suits very cheap at their store just now.

— On July 8 Mr. Nichols informed a JOURNAL reporter that he felt greatly encouraged about the ice trade this summer. It was 98 in the shade when he said it.

— The concert given by the National Band on the Common last week was a very fine one indeed. A large crowd were in attendance and highly enjoyed the music.

— In about four weeks from now the St. Charles C. T. A. Society, or rather the Slattery Dramatic Club, will produce a play for the benefit of G. A. R. Post 33.

— A Court Marshall on Private A. L. Heckbert was held at the Armory of Co. G, by Lieut. Col. Frost of Waltham last Tuesday evening. Result not known.

— There was never more delicious weather than that of Wednesday afternoon and yesterday. Coming right on the heels of the torrid wave it did ones soul and body good.

— Last Sunday evening Rev. Hugh Montgomery gave the names of a large number of men who sell rum illegally in this city. It is likely to result in "making the fur fly."

— Mr. Henry B. Wood and family have gone to Cape Porpoise, off Kennebunkport, Me., for vacation, rest and recreation. They could not have selected a better place.

— Warren N. Blake had fine luck on the Shawsheen river last week, having caught sixty pounds of fish in variety. Some of the pickerel tipped the scales at 3 3-4 pounds.

— People in pursuit of new harnesses or want to get old ones repaired in the best shape will meet with no difficulty in finding Mr. A. V. Haynes's establishment on Montvale Avenue.

— It was quite clearly demonstrated that between 5000 and 6000 Woburn people attended the Winchester 4th of July celebration, three-quarters of whom went and came by street cars.

— The officers of Shawsheen Tribe, I. O. R. M., and Nahmeokee Council, D. of P., will be installed by Deputies Ferrin and Lilian Burnham next Monday evening, the 14th instant, in Red Mens Hall.

— Yesterday morning's *Globe* recorded two votes for Dr. Frank W. Graves of this city for the *Globe's* $1000 sword which is be presented to the War Veteran who has the largest number of votes.

— Rev. W. Scott Ward, who is announced to preach at the M. E. Church in this city next Sunday, is a Woburn boy, and a smart one at that. Probably many of his former townspeople will go to hear him.

— Travelers will do well to cast an eye over the 1st page of this issue of the JOURNAL and let it rest on the new Boston & Maine time-table and critically observe the changes recently made therein. They will find in the exercise both knowledge and consolation.

— Thomas Feeney, one of the smartest of the Boston *Record's* corps of bright reporters, is going to Newburyport for his vacation. He is one of the most popular young newspaper men in Boston.

— Dr. Harlow and wife had a fine trip to the West. They will return shortly to their homes in this city. The Doctor doubtless was surprised at the changes found at Chicago, St. Paul and elsewhere out there.

— If those who want to vote for "the most popular" G. A. R. man will leave the ballots which they cut from the Boston *Globe* with Barber White he will seal them up and forward them to the *Globe* office free of charge.

— Mrs. Holden, who has been living at Mr. Gould Converse's with her sister for several years past left here last Tuesday by steamer for Nova Scotia wick to visit and pass a vacation of a couple of months at her home there.

— The children's temperance society, "Loyal Legion," will hold a picnic, weather permitting, at Baldwin's Grove, No. Woburn, on Thursday, July 17. Horse cars leave the Centre at 8.55. All invited to attend.

— Mr. John I. Munroe advertises to sell a very desirable city residence in this paper to-day. The place is nearly new and one of the pleasantest there is. Mr. Munroe will give somebody a big bargain in this property.

— If the local *Globe* man succeeds in getting the Woburn City Government to build those long-talked-of seats around the Common we shall be in favor of raising a monument to his memory. It beats all how slow they are about it!

— Yesterday morning the Congregational and Baptist Sunday Schools of this city united in a picnic at Haggett's Pond in Andover. There was a big party of them and filled quite a number of cars. It was a delightful day for a picnic.

— Mr. Edward L. Shea left here last Saturday afternoon for the home of his parents at Ellsworth, Maine. He went to Bar Harbor by steamer and thence by railroad to the place of his destination. He expected to be away a fortnight or so.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery has been very active and efficient in procuring a new church edifice for the M. E. Church in this city. Without him it is very doubtful if the church would have got out of their old quarters into new ones for a good while to come.

— Brewster Colony, No. 19, U. O. P. F., will celebrate its tenth anniversary on the evening of July 17, at which time the officers will be installed by Dist. Dept. Governor Alice J. Durgin of Stoneham. Delegations from various Colonies will be present.

— Last Saturday Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made a successful raid on the store of John F. Scally on Fowle street, John McGovern on Conn street and. John F. Nason at Montvale. A large quantity of "stuff" was seized and hauled off.

— The rapidity with which dogs have been muzzled lately by their owners is a caution. They don't seem to take to muzzles very kindly but the safety of community demands that they should endure the unpleasantness for a few months through the hottest of the weather.

— At the last regular meeting of Nahmeokee Council, D. of P., held Thursday evening, the 3d instant, a pleasing event took place in the presentation of a silver cup to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Page in commemoration of Sadie A., the first papoose of the Council.

— C. E. Smith, the popular plain and ornamental painter, has put out a new cart for jobbing purposes that just naturally takes the cake. It is handsomely painted vehicle and so conspicuous that if seen a mile and a half away anybody would know that it was Smith, the painter.

— Messrs. B. F. Kimball and Frank L. Perry and their families have been enjoying the mountain breezes of New Hampshire. Whether they enjoyed any of the "Country Board" so numerously advertised in that fair Commonwealth deponent does not say.

— Samuel W. Mendum, the submaster of the High school, has been chosen drill master for the High School Battalion and the choice will be heartily approved by the community, as it would have been had either Capt. Conn or Lieut. Brown, Mr. Mendum's competitors, been elected.

— The JOURNAL's German Street Orchestra was on deck last Wednesday morning bright and early. Its repertorie includes several new and popular airs and operas. "McGinty" is still a standard piece with the Orchestra, whose fine weekly performances give great satisfaction in this city.

— The following are the newly elected officers of Division 3, A. O. H.; President, John J. Short; Vice-President, Terrence J. Maguire: Recording Secretary, Peter Benney; Financial Secretary, Francis J. McPartlin; Treasurer, Thomas Quinn; Sergant-at-arms, Thomas H. Manley.

— Dr. George S. Dodge has sold his apothecary business to a purchaser from Brooklyn, N. Y. It was done suddenly and was about as big a surprise to the Doctor as to his neighbors. He hasn't quite made up his mind as to what next, but the JOURNAL hopes he will conclude to stay in Woburn.

— Any of our citizens contemplating making purchases in furniture will make a mistake if they do not see the latest styles at Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston, before selecting. A stroll through their warerooms is very educating to the taste even of those who consider themselves well posted in art.

— Mr. Joseph P. Shields decides on the JOURNAL as the vehicle through which to acquaint the public of the fact that he has opened a drugstore on Main street opposite the postoffice where the prescription and a general business will be carefully and promptly attended to. He has had a thorough schooling in the profession and understands the whole of it completely. He has a nice store, good stock, and will no doubt make a success of it.

— The article published in the JOURNAL last week under the head, "Woburn's All Right," should have been credited to *The Shoe and Leather Review* instead of *The Shoe and Leather Reporter*. It was a good article on Woburn's principal manufacturing industry and deserved to have its source properly acknowledged.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— The Salvation Army show signs of a good deal of life and activity these summer evenings. The day of public scoffing at them is past and gone and nobody now dreams of disturbing their processions, music or street devotions. They may not be intellectually great, but no doubt can exist of their piety, and their work and worship tend towards good.

— Albert Thompson, the landscape and cattle painter, is sketching in this neighborhood where he finds better employment for his pencil than he could almost anywhere else. He don't want any fairer scenes to paint than are found here at home, and he is preparing to transfer some of them to canvass when he returns to his Boston studio this next fall.

— The Woburn Brass Band will give four concerts on the Common in this city during the season, the first to be given on Wednesday evening, July 23. This series, coupled with that of the National Band on alternate nights, will afford the citizens of Woburn and vicinity as fine a course of open-air concerts as can be scared up in the vicinity of Boston.

— Mr. Elmer F. Blank, who is Dr. Dodge's successor in the drug business, comes with high recommendations as to moral character, business energy, financial ability, and thorough practical knowledge of pharmacy, holding certificates of registration as a pharmacist in both New York and Massachusetts. We doubt not he will fully maintain the high reputation of the old stand for reliability.

— The following are the new officers of the Carpenters and Joiners Union, No. 421 of this city: President, Amos Bryenton; Vice President, George McLoud; Recording Secretary, William Stewart; Treasurer, Stephen J. Bezanson; Financial Secretary, Amos Langill; Conductor, Timothy Ring; Warden, Donald Robertson; Preceptor, Donald W. Stewart.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has knocked the bottom out of prices of millinery this season at a great rate. He has "rattled" the market and kept things humming. Buying for cash down he has been able to get goods at hardpan figures, and marking them at the merest advance on cost he has just naturally slaughtered prices and raked in heaps of "wealth." Mr. Cummings is a lively trader.

— People interested in insurance should read a card in this paper signed by Mr. Thomas S. Spurr of Winchester. Mr. Nourse, to whom the business is transferred, is one of the best known real estate and insurance agents in Boston. He resides in Winchester and also has an office there, at which a large share of the insurance and real estate transactions of the town and neighborhood are done.

— Rev. Earnest C. Richardson, Librarian of Hartford Theological Seminary, has been chosen to succeed the late Dr. Frederic Tinton as the head of the Library at Princeton University. Mr. Richardson is a graduate of Amherst College and Hartford Seminary. He will enter upon his duties at Princeton at the opening of the college year this fall. He is a son of Mr. James C. Richardson of this city.

— Mr. William E. Jenks has a business card on the first page of this paper to which particular attention is called. Mr. Jenks needs no introduction to the people of Woburn and vicinity for he is well and favorably known here as a bright and successful business man and one in whom clients can safely put their trust. He deals in "gilt edge" securities only, and his judgment as to investments is entirely reliable.

— If Tabor, the prince of fish dealers, hadn't given the JOURNAL folks a fine large cut from one of the handsomest Penobscot salmons that ever struck Woburn they might have run uncomfortably short for a 4th of July dinner. But he came gallantly and seasonably to their rescue and nothing could have been lovlier. People who are fond of the best fish that swim should always go to Tabor's market for their fish dinner.

— The corner-stone of the new Methodist Church is to be laid at 3 o'clock next Monday afternoon, July 14. The clergy of the city have accepted invitations to attend and it is expected that brief addresses will be made by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational Church of Woburn, and Bishops Foster and Mallalieu on the occasion. The ceremonies will be interesting and will, no doubt, attract a large crowd of witnesses.

— Mrs. McDermott, wife of Police Officer Charles F. McDermott, died at her home on Scott street early last Wednesday morning of consumption. She left a husband, two small children, a brother, several sisters and numerous other relatives and friends to mourn her early death—for she was a young woman and not many years married. Mrs. McDermott was the daughter of Mr. Michael Murphy, and a lady highly esteemed by all who knew her.

— Col. Edward Simonds has a record. He has served as policeman in this place every night before the 4th of July for just 40 years without a single break. His watch has always been from midnight on the 3-4 to 12 noon the next day, and he has never been prevented by illness or any other cause from performing this service every Independence Day without exception for the lost 40 years. We do not think there is another man in Massachusetts who can show such a record.

— The National Band will give a concert on the Common Wednesday evening, July 16, 1890, with the following

PROGRAMME:

1.	March. Capt. Folsom.	Reeves
2.	Overture. Poet and Peasant.	Suppe
3.	Cornet Duett. Divestments. J. E. and T. H. Marrinan.	Demare
4.	Medley. On the Plantation.	Puerner
5.	Waltz. Trinity College.	Missud
6.	Schottische. McGinty's First Love.	Thorne
7.	Spanish Bolero. A Fete in Madrid.	Abbate
8.	Selection. Olden Times.	Braham
9.	Gavott. First Heart Throbs.	Eilenberg
10.	Galop. Orpheus.	Offenbach

— A branch of the Friendly Aid Society was organized here last week Wednesday evening in Concert Hall. There were forty-one charter members. The following named officers were chosen: Past President, Charles E. Tripp; President, Charles M. Strout; Vice President, Edward E. Foss; Secretary, William J. Brown; Treasurer, Frederic A. Flint; Chaplain, Hiram Whitford; Marshal, Edward Caldwell; Warden, John O'Donnell; Sentinel, Charles W. Dorr.

— The Winchester *Star* (always enterprising) just more than outdid itself last week. Besides its regular edition printed on the 3d, it got out a 4th of July edition on Saturday which contained a full and complete account of the great celebration and other matters of interest. When he lays himself out for it Editor Wilson is a "rusher from Rushville." And, by the way, his amiable spouse, sister W., isn't any of your slow coaches with reporter's pencil or composing stick. The people of Winchester owe the proprietor of the *Star* something a good deal more substantial than thanks (unless they have already drawn their calf-skins) for the splendid work he and Mrs. W. did towards making the 4th of July celebration the grand success it was.

— Mrs. Cumston (*nee* Jennette Schouler), wife of the late well-known Boston piano manufacturer, is at her summer home at Reade's Mills in Burlington, a couple of miles this side of Lexington Common. She was the daughter of Mr. James Schouler, an intelligent Scotch gentleman who accumulated large wealth for those days at calico printing in West Cambridge away back in the '40s; a sister of Adjt. Gen. William Schouler; and an aunt of James Schouler, the historian, and John, his brother, Commander in the U. S. Navy. Reade's Mills is a pretty rural retreat, with a bright stream of water running through it, and pleasant woods, pastures and fields surrounding the hamlet on all sides. Mrs. Cumston always spends the summer there.

— General Secretary Bailey has been passing his vacation at the home of his parents at Bradford on the Merrimac. He expects to return to his post of duty this week. The Y. M. C. A. of this city never realy flourished until Mr. Bailey was employed by it for General Secretary a year ago last April, but since then its progress has been onward and upward. He is indefatigable in efforts to build up, strengthen and increase the members and influence of the Association; he is prolific in plans to that end; he is industrious; a sincere Christian entirely devoted to the work; popular with young men and respected by old; earnest, honest, intelligent—why shouldn't the organization flourish and thrive under his administration as General Secretary? It does and as it never has before.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

A regular meeting of the Board was held on the evening of July 1, with Goddard, Golden and Place absent.

Constable James Mack resigned, and the Mayor nominated, and the board confirmed William Blaisdell to fill the vacancy.

Petitions, Rufus Pickering and 20 others for electric lights on Border street, William Ellard and 20 others for an arc light on Burlington street. Referred to street light committee. E. G. Clough President of the Trustees of the Methodist church, applied to have the grade of the sidewalk in front of their new church established. Referred to highway committee. Patrick Connolly applied for State aid. Sent to State aid committee. W. E. Kelley, for pool and billiard license at 300 Montvale Avenue; J. P. Shields, for sign over sidewalk, at 321 Main street, referred to Police Committee. Concurred with Common Council in order to replace seats on the Common.

Reports of committees—Water, R. A. Gladdy, water pipe on Hill street. Leave to withdraw. J. L. Towle and others, 2-inch water main, Cedar street. Adopted. W. W. Bennett and others, 2-inch watermain on West and Pearl streets. Adopted. Police, W. H. Curtis, E. Prior, E. F. Stevens and S. E. Wyman, license to sell fireworks, granted; Police, A. J. Drew, Innholder's license, Central House, granted. John Galvin, Thomas Mahern, Thomas McCormick and M. D. Newmyer, junk licenses, adopted. L. Sephie, musie permit; Rufus Smith remove ashes; S. B. Cooley, peddle tinware, permits granted. Hugh Rafferty, Peter Murray and J. Dunnigan, billiard and pool licenses, leave to withdraw.

The petition of J. W. Johnson and others for the grading and curbing of piece of land at the junction of Johnson, Plympton and Main streets, referred to Park Commissioners. The petition of J. W. Hammond and others for readjustment of lines of Main street, between Church and New Boston streets, leave to withdraw. Highways, J. W. Butler and others, laying out of Tremont street, leave to withdraw. Alderman Linscott asked about certain streets in Ward 6, where action was taken last year. Alderman Ramsdell, for the committee, said that action was taken last year, but the Clerk of that period had not reported them. The present Clerk had them. The Mayor suggested that they be called up as unfinished business of last year and the Clerk read the reports on laying out Dexter Avenue, Longwood Avenue and Dartmouth street. Accepted, and left in charge of the City Clerk for the required seven days. The City Treasurer was authorized to hire $7000 to pay for the new conduit to the reservoir and the extension of certain water mains. Referred to Joint Finance Committee.

Alderman Linscott offered an order, which was adopted, requiring all dogs in the city to be muzzled or restrained from going at large during the months of July and August.

B. S. Devlin & Co. applied for a druggist's sixth class license.

The petition of Charles H. Smith and other fish dealers, asking that all outside fish dealers peddling in Woburn be required to pay a license of $50 per annum, was called up and referred to committee of the whole with Alderman Kenney in the chair. Voted to report leave to withdraw on whole matter, and the committee arose, so reported, and the Board adopted it.

Trusts and Mistrusts.

We are often asked to put our trust in things above; sometimes customers ask for "trust," and the pleasant grocery clerk "trusts" all your family are well. Then there are sugar trusts, pork and grain trusts, including mistrust. But we trust you will at once try Brussels soap for household use, for you can safely trust to its efficacy. Then it is so lasting, you know, and economical.

Speech of Mayor Johnson

OF WOBURN AT THE WINCHESTER 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am perplexed and embarrassed. This is a family gathering at which I represent either the mother or the daughter of the host, but, in spite of what I have heard here today, I am almost at a loss to know which. On a former occasion when I had the honor of addressing a Winchester audience, I assumed that, as the town of Woburn was created by an act of the General Court in 1642, and as the town of Winchester was taken from the body of Woburn, "bone of her bone and flesh of her flesh," and created a separate being, in 1850, I might, with historical truth, and in a figurative sense, speak of Woburn as the mother town. I learn, however, from the Winchester *Star*, and from other semi-official sources, that Woburn's relationship to Winchester is now that of a *daughter*. If this be true, Mr. President, then I am assigned the rather delicate task of responding for a member of the family who was born and christened 208 years before her mother was even heard of. [Laughter.]

Do you wonder, Sir, that under these circumstances I am somewhat embarrassed and disconcerted? Your newspaper's theory of history not only sets at naught all previous conceptions of the genesis of local history, but upsets the previously accepted history of the creation itself; for be it understood hereafter that when the Almighty took a rib from Adam's body and created Eve, then Adam ceased to be and Eve became the first created being, and the anniversary celebration of Eve's settlement in the Garden of Eden should precede that of Adam's birth. [Laughter.] I am sorry to learn from this celebration, Mr. President, that Edward Converse and his fellow pioneers were such ignorant men as not to have known in what town they settled. Those brave but historically misguided ancestors of yours lived and died in the firm belief that they had helped to found the town of Woburn,—a name of their own choosing and endeared to them by old associations. Ignorant men! not to have known that they really located in a place which for a pecuniary consideration their remote descendants have called Winchester, and that they henceforth would go down in history as the settlers of a municipality which was created and named 200 years after some of them were dead and buried. [Laughter.]

I am sorry, too, that my ancestor, the first town clerk of Woburn, cannot be brought to life long enough to correct the errors and misstatements of the early Woburn records. It is indeed too bad that Edward Converse, the original proprietor of the present Whitney Mill property, should appear on those records as a Selectman of Woburn and a Deputy to the General Court from Woburn, when of course the record should be amended to read Winchester. In spite of the fact that an eminent authority has said that Edward Johnson "wrote the most important work on the Massachusetts Colony that was printed during the first one hundred years after the settlement," he was clearly incompetent, in the light of subsequent events, to have served as the first town clerk of Woburn. The position demanded a prophet; one who could have looked into the future and who, instead of writing about the settlement of Woburn, would have known enough to have given the credit to the present town of Winchester!

I hope that the voters of this town when they come to choose a new town clerk will see to it that he possesses the necessary prophetic vision; otherwise a similar injustice may be done to the present unknown town of Symmes Corner, or to the future municipality of Whitneyboro; for on your theory of anniversary celebrations, we may hear, twenty five years hence, of the 275th anniversary of the first white settlement in the historic town of Whitneyboro, on which occasion Winchester will doubtless be invited as a daughter to attend. [Applause.] When that great event comes off the Historical Society of Whitneyboro will strenuously object to find my esteemed friend, Mr. Whitney, referred to on your records as a selectman and a prominent citizen of the town of Winchester, when he actually lived on the soil of Whitneyboro!

In view of what may occur in the future you do well to celebrate today; for you may experience the same difficulty in observing the 300th anniversary of the first white settlement in Winchester which would have been experienced had you attempted fifty years ago to celebrate the 200th anniversary.

Now, Mr. President, I would not have it inferred from these half satirical remarks that Woburn is really displeased with this celebration, or envious of the people of Winchester simply because tradition has located within the limits of your present town the first house built in the territory formerly known as Charlestown Village. Mr. Whitney told me when I came here not to be afraid to stand up for Woburn. I have tried not to be afraid. [Laughter and applause.] I would be doing an injustice to my own feelings, however, and would certainly misrepresent the real sentiments of the citizens of Woburn were I to close my remarks without an honest word of commendation and of praise for the men who have made this celebration a success. Not only does the event itself speak volumes for the enterprise, the intelligence and the public spirit of this town; but in awakening a public interest in the early history of the land and the people in whose traditions and glories we possess a joint heritage, its promoters have done a noble work for the common good. And while we of Woburn may throw out facetious remarks anent the true historical significance of this occasion, we are willing to acknowledge that up to the present time no such celebration as this has taken place on the soil of the territory formerly comprised in the old township of Woburn. After a family existence of nearly 250 years the youngest child has assumed the responsibility and the honor of being the first to celebrate the deeds of our ancestors on a scale proportionate to their importance. The events of this day will teach the great mass of your citizens and of our citizens that we have a past as well as a present, something to live over as well as to live in. There are people who affect to despise ancestry; to belittle the importance of local history; and to regard the genealogist and antiquarian as drones in the hive of human industry. Daniel Webster has answered these scoffers by saying: "Those who are regardless of their ancestors do not perform their duty to the world. It is a noble faculty of our nature which enables us to connect our thoughts, our sympathies and our happiness with what is distant in place or time; and looking before and after to hold communion at once with our ancestors and our posterity." These words of the great orator have been aptly quoted by a late citizen of Winchester, that indefatigable author of the "Richardson Memorial," and a gentleman who considered it a laudable ambition for the people of today, "to seek to know from whence they sprung, what their ancestors did, under what embarrassments they labored and what results they reached."

In stamping the seal of public approval on work which aims to accomplish these ends, an anniversary event of this character confers a substantial and a permanent benefit. It furnishes a reward for past labor; it inspires enthusiasm and zeal for future effort; and it gives to us all a broader view and a clearer vision of

"The eternal Landscape of the Past."

A Nonagenarian.

Very few people are permitted to see their ninetieth birthday, and when a person does reach such a day it is well to celebrate it.

Saturday, June 28, completed 90 years of Mrs. Gilbert Richardson's life and her friends and relatives wished to see her and congratulate her on that day. She was permitted to see three sons and two daughters, two grandchildren, and one great-granddaughter, and quite a number of friends from Woburn.

Mrs. Richardson was born in Concord, in 1800; was married in 1824, in Woburn (now Winchester); and has lived in the same house for 66 years. Although her memory fails her in regard to many every day matters, yet she can relate with great vividness events that took place many years ago going into details with minute accuracy. And even in things of to-day whenever anything connected with the Scriptures is mentioned she responds with the utmost promptness.—X.

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Independence Day at Home.

Almost everybody in Woburn went to the great Winchester celebration—some say over 6000—and nearly all the rest went somewhere else to observe the day. The customary National salutes were fired at sunrise, noon and sunset; the bells rang out their patriotic peals; and American flags floated lazily in what little breeze there was going all day long. The Postoffice was handsomely decorated with flags and streamers which was the only one in town.

There was about the usual amount of Chinese cracker-firing, powder-burning and noise-producing inventions indulged in by Young America on the night before the 4th and through the day, and about the usual number of headaches were the products of it all.

But oh, my! Wasn't it dull though? The streets were very nearly deserted from morning to night—nobody was at home. A ball game in the forenoon afforded some amusement to those who are baseballward inclined; the National Band Association held a picnic in Baldwin's Grove, and the St. Charles Church Sunday school held one at Hudson's Grove, and these were the extent of Independence Day amusements here. As usual, Young America "raised Cain" the night before and many of their pranks were without precedent—a statement which would, at first blush, seem to be as groundless as the baseless fabric of a dream. True, though.

FROM THE REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK, JULY 5.

The Phalanx and Clan MacKinnon of the Scottish Clans of this city were a prominent feature of the celebration in Winchester.

The alarm from box 62, at 12 30 Friday morning, was for a fire in an outbuilding on the Leathe estate.

The steam and street cars were taxed to their utmost capacity to care for the people who attended the Winchester celebration.

Thomas C. Boyce, the driver of Hose 1, was seriously injured last Friday evening while firing the National salute. The gun was on Rag Rock Avenue and about half the charges had been fired when just as he was about to withdraw the rammer the charge exploded forcing the rammer through his hands and burning him fearfully about the arms, face and body. Drs. Kelley and Bartlett responded to a summons for medical aid and did all they could for the sufferer. The rammer landed on the rear lawn of the Public Library and required the united efforts of two men to remove it. Mr. Boyce is considered out of danger.

List of Teachers for 1890-1.

Last Tuesday evening the Woburn School Board held a meeting for the purpose of choosing a corps of teachers for the coming school year. The following were selected:

High, Herbert B. Daw, Samuel W. Mendum, Ida A. C. Jacobs, Sarah F. Clarke, Elizabeth M. Brown; Cummings school, Edward H. Lounsbury, Susan A. Russell, Miss Emerson, Julia T. Byrne, Alice M. Grammer, Edia Davis, Helen L. Winn, Alice L. Bond; Plympton school, Emma F. Hovey, Jennie E. Skinner, Mary E. Briggs, Kate A. McElheny, Nellie L. Sheehan, M. Lillie Leslie; Union school, Dora T. Fuller, Josephine A. Randall, Florence E. Barrett, Hattie Bosworth; Rumford school, Andrew R. Linscott, Amanda Sevrens, Lucretia K. Tidd; Montvale school, Augusta M. Fellows, Annie M. Henshaw, Mary J. Wakeford, Mary E. Naven; Johnson school, Mary E. Hevey, Etta Larkin, Mary A. McElroy, Annie L. Caulfield; Lawrence school, Emma F. Fowle, Lizzie P. Ingalls, Edith L. Flagg, Alice S. Hartshorn; Highland school, Jessie A. Day, Abbie L. Blake; Morse school, Arabella Menard, Annie A. J. Larkin; Main street school, Marietta H. Bowers, Fanny S. Jones; Cedar street school, Ina V. Austin, Lizzie F. Clark; Cambridge street school, Susan M. Frye; Hudson primary, Annie B. Atwood; Musical Director, Emory P. Russell; Drawing Teacher, Willis S. Carter. Miss Millie Gilcreast and Lucinda W. Whorf resigned.

A Brief Sketch of the M. E. Church of Woburn.

The first Methodists of the town were organized into a class with John Andrews as leader.

Regular preaching services were commenced in the Town Hall about the 11th of August, 1850. In February 1851, a church was organized with 10 members in full connection. During the year 1852 two brethren, J. Holman and Daniel Came, leased a piece of land where Lyceum Hall now stands and erected a chapel on their own responsibility.

The first conference preacher was Rev. J. C. Cary, stationed here in 1853. In 1854 the society purchased the chapel and removed it to the corner of Main and Mann streets.

In 1864 the society bought the Unitarian church on the corner of Main and Walnut streets, which was dedicated as a Methodist church on the 17th of May, 1865.

In 1868 the church was raised and vestries put beneath at the expense of $4,000.

In 1872 a parsonage was built in the rear of the church. In the spring of 1873 the church was destroyed by fire. The church was rebuilt in the fall of the next year, incurring a heavy debt which has been a great embarrassment to the society ever since. The present property was sold in April 1890, for $26,000. After all debts were paid $10,000 were left towards the new church. The society is now building a church on Main street at the cost of $20,000.

The following is a list of preachers:—Rev. S. M. Vail, D.D.; John W. Merrill, D.D.; L. P. Frost, H. Kendall, J. G. Cary, H. R. Parmenter, George Sutherland, —— Treadwell, J. A. Ames, M. P. Webster, Bartholomew Otherman, Kinsman Atkinson, M. R. Barney, N. D. George, M. M. Parkhurst, J. A. Lansing, C. L. Eastman, W. J. Hambleton, C. Merrill, C. H. Hanaford, W. J. Pomfret, V. M. Simmons, N. B. Fisk, M. E. Wright, L. D. Bragg, Hugh Montgomery.

The present membership is 261 in full connection, with 37 probationers. The Sabbath school number 380.

The following is a list of Stewards and Trustees: James Atwood, Jr., Thomas Wilson, Thomas Heartz, James Greydon, James Given, James Partridge, James H. Knowlton, D. C. Page, Wesley True, James Frazer, Fort Staples, Andrew Dobbins, Herbert S. Dickinson, Amos Knowlton, John D. Finn, Thomas R. Corbett, Chas. H. Kimball, Charles F. Spear, Edwin G. Clough, Frank W. Legg, W. P. Adams, Thos. Wilson.

Wife:—"John, will you take me to the theatre to-night?" John:—"Not to night, Doxy. I want to read the paper and see what the editor has to say about the economical Brussels soap.

What J. H. NASON says About Shoes:

We invite the public to visit our Shoe Rooms at 323 Main street, opposite Post Office, and examine our prices in Boots and Shoes. We are making a Hand Sewed, Welted, French Calf Boot on the "Graham" last for **$6.00**. This shoe is as

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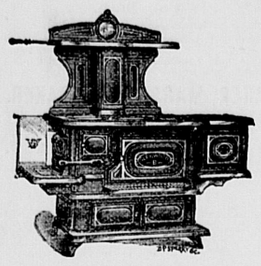

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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

Ward 6.

The youth of Ward 6, taking advantage of the fact that there was no celebration in this city, concluded to make the day, or rather the night before, a memorable one in the history of that Ward, and succeeded beyond the expectations of the most sanguine.

The arrangements were made when they were executed, and when most of the good people were in deep slumber. Everybody was up earlier than usual, and it did not take long to discover what the night had brought.

Everything portable in the Ward, which had been left out of doors found a new home. Piazza chairs, gates, hammocks were loaded upon a wagon which was drawn to a swamp and there deposited. Signs from the Land Company's estate were placed upon houses all over the Ward; a carryall was put in the yard of the Rumford School house, and so difficult was the task it must have required the assistance of at least twenty persons. Effigies were hung in many prominent places, but having no particular "personal point."

Hundreds of blinds were removed; horses were taken from their stalls and hitched upon lawns, and in one case a cow was led to the front door of the residence of one of the prominent citizens, and a stout cord secured one of her horns to the door bell. The officers were kept wide awake by complaints which drew them away from the scenes of these little Fourth of July pleasantries.

Y. M. C. A.

BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

Gen. Sec. Robbins of Stoneham paid us a visit last Monday.

Next Sunday's 4 o'clock meeting will led by Mr. Harry Carter of No. Woburn.

The Boys meeting at 3 o'clock last Sunday was led by Dr. Dodge, who gave an interesting talk on "From Darkness to Light, or A Boy's Possibilities."

On account of the warmth of the season and the absence of so many boys during the vacation months, there will be no more Boy's meetings until the second Sunday in September.

Our last Sunday 4 o'clock meeting was well attended. Mr. Frank Johnson of Amherst College and Prof. Scott Ward of Cushing Academy conducted the meeting. Prof. Ward was Secretary of the Woburn Association for the first year of its existence.

The Summer Encampment of the Young Men's Christain Associations of New England, at North Lubec, Maine, commences August 9. Anyone desiring to attend the Encampment can obtain further particulars by calling at the General Secretary's office at the Rooms.

Overshooting the Mark.

The natural effect of the indecent attacks made by baking powder venders upon a Baking Powder of high reputation, well known and largely used in this community, will be to disgust people generally with both the peddlers and their goods they are trying to introduce.

The Royal Baking Powder and its manufacturers are well known in this state. Both are held in the highest esteem and need no word of defense. The great excellence of their article has brought it into general use, so that its sales now equal those of all other baking powders combined. Self-interest, if nothing else, would deter the manufacturers of such an article from reducing it either in strength or purity below the standard of the highest quality.

It is well understood that these indecent attacks are made for the purpose of breaking the force of the recent official reports which show the great superiority of the Royal and expose the large adulteration of other powders. It is also quite natural that they should be supplemented by the fraudulent tricks which these agents are resorting to for the purpose of advertising their goods. These agents are going from house to house with a pretended test which from an examination by the chemists proves to be a most unblushing fraud, as the samples of baking powder used in making such alleged test are prepared especially to make the exhibit they do.

These unbusinesslike practices cannot do otherwise than react against their authors here, as they have in other places where tried.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

4 June Items.

1st.

INFANTS' MUSLIN CAPS. We have had 35 different styles of Infants' Caps made to our order, by one of the largest manufacturers in the country. They are beauties. Prices from 25c. to $2.00 each.

2d.

RIBBONS. This is a great season for Ribbons. We have the largest stock we have ever shown. They are selling fast. Why? Because they are right in both quality and price.

3d.

HOSIERY. Ladies' Fancy Hose, Ladies' Fast Black Hose, Ladies' Balbriggan Hose, Children's Back Hose from 10c. to 50 cents a pair.

4th.

SUMMER CORSETS. A Good Openwork Corset at 50 cents. Extra Value Openwork Corset at 75 cents. The sale on these thin goods is increasing every year.

C. Willard Smith

Dry Goods and Carpets,

399 & 401 Main Street, Woburn.

Woburn Post, No. 161, G. A. R.

The Veterans of Post 161 had a particularly happy time of it last Monday evening. It was in the nature of a jubilee to celebrate in addition to the Post of 25 good, true and loyal members —22 by confession of faith (as one gentleman put it) and 3 by letter. A genuine revival has been working its leven inside the organization for some weeks which has been promoted and encouraged by everyone having its good at heart. Great pains were taken to impress it on the JOURNAL reporter's notebook that Dr. Frank W. Graves was entitled to a good share of the credit for said revival and for securing so many proselytes. They claimed that he had been doing effective missionary work among the non-affiliated Veterans in this vicinity and the harvest was 25 as good men as there are in Woburn. The Doctor denies the allegations and defies the allegators.

Post 161 has a fine hall in the Savings Bank building and in it frequent good times are indulged in. Seldom however has a better one been had there than that of last Monday evening. The hall is large and yet it was filled with Comrades from home and abroad who were there to witness the ceremonies of mustering in the new recruits, to partake of the collation, to enjoy the musical and literary entertainment, and to congratulate the Post on the handsome addition to its numbers. It is needless to say the meeting was a jolly one.

The muster-in service devolved on the regular officers under the direction of Commander James L. Pinkham, and, being impressively performed, was very interesting. When this service was ended an address welcoming the new comers to the Post was made. Their names are as follows: Charles H. Foss, Charles H. Johnson, Luke Esterbrook, Charles Flagg, Salem T. Brigham, Frank A. Winn, Moses B. Davis, Edmund C. Colman, Joseph H. Parker, Cyrus H. Mentzer, Charles E. Richardson, Cyrus Fay, Jacob Ames, George H. Mann, William H. Pound, Joseph Linnell, George S. Holt, John Gilcreast, Joseph J. Knox, Edmund C. Cottle, Fort Staples, George E. Fowle.

After a very nice collation furnished by Caterer McConnell in Concert Hall and served in handsome style by him and his aids there was an excellent musical and literary entertainment which everyone enjoyed for all there was out. Comrade John L. Parker, Editor of the Lynn *Item*, sang an original song and read an original poem called "The Old Army Overcoat," both of which gave much pleasure and brought out much applause from the audience; a Quartet consisting of Messrs. Colby, Rogers, Cutler and Kimball, rendered several songs in excellent style and were warmly cheered.

After feasting the material appetite with Caterer McConnell's good things the intellectual appetite was duly regaled with brief spicy speeches by Comrade Parker above named, Commander James L. Pinkham, Capt. Ed. F. Wyer, Lawyer M. T. Allen, Elmore A. Pierce (he nominated Dr. Frank W. Graves for next Commander of Post 161) Major H. C. Hall, J. H. Symonds, J. Howard Nason, Ex-Com. J. Fred Leslie, Dr. Frank Graves and several others. When it came to Dr. Graves's turn to respond to a sentiment he said he had been entirely unable to fix up a speech to suit his taste so he had sent away and got a substitute and he hoped he would be lenient with him for doing such an unheard-of and out-of-the-way thing. In a few minutes, to the blank surprise of everybody and while the company at the festive boards were waiting for the Doctor's substitute, an old duffer was seen to mount the rostrum who, to the amazement of everybody, soon began to deliver a lecture on "Fish." It proved to be Prof. Emerson of Boston, one of the most noted humorists in America (the Doctor had got him there unbeknown to everybody) and such another entertainment of rollicking, button-busting fun as he gave the party it would be hard to find anywhere.

With this and some more singing the evening's exercises and entertainments closed.

Who is the Most Popular G. A. R. Man?

WHEN FOUND THE BOSTON GLOBE WILL GIVE HIM A $1000 SWORD.

BOSTON, July .—The Grand Army encampment in Boston next month has received a startling impetus from the announcement of the *Boston Globe* that it will give a handsome sword, made by Tiffany and costing $1000, to the most popular Grand Army comrade in the country.

The encampment committees are full of surprise and delight over the *Globe's* proposition, and they agree in declaring that no other single feature of the programme will excite as great an interest as this, or tend as much to increase the attendance, which already promises to beat the record.

The contest for the sword is now fully open. Coupons cut from the *Globe* and filled out with the names of hundreds of favorites are coming in by the thousands every day.

Orders also are pouring in from distant places where there is no supply of *Globes*, and in response papers are being expressed by the tens of hundreds to enthusiastic people who intend to cut out the votes, write in the names of their friends and return them by mail.

This rivalry will continue daily until the close of the encampment next month. The *Globe* publishing each morning the record of the votes received the day before.

The excitement caused by this contest is fast spreading beyond New England, judging by the rapidly increasing demands that flow in from the Western States, as well as from the Middle.

The 4th In Winchester: 1640—1890.

The celebration of Independence Day and the 250th anniversary of the settlement of the first white man on the soil of the present beautiful town of Winchester was a magnificent success. In plan and detail of execution it was the most brilliant affair ever witnessed on a 4th of July or any other anniversary day in the Mystic valley, and not only the liberal-handed authorities of the town but everyone who took part in getting it up and carrying it out had a right to indulge in feelings of pride. No expense of money, time, work or trouble was spared to make it a grand celebration and the excellent taste and good judgment displayed in all the arrangements, from the minutest feature to its most important ones, were in the highest degree creditable to the committees and managers of the very elaborate affair. There was absolutely nothing left open to criticism from even the most exacting and difficult to please.

The weather was all that could have been desired. The ardent rays of a July sun were most of the time veiled by fleecy clouds; cool breezes fanned the town and the thousands of people gathered from miles around and kept them comfortable and amiable; and it seemed as though a kind providence conspired with the citizens to make a jubilee day that will not soon be forgotten by the masses who were present and so highly enjoyed it.

The representatives of the JOURNAL embrace this opportunity to acknowledge with thanks the rare courtesy with which they were treated by the authorities and committees. As "guests of the town" they were enabled to view the splendid procession from the balconies and spacious grounds of the Town Hall which were reserved for invited guests; to listen with ease and pleasure to Mr. McCall's fine oration and other exercises in the Hall; to enjoy the grand banquet; for seats on the stand from which to look at the magnificent display of fireworks and listen to the music of the bands; and for many other personal favors and courtesies. Naturally, the JOURNAL holds its Winchester neighbors in high esteem, and its good will towards them was in no whit abated by the generous favors its representatives received at their hands on the 4th.

The great parade in the morning was three miles long and a real triumph in design and execution. The procession was composed of military companies, brass bands, Scotch pipers, cavalcades, civic societies, fife and drum corps, trades displays, and many other organizations, not a feature of which could have been better conceived, carried out, or have given more pleasure to the vast crowds of men, women and children who lined the roads and streets over which it marched. There was no failure in any one of the many representations, but each was a complete and praiseworthy creation, and a credit to all concerned. Many pieces were unique, and all were excellent—altogether superior to the usual 4th of July procession. Very wisely, "fantastics" had no place in the programme, but in their stead were the "Landing of the Pilgrims," "Aberjona Tribe of Indians," a company of the "Original Settlers of Charlestown," "Minute Men" of the Revolutionary War, "Uncle Sam," a representation of the 42 States by 42 young girls all bedecked in red, white and blue with the Goddess of Liberty resplendent in glittering stars and shining shield, magnificent floral displays, a fine exhibition by the market-gardeners, many floats containing the best products of nature and art—the whole under the command and direction of several Marshals each with a numerous corps of Aids and all gay in handsome uniforms and bright blades, a finely mounted and dressed Police force doing duty as guards on the march.

The sentiment was everywhere expressed that it was the finest 4th of July parade ever seen in this part of the country outside of Boston, and it carried out its part of the celebration without a break or hitch. Not a word of anything but commendation was heard concerning it, and the music of the brass bands, the Scotch pipers, and the lively rattle of the fife and drum companies enhanced the pleasure of the wayside witnesses of it.

Winchester was gaily robed in holiday dress. The decorations were numerous, appropriate and beautiful. General Seal, the veteran Boston decorator, was the author and finisher of this work, which is equal to saying that it was beautiful and artistic. Town Hall, the handsomest and best in the suburbs of Boston, was splendidly adorned inside and out with plants, flowers and bunting, and numerous mottoes wrought in flowers graced its exterior walls. Private houses, stores, public buildings were all elaborately decorated with flags, streamers, flowers and evergreens, and presented a beautiful appearance. The whole town were in holiday temper and spirits as well as dress, and the freest of welcomes, the warmest of receptions, and the best of cheers, were extended by the citizens to the thousands of strangers within their gates. We never saw a town more abundantly or beautifully decked out, or a people more cordial and hearty in their greetings.

The judges of the street exhibitions found much difficulty in deciding as to who were entitled to the prizes offered. They were: Lewis Parkhurst, C. F. Rice, William F. Davis, D. A. Newton, and Charles S. Parker of the Arlington *Advocate*. Their award was as follows: The 1st Prize $25 was awarded to the Float—the 42 States, represented by 42 school children and the Goddess of Liberty, attended by four sailors. 2d Prize $15, Aberjona Tribe of Indians, represented by W. C. T. A. Society, W. E. Holland, Commander. 3d Prize, $10. Scotch Clan McKinnon, No. 43, of Woburn, Chief McDonald. Honorable mention to the Winchester Fire Department and Charlestown Cadets, Co. A 5th Regiment and also to the entire Third Division.

At noon as many as could do so filed into the spacious Town Hall to hear the oration. Notwithstanding the intense heat and the many outside attractions the seats in the Hall were filled with an attentive audience composed of both sexes and nearly all ages who were evidently well pleased with Mr. McCall's fine contribution to the patriotic celebration. After appropriate music, Abijah Thompson, Esq., a county gentleman of the town, one of the old Woburn family of Thompsons, of which Rev. Leander Thompson of No. Woburn is the accomplished historian, introduced Samuel W. McCall, Esq., of Winchester as Orator of the Day, the choice for whom for that post of honor was a very felicitous one. Gracefully presenting Mr. McCall to his listeners, Mr. Thompson said:

"*Ladies and Gentleman, Fellow Citizens:*

The Board, the Honorable Selectmen, who officially represent the town of Winchester, have delegated me to preside at this time on this exceedingly interesting occasion. Representing the Winchester Historical or Genealogical Society, allow me in its behalf to acknowledge the honor conferred. We are today celebrating the 250th anniversary of the first white settlement within the limits of the present town of Winchester. We have gathered within the walls of this municipal building erected upon land once owned by Edward Converse. Today we commemorate the events of 1640."

Mr. McCall's oration was a model one for such an occasion. It was evidently the fruit of sincere, strong thinking, and industrious research. It was appropriate too, which cannot truthfully be said of all 4th of July orations, and it satisfied the wants and expectations of the very large number of intelligent people who heard it. The average 4th of July oration is almost always a stale and unprofitable affair; but such was not the case with Mr. McCall's—his was fresh, original, admirably written, and well delivered.

It was nearly half past one o'clock when the exercises closed in the hall, immediately after which the great Yale tent pitched on the lovely grounds of Mr. D. N. Skillings across the way from the Town House was filled with those who held tickets for the grand banquet, with after-dinner speakers, musicians, etc., and but brief time was allowed to elapse ere an attack in force was made on the long tables of viands, which Dill, the famous Boston caterer, had provided in great abundance and variety for the occasion. It was an elegant dinner. Dill had *carte blanche*, and that meant a feast of fat meats for the people at the tables, for no caterer in the country knows how to do these things better than Dill or takes more pains to please his patrons.

After the fine feast at the table came the speech-making. Rev. Mr. Suter opened these exercises with a prayer, after which, in a brief speech but a very loyal one to his town, Mr. Dorsey, the toastmaster, introduced Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, Member of Congress from the Winchester District, who treated the 400 or 500 people under the canvass to a very interesting address. Mr. Lodge is capable of it. Being Independence Day, naturally his speech would be tinctured with history, in which department of literature he is always at home. For several years he was lecturer on Colonial History in Harvard University, and afterwards wrote and published several volumes on the settlement and progress of the American colonies. He has the annals of Massachusetts Bay and other early settlements at his tongue's end, so that when a speech of his is of an historical hue it always entertains as well as instructs. His effort was honored with profound attention from beginning to end and elicited warm applause.

Mayor Edward F. Johnson of this city responded to a call of his name in a speech, the first part of which was replete with irony of the keenest sort, but as it is published in another column of this issue of the JOURNAL we forbear further remarks concerning it. It was listened to with marked interest.

Mayor Johnson was followed by sundry postprandial orators among whom were Mr. Metcalf of Boston, a former highly esteemed resident of Winchester; Mr. H. H. Edes of Charlestown, who represented the mother church of which Woburn became a daughter; Rev. J. W. Suter; Hon. D. A. Gleason of Medford; Rev. E. G. Porter of Lexington, one of the very happiest of after-dinner speakers, and Col. Nat. A. Richardson, the historian of Winchester. All of these were interspersed with fine music which added materially to the pleasures of the occasion.

With the exercises under the tent the afternoon closed.

EVENING.

The fireworks on Bacon field, which opened at 8.15, were in keeping with all the other features of the brilliant celebration. Masten & Wells, the widely known and very popular Boston manufacturers of fireworks, and skilled pyrotechnists, gave the thousands of people who witnessed it a splendid exhibition, with which they appeared to be delighted. Many of the features were entirely new, and the final piece, "Winchester, 1640—1890," was simply superb. The Woburn and Winchester bands regaled the great crowd on the grounds with a fine concert before the fireworks. The streets and residences in the neighborhood of Bacon field were magnificently illuminated with the largest collection and greatest variety of Chinese lanterns ever before seen in the Mystic Valley. It showed up like a fairy scene, and down in the centre of the village and over on the East Side the exhibition was almost as brilliant. It was apparent that Winchester planned big on illuminations and made a complete success of it.

With the last rocket ended the Winchester 4th of July and 250th anniversary celebration, the largest, most brilliant and complete success ever achieved in this part of the country.

Five Cents Savings Bank.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank held last Friday evening, the following officers were chosen: President, John Cummings; Vice-Presidents, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, Gawin R. Gage; Clerk and Treasurer, Edward E. Thompson; Trustees, John Cummings, Edward D. Hayden, Alpha E. Thompson, William T. Grammer, John Winn, Parker L. Converse, John W. Johnson, Samuel Cook, Jacob Brown, John R. Carter, Charlie A. Jones, Benjamin Hinckley, Fred J. Brown, William Ellard, Joseph Buck, G. R. Gage; Auditors, John R. Carter and G. R. Gage; Investment Committtee, John Cummings, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, G. R. Gage, John Winn, Parker L. Converse, John W. Johnson, John R. Carter, Charlie A. Jones.

The auditors made their annual report, which was accepted, and a semi-annual dividend of two per cent declared.

The following was the condition of the bank at close of business June 30, 1890:

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors,	$1,122,653 68
Guarantee Fund,	18,440 00
Profit & Loss,	27,550 13
Total,	$1,168,643 81

RESOURCES.

Loans on Real Estate,	$592,665 00
" " Personal Property,	162,825 00
" to Cities & Towns,	22,863 42
National Bank Stock,	222,840 00
Public Funds,	38,700 00
Railroad Bonds,	54,000 00
Real Estate,	55,000 00
Real Estate by Foreclosure,	700 00
Safe, Furniture, etc.,	5,800 00
Cash,	13,250 39
Total,	$1,168,643 81
Open accounts June 30, 1890,	4660
" " July 1, 1889,	4419
Gain,	241
Gain in deposits,	$90,804 80.

EDITORIAL NOTE.

Considering the tough knocks which business in this city has been obliged to stand up and take from labor troubles during the last year an increase in that period of 241 in the number of depositors, and an increase of $90,804.80 in the volume of deposits, tell a story in Woburn's favor that can't be otherwise than in the highest degree gratifying. It shows indisputably that the city is growing in population and wealth, and the assurance of this which the above figures prove must be very encouraging to every well-wisher of its prosperity.

Tourists will find a trip through the lakes from Buffalo to Duluth most delightful. Stop-overs allowed and every convenience offered by the Lake Superior Transit Co.. A charming vacation trip. Full particulars on application to J. A. Flanders, 322 Washington street, Boston.

National Editorial Association.

Organization for 1890-91. Chosen at the Convention in Boston, June, 1890: President, Edwin W. Stephens *Herald*, Columbia, Mo.; Vice Presidents, Dr. W. D. H. Hunter, *Register*, Lawrenceburg, Indiana; W. E. Pabor, *Colorado Farmer*, Grand Junction, Colorado; N. A. Cravens, *Index*, Willis, Texas; Corresponding Secretary, Joseph M. Page, Illinois Press Association; Recording Secretary, William Kennedy, *Chronicle*, Pottsville, Pa.; Assistant Recording Secretary Miss Caroline Huling, Illinois Press Association, Chicago, Ill.; Treasurer, A. H. Lowrie, Elgin, Ill.

The next Convention of the Association will be held at St. Paul on the third Tuesday in July, 1891.

Copies of By-Laws can be obtained by addressing the Corresponding, or Assistant Corresponding Secretary.

Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

Burlington.

The Assessors are busy at their annual task, this week.

The dry weather is seriously affecting the crop of vegetables and small fruits.

Mr. E. Walker and family of Cambridge are spending their vacation in Burlington.

Mr. F. Reed and family have come to spend the season at their summer home in Burlington.

Messrs. C. S. and G. W. Butters are enjoying the summer with their families at their farm in this town.

Mr. H. Reed and family of Lexington have moved to the Rodman estate recently purchased by Mr. Reed.

The Fourth was a very quiet day in Burlington. There were several displays of fireworks on private grounds, in the evening.

The labor men have achieved an almost complete triumph in New York city so far as their demands for eight hours a day are concerned.

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WINCHESTER.

Wasn't the dinner a fine one?

George L. Huntress has been visiting at Centre Harbor.

Woburn did nobly for Winchester's 4th of July celebration.

Read the card of Mr. Thomas S. Spurr in THE WOBURN JOURNAL.

Miss Gray's name appeared on the hotel register at Centre Harbor last week.

F. F. French and family have been stopping at the Pemberton House, Hull.

Our people were just more than pleased with the success of the celebration here.

Everybody is as happy as a clam at high water over the grand success of the celebration.

Col. Edwin A. Robinson of this town is being voted for for the Boston *Globe's* $1000 sword.

Well, how do you like free delivery? The storekeepers in the centre do not like it, as they say it will injure their business.—*Star*. Well, didn't I tell you so?

Didn't Col. Nat. give 'em a rattler at the 4th of July dinner? What he don't known about Winchester biographies away back in pre-historic times isn't worth knowing.

Mr. S. C. Small has received votes for the Boston *Globe's* magnificant Veteran's sword. Mr. Small was a gallant Maine soldier. We Winchester people hope he will get the sword.

The fireworks were a great success. Masten & Wells, the famous Boston fireworks manufacturers and pyrotechnists, are simply unapproachable in their line. They are very popular people about July 4 every year.

People generally down here think Mr. Wilson, Editor of the *Star*, deserves a good big purse of money for what he did to promote the great celebration. If it had not been for his efforts it would not have been the brilliant success it was. The *Star* folks ought to be handsomely paid.

An irate woman knocked in the head of a flour barrel because her grocer wouldn't trust her for Brussels soap.

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City of Woburn.

IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, July 1, 1890.

BE IT ORDERED, That all dogs within the limits of the City of Woburn be muzzled or restrained from running at large during the months of July and August, 1890, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 101, Chap. 102 of the Public Statutes.

Adopted.

Attest: DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Approved, July 3, 1890.

EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Mayor.

A true copy. Attest:

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

$5 REWARD.

Lost Sunday, July 6, a Gold Bead Bracelet on three strands of gold wire. Above reward will be paid and no questions asked if returned to 84 PLEASANT ST.

REMOVAL.

H. N. CONN,

Insurance Agent, has removed to Room No. 3, NATIONAL BANK BLOCK. The public will please take due notice.

TO LET.

Two tenements on Church Court and one on Garfield Avenue. Rent moderate.

Inquire of GEORGE J. MUNROE, 43 Warren street.

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Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank Corporation will be held at its Banking Rooms on **Friday, July 4, 1890,** at 7.30 P. M., for the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees will be held immediately after the Corporation meeting.

Money deposited on before before Saturday, July 12, 1890, will draw interest from July 1, 1890.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, June 25, 1890.

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In our last lesson we saw the religious leaders of the people contending with Him because He healed a woman on the Sabbath day; but He put them to shame and caused his followers to rejoice. So shall it be again when those who cast out others for his sake say, Let the Lord be glorified; but He shall appear to the joy of his people and his enemies shall be ashamed (Isa. lxvi, 5). He then repeated the parables of the mustard seed and the leaven, both of which had a fulfillment in Israel at that time, and are having a fulfillment in the church today. He added a prophecy concerning the coming desolation of Jerusalem because of her rejection of Him, indicating its continuance until He should come again. After this we find Him in the house of a Pharisee on the Sabbath day, where He had evidently been invited to dine. He here heals a man who had the dropsy, and speaks a parable to the invited guests to teach them humility, after which He tells his host that if, when he makes a feast, he would invite those who were unable to return the compliment, he would have a recompense at the resurrection of the just; and this leads one of the guests to give utterance to the first words of our lesson.

15. "Blessed is he that shall eat bread in the kingdom of God." According to the first part of this verse, that which caused the guest to utter these words was the Saviour's remark concerning the resurrection of the just.

16. "Then said He unto him, A certain man made a great supper, and bade many." This parable is somewhat similar to that in Matt. xxii, but that was spoken during Passion week in Jerusalem, and this while on His way to Jerusalem (Luke xiii, 22; xviii, 31). In both he covers Israel's rejection, and the present dispensation of gathering out the church, reaching forward to the marriage of the Lamb at the time of the resurrection of the just and of the restoration of the Kingdom to Israel.

17. "Come; for all things are now ready." This was the message which the servants were to carry John the Baptist, and the twelve were some of the servants as they went forth, saying: "Repent, for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand." The salvation of Jehovah, whether it be the Kingdom offered to Israel, or the higher position offered to the church, is a prepared salvation even as Simeon said: "Thy salvation which Thou hast prepared" (Luke ii, 30, 31); and it is all, from first to last, summed up in Jesus Christ.

18. "And they all with one consent began to make excuse." Nothing to do but to take it; simply to accept the invitation and be there; yet they prefer not to. How anxious many are to get an invitation to anything great in this world, and how disappointed if left out. Here is the God of Heaven inviting freely to the riches of His grace and glory, and it is not considered worth accepting. His feast is despised, His invitation spurned.

"I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: I pray thee have me excused." His little piece of ground for which he has paid a few shekels is of more importance than that which has cost so much.

19. "I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them: I pray thee have me excused." Lands must be seen to, and oxen must be proved, but the great feast provided by infinite love may go a begging. It is nothing to them. The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof; the cattle on a thousand hills are His (Ps. xxiv, 1; l, 10); yet there are fools (and plenty of them today) who prefer a little which they can purchase to the great riches which the Lord of all offers so freely to "whosoever will." Any one of these ten oxen was a rebuke to their owner, for it is written "The ox knoweth its owner, * * * but my people do not know" (Isa. i, 3). Was it not rather late to prove oxen after buying them?

20. "I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come." This is no better than the others, yet the refusal is even more decided "I cannot come." If the invitation did not include his wife, he might have had some excuse; but God's invitations include all who are willing; and while the others might have to leave their lands and oxen, he could bring his wife with him.

21. "So that servant came, and showed his lord these things." A servant has only to deliver his master's message, and take the answer back, if there is any; he has no power to excuse people. Our responsibility ceases when we have lovingly and faithfully given the invitation, proclaimed the glad tidings. Then it becomes us, like the disciples, to tell Jesus all we have done and taught (Mark vi, 30), leaving results with Him. His command to Ezekiel was, "Speak my words unto them whether they will hear or whether they will forbear" (Ezek. ii, 7).

"Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor, and the maimed, and the halt, and the blind." These have no earthly possessions or pleasures to entangle them; they will be more likely to accept the invitation. It was just these four classes which Jesus advised the Pharisee, in whose house He was, to invite to his feast in order that he might be recompensed at the resurrection of the just.

22. "And the servant said, Lord, it is done as Thou hast commanded, and yet there is room." The servant has only to obey, lovingly to deliver his message, and report for further orders. It is not said whether any among these classes excused themselves or not, but it is said "Yet there is room." What abundant provision! What riches of His grace! What plenteous redemption!

23. "And the lord said unto the servant, Go out into the highways and hedges." Again it is "Go!" The word for the outsider is "Come!" And the encouragement is: "Him that cometh unto Me I will in no wise cast out." "Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden." "Come now and let us reason together, saith the Lord. Though your sins be as scarlet they shall be as white as snow, though they be red like crimson they shall be as wool."

"Compel them to come in, that my house may be filled." We are not simply to invite but to urge and lovingly constrain them to come. Our indifference to the salvation of others is a strange sight. We believe that we are joint heirs with Christ to an inheritance which is incorruptible and everlasting, and that all who are not in Christ are on the way to everlasting punishment; yet we can meet them, do business with them, have fellowship with them, and never even invite them to share our inheritance, much less compel them to come to the feast. We would do well to ponder these words: "If thou dost not speak to warn the wicked from his way, that wicked man shall die in his iniquity, but his blood will I require at thine hand" (Ezek. xxxiii, 8). It is true that we, of ourselves, are powerless to either convince or compel; but He who says "Go!" says also "Lo, I am with you" (Matt. xxviii, 20).

24. "For I say unto you, That none of those men which were bidden shall taste of my supper." Refusing to accept His gracious invitation they doom themselves to hear the fearful words "Depart from me ye cursed into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels."

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AN OLD MAID.

I remember when that narrer face o' hern
Hed pink cheeks an' eyes so bright they 'peared to burn;
An' her smiles was sweet an' sassy 'stidder stern.

That was when my bones was somethin' limberer
'An they are of late!—'twas when I called on her
Kind-uh steady—what ye might call regaler.

Always meant some time to bid her name the day;
Yit somehow I didn't do it—jest my way
To keep puttin' off—I'm given to delay.

Now the years crep' off an' the wrinkles they crep' in,
Love's a mighty 'ily crittur—slick as sin
Fer to slide out at a loophole small an' thin!

Seems I give the whole thing up, an' think says I—
Bein's I've lived alone till fohty, reckon my
Life kin hobble on alone till time to die.

But today some women gassin' in the shade
Of the peach tree yander spoke of Nancy Slade—
Said they reckoned she was born for an old maid!

Well, sirs! all my blood went b'lin' at her name!
All thet old love, hot with pity as a flame,
Hared up till I went an' told her how it came

Thet I hedn't ast her sooner. An' somehow
When I saw her list'nin', blushin' chin to brow—
Why, I felt like life was unly startin' now!
—Eva Wilder McGlasson in Buffalo Express.

Unhealthy Occupations.

The ancient man or woman who pounded wheat between two stones knew nothing of the trouble that was in store for the miller of today. Man's breathing apparatus was made to utilize pure air, charged with a minimum of dust. When a man lives in an atmosphere in which flour dust floats about in large quantities there is bound to be some part of his organization get clogged up. While workers in acid works are liable to have their teeth soften, and they wear away in a year or two if not protected, artisans in mills where metallic dust is in the air are very apt to engender diseases that will be chronic, if not speedily fatal.

The miller is generally an unhealthy individual, unless he be of the old time sort, who used to ride about the country during three parts of his working hours and spend only a little time within reach of the dust from his mill stones. It is not to be supposed that man will ever be able to get along without the miller. Such being the case, it is to be hoped that something more will be done in the near future to protect his lungs while at his work than has been accomplished hitherto.—Hall's Journal of Health.

The Book Agent's New Way.

Book agents follow the motto, "When everything else fails try curiosity," and it usually wins. An old farmer south of this city, who has thrown book agents over the fence, allowed his curiosity to lead him down to the gate to see a bicycle go by. Just as the young gentleman came up to the gate something went wrong with the wheel and he stopped to fix it. The old farmer kindly offered his aid, and the wily agent slipped a book into the victim's hand to hold until the wheel was fixed. The conversation turned from the bicycle to the book, and the former was repaired about the time the old farmer was ready to subscribe for two of the latter. When the name was well inscribed and the bicyclist out of hearing the old farmer scratched his head in a rather dazed way and said: "I'll be dinged if that ain't a book agent."—Indianapolis News.

Cameras in New York.

It is astonishing to consider the number of snap cameras now in use in New York. Turn where you will you are likely to run against a man mooning around with one of these machines. He is relentless and terrible. He will take you so that you will appear in the worst possible light to your friends if only he can get you in a good position to snap his weapon. No cowboy in the wilds of Texas takes greater pleasure in punching an ugly steer than does this gentleman of the gelatine film when suddenly there bursts upon his vision a group of boys playing "craps," toughs discussing politics, Chinamen paddling about, or a pretty girl posed on a curbstone waiting for a horse car.—New York Evening Sun.

Italian Funerals in New York.

About the gayest thing in this town is an Italian funeral. One may be seen almost any day creeping northward along Second avenue. With the outdoor instinct of their race the occupants of the coaches have all the windows down and all the curtains up. There are no black garments to be seen anywhere. On the contrary, the women wear their gayest headkerchiefs and the children are clad in the cast off finery of their elders. Nobody behind the first coach pretends to be cast down, and there is throughout the whole procession a frank enjoyment of the ride. Smiles wreathe the dark faces and all chatter as if out for a holiday.—New York Sun.

Sub-Divided Affections.

Helen—Here, Jack, is a red rose for you. That means my best love, you know.

Jack—You darling! Do I get that flower in your other hand, too?

Helen—No. That's for Tom, my other adorer. It is myrtle, and means constancy and fidelity.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Throughout the most elegant periods of the "age of chivalry" handkerchiefs, or any substitute for them other than such as nature provided, were utterly unknown. Elaborate books of etiquette and treatises upon manners were written long before either handkerchiefs or table forks were thought of.

An Australian musician has invented a trombone that is played by steam. Its "God Save the Queen" can be heard at a distance of four miles. He had hard luck with it, however, for the people of his own town drove him out as a nuisance.

"Hunger is the Best Sauce."

As a rule, a person who has a good appetite has good health. But how many there are who enjoy nothing they eat, and sit down to meals only as an unpleasant duty. Nature's antidotes for this condition are so happily combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla that it soon restores good digestion, creates an appetite, and renovates and vitalizes the blood so that the beneficial effect of good food is imparted to the whole body. Truly hunger is the best sauce, and Hood's Sarsaparilla induces hunger.

Cricket is becoming a popular pastime among the English women, who defend themselves from any charge of oddity by referring to women cricketers in English literature and history. Miss Austen, for instance, played cricket and made the heroine of Northanger Abby play it.

Many a woman who resolves when she is married to make over her husband, ends by being content to make over her bonnets.

MEERCATS AS PETS.

They Are Very Cunning, but Are Terribly Liable to Consumption.

Old travelers are often asked to suggest an outlandish pet, as we can testify, but the demand is not easily answered. Doubtless meercats are the best all round, but they have their faults, and besides they are terribly liable to consumption. Our damp winters, and, above all, our draughty floors are very trying to animals that live underground in South African veldt. We ourselves kept one for nearly three years, having caught it when a baby. The scenes of its illness and death from inflammation of the lungs are pathetic to the degree which only those who have kept meercats could credit. At the first sign of indisposition we sent its successors to the Regent's park, and the authorities were overjoyed to receive them, sixteen years ago—the first male they ever had and the third female. It may comfort some of those who cherish these pets to learn that the former must have been 9 years old when it died and the latter 12; they may have been much older.

It is not worth while to describe animals so easily observed at this day. In brief, the meercat resembles a chubby weasel, nine or ten inches in length, the tail included, with gray, broken fur, muzzle, and ears of black velvet, the loveliest of eyes and the silkiest of lashes, a small, unceasing, cooing cry most restful to hear, and endless pretty ways. To behold one of them sitting upright by the hearth, with pendant paws, as its manner is, watching every movement in the room—or even outside the window—changing its note continually, as fancies pass through its shrewd little brain, delights the dullest soul. It has an extraordinary range of voice, mounting from the soft coo to a bark of passion—by no means so agreeable to hear. One could hardly exaggerate the charm of this pet. Upon the other hand, we must not conceal that the meercat has disadvantages. Though loving, it never yields its independence, and if one be resolved to forbid any diversion on which its little heart is set, our experience strongly advises that it be thrust into a cage with the utmost promptitude.

Those pretty teeth are sharp as needles and keen as razors. It cannot be induced to respect the carpet, scratching it up like a terrier at a rabbit hole, chattering the while in an eager, bustling tone, most musical, which warns the housewife, fortunately. Special care is needed, however, when you interrupt your "cat" at this work. And those we have known would not endure a dog. We have known an exception to this rule, but it is taken for granted in South Africa. The dauntless rage of the tiny creature as it springs to attack a mastiff or Newfoundland, with a kind of choking scream, appears to terrify the fiercest dog. We never saw one stand its ground, and they say on the veldt that the meercat is always victorious, leaping to his enemy's throat at a bound and severing the jugular.—London Saturday Review.

Beg Your Pardon!

What talismanic virtue there is in the three brief words, "Beg your pardon!" You dig your elbow into a gentleman's ribs in making your way through a crowd, and as he turns, irate, to administer the "upper cut" you utter the magic phrase in deprecating tones. Down drops his arm, his honor is satisfied, and notwithstanding the blue mark on his intercostal region he grins horribly a ghastly smile and bows his head as if in acknowledgment of an act of courtesy.

Passing along the avenue of knees in a street car, in obedience to the "move up" of the packing agent of one of those social Black Marias, you come down with maddening emphasis on an unpruned corn. The furious exclamation which follows the deed as naturally as foam from the drawn cork of a bottle of champagne is arrested in the middle with an obsequious "Beg your pardon!" and the expletive never reaches Heaven's chancery to trouble the eyes of the Recording Angel.

You tread on the "trail" of a lady and "r-r-r-ip" go the gathers. In tremulous semitones, plaintive as the "last sigh of the Moor," you solicit forgiveness, and she—no, beg pardon, she does not forgive you, but with a scowl that reminds you of the most vindictive of the Don's tormentors she passes on, thinking daggers but saying nothing.—New York Ledger.

A Trifler.

Mother—Lucy, hasn't Mr. Jinks proposed yet?

Lucy—No, not yet, mamma.

Mother—He helped you to put on your gloves last night.

Lucy (shaking her head)—I know he did, but there are six buttons on the gloves, and when he buttoned the fourth button he asked me if that wasn't enough. It only took him a minute. If he had any serious intentions it would have taken him half an hour at least. I see he is only trifling with my young affections.—Chatter.

A Macon, Ga., salesman while traveling on a southern road was greatly surprised when a woman occupying an adjoining seat whispered in his ear that his personal beauty had captured her susceptible heart. She was a woman of 45 and by no means beautiful. He took another seat, but she followed him and continued to pour into his ear her tale of passion until every person in the car was laughing. Finally it transpired that the woman was crazy and was then on her way to an asylum.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past obliges us to admit that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. The more distressing symptoms yield to it.

A colored woman at Milledgeville, Ga., claims to be 121 years old. Her memory of things far in the past shows that she is very aged.

All Broken Down.

Is it not sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said? Young man, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practised, keep good hours, retire early, and build up your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—OLD PHYSICIAN.

JUST BEFORE THE BATTLE.

A Song, Interrupted by Musketry, Is Finished Several Months Later.

Rev. Dr. Henry M. Field, editor of The New York Evangelist and the author of a recent volume entitled "Bright Skies and Dark Shadows," a compilation of war reminiscences, in a letter suggested that the hero of one of his best chapters was now residing in Kansas City. The story was that just before the battle of Franklin (Tenn.) a Federal officer was being entertained by the family of Col. McEwen, then, as now, a prominent citizen of that place. One of Col. McEwen's daughters was singing to the officer the at that time popular melody, "Just Before the Battle, Mother." The song was interrupted at the conclusion of the first verse by the roll of musketry. The officer hurried to the battlefield, was there desperately wounded, and for a long time wavered between life and death. On his return through Franklin, nearly seven months after that desperate battle, he called at the mansion of Col. McEwen and asked the young lady to complete the song left unfinished when the battle began.

Col. I. H. Waters, of this city, was the Federal officer mentioned, and the terrible wound he received at the battle of Franklin was not completely healed until 1884, when the last piece of bone was taken out.

"The battle of Franklin has not occupied my thoughts for at least twenty-five years," said Col. Waters, "but as I look back upon that day in November, and remember the hospitality accorded me by the family of Col. McEwen, I can see the events of that time as in a mirror. I was colonel of the Eighty-fourth Illinois under Kimball, and on the day in question, Nov. 30, we had been busy all day perfecting our intrenchments. We had but five divisions to oppose Hood's entire army and we were rushing to get our defenses completed. Our lines took in the town of Franklin, our right and left flanks resting on Harper's Ferry.

"In the afternoon of that day Gen. Kimball and I went out prospecting for something to eat. We had had no breakfast or dinner and were consequently very hungry. Col. McEwen's residence was a fine old property, situated on a slight elevation. We asked a native who lived there. He told us, at the same time informing us that he was a lawyer by profession, and that he was at that time at home. Arriving at the house we were greeted pleasantly by Col. McEwen, and on our informing him that we had eaten nothing that day, not because of want of appetite, but lack of viands, he gave us a substantial cold lunch. He also introduced us to his daughters, of whom he had three, all of whom I believe were single at that time. Gen. Kimball suggested that the young ladies entertain us with some music and the request was complied with.

"'As you are hourly expecting to meet with Hood,' said one of the young ladies, 'perhaps the most appropriate song we could sing would be this,' and she began: 'Just Before the Battle, Mother,' which, though old to them, was new to us.

"She had finished the first verse when we were startled by the rattle of musketry, the enemy attacking Waggoner's right. We darted out of the house leaving the young lady sitting at the piano. The battle was on when we reached the field. About 9:30 that night I was shot through the shoulder and was left for dead. It was the following April when we were returning through Franklin that Gen. Kimball and I again called upon Col. McEwen to thank him for his hospitality and to apologize for our abrupt departure on the day of the battle of Franklin. I still had my arm in a sling. While we were enjoying the colonel's hospitality I told the young ladies that now would be an excellent time to complete the song which had been so suddenly broken on the date of the battle, six months before."—Kansas City Times.

Spices and Pills.

A correspondent of The Christian, being in a country store in Tennessee, noticed a woman who brought butter and eggs to sell, and took the worth of them in pepper, nutmeg, allspice, tea and coffee—and pills. She had sixpence left after buying all the rest, and that just paid for a box of pills. The woman doubtless had her reasons, but naturally such a purchase, including nothing to eat, but only "seasonings," seemed curious and suggestive to a stranger—particularly so the medicine at the foot of the list.

It is calculated that a range of mountains consisting of 176 cubic miles of solid rock falling into the sun would only maintain the heat for a single second; a mass equal to that of the earth would maintain the heat for only ninety-three years, and a mass equal to that of the sun itself falling into the sun would afford 33,000,000 years of sun heat.

A man once advertised that for five shillings he would give any author an idea for his book that would enable him to dispose of his first edition in a week. He received several sums of five shillings each, and none of the authors ever denied that he had fulfilled his promise. He advised that the word "gratis" should be stamped on every cover.

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Haunted Hotel Rooms.

"Yes, a man who commits suicide in a hotel causes a vast deal of trouble," said an old hotel clerk. "If the number of the room in which the deed was committed gets out we always have to renumber the room before we can get anybody to occupy it. I recall an incident of a few years ago that is interesting. A well known Richmond man had committed suicide in one of the Indianapolis hotels. About the time the corpse was removed some of the electric wires in the building got crossed.

"That afternoon a traveling man was occupying a room several doors from the one in which the suicide had occurred. Every time he would call for a boy the register on the clerk's desk would point to the number of the room in which the suicide had occurred and from which the corpse had been removed only a few hours before. A bell boy answered the first call and came back white as a sheet, with the announcement that no one was in the room. 'Ting-a-ling-a-ling' went the call bell again, and once more the register pointed to the room in which the suicide had occurred. A second bell boy was sent to the room, and he came back as badly scared as the first, with the statement that no one was in the room.

"'It is the dead man's ghost,' said a guest who had become interested in the proceedings.

"Again the bell rang, and for the third time the register pointed to the suicide's room. I ordered a third bell boy to go up and make sure that there was no one in the room. Not much; he wouldn't go. Said I wasn't going to steer him in among spooks. I screwed up my own courage and started upstairs to make an investigation myself. My breath was beginning to come short when I met the traveling man on his way downstairs, fuming because his calls had not been answered. It occurred to me in a moment that the wires had become crossed."—Indianapolis News.

Why Boys Leave the Farm.

Farmers have themselves often to blame for the dislike their sons take to a business in which they find only the rough and hard side of life. Farm work is not so hard and disagreeable as it used to be before the introduction of much labor saving machinery that now lightens it. Still, though less disagreeable, the boys do not like to have its roughest and worst features put on them. Nor will it make it any better for the father, who now shirks whatever he dislikes, to tell his sons how much harder he had to work than they when he was a boy. Farm work is easier than it used to be, and the boys should be the first ones on the farm to find this out practically. Then fewer of them would be led from the farm by the attractions of city life.

So far as possible boys ought to have a personal and pecuniary interest in everything they do, and the girls also for that matter. Their labor legally belongs to the parent until they become of age, but he is indeed a strange father who keeps his sons or daughters at work without pay merely to save the wages of hired help. This working without pecuniary interest in what one is doing is too much like slavery. Just as soon as the pressure is removed, and the child becomes legally its own master, all restraint is thrown aside. Every young person should have some chance to work for himself on some corner of the farm, and whatever he thus earns should be his, to be saved or spent under parental supervision.

In this way the habit of earning money, and the knowledge of what it costs to procure it, as well as the best means of using it, may be learned. The farm has undoubtedly greater opportunities for teaching both boys and girls this practical knowledge of money and its value than any other business in the city can possibly enjoy. A great part of the advantage of living in the country for bringing up a family of children will be lost unless this opportunity is utilized as much as possible.—American Cultivator.

According to Size.

"Now, I'll show you over the house," said a friend to me the other day. She had moved into a south side residence whose numerous bay windows give one the impression of a roomy interior, when in fact the reverse is true. She had made many improvements and was anxious that I should see what a good housekeeper she was.

On the third floor she threw open a door disclosing an apartment about the size of a bathroom in the average flat, and in which she stored her trunks, valises, etc.

"This," said she, "was the room occupied by the former tenant's maid-of-all-work."

"Was there a hole sawed in the partition through which to extend her feet?" I inquired, as the story related by Frank Stockton flashed through my mind.

"Oh, no. Emergencies are met in better fashion in Chicago. Instead of making the room fit the girl, as Stockton did, the girl is selected to fit the room. The lady who formerly resided here told me that she had a small mark on the parlor door, and in choosing her help if the applicant came up to the mark she got the position, but if beyond it she had to go, no matter how superior her qualifications were."—Chicago News.

An English naval officer has invented a pneumatic line throwing gun, very light and portable, which fires a hollow shell bearing the cord to a wrecked vessel or into a burning building on dry land.

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Letters from Victoria.

It takes one large volume to contain the court letters of Great Britain, and there are many autographs of Queen Victoria scattered through the pages. The first letter she wrote was penned when at sweet eighteen she stepped out of private life into the throne of the greatest government on the face of the globe. Her letter announcing her ascent is written on blue foolscap paper, with a narrow black border in honor of the death of William IV. The signature is boldly penned in a school girl hand, and she evidently wrote it very carefully. The ink is as black today as it was when it reached the state department during the administration of President Van Buren, and the indorsement of the great Minister Palmerston appears in the same ink below it.—*Washington Cor. New York World.*

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saparilla cured me."—Charles H. Smith, North Craftsbury, Vt.

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Who would avoid looking prematurely old, will find in **Ayer's Hair Vigor** a preparation that preserves both the fullness and color of their hair and causes it to retain much of its youthful richness to an advanced age. For diseases of the scalp, it has no equal.

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Nobody but himself knows how much he is worth. He probably knows it to a cent, for, while not penurious, he is exact and business like. One of the men closest to him, and certainly most conversant with his business, remarked the other day that Jefferson must be a millionaire, if not doubly so. Probably the single million is nearest to it. Considering how easily he takes life, how little trouble he goes to to create sensational popularity for himself, and the brevity of his working seasons (for he never plays more than forty weeks in a year, and as little more than thirty as he can manage in his engagements), this financial result is as worthy of note as he himself is worthy of the money.—*Epoch.*

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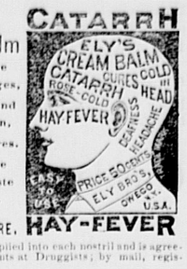

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JUNE 30, 1890.

Passenger Service from Woburn.

FOR BOSTON, 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.30, 11.37, A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 7.11, 8.29, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. RETURN, 6.55, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35, 11.00 A. M., 12.10, 1.07, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 4.45, 5.35, 5.55, 6.15, 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, 10.00, 11.10 P. M.

SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.41, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 3.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

WINCHESTER and WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, 9.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 10.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.50, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, A. M., 12.25, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.55, 9.50, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, ‡10.00, 10.45, 11.45 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, *6.15, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10 A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.10, *6.40, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, P. M.

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J. E. SEWELL, Supt.

East Middlesex Street Railway.

IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1890.

Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9 55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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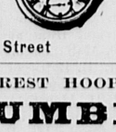

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INSIDE OF FIVE MINUTES.

"Bother that speech! I wish to goodness the Fourth of July was over!" Mr. Jeffrey groaned as if all the sins of Chicago were loaded on his conscience. Presently he remarked, in a calm voice, to his pretty, young wife, behind the teakettle:—

"Mrs. Jeffrey, those biscuits are a success." And when Mr. Jeffrey had said so the last half of the seventh hot biscuit, with its thick coat of butter, reached the place where the groan had come from. But while stirring his fifth cup of tea he said, with another groan: "That speech makes me lose my appetite. You don't know how a fellow can be worried about his maiden speech, Molly! You need not fret about such things. That's a comfort, anyway."

"You need not worry either, Jeff. Ask to be excused, if it bothers you. They will invite somebody else to take your place."

"Won't do, Molly! I was rather pleased when the committee asked me, and so I promised right away. It would look bad to back out now."

"Look here Will; suppose I write that speech for you, and you deliver it?"

"Oh, Moll, I would not think of such a thing!"

"Why not? Why can't we help each other in this as in everything else? The one of us that finds a thing easier ought to do it."

"It's a great deal harder than you think."

"I remember the time when I was Molly Ross. I thought it a great deal easier then to dash off an oration than to bake a decent loaf of bread. Well, shall I write it for you?"

"No, thank you, Molly! It would never do, I am afraid. A fellow ought to stand on his own ground. I am bound to do it all by myself." He looked the picture of proud independence.

"All right, Will. Do just as you think best." She seemed a little humiliated.

"Never mind, Molly! I believe in your biscuits and coffee and butter, and lots of other things. You are about as nice and good a little wife as any fellow could wish for; but I would not have you dabble in political speeches. St. Paul don't approve of it either," he added, jocularly.

"I don't think St. Paul would object if he could come back. So broad-minded a man as he would be sure to alter some of his opinions for the use of our time. Besides, I offered to write in order to relieve you, sir. A woman can write, and still hold her tongue, and keep below the rostrum."

"All right; but you see, Molly, there is another hitch. You can't argue that away, if you tried ever so hard. I don't believe a woman can say all she has to say in five minutes. No speaker will be allowed more than five minutes at the celebration. Now a woman never knows when to stop. She can't do it to save her life. Her tongue will wag about things in general for half an hour, and by that time she generally is so excited you could not stop her any more than you could stop a watch that is wound up for the day. You would have to burst it or throw it in the water; nothing less violent could stop it."

"Do stop, Jeff, you horrid man! There! that's nice? And I, who thought I had trained you well to think highly of me and the rest of us women! You will have to be put through a new and special course of training, sir. And as for that speech, you may sigh for it as much as you please, for all I care. I would not write that speech for you now if you went down on your knees to ask me for it—no, sir, you will have to write it by your own proud self, hubby."

The big, bearded young "hubby" evidently thought her mock anger a good joke.

"No, I won't waste a drop of ink on it," he said. "We are just going to think it over on the stoop, my pipe and I. I guess I can see through it before tomorrow morning."

When the roosters awoke Mr. Jeffrey next morning before sunrise he said:—

"Molly, you ought to have heard my speech! It went off like a rocket; the people clapped like fury, and the fellows yelled themselves hoarse. I dreamed it was fourth of July, and my speech came off first rate in four minutes fifty-five seconds. I do wish it had not been a dream!"

Molly Ross had been a village school teacher. She was a small, airy creature, and still she understood how to wind the biggest boys around her little fingers. They were tame enough in her presence, but behind her back they were ready to fight for the honor of carrying coal to her stove, and the bliss of drawing water for her at the well. There never had been so popular a school-marm in that village. But at the very height of her popularity Miss Ross handed in her resignation to the trustees, and disappeared from this world at the end of the month. At that period she was last seen entering a village church, where a simple marriage ceremony changed her into Mrs. Jeffrey, the wife of a young, struggling farmer from the neighborhood. Miss Molly Ross had worked five hours a day, and rested on Saturdays, Sundays, legal holidays and all summer; Mrs. Jeffrey worked sixteen hours a day, and knew no Saturday holidays, no Sunday rest, no summer vacation. Miss Molly Ross had cashed forty dollars a month; Mrs. Jeffrey cashed just forty dollars less. Still Mrs. Jeffrey was supremely happy, even after a year of married life, and could not understand how in the world she could have gotten along as Molly Ross. What a difference love makes anyway! The young couple were doing well, but they had to work very hard. He toiled in the fields and stable from sunrise till sunset, certain parts of the year; she worked in the kitchen and dairy all day long, all the year round, and had breath enough left to sing merrily at her work. And she had the loveliest color in her cheeks, not due to cosmetics, but manufactured by the old reliable firm, Youth, Health and Kitchen Fire.

It was haymaking time on the farm—a busy, warm time. The Fourth of July, the village celebration, and Mr. Jeffrey's maiden speech was drawing close. Dinner was over, dish washing, too—and Mrs. Molly now proceeded to churn butter. A buggy stopped at the gate; an elderly gentleman, with gray whiskers and gold spectacles, came walking up to the house, and shook Mrs. Jeffrey's outstretched hand on the doorstep, where the little lady in her neat print dress and white apron, had come to meet her unexpected visitor, one of her former school trustees.

"I am so glad to see you, Judge Burns!" said her lips with a smile, and she meant it. "How are you and your people? Take this rocking chair."

"I am sorry I cannot stay, Mrs. Jeffrey; I am on my way to Pinelake on business. Very warm day—the dust nearly choked me—so I thought I would come and ask you for a drink out of your well, if you will allow me Mrs. Jeffrey."

They were both standing by "the old oaken bucket" at the well, where the judge had enjoyed a cool drink.

"I am sorry Mr. Jeffrey missed your visit," said Mrs. Jeffrey. "I know he would be delighted to have a talk with you. Could you not come in to tea on your way back from Pinelake? Mr. Jeffrey will be in then. We shall be happy to have you—and there will be fresh buttermilk by that time. I remember you were fond of it."

"I saw Mr. Jeffrey in the fields a little way off," the judge remarked with a smile. "I do believe he was talking to the haystacks. I am nearly sure I caught some scraps of an oration. He stood there, pitchfork in hand, before a row of stacks, and harranged them: 'Ladies and gentlemen! On this memorable day'. I knew he was practising his Fourth of July speech, and sympathized with him, for I am in the same box. For Mr. Jeffrey it has at least the charm of novelty; but wait until he has served the same dish some fifteen or twenty years; he will be pretty tired of patriotic speeches by that time." He smiled and she smiled.

"He complains now already. I offered to write that little speech for him, but he declined."

"Declined! Did he really? Well, well. Look here, Mrs. Jeffrey, let somebody else have it. Ask me for instance."

"Oh, Mr. Burns! you are joking."

"Not at all, not at all, my dear madam; I never was more in earnest. Do let me have that speech, please! I am willing to stoop down to pick up the crumbs that fall from the rich man's board—in this case. But remember it must be short—five minutes and no more."

"Would it not be a capital joke on Mr. Jeffrey?" the lady said, half musingly. "Well judge, I don't care if I write it for the fun of the thing. You must not tell him though before the Fourth of July is over. After the celebration you may tell him whenever you like."

"I can keep my peace if you can, Mrs. Jeffrey. Will you write it while I go to Pinelake? I might stop here on my return in a couple of hours and get the manuscript."

"I could not possibly do that. Business goes before pleasure, you know. I have my butter to churn."

"Look here; suppose you let me churn your butter while you write the speech?"

The old gentleman was by this time fairly interested in this novel transaction. He went to tie the horse and buggy under a shade tree, while thinking by himself:—

"There is plenty of time, and it will be cooler to drive in an hour or so. Churning is easy enough, I am sure; it's women's work. It won't take me long. It will be quite a change, too—*variato delectat.* It will be interesting to see what kind of *opus* that smart little lady turns out."

Mr. Jeffrey practised oratory before an audience of haystacks in the sweat of his honest brow. Puck, the judge's horse, made frantic efforts to keep off the flies. Mrs. Molly sat in the parlor where her marriage certificate and teacher's diploma looked down upon her out of her frames. Her pen was busily rasping over the note paper, and the writer looked pretty, cool and happy. Judge Burns looked neither cool nor happy in the cellar, sitting on a stool before an old-fashioned churn. The old gentleman was fast losing his temper, and making but slow progress with the butter. He did not find it as easy as he had thought—no woman's work by any means. He felt like shaking Jeffrey, too, if he had been on hand to be shaken.

"He was a brute, that's what he was!" Judge Burns muttered. "That big, burly, young fellow, to let that delicate young wife of his make a slave of herself, and break her back over that abominable churn! He would give Jeffrey a talking to. Thank heaven, Mrs. Burns had never been asked to do such work. Why, it was outrageous to let a woman handle that churn."

Bang, splash, bang, splash, up and down went the stick of the churn! The work grew heavier and heavier, the judge hotter and hotter. Down flew the gold spectacles; the hat followed suit; soon the coat lay on the floor alongside of the hat. Bang, splash, said the churn. With a final bang the judge jumped up from his stool in sheer despair, growling between his teeth, "Goodness sakes! Millenium will be on hand before that butter is done!"

"Well, Judge, how are getting on! said a cheery voice, and Mrs. Jeffrey's light print dress lit up the cellar door.

He picked up his hat and coat with a dazed haggard look, and said: "This is not a lady's work, Mrs. Jeffrey. I found out as much as that. You ought not to work that churn; You will hurt yourself."

"I churn three times a week. I don't mind it much now; I am used to it." Seeing how tired he looked, she suddenly changed the subject, and said: "Do come with me out of this gloomy place to the veranda. There is quite a breeze." She picked up his glasses and wiped them on her apron, while he preceded her up stairs. "This is the nicest corner in the afternoon, and this is the easiest rocking-chair. Sit down, sir. There is a palm leaf. Now get cool and comfortable while I come back with fresh buttermilk for you. Won't you enjoy buttermilk of your own making? Here are your glasses, and here is—the speech." She pulled it out of her apron pocket, and handed it reluctantly and timidly. "Now please don't make fun of my work, and I will praise yours so much more." She courtisied and disappeared.

Mr. Burns put on his glasses with out delay, unfolded the few leaflets and read. And when he was through reading he looked as though he had been listening to the first bluebird's song in early spring. He was in the best humor by the time that Mrs. Jeffrey appeared with a pitcher full of buttermilk. "What do you think of the buttermilk?" he called out.

"It's a great success, and I congratulate you, and I am ever so much obliged to you, Mr. Burns." Then she nodded, in an undertone, "And the speech?"

"It could not be improved upon, my dear Mrs. Jeffrey. You are an orator to the manor born, upon my word. Allow me to express my thanks to you."

They shook hands over the pitcher of buttermilk, and laughed like a couple of happy children. A moment after Judge Burns with the Fourth of July oration in his breast pocket, drove Puck on toward Pinelake.

The Fourth of July had come, and proved to be a regular scorcher. There was a noisy crowd at the village celebration, and the market-place was thickly strewn with burnt out fire-crackers, peanut shells, banana and orange peels. The speakers' platform was ablaze with bunting and every window around the square seemed a frame for pretty faces and gorgeous millinery.

Mr. Jeffrey's speech was one of the first on the programme, but it was by no means ode of the best. He began solemnly in a voice as loud as a fog horn: "Ladies and gentlemen, this memorable day," etc. For one minute there was a flow of pompous phrases, carefully committed to memory—then came a sudden stop—another stop. The tall speaker pulled up his shirt collar as if he was choking, started anew, got more and more entangled, wished himself a mile underground, flushed, stammered, and was at last gently reminded by the president that his time was up.

The last speaker was Judge Burns. And what a wonderful speech he made! There was no end of cheering and clapping. The girls waved their handkerchiefs, after having wiped off their tears. "Wasn't it perfectly lovely? Just too lovely for anything!" The women smiled, and the men nodded approval. "It was a daisy and no mistake." Hurrah for Judge Burns!" "Three cheers for Hezekiah Burns!" At an open window opposite the platform sat the postmaster's wife, and beside her a little lady in a white dress, with a pretty flushed face, and a pair of very bright eyes fixed on the speaker and turning to the village clock the moment Judge Burns closed his oration.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey drove home early after the celebration. He had nothing to say, and was as cross as a bear after a failure. His wife did not show him any sympathy either—so unlike her, too! She seemed to have enjoyed herself thoroughly. Everything seemed funny to her on the way home where he would see no fun at all. Her very laugh grated on his ear for the first time. "Catch me making a fool of myself again in public;" he thought, but did not say so.

While he put the horse in the stable Mrs. Molly got the tea ready, an unusually good tea, and just the kind of jelly he liked best. In the evening she actually struck a match to light his pipe on the stoop, and laughingly pulled his curly hair.

"What's the matter with you tonight Molly?" I don't see what tickles you."

"I suppose it's the celebration that has gone to my head. It is Fourth of July but once a year."

"Yes, thank goodness!" he muttered puffing away at his pipe.

Next morning's mail brought a couple of letters and the local paper. This once the Guide seemed the centre of attraction to both Mr. and Mrs. J.

"Let's see about the celebration," she said eagerly; "do read aloud Will!"

"Haven't time. It would take me all the afternoon. Here are columns and columns but not about me. Oh, yes, sure enough. They are 'in hopes Mr. Jeffrey's corn crop will turn out a greater success than his oration.' Well, I don't care what they say." He laughed good naturedly, for he had gotten over his mortification. "Here is Judge Burns' speech, nearly all of it it seems, and half a column of eulogy on it. Just listen what they say:" 'A perfect swell of poetic expression—a chaste pearl of oratory—dewy freshness—a lightning flash of patriotic eloquence.' Are you choking, Molly!" She was as red as a berry, coughed and laughed alternately. Well, I must say it was a first rate speech, but no more than might be expected of a lawyer who has the gift of gab. He is an old hand at that sort of thing. Why, he has spoken in public these last thirty years. It's his business to talk, just as it is mine to raise corn and wheat. How did you like his speech, Molly?"

"I can't say I thought it so very wonderful," she said. "It was nice enough and short. He was through before his time was up. I noticed that more than anything else."

You don't mean to say so! Why I thought of you while he spoke—how you would appreciate him. They were all wild about that speech, both men and women. It was full of fun and fire and enthusiasm. Choking again, Molly? Shall I slap your back?" She shook her head. "Yes, he understands his business, that's certain. What's that? Looks very much like Burns' handwriting. What can he have to write about?"

Mrs. Molly flushed to the roots of her hair, while Mr. Jeffrey cut the envelope with a table knife, and fell in a brown study over his letter. His wife watched him with a roguish twinkle in her eyes. He looked as if he were reading the will of a maiden aunt whose inheritance he had been sure of and who had died suddenly after changing her will in favor of the Hottentot mission.

The letter really was from Judge Burns and ran as follows:

My Dear Mr. Jeffrey: Excuse an old friend who gladly took what you had declined. The oration I delivered yesterday, literally after the manuscript was the work of Mrs. Jeffrey. While she wrote that very excellent speech, which I accepted as a Godsend, I took her place at the churn, and spent one of the most laborious hours of my life making butter. The transaction being altogether in my favor, I feel very much indebted to Mrs. Jeffrey, and hope she will accept a token of my sincere regard in the shape of a new patented churn, which, as the manufacturers claim, will make churning a mere child's play. My dear Mr. Jeffrey, your partner in marriage has more brains, heart and energy than you and I taken together.

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HEZEKIAH E. BURNS.

"Molly, did—did you really write that speech?"

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In buying Hood's Sarsaparilla, for it is everywhere recognized as the standard building-up medicine and blood purifier. It has won its way to the front by its own intrinsic merit, and has the largest sale of any preparation of its kind. Any honest druggist will confirm this statement. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy anything else instead. Be sure to get Hood's.

Butterfly bows of ribbon lace and gauzy stuffs are perched on the brim of large hats immediately over the face. They are cute now but sure to be common presently.

Many of the light summer dresses for seaside and country wear show broad silken sashes in brilliant colors and sometimes in black, which greatly enhance their effectiveness.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE PATHFINDER DEAD.

Last Sunday, July 13, General John C. Fremont died at his home in New York City after a short sickness aged 77 years. One son and a few other members of his family were present and saw him die, his wife and a daughter being in California, and another son, an officer in the U. S. Army, being at his post in some Western State or Territory.

General Fremont gained his title of Pathfinder for daring deeds and heroic achievments in the Rocky Mountains many years ago, and for being the first of white men to make explorations in the Western wilds and opening them up for settlement by pioneers from the East. As far back as 1843 General Fremont with a handful of brave and hardy men explored the region of Salt Lake and published the first account of it that the world ever heard of. Later his perilous passages through the Rocky Mountains and opening up of routes of travel through them were achievements the records of which will not very soon fade out of the pages of history.

General Fremont saved California to the United States when the Mexican war was on in 1847, for which he was duly honored. He was the first Republican candidate for President in 1856, but was defeated by Buchanan. He did noble service in the War of the Rebellion for which he never received from the Government the reward he deserved.

The life of General Fremont was an eventful one, and his name will occupy fair pages in this country's history after that of many others about whom a great deal more noise was made will have entirely faded out of the memory of the Nation.

THE ORIGINAL PACKAGE BILL.

Amid the pressure of other matters, the House should not neglect to assign an early day for the consideration of the "Original Package Bill." That is a subject which does not admit of delay, and with raference to which there is a growing impatience in the public mind.—*Boston Journal.*

The decision of the Supreme Court has caused a great change to come over Topeka. The town is now full of "Original Package" houses; the old saloon-keepers that had squatted just beyond the State line, are all back with their packages, large and small, and are exulting over their victory. What a shame it is that Congress does not do something to relieve the people from such disgraceful proceedings! It is too bad that people who try to be decent have to submit to such things. —*Topeka (Kan), Union Signal.*

There is no measure now before Congress that calls for prompt action more imperatively than the one above mentioned. It is of vastly more importance to the nation at large than the Silver, Tariff or Federal Election bill, and ought to be the first thing attended to that the gates may be shut down before the whole country is flooded with rum in "original packages."

There should be no divided opinion in Congress on this subject and no time ought to be lost in passing the bill now pending before the House.

THE FEDERAL ELECTION BILL.

On Monday last the Republican members of the U. S. Senate voted in caucus to pass Mr. Lodge's Federal Election bill which means that it will soon become law.

Congress has inaugurated no measure for a long time that has met with such frenzied opposition from the Democratic side of the house as this. They seem to think that it is an uncommonly heavy blow aimed directly at their most vital parts. It looks a little that way certain, and it is not surprising that they howl.

With Mr. Lodge's Election law in full and unobstructed operation in all the States south of Mason and Dixon's line the "solid South" would nevermore be heard of and Republicans would get some votes and a fair share of the Presidential Electors and Congressman from that region.

No honest people will object to the Federal Election bill which the House has passed and the Senate has agreed to. The Democrats are the only ones who object to it because "no rogue e're felt the halter draw with good opinion of the law."

The Democracy, especially the Southern Democracy, are bitter against Congressman Lodge and his bill, but the latter is sure to go through all right, and the former don't care a sue markee whether the Democracy love him or not.

THE NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT.

The National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which is to be held in Boston during the second week in August, promises to be the largest one that ever met. Information from all parts of the Union makes it certain that it is to be an immense affair, for which the people of Boston have already begun preparations on a large scale.

The Veterans everywhere are anticipating the occasion with great interest. It will collect together many distinguished military men as well as thousands of the rank and file. They will receive a cordial welcome and the the very best of treatment from the citizens of Boston and soldiery of the State.

THE SILVER BILL.

Late last week the Silver Bill, over which Congress labored for some time in order to perfect, was passed and sent to the President for his approval. It is claimed to be a compromise between the free coinage people and the radicals of the other wing and will on the whole prove to be a very harmless measure.

What its effect will be on business can only be told after it has been tried. There are all manner of theories about it—in fact, the operation of the law is only a matter of theory at the best. Its actual influence on money, either gold or silver, no man can tell, although everybody who cares enough about it to give it any thought has a theory as to how it is going to work.

But it is likely the bill will prove of more benefit to the country than a good many people think for.

☞ A copy of "Vivisection in America" by Frances Power Cobbe and Benjamin Ryan, with a Preface (the best part of the pamphlet) by Philip G. Peabody, a lawyer of eminence in Boston, and a staunch friend of the Mass. S. P. C. A., has found its way to this office and will recieve proper attention in due time. The publication contains also papers from Col. R. G. ("Bob") Ingersoll, Rev. Phillips Brooks, Senator Dawes, and other distinguished people, all in remonstrance of the cruel and idiotic practice of vivisection of dumb animals. It, with the abundance of good reading issued by Mr. George T. Angell the devoted and efficient President of the above Society, ought to be sown broadcast all over the land.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

E. J. Gregory.—For Sale.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
J. H. Bates—Baking Powder.
S. R. Niles—Mortgagee's Sale.
Royal B. P. Co.—Baking Powder.

— Will Looney is building a house on Plympton street.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery is away on his annual vacation.

— Richardson Brothers have put a steam whistle into their laundry.

— E. M. Brown and H. C. Blake were at Hotel Chelton last week.

— L. W. Liverley and family are occupying a cottage at Cottage City.

— J. M. Brown was registered at the Atlantic House, Nantasket, a few days ago.

— General Secretary Bailey of the W. Y. M. C. A. has returned from his vacation.

— Somebody has placed us under obligations for a copy of The Cardiff (Tenn.) *Herald.*

— Supt. Sewell of the N. W. St. R'y Co. went down to Maine yesterday for a brief visit.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., and family are taking their annual up-country trip and outing.

— Mr. Morton Aldrich and family of this city spent last Sunday with friends at Mendon.

— The Methodist Sunday School held a picnic in Baldwin's Grove, No. Woburn, yesterday.

— Another hot wave struck this part of the country last Tuesday about 1 o'clock, a. m.

— Miss Alice Hutchings has gone to Meadville, Penn., and Hamilton, Ohio, to visit friends.

— G. F. Hartshorn, City Civil Engineer, is about to build a nice residence on Main street.

— Dickinson paid $3.20 a bushel for apples for his market last week, which made apple pies come high.

— Two of the Woburn census enumerators did not send their reports on until the very last of last week.

— Mr. John K. Murdock went down to No. Lubec, Maine, fishing last week. He is having a great time.

— Dist. Deputy B. W. Potts installed the officers of Crystal Fount Lodge, I. O. O. F., last Monday evening.

— The Woburn Public Library will be closed for a vacation of two weeks from July 21 to Aug. 4, to reopen on the latter date.

— Dr. Rogers, has been visiting down in Maine. Mrs. Rogers is a native of that staunch and thriving old Commonwealth.

— Ray Dodge is at home from Dartmouth College. He will return to that seat of learning at the close of this summer vacation.

— Mr. and Mrs. R J. W. Phinney are at Wentworth Hall, Jackson, N. H., where they will tarry until the weather becomes cooler.

— Mr. E. C. Colman of Woodside advertises hay for sale in this paper. Men who are thinking of buying hay will do well to read his card.

— Miss Mary McKeen of No. Dakota is visiting relatives in this city. For the last two years she has been attending school in Connecticut.

— Mrs. Dr. Hutchings, Mrs. S. E. Howe, Miss Brooks and others are spending ten days at the Chautauqua Assembly, Lakeview, Framingham.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith is running off his stock of spring and summer goods at the very lowest prices in order to make room for a big fall stock.

— The Woburn Mutual Benevolent Association was formed here last Tuesday evening with 10 members. They will hold another meeting this evening.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church in this city, delivered an open-air address before the Watertown Y. M. C. A. last Sunday.

— John I. Munroe, the active and enterprising real estate dealer, has made several sales of residence property and has an eye on other customers.

— Mr. William Winn's auctioneer's card appears in this paper. He has filled the position 54 years, and a better recommendation a man couldn't have.

— Mrs. Emma T. Dow and Miss Clara Preston, the latter a graduate of Wellesley College, are attending the Chautauqua meetings at Framingham.

— Miss Carrie Greene has gone to Nashua, N. H., huckleberrying. She expects to be away until about the time of the opening of our public schools.

— Dr. Dodge has been enjoying a brief vacation and though not fully decided as to his future is visiting patients and seeing them at his office at his home, 391 Main street.

— The N. W. St. R'y carried just about 8000 passengers on the 4th. That shows that there was considerable travel between Woburn, Winchester and Medford that day.

— Moses Bancroft can supply the demand for any kind of a shoe a person may want and supply it cheaper than any other dealer in the city. Leahy, the manager, is a rusher.

— Principal Herbert B. Dow of the High School in this city went to Orange last week, the scene of his early pedagogical labors, and from thence to Philadelphia to visit friends.

— Mrs. Addie C. Lockard, daughter of Mr. B. B. Brown, with her daughter, who live at Charlotte, Michigan, is visiting her old home here. Mother and daughter will remain here several weeks.

— Mrs. W. W. Hill and her daughter Avis expect to spend the hot weather at Gloucester by the seaside. Mr. Hill will make frequent trips to and considerable tarries at the place where his family will be.

— A poem in this paper called "The Old Army Coat," written by Mr. John L. Parker, whom everybody in Woburn knows, or ought to, will strike a chord in the hearts of the "boys in blue" when they read it.

— Tuesday afternoon, 96 in the shade; wind S. W. Wednesday afternoon, 94 in the shade; wind W. and N. W. Tuesday night tough one for sleep.—W. Brown, Meteorologist of B. & L. RR. Co.

— As to weather, Sunday was a day long to be remembered. It was not a day when corn flourishes most, but the air was balmy and the temperature was such as to remove all excuse for slumber during sermon time.

— Mr. F. B. Richardson, Superintendent of the Woburn public schools, and wife are visiting at Glen Falls, N. Y., and about there, and also in the Adirondacks, where, report says, they are enjoying the vacation season very much.

— Mr. W. F. Kenney of the Boston *Globe* has returned from his Western tour with the Boston BB. team, to report whose failures and get a little building up in his health department the trip was made. He is looking rugged.

— C. M. Munroe has a change of advertisement in this paper which is of real interest to the male portion of our population. He is selling all kinds of summer goods at prices which defy competition. People like Munroe's place firstrate.

— The Phalanx will go into Camp at So. Framingham next week. The Company will leave here on Monday though a squad will go over Saturday evening to arrange matters. The muster will close on Friday night or Saturday forenoon.

— At last, at last! Seats have been placed on the Common, and they are nice ones too. The City Government have done the handsome thing by us old chaps who like to sit around of a summer evening and enjoy our pipes on the Common.

— The Woburn band contemplate giving a concert on Reading Common some evening in the near future if the money is forthcoming to meet expenses. Mr. Henry Brown will be pleased to receive contributions for the same.—*Reading Chronicle.*

— Miss Nellie O'Brien and Miss Annie Harris of Chestnut street left here last Monday for their vacation trip and visit at Bangor, Maine. They will make a stop at Bar Harbor, and perhaps snatch a handful or two of huckleberries at Bluehill.

— Supt. Sewell has just got out a new running schedule for the No. Woburn St. RR. line. Changes will be made in the future to meet the public wants, for Supt. Sewell's sole aim is to accommodate the people of the country through which his line runs.

— Willis C. Kendall of Palestine, Tex., and a member of the Fire Department of that place, presented to Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1, of this city four fire badges and in return Co. 1 H. & L. gave Mr. Kendall a photograph of their members en group.

— Mrs. Howe, the chiropodist, left here last Tuesday to attend the summer session of C. L. S. E. at Framingham, she being a member of Class '91. The lady will return to her rooms in Lyceum Hall on July 28., of which fact her numerous patrons will please take notice.

— It is expected that a large number of Wellesley graduates in this city will go to Framingham to-day to be present at the lecture of Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer, ex-President of Wellesley College, at the N. E. Chau. Assembly. This is "College Day" of the Assembly.

— If everyone who deposits a drop letter, or letter addressed to someone in the city, would add to the address the street and number of the person addressed, it would relieve the post-office people of a good deal of needless labor, and better insure a prompt delivery of the letter.

— Captain W. C. Parker of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, Co. G. 5th M. V. M., will please accept the JOURNAL's best thanks for complimentary tickets to the camp of the 5th Regiment, to muster at Framingham, on July 22-26, this current year. The favor is duly appreciated.

— We feel justified in advising a careful perusal of "Library Notes" in this paper because the writer of them possess good literary judgment and taste and hence her recommendations as to what books deserve first to be read are safer to follow than those who are of inferior culture and literary gifts.

— The National Band gave one of the finest concerts on the public bandstand last Wednesday evening that has ever been given there. The selections were nearly all new and there was not a poor one among them. The "Medley", or string of old plantation and other airs, was the best we ever heard.

— A Wood Mantel which costs $30 often adds $100 to the beauty and value of a house. At one establishment in Boston over sixty styles of mantels are erected and on permanent exhibition. No one should fail to see this Mantel Exhibition which is at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Auctioneer Gregory advertises an important sale of real estate in the JOURNAL to day to which attention is called. There is a chance there for somebody to "make a dollar" by attending the sale, for the property is going to the highest bidder, come what may. Gregory is pretty busy these days.

— Among the courtesies tendered the New England delegations to the annual meeting of the National Pedagogue Association at St. Paul, Minn., were two firstclass cyclones, one of which, above Minneapolis, destroyed 5 lives, and the other, on Lake Pepin, 100 lives. Perhaps our people did not relish such a demonstrative reception.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— The members of Post 33 and Relief Corps 84 went to Chelsea last Saturday evening and spent a few hours at the Soldiers Home there. They filled three street cars and Supt. Wentworth made everything as comfortable and pleasant as could be for them. They enjoyed the visit at the Home and the ride to this city which they reached about midnight.

— Last Tuesday Dennis Hurley, who lives near Sherman Place, was overcome by the heat so severely that his condition necessitated the attendance of watchers all night. He was better Wednesday morning and went to work, but about noon attempted suicide by cutting his throat. The wounds were not dangerous and the doctors say he will be well again in a few days.

— Driver Thomas C. Boyce of Fire Engine No. 1, who was injured by the premature discharge of a cannon while firing the sunset salute on July 4, and so wonderfully escaped great mutilation and perhaps death, made his first appearance on the street last Tuesday. He came down to Roulo's barber shop for a shave, but did not stay down long. He looks bad but is improving very rapidly.

— Tuesday evening, July 15, D. D. G. D., N. W. Snow and suit installed the Officers of Rumford Lodge, 618, K. of H.: P. D., George Parker; D., C. W. Nute; Asst. D., Alex Grant; R., O. M. Brooks; Fin. R., A. H. Holland; Treas., A. S. Wood; Chap., F. W. Bosworth; Guide, Josiah Parker; Rep., A. S. Wood; Alternate, A. H. Holland; Trustees, F. A. Flint, O. M. Brooks, F. W. Bosworth.

— The mid-summer convention of the Middlesex Central Christian Endeavor Union and picnic will be held at Highland Lake Grove, Norfolk, next Saturday, July 26, for which great preparations are in progress in the way of speakers, music, games, boating, etc. A special train of cars will leave the N. Y. & N. E. Railroad station at the foot of Summer street, Boston, at 9 A. M. sharp. Tickets for the round trip from Boston 50 cents.

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis has a good many large jobs on hand, and employs a good many men. He has a contract at White River Junction, Vt., that takes a large force; the demolishing of the old and building of a new railroad bridge at Somerville is a big job; he has contracts for concreting at Andover; the foundation of the Woburn M. E. Church and the foundation of many other buildings keep him, his men, and his horses very busy all the time.

— "The Fall of Babylon" now running at Oakland Garden, Boston, is a big thing. Thousands of people go to see and are delighted with it every day. It would take a good deal more room than we have to spare to describe it, so the reader must accept our word for it that it is a magnificent show—spectacular play, or whatever else it may be named. It is richly worth going over to Oakland Garden and the price of admission to see.

— Mr. E. Prior will hereafter carry on the auctioneer business on his own hook, to which end the partnership of William Winn & Co. has been dissolved. Mr. Prior has cried sales in this place and vicinity for quite a number of years and is regarded as one of the best public salesmen anywhere in this part of Middlesex. He has made friends and is popular with everybody on account of his fairness and reliability, on which score he has always been in demand to cry at vendues. He will doubtless continue to do a good business. And success to him, says the JOURNAL.

— Miss Jennie E. Skinner of the Plympton School and Miss Amanda Severns of the Rumford (N. W.) will start next Monday on a trip to the White Mountains where they expect to make quite a tarry. During their stay in that wild and romantic region these ladies will spend a night at the Summit House on Mt. Washington. At the close of their visit up there they intend to come down to Warren, N. H., where they will be met by Miss Emma Fowle, and the three will remain there for several weeks for rest and recreation. If anybody needs a vacation good, faithful school teachers do.

— The Editor of the JOURNAL owes Mr. John Jones of this city a vote of thanks. When he returned from a very pleasant visit to his old home at Carrickmacross, County Monahan, Ireland, some 10 days ago, Mr. Jones brought and presented to said Editor a very fine blackthorn cane which he cut there expressly for the purpose, and which will be prized as a handsome and valuable present by the recipient as long as he has any use for a cane. It is a fine stick, and will be valued all the more highly from having come straight across the waters from the "Old Sod." Mr. Jones will please accept our thanks.

— The following officers of Crystal Fount Lodge, I. O. O. F., were duly installed by B. W. Potts and suite of Putnam Lodge of Roxbury last Monday evening: N. G., Philos S. Goodrich; V. G., William D. Wright; R. S., Alonzo L. Perham; T. Orlando M. Brooks; C. Benjamin L. Trull; W. Ainsley E. Douglas; I. G., William J. Brown; O. G., Somes C. Hilton; R. S. N. G., Thomas L. Loomer; L. S. N. G., George B. Woodside; R. S. V. G., Edwin F. Tibbetts; L. S. V. G., Elmer R. Soper; Chaplain, Herbert S. Dickinson; Organist, T. M. Chute. At the close of the ceremony a collation was served.

— Union 21 of the Union Endowment, a Five Year Benefit Order, was instituted in G. A. R. Hall, Main street, on Monday evening July 7, by Dr. J. Anson Pushee, Supreme Supervisor, and W. Janes. The following is a list of officers: President, Dr. Robert Chalmers; Vice Pres., W. A. Poole; P. Pres., Asa G. Sheldon; Clerk, S. A. Woodside; Treasurer, Geo. H. Sutherland; Financier, Abbie M. Chase; Chap., Catherine Rogers; Marshall, Silas F. Corbett; I. Doorkeeper, Eva Davenport; O. Doorkeeper, Ida Smith. The next meeting will be held in G. A. R. Hall Monday evening, July 21. All wishing to become Charter members can do so by applying to Dr. Chalmers on or before that date.

— Cards announcing the wedding of Miss Mary Reade, daughter of postmaster Lawrence Reade of this city, and Doctor Charles H. Winn of Winchester, and for the wedding reception, have been sent out this week. The ceremonies will be held at St. Charles (R. C.) church in this city on Tuesday evening, August 5, and will be conducted by Rev. Fr. Quealy, assisted by other clergymen. The wedding reception will be held in Music Hall, Post-office Building, from 8 to 9 o'clock on the same evening and rumor says it is going to be on a magnificent scale. The same authority places the number of invitations at 500. Music Hall, rumor goes on to say, will present a brilliant scene on that evening, and that Miss Mary's bridal reception will eclipse anything of the kind ever witnessed in this city.

— Dr. J. M. Harlow and Mrs. Harlow returned last Tuesday evening from their Western trip and visit in good health and spirits, and well pleased with all they saw and experienced while away. After leaving Chicago, where they made a considerable stop (which was chiefly devoted to sight-seeing) the Doctor and wife visited St. Paul (with the beauties of which city they were delighted) and regions thereabout, and then proceeded on to the enterprising, wealthy and rapidly growing New England city of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, where they remained several days, and of the growth and future prospects of which they gave a glowing account. There is nothing "mushroom" about Sioux Falls. It is based on solid New England money and enterprise; it has the elements of great wealth within its own borders; its waterpower, its mills, its vast quarries of jasper, etc., are bound to be the building up of a great and prosperous city there. Its growth, although phenomenal in extent, is healthy, and such it is bound to be in the future. Dr. Harlow has money invested in live industries at Sioux Falls, and if he were only a wealthy man he would put more of it into other enterprises out there. The Doctor and Mrs. Harlow enjoyed their Western trip very much indeed.

— A representative of the JOURNAL attended the installation of the officers of Shawsheen Tribe, I. O. R. M., and Nahmeokee Council of D. of P. last Monday evening in Red Men's Hall, and enjoyed it very much. After the installation a fine treat of cake, ice cream, etc., was provided at G. A. R. Hall which was partaken of by members of the Order and invited guests with pleasure. The following were installed in Shawsheen Tribe: Prophet, O. J. Hart; Sachem, A. U. Dickson; Senior Sagamore, A. T. Webber; Junior Sagamore, John Bates; Sannaps, A. L. Perham, D. K. Colgate; Warriors, C. W. Ames, J. E. Boutwell, Wm. Grant, W. R. Newcomb; Braves, Frank Newcomb, Joseph Larock, J. Whittey, J. E. Givens; Guards, P. M. Warland, W. J. Bryant. In Nahmeokee Council: Prophetess, Mrs. Jennie F. Butters; Pocahontas, Mrs. S. Jessie Crowell; Wenonah, Mrs. Harriet Knights; Powhatan, O. J. Hart; K. of R. Mrs. Olivia Greenleaf; Assistant K. of R. Mrs. Ella G. Richardson; K. of W. Mrs. Mabel Dickson; Scouts, Mrs. Emma F. Webber, Mrs. Emma Bryant; Runners, Mrs. P. M. Warland, Mrs. Sarah F. Duren; Councillors, Austin Crowell, L. W. Brittan; Warriors, Misses Ida Smith, Hattie Whittey, Nellie Smith, Margaret Hall; Braves, A. T. Webber, A. U. Dickson, Wm. Grant, D. K. Colgate; Guards, Mrs. Abbie French, W. J. Bryant.

— Officer Clarence Kean spotted his man about 2 o'clock last Monday morning and because Henry F. LaRock could not furnish $1500 bail for his appearance at the next criminal term of the Superior Court at Cambridge (providing the grand jury find a bill against him), which was Judge Converse's conclusion after investigating LaRock's case in the Woburn District Court last Monday morning, he is confined behind iron bars in the County jail. All because Officer Clarence Kean found his man. LaRock was arrested early on last Monday on a charge of attempting to burn the stable on High street (the Charles Converse place) where he had been keeping the horse that hauled his bread cart round among customers and where William Wood, the machinist, also keeps a horse. LaRock had been talking so strangely lately that Chief McIntosh began to have suspicions concerning him and thereupon set a watch to catch him if he undertook any crooked business. He talked about being afraid of having the stable and his property burned up because it had been found that he was, or had recently been, a liquor spotter. He advised Wood to get his horse insured. LaRock's horse and fixings were well insured, so it is alleged, which with his singular talk set the police on the *qui vive.* They had been watching him for a week during which one or more attempts had been made to set the barn on fire. The evidence against LaRock was however not considered sufficient by the Chief and the watch went on. But about 2 o'clock on last Monday morning Officer Kean, who had been doing some tall watching, was rewarded with a discovery. The hay had been well saturated with kerosene, an operation which the Officer watched with interest, then the matches were struck and LaRock's alleged face and form shone out in such a way that all doubt as to what was going on and who was doing it was at once removed. Satisfying himself of the authorship of the work Officer Kean went at it and extinguished the fire, which was no fool of a job, saved the property with much effort, reported progress, and secured his man. LaRock was bound over to the Superior Court that same morning in $1500 which he couldn't raise, therefore went to jail.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

A regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held Tuesday evening. Aldermen Ramsdell, Golden and Place absent. Petitions were received as follows: Philip Haggerty, license to clean vaults; E. F. Banks, for sixth-class liquor license, 389 Main street; Burrill Putney, State aid, all referred to committees. C. H. Smith and other fish dealers asked for a hearing in the matter of requiring a license for out-of-town fish dealers. Hearing set for July 22. The Overseers of the Poor reported for June—Families assisted 27, person 105, at an expense of $204.31. The matter of an appropriation for the 39th Massachusetts Infantry Association, recommended to the committee. Ordered that a portion of Montvale Avenue be relocated as asked for by G. F. Bean and others. Under the head of unfinished business the Clerk read the Mayor's communication removing Daniel J. McGiver as a police officer of the city. No one offering a suggestion from the floor, the Mayor said it was proper and necessary for the Board to take some action on his removal of the officer. A hearing had been held, and his action should be confirmed or something done. On motion of Alderman Kenney it was voted to ballot yes or no upon sustaining the Mayor's action and it resulted in a unanimous vote sustaining the Mayor's action. The application of B. S. Devlin & Co. for a liquor license was laid over. Dartmouth street, Longwood and Dexter Avenues, Ward 6, were accepted as public highways. Adjourned to next Tuesday evening.

Housekeepers laugh right out when the groceryman shows them some unknown brand of soap, and tells them that it is the best, the cheapest and finer than ever soap was before. They laugh because well they know perfection cannot be improved upon, and as they know Brussels soap is perfection, both in its cleansing and its lasting qualities, they will have no other.

Y. M. C. A.

The four o'clock meeting last Sunday was led by Mr. Harry Carter of Amherst College.

All men, of all ages and nationality are invited to attend the Gospel meeting at 8 P. M. on Saturday.

Next Sunday's 4 o'clock Men's meeting will be under the charge of the Religious Work Committee.

Tuesday evening the regular meeting of the Board of Directors was well attended. The various committees gave their reports of the work, and plans were made for the work of the coming fall and winter.

The Summer Encampment at North Lubec commences Aug. 9. North Lubec is a delightful spot on the coast of Maine. There are sail and row boats for the sailor. Fish and game for the angler and hunter. And fine roads for the horseman and bicyclist. If you wish to go you can obtain membership tickets of the General Secretary.

Boston Harbor viewed by moonlight with a good natured, well-behaved crowd, the occasion enlivened by firstclass instrumental and vocal music, has been the delightful experience of hundreds of the friends of the Cambridge Association each summer for the past four summers. This year the committee have again secured the staunch steamer, Longfellow. The date selected is Thursday, July 31. The moon is expected to be on its good behavior, and if the calendar is to be depended on, the conditions will be perfect. Steamer leaves Battery Wharf at 7 P. M. Lynn and Woburn will accompany us. Tickets only fifty cents from Boston, 75 cents from Woburn. Young men take notice that this event is not for men only. Tickets on sale now at the Rooms. Party limited to 350.

A Freedom Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob M. Ellis gave their son Arthur Clinton Ellis a great party and made him some handsome presents last Monday evening at their elegant home, No. 25 Salem street, in token of his arriving at majority on that date. Neighbors and friends were present in goodly numbers by whom a very pleasant evening was spent. Numerous representatives of Bellevue Club, of which the young gentleman is a member, were also seen among the large company. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, by the hand of Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, who is glib and eloquent of tongue, gave their son a costly gold watch, chain and charm; and President John F. Carley, for the Bellevue Club, presented him with a solid gold headed umbrella. The presents were handsome and valuable, and were bestowed on as worthy a young man as there is in Woburn.

A choice collation was served which after an earnest and pleasant discussion of the same, and some excellent music, the very agreeable affair came to an end.

Mass. Char. Mech. Ass'n.

This organization has always been purely an unselfish one. Its Managers for nearly a hundred years have given freely of their time with no other compensation than the satisfaction following from the performance of worthy acts. Since its organization it has expended hundreds of thousands of dollars in unostentatious charity: besides expending large sums for the encouragement of the mechanic arts.

Its Managers are now engaged in preparing for another exhibition of Industry, Skill and Art, to be held in October and November of this year. The prospect is most encouraging. Large numbers of applications have been received covering the whole range of New England industries. The WOMANS ART and INDUSTRY SECTION will include specimens of every line of business and commendable occupation in which women are engaged. The Art Galleries will contain a large and valuable collection of rare paintings and other works of Art. Music of the highest order will be heard day and evening, and the exhibition promises to be of great value to visitors and exhibitors alike.

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Laying the Corner-stone.

At 3 o'clock last Monday afternoon the corner-stone of the new Methodist Church in this city was laid in due and regular form. The occasion was made one of considerable importance and the ceremonies were impressive. Although the weather was uncomfortably warm and the sun's rays took hold very sharply there were a goodly number of people at the meeting which was held in the easterly part of the building, that being the only portion of it under cover. The exercises consisted principally of prayers; fine singing led by Rev. C. H. Hannaford; addresses by Bishops, local and outside clergymen; a business statement by the pastor Rev. Hugh Montgomery; the ceremonies proper of laying the corner-stone, etc. The pastors of all the Protestant churches in this city participated in the meeting which was directed by Rev. J. W. Lindsey, D. D., Presiding Elder of the North Boston District in which Woburn is included.

The programme was opened with singing by a choir led by Rev. C. H. Hannaford. Then followed the introductory part of the ritual by Rev. N. B. Fiske, prayer by Rev. L. B. Bates, D. D., singing, responsive reading by Rev. W. H. Meredith, Scriptural reading by Rev. H. C. Parker of the Unitarian Church, address by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., of the Woburn Congregational Church, address by Rev. Daniel Winn of the First Baptist Church, Woburn. Bishop W. F. Mallalieu of New Orleans then delivered a stirring address. At the close of which the audience passed to the northwest corner of the edifice, where Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the church, made an address, in which he stated $16,000 had already been raised for the new church, including the sale of the old church property. There is needed $5,000 more to complete the church and parsonage, and he wanted to have the new edifice dedicated Jan. 1, 1891, free of debt. A number of subscriptions were then made. E. G. Clough, chairman of the building committee, then handed to Jacob M. Ellis, contractor of the stone work, the tin box containing various documents, which was inserted in its place in the corner-stone. The box contained copies of the *Christian Advocate, Zion's Herald,* WOBURN JOURNAL, Woburn *City Press,* Methodist Year Book, Discipline, the Bible, a book entitled "Sacred to the Uttermost;" Year Book of the Woburn M. E. Church, containing names of all the church members, probationers and officers of the church; a list of all the subscribers to the church fund and the amounts, a photographic view taken by Mr. G. F. Hartshorn, C. E., of the John Tidd house, which was raised and erected on this church site May 23, 1809; also a photographic view taken by Mr. Hartshorn, of the church foundations as they were July 10, 1890. On the back of this photograph are the names of Contractors Jacob M. Ellis and George W. Kimball and those of the workmen employed on the building.

After the box had been deposited, Rev. J. W. Lindsay, D. D., spread the mortar, and the stone was lowered to its position, while the Reverend gentleman repeated the usual dedicatory formular. Mr. Hubbard Copeland, Superintendent of the Sunday School, then presented to Rev. Mr. Lindsay the silver trowel he had used in the ceremony, and the exercises closed with a prayer, singing of the doxology and benediction by Rev. J. H. Mansfield. Among the prominent clergymen present from abroad were Bishop W. F. Mallalieu of New Orleans, Rev. L. B. Bates of East Boston, Rev. W. H. Meredith of Stoneham, Rev. J. H. Mansfield, Presiding Elder of the Lynn District; Rev. S. E. Breene of Cambridge, Rev. W. J. Pomfret of Medford, Rev. C. H. Hannaford of East Cambridge, Rev. N. B. Fiske of Hudson and Rev. Charles A. Merrill of Maynard, the last having been former pastors over this society.

A Competitive Examination.

City Clerk Moreland has kindly forwarded to the JOURNAL office the following circular which we publish for the benefit of our readers:

The Civil Service Commissioners of Massachusetts announce that there will be held, at an early date, a special competitive examination for the purpose of establishing an eligible list of stenographers and typewriters. All citizens who have resided in Massachusetts during the past year have a right to apply.

Blank applications can be obtained at the Commissioners' Office, No. 5 Pemberton Square, Boston, by any who ask for them, either in person or by letter.

The chief requirement in the examination will be expertness and accuracy in both stenography and typewriting.

(From Reading Chronicle.)

"For His Slurring Remarks."

The Waltham *Free Press* raps Editor Hobbs pretty severely for his slurring remarks about the Suburban Press Association on their recent Southern trip. The *Press* says: "For pure, unmitigated, unadulterated pig-headedness and conceit our very esteemed Woburn brother appears to take the cake. He loses no opportunity to assail an organization of which he knows absolutely nothing and seems to assume that the world revolves around Woburn and that the centre of the universe is in the JOURNAL office. He may be right, but our impression is that he is bilious."

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THE OLD ARMY COAT.

BY JOHN L. PARKER.

I wore this old blue coat, my boy,
Way back in sixty-two;
We marched up the Peninsula
When it was bright and new;
'Twas with me on the picket line,
Kept cold and damp away;
How well I loved this friend of mine,
My comrade night and day.

The buttons represent six States,
Our old New England line;
Connecticut, and Rhody small;
See Massachusetts shine;
New Hampshire here, and there Vermont,
With Maine and her pine tree;
Each one recalls a Yankee friend
Who kindly swapped with me.

Near Yorktown it was soiled with mud
While I used spade and pick;
At Gaines's Mills 'twas stained with blood
Where deadly blows were thick.
This rent was by a rebel made,
His shot just missed the goal,
And though the bullet got away,
You see, I saved the hole.

In Libby Prison this old coat
Served for my only bed;
It carpeted my bit of floor
And pillowed there my head.
It was my friend when friends were few,
My backer through the strife,
And though it is no longer new,
I'll cherish it for life.

So lay the old coat by with care,
Preserve it for the past;
Remember those who used to wear
This loyal color fast,
And should the day ere come again
For patriots to be true,
Stand up, my boy, as they did then
Who wore the loyal blue.

LYNN, June, 1890.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

METHODIST—Preaching by Rev. A. M. Osgood at 10.30 a. m.

CONGREGATIONAL—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Prelude: "The Battle of Life." Sermon: "The Girdle of Truth." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

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Married.

In Winchester, July 2, by Rev. Mr. Watson of Arlington, Frederick A. P. Fisk, Esq., of Somerville, and Harriet Lydia, daughter of Asa Locke, Esq., of Winchester.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, July 9, David Clancy, aged 52 years.
In this city, July 9, Julia A. McDermott, aged 29 years, 11 months, 14 days.
In this city, July 14, Frank Donaldson, aged 9 months.

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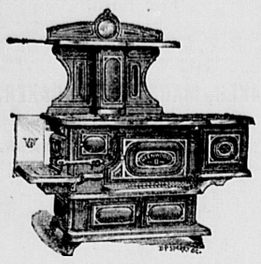

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National Encampment.

Chairman Goodale of the Executive Committee of the G. A. R. encampment has sent a letter to Secretary Tracy, asking him, in accordance with a vote of the committee, to detail the navel fleet, now cruising in eastern waters, to be present in Boston harbor on or before Aug. 11, and remain there during the session of the encampment, and that at the time the Grand Army begins its march through the streets of Boston the commanding officer of the fleet be authorized to fire a salute.

American genius has given to us the mowing machine, liver pad and wire bustle, and last but not least Brussels, the economical soap.

Sunday School Picnic.

As the "All er bored" of the Conductor sounded last Thursday morning more than one teacher responded with an internal "and worried too" as they contemplated the introduction that was sure to occur between the youthful picknickers and the smoking Ichthyosaurus of Haggett's Pond.

Three hundred anticipative appetites marched from the station to the grove, and no sooner there than the great feature of the day, the long contemplated Orthodox-Baptist Base Ball game was announced to occur within the hour at the ball grounds, and thither the muscle, and the beauty, and the lungs of the party went.

Capt. Lounsbury of the Orthodox, and Capt. Blodgett of the Baptist, marshaled their men, the former winning the toss took the field.

While pitcher Lounsbury is adjusting his glasses and giving another hitch to his knickerbockers, preparatory to unwinding the ball, let us look a moment at some of the contestants:

Foremost among these was the Umpire, or rather the Umpires. Perhaps we may best describe them as the ordinary Picnic Umpire—they may have seen baseball played before. Who is that young man out in the field assuming the nonchalance of the profession? That is Crosby of Innitou Canoe Club fame. He handles a bat as he would a paddle. That man at the bat is Buss and being a twirler himself he thinks he knows how to do it: fourteen runs by the Orthodox off from his delivery in the first inning did not shatter his belief in himself.

The military man who is alleged to be keeping the score is one Conn.

The game begins; bases on balls follow base hits until five runs are made and yet the scholarly left handed pitcher, with a patience born of much defeat in Tennis, never lost his grip, and the third man was finally put out.

Who did you say these two Baptist outfielders were? Lamb and son. Can they play ball? Just watch 'em. That silent man at short stop is Blodgett.

We don't know just how many hits were made in the first Orthodox inning; sufficient to say they scored fourteen runs therein, and he of the sash pitching good ball thereafter, the score stood at the finish, with 4 innings for Orthodox and five for Baptists, 22 to 11 in favor of the former.

We need not dwell further on the game but can say with Macaulay "The place was worthy of such a trial," the game and the grounds being very rocky.

What remained of the muscle and lungs, and all the beauty, went from the ball field to the boats and the groves and all returning on the special train agreed that as picnics go it was a good one, no accidents nor misfortunes attending it.—X.

"Have you washed your feet?" You think this is a queer question to ask, but it is one that many Mammas have got in the habit of asking the boys and girls as "Have you washed your hands?"

And Why? Because it has been almost impossible to get Stockings that would'nt crock and fade.

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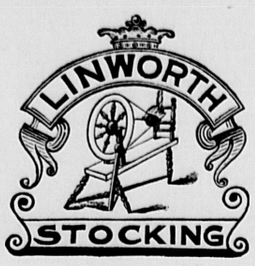

ings Worth much more than many so called "Fast Blacks," which will please the Mammas and the boys and girls as well, and not cost any more. Sizes to fit everybody from baby to grandmamma.

Pearline has its place but it will not have to be used to wash-out the stains left by the "LINWORTH."

C. Willard Smith

THE SCORE, ETC.

About three hundred old and young participated in the picnic at Haggett's Pond, Andover, on Thursday of last week, held under the auspices of the Congregational and the Baptist Sunday Schools. The management was in charge of a committee consisting of Mr. F. J. Brown, W. E. Blodgett and W. W. Crosby, and everyone seemed pleased with the way the affair was managed. The day was all that could be desired and one long to be remembered by those who attended.

An interesting part of the day's sport was the ball game between nines from the Congregational and the Baptist Sunday Schools. The game was marked by light batting and loose fielding on the part of the Baptists and stronger batting with sharp fielding by their opponents. The following is the official score:

CONGREGATIONAL.

	A.B.	R.	P.O.	A.	E.
Lounsbury, p.,	3	4	1	11	1
Dimick, c.,	4	4	8	1	2
Foster, lb.,	4	1	7	0	1
Crosby, 3b.,	4	1	2	4	1
Dow, 2.,	3	2	0	0	1
Murdock, ss.,	3	3	0	0	0
Buck, lf.,	1	1	0	0	0
Ellard, lf.,	2	2	0	0	0
Skinner, cf.,	3	2	0	0	0
Shaw, rf.,	2	3	0	0	1
	29	22	15	13	6

BAPTIST.

	A.B.	R.	P.O.	A.	E.
Buss, p.,	4	2	1	2	4
Duncan, lf.,	1	0	0	0	0
Greenleaf, lb., p.,	2	2	2	1	2
Barrett, c., lb.,	4	2	3	1	2
Fresh, c.,	1	1	2	1	1
McLean, c.,	2	0	0	1	4
Blodgett, ss.,	3	3	1	1	3
Merrill, 3b.,	3	1	2	2	2
C. Lamb, cf.,	3	0	0	0	0
F. Lamb, rf.,	3	0	0	0	0
Campbell, 2b., p.,	2	0	1	3	3
	28	11	12	11	22

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	
Congregational,	13	3	2	4		—22
Baptist,	5	0	0	2	4	—11

Two-base hits—Foster, Murdock, C. Lamb. Three-base hits—Dow, Foster, Merrill, Barrett. Double play—Crosby and Foster. Bases on balls—Lounsbury, 5; Buss, 6; Greenleaf, 2; Campbell, 2. Struck out by Buss, 2; Campbell, 3; Lounsbury, 8. Umpires—Parker, Rogers, Buck. Scorer—H. N. Conn.—OFFICIAL REPORTER.

Didn't Suit the Democrats.

Mr. Lodge signalized his return to Massachusetts by joining in the celebration at Winchester on Friday and delivered a patriotic speech.—*Lynn Item.* Lodge never loses an opportunity to wag that pharisaical tongue of his.—*Lowell Times.*

Of course the Democratic *Times* did not like the speech made by Mr. Lodge at Winchester. It was too patriotic to suit this defender of the crimes the Elections bill is intended to punish. But Mr. Lodge will keep right on, and the bill will become a law.—*Lynn Item.*

Mr. Lodge's Winchester 4th of July speech received unstinted praise from all quarters. It was of the very best quality and commanded the undivided attention of all who heard it. But it is not to be expected that a Bourbon newspaper can see anything to commend in the speech of a Republican, particularly in one of Congressman Lodge's.

Kitchen Economy.

Very few articles of human consumption have received such emphatic endorsements from the highest authorities as the Royal Baking Powder. Prof. B. F. Davenport, one of the Massachusetts state analysts, says: "I have found the Royal Baking Powder to be composed of pure and wholesome materials and to be properly combined for the purpose for which it is to be used." Prof. F. L. Bartlett, Maine State Assayer, says he has "examined it and found no injurious substance nor any adulteration, the materials were pure and the proportions quite accurate."

Wilmington.

Mr. Wm. J. S. Marsh has completed his store on Main street near the depot and will open it to the public on Satnrday, 19th., with dry and fancy goods and groceries. His butter will come from Crosby Brothers, Quincy Market. The Postoffice will be moved into the store on that date with H. N. Ames, Postmaster, and Wm. J. S. Marsh, Assistant. Mrs. J. G. Marsh will take charge of the dry and fancy goods. The store was built by H. E. Morehouse of Wilmington and is a credit to him and the public. Mr. Marsh has built many houses and has done a great deal to build up the town.

The summer boarders are flocking to Silver Lake for the season.—W. F. C.

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the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

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On Foot Through Arlington.

A tour through the charming suburbs of Boston is better enjoyed from a seat on "Shanks Mare" than by any other method of travel. One by carriage, horseback or 'cycle, necessitates too much mounting and dismounting to make either an agreeable mode of locomotion, but a foot tramp through the streets and lanes of fair towns lying adjacent to Boston in "leafy June" is a positive luxury, and a pastime too seldom indulged in by the busy, hustling denizen of the crowded metropolis. Except seaward pedestrian trips in any direction from the "Hub" are well calculated to afford enjoyment which cannot be easily obtained in any other way, and it is a matter of surprise that so few comparatively of city people avail themselves of the pleasure that such trips afford.

Among the suburbs of Boston no one possesses more or stronger attractions for the tramp in search of pleasing sights than Arlington. It offers rewards for a visit such as few other towns have it in their power to give. There is no more beautiful scenery, whether of wood, hillside, fields or water, to be found in all Boston's delightful environs than within the limits of Arlington, and he who, with lunch and pipe and a plenty of leisure, spends the summer day among them is not only well repaid with present happiness, but stores up in memory's vaults things that will be agreeable to recollect and dwell upon in future years.

Arlington has been fickle in her names, but in other respects no town in Middlesex county has been more conservative, staid, or tenacious of ancient landmarks than she. First, Menotomy, then West Cambridge, now Arlington—the first the best of all—all three she has answered to since her evolution from a Cambridge Parish away back in ante-Revolutionary days, but whether to this, that or the other, in her case, as always, it has been found that a rose by any other name smells just as sweet.

It does not matter from which side Arlington is entered by the tourist, he will be sure to like it and soon realize that he has made no mistake in selecting the scene for his holiday outing. It is only five or six miles north of the State House, half that distance from "Fair Harvard," and 20 or 30 minutes drive south from Lexington Common, the spot on which the Revolutionary War began. If the pedestrian enters the lower part of the village, (50 years ago and previously called the "middle o' the town") via North Avenue, the first thing that will be likely to attract his attention and command his admiration will be the beautiful shaft (standing on the site of the old "Fowle store") erected in memory of the brave men who laid down their lives on Southern battlefields in defense of our country. The monument is a noble tribute to the memory of Arlington's heroes in the Great Rebellion. This shaft stands near the old "Whittemore House" which was a flourishing tavern in early times and was noted miles around for the superior quality of its flip and abundance of its larder. If the walls of that old building could speak they might "a tale unfold" of balls, routs, and roysterings that would put to blush things of that sort in these latter days. Nearly a mile farther up towards Lexington, on what used to be called "High street," stands "Tufts' Tavern," a quaint old hostelry, older than the "Whittemore," a great place half a century ago for "prop" playing and "eggnog."

A tramp through the town without a prolonged visit to "Arlington Heights" would be a grave mistake on the part of the tourist. Leaving the main street—as level and smooth as a house floor—near "the foot of the rocks" the ascent to the "Heights" is begun. But perhaps the pedestrian will conclude to sit down under the umbrageous trees near at hand and take a bite from his wallet and a sip of the pure, sweet water he will find there, before essaying the steep rise that lies before him, and in doing so he is wise. A sturdy, leg-wearying pull and the summit of the "Heights" is reached. He instantly forgets the fatigue which the achievement has cost, for spread out before him is a panorama of beauty unequalled by that from any view-point in the vicinity of Boston.

As he stands faced Capitol-ward, turning to the left, he sees many cities and towns—the two Medfords, the many villaged Malden, Everett, and beyond these the ocean; a point to the right and his eye falls on Chelsea, Winthrop, East Boston, Charlestown, Boston Harbor, with its many islands and innumerable sails, the Mystic and the Charles; in front is the "hub" dominated by the Capitol with its golden crown, its church spires, vast blocks of brick and stone, the Common like an emerald gem set in the midst; beyond, old Dorchester Heights, come into view, the Blue Hills of Milton, the gardens, groves and palatial homes of Boston's nabobs in Brookline are all seen. Still further round are Brighton, Watertown, Belmont—and here the panorama ends right at the base of the eminence on which he stands, with Spy Pond, a lovely sheet of water, close at its feet. All these towns and cities included in the wide expanse swept by the eye blend and melt into each other so completely that they seem to be one vast city.

Having feasted his vision on this beautiful picture the traveler descends by a precipitous lane on the other side of the "Heights" to the main street which is lined on both sides with the handsome residences of prosperous citizens, sandwiched with trim cottages, and now and then a square, severely plain "old Continental" in which lived and flourished some of the earlier settlers of the quiet, beautiful town. Side streets at frequent intervals run out into adjacent territory that fifty years ago was fields, pastures and orchards. These too boast of their pleasant homes.

Arlington abounds in history of the Revolutionary period. Swinging slowly along the eye of the pedestrian falls on many white marble tablets by the wayside, and halting to scan their inscriptions he finds they mark the spots where patriotic citizens were slain by British soldiers, and where the soldiers in turn were made to bite the dust by well directed Yankee bullets, on the memorable 19th of April, 1775, when the English army at Boston undertook to seize the powder stored in the Concord meetinghouse and were heroically driven back in a rout to their barracks across the Charles. Thanks to Yankee pluck and good fighting qualities the "red coats" suffered severely on that historic occasion and many of them were killed. These tablets show where patriots who were engaged in that gallant defense of their homes and liberties fell as well as many of King George's soldiery sent on that day to teach the "rebels" submission to his royal will and mandate. Although the thermometers registered "90 in the shade," that 19th of April was a "cold day" for the British army in Boston, or at least for that part of it which was so gallantly met by the Minutemen of Menotomy, Lexington and Concord and driven back to where they came from, leaving many dead and dying along the route of their rapid and ignominious retreat.

A small, neat Common, with the Unitarian meetinghouse on one edge of it, the Whittemore mansion on another, with a very ancient graveyard for a background, is an inviting spot to linger awhile on if the pedestrian when he reaches it is disposed to give himself a bit of rest before finishing his tour of observation. This long disused cemetery contains many tombstones and slabs uniquely phrased and patterned which tell of the virtues of the original settlers whose remains were deposited in its consecrated soil. About 1843 a new one was set apart and dedicated in a lovely vale on the Medford road, pious parson Damon of the Unitarian church being the first to occupy it permanently, as he suggested in his dedicatory sermon might possibly be the case.

Pleasant street is the "swell" thoroughfare of this delightful old town. Located on it are some of the finest mansions in the suburbs of Boston. Many of them are the abode of wealth and refinement and the broad lawns by which they are surrounded are not unfrequently the scenes of great variety of summer evenings past times. Lawn sports are indulged on the velvety greensward by fair maidens and gallant youth, while elderly members of the household are content to sit or recline on the verandahs, stoops and balconies of the handsome homes, sip their cool drinks, ply their fans, and watch the young people at their games.

Conspicuous among these rows of elegant mansions which adorn both sides of Pleasant street, some of them climbing up and occupying airy perches in the abrupt declivities of the "Heights," is that of Governor Brackett of this Commonwealth. It is a large, roomy place facing Spy Pond and the "Gilded Dome" beneath which is the Chief Executive's Chair which Gov. Brackett so admirably fills. It is not a palace that he has built for himself here, but it has a homelike look and substantial qualities which compart well with the true democratic principles and institutions of which Mr. Brackett is such an able and conscientious exponent.

Further along is the home of one of the best known and most popular story writers and poets in the land, Mr. J. T. Trowbridge. His modest cottage near the margin of the Pond was pointed out to the tramp, and another house away up on the other side of the road was declared to be, by the quite communicative and pleasant faced old resident, as the place where Howells, another novelist, poet, and editor, used to live.

A leisurely stroll around Spy Pond, a charming bit of water fringed by green glades and stately elms, and an inspection of the great market gardens, may profitably consume an hour or two of the day's outing, and there are many spots of interest and stretches of natural landscape and some old buildings, that deserve particular mention and would get it had the writer space allowed for this article. The tourist in his rambles will meet with rather an unusual number of specimens of the typical Yankee, including the rasping nasal twang, the twisting of o in cow to a o, thus, caow, et cetera, which specimens seem to have been kept over for seed, and they are worth studying as prehistoric curiosities. One of them, more dried and wrinkled than common, and whose nasal musical performances had something like a metalic ring to them, showed the writer where "Love Lane" used to be and indulged in glowing reminiscences concerning it and the youth and beauty always to be met in it on summer evenings when he was a frisky lad. Frisky lad! Possible that that specimen of a nearly extinct race was ever a light-hearted, gay, frisky lad!

But the sun is sinking to rest in a blaze of gold and purple glory beyond the western hills, and the tramp's propellers are beginning to yield slightly to their load of tired humanity, which means home—home while the day's pleasures remain but half exhausted, and many of the beauties of the fair town of Arlington remain to be enjoyed on some future pedestrian tour.

Library Notes.

On July 21st the Public Library will be closed for two weeks for the annual vacation. Books may be taken out to be retained during that time. Of those recent and popular will be found "Shadow of a Dream" by W. D. Howells. This story is laid in a Western city. The dream is repeated night after night and the shadow of it darkens the innocent lives of two persons long after the dreamer has passed from earth. "Begum's Daughter" by Edwin Bynner is a historical novel of the interesting epoch of old Knickerbocker life in New York and is a vivid presentation of the political conflicts of the period when the great metropolis was a Dutch city.

"Lucie's Mistake" is a picture of German social life, written by a German woman, but is translated by an American into good English. Here we find in its perfection the German conception of the nature, capacity and sphere of woman. "Joost Avelingh" by M. Maartens is a story well worth reading. As Dutch scenes and characters are less known to American readers than French or German, the picture of family life and the glimpses of Dutch politics are entertaining and pleasing. A high moral purpose gives an elevated tone to the work rather uncommon in ordinary novels. "A Daughter of Silence" by Elgar Fawcett, and "Miss Brooks" by Eliza Orne White, where Boston life with its fads and foibles is pleasantly portrayed. Considerable amusement may be gained by the books of Jim K. Jerome, "Three men in a Boat," "Stage Land," and the "Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow."

"Bright Skies and Dark Shadows" by Henry M. Field. A book from Mr. Field is always welcome for he travels with his eyes employed and his thoughts busy. Going to Florida for a winter vacation he finds rest in change of scene and study. Under the beautiful trees, and out of the palms and orange groves he recognizes the race problem, "the greatest that ever touched a nations life." He describes New England in the South, Lookout Mountain, the historic battlefield of Murfreesboro "which tells its story silently on thirty thousand graves."

It was Lord Beaconsfield who said "the two greatest events in history were the Siege of Troy and the French Revolution," and so we are glad to offer to our readers such a work as Justin McCarthy in the French Revolution, written in a style graceful and forcible, clear and concise,—a style of which Mr. McCarthy is an acknowledged master. The causes of the revolution are treated from the time of Louis XIV., and the first volume closes with the destruction of the Bastile. To supplement this we would recommend the Life of Marie Antoinette just published in an attractive form by Scribner's Sons. Marie Antoinette stands before the reader as the only person by the side of King Louis XVI, as the sorrowing mother, and the victim of the necklace conspiracy. All the scenes in which the Queen appeared before her people and her friends are vividly portrayed. "The Wife of the First Consul" and the "Happy days of the Empress Marie Louise," are also books that we would urge upon the attention of our young readers whose minds are active from the study of the year and who recently have become acquainted with many historical facts. We believe that education in the highest sense and for the highest services of the world is not a matter of schools and teachers, text-books and talks. True it is that all these aid in mental development and cannot be dispensed with but still the largest part of a persons culture is left to himself in the right choice of reading and the atmospheres of thought and feeling by which one surrounds himself, as we have seen illustrated the past week in the case of Miss Clark who captured the prize of $600.00 offered by the *Boston Herald* for the best English prose composition. Her course in English literature had not been unlike the training of the other 220 graduates of the High Schools and Academies who competed for it, but from her childhood she had chosen wisely, through books, intercourse with superior minds, and made their style her style, and their thoughts hers by careful reading and thinking. All these boys and girls might have had a better knowledge of contemporary history and have been spared those fearful mistakes of fact and expression. True it is, knowledge does not "fall upon us like the gentle rain from heaven upon the place beneath" but is acquired only by stern persistant labor.—E. F. P.

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The smart trick played by the town of Winchester on the mother city of Woburn should warn other ancient municipalities to look out for conscienceless daughters. The old town of Woburn was settled in 1640 but did not arrive at the dignity of incorporation until 1642. Winchester seceded in 1850. Woburn has been preparing for a big demonstration in 1892, but some of the smart Winchesterians conceived the id a of cutting the old lady out, and so they got up a 250th anniversary of the settlement. Considerable bitterness was occasioned by the division of the town in 1850, but it had worn away in the years that have followed. The action of Winchester has revived it, and the relations between the old and the new towns are considerably strained. Woburn must now brace up and show in 1892 what a real municipal anniversary ought to be; one which shall make the preliminary celebration of Friday seem quite insignificant.—*Lynn Item*

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Mr. and Mrs. Abijah Thompson are at East End Hotel, Hull.

Grace Amsly and Mabel L. Parker are at Monument Beach House.

Mr. Wood and family are occupying Watersedge Villa at Little Boars Head.

Mrs. Frank Cutting and children are at Montreal and will remain there until fall.

M. Papin and wife and Ruth and May Papin are at Brant Rock, Marshfield.

Miss Hurd is at Wiona Beach and so also are W. K. Blodgett, wife and children.

Mr. H. F. Nurse is doing a large real estate and insurance business here and in Boston.

Mrs. M. H. Dutch, Herbert, Charlie and Morjorie Dutch are at Mountain View House, Meredith, N. H.

Charlie Lunt did as much towards the success of the 4th of July celebration as anybody. He knows how and isn't afraid to work.

Rev. Dr. Witham of Chicago, formerly pastor of the Park St. church in Boston, was visiting Mr. George Gilbert and family last week.

The bottom of the 4th of July money chest has been reached and scraped bare, and yet dollars and dollars are lacking to pay the 4th of July bills.

Rev. D. Augustine Newton of Winchester, who preached Sunday morning and evening at the Evangelical church, is a favorite in Westboro, the home of his boyhood.—*Westboro Corr. of Milford Journal.*

It looks as though the town would have to make an appropriation to pay for our fun on the 4th. There isn't money enough to settle the bills, and private purses are not flying open very much to pay them.

Eddie Holt who was thown from a carriage and quite severely injured week before last will soon be O K again. He was to have been one of the Chief Marshal's Aids on the 4th, but the serious accident prevented it.

Flowers for the North End poor of Boston will be duly forwarded every Tuesday if left at Dr. Geo. P. Brown's drugstore before 9 o'clock on that day. The Congregational church has the charge of the business and Dr. Brown generously offers to let his drugstore be used as a depot for the flowers.

The County Commissioners have estimated the land damages sustained by the widening of Washington street, between Pleasant and Main streets as follows:—Estate of F. Johnson, $85; H. W. York, $70; J. C. Stanton, $150; W. Johnson, $110; Otis Wetherbee, $65; G. P. Brown, $75; G. F. Parker, $35; Mrs. S. Cushing, $65; Mrs. C. A. Joy, $75; Mrs. C. V. Rice, $200; Joel Whitney, $25; L. A. Bruce, $300; Chas. E. Kendall, $200; A. Cutting, $25. Total $1480.

The residence and grounds of Mr. John Maxwell presented a brilliant and beautiful appearance on last Tuesday evening. The scene was quite an enchanting one and the people present enjoyed it very much indeed. Chinese lanterns and other illuminations were not the only contributors to it, for fine music lent its charms to make the affair a perfectly delightful one. The Winchester Band gave an admirable concert on the smoothly shaven lawn adjoining the handsome residence of Mr. Maxwell which was highly appreciated by the family and a number of friends who were their guests. The musical selections were excellent, and the execution of them was worthy of all praise. Hospitable Mistress Maxwell and her fair daughters did the handsome thing by the Band and the guests. An elegant collation was spread on the brilliantly illuminated lawn, and delicious creams, confections, fruits, fragrant bohea, mocha, lemonade and other palatable drinks contributed to the pleasure of the occasion. The Maxwell ladies know just how such things should be done. They have taste in matters of entertaining company, and, not allowing expense to stand in the way of success, their treats of the character above described are always exceedingly delightful affairs. The company there on Tuesday evening enjoyed the concert, the collation, and the illumination very much indeed, and not any less the pleasing company of Madame Maxwell and her bright and lively daughters. To ease up Mr. Maxwell's feelings I would state that in an affair of this kind the "men folks around the house" don't count.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Nathan G. Green to Edward B. Ryder dated December 15th, 1884, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (So. Dist.) Libro 1092, Folio 338, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of August, 1890, at five o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A lot of land situated in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot marked "M" on a plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's purchase recorded in Book of Plans 2, Plan 29, in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Central street, eighty-five feet; northerly by lot marked "O" on said plan, two hundred fet; Easterly by lot marked "U" on said plan, eighty-five feet; and southerly by lot marked "K" on said plan, two hundred feet; containing seventeen thousand square feet of land.

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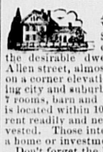

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25. "And there went great multitudes with Him." Such a teacher and worker of miracles would naturally have a great following; some from curiosity, some because of the loaves and fishes, some because of His miracles of healing, some because they really enjoyed His teaching even if they did not put it in practice; but O how few followed Him as true disciples, accepting Him as Israel's Messiah and joining themselves to Him for life or death till the Kingdom come. Even of those who professed to be His disciples we read that after a certain discourse "many of His disciples went back, and walked no more with Him" (John vi, 66). And of the twelve chosen out of all the rest, one possessed by the devil sold Him for thirty pieces of silver, and in the time of His sore trial all forsook Him and fled (Matt. xxvi, 15, 56). Knowing the hearts of all men, and reading easily the inward purpose of every one of this great multitude, He turned and said unto them:

26. "If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple." It was written in the law that if any one hated his neighbor unto death the cities of refuge were to give no refuge to him (Deut. xix, 11-13); and the Spirit through John writes that "Whosoever hateth his brother is a murderer;" and that "If a man say, I love God, and hateth his brother, he is a liar" (I John iii, 15; iv, 20). Yet here are the Lord's own words to the effect that we cannot be His disciples unless we hate even father and mother, wife and children. The explanation is found in the fact that the word "hate" is sometimes used to signify "loving less." It is written that Jacob loved Rachel more than Leah (Gen. xxix, 30), and in the very next verse this is called hating Leah.

27. "And whosoever doth not bear his cross and come after me, cannot be my disciple." The cross of Christ was that cruel instrument of death on which He died when he bore our sins and made peace for us (I Pet. ii, 24; Col. i, 20). Paul said that by it the world was crucified to him and he to the world (Gal. vi, 14). And on the four different occasions on which Jesus gave utterance to this saying (Matt. x, 38; xvi, 24; Mark x, 21; Luke xiv, 27), He seems to mean nothing less than death to all that is against Him. "We who live (i. e., true believers) are alway delivered unto death for Jesus' sake, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our mortal flesh" (II Cor. iv, 11). We are so selfish and unchristlike that we are apt to think every little trial a cross, and too often complain about our crosses.

28-30. "This man began to build, and was not able to finish." Such might be said of one who having laid the foundation was not able to complete the building, and therefore he might be made sport of for not counting the cost beforehand. Christ is not of this world, and His Kingdom is not of this world, therefore those who identify themselves with Him should consider well beforehand what it may possibly mean to be "not of the world" (John xviii, 36; xvii, 14, 16). A Christian is one who is given to Christ "out of the world," and then sent back "into the world" to stand in Christ's name against the world while seeking to rescue as many as possible from it (John xvii, 6, 18). If one confesses Christ before men as his Saviour, and identifies himself with a body of Christians, then continues just as much mixed up with the world and worldly ways as before, such an one has evidently not counted the cost, nor understands what it is to be a disciple of Christ. The Christian life consists of self renunciation, separateness from a world lying in the wicked one, patient endurance of trial, patient continuance in well doing, and a determination to know nothing but Jesus Christ crucified, risen, ascended and returning.

31, 32. "Or what king going to make war against another king, sitteth not down first and consulteth whether he be able," etc. In the previous illustration the disciple was looked at as a builder and his life a building; here he is compared to a warrior and his life a warfare. Jesus Himself is the great builder, He is the true Zerubbabel whose hands both laid the foundation of the house and shall also finish it (Zech. iv, 9). He is also a man of war, captain of the host of the Lord (Ex. xv, 3; Josh. v, 14), and He has considered well the cost and the ability necessary to build His kingdom on this earth and overcome and cast out the enemy. He saw the consummation and the way to it before He ever left the Glory which He had with the Father before the world was; and for the joy set before Him, He endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God (Heb. xii, 2), where He ever liveth to make intercession for us (Heb. vii, 25), while we continue the daily warfare waiting with Him for the time when the kingdom shall be His and ours. We do well to remember that we have a great adversary, and that to contend successfully with him we need to put on the whole armor of God (Eph. vi, 11). If we would receive the crown of righteousness, we must war a good warfare and fight the good fight of faith, and the great inspiration is the joy before us at His appearing (I Tim. i, 18; vi, 12-16; II Tim. iv, 7, 8). It is interesting to notice that the service of the Levites in connection with the Tabernacle, taking it down, setting it up, transferring it from place to place, not when and where they pleased, but only as God pleased and directed, is called "the warfare of the service of the tabernacle" (Num. viii, 24, 25, margin.)

33. "So likewise, whosoever he be of you that forsaketh not all that he hath, he cannot be my disciple." All that one has is summed up in the relations mentioned in verse 26; the nearest and dearest earthly friends, and then our own selves, our very life. How can one possibly forsake, or as in the R. V. renounce, all these so as to hold and love them not as our chief good, but only as minor things in comparison of Him whose disciples we profess to be? How can we learn to say with Paul: "Yeount all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord." In Paul's case it was brought about by a sight of the risen and ascended Jesus as his own personal Saviour, and as Israel's true Messiah to sit on David's throne and restore the kingdom to Israel at His Glorious appearing. This made Paul to live on earth as a citizen of Heaven, willing to bear anything in his body of humiliation while he waited for the glorious immortal body like unto Christ's (Phil. iii, 8, 20, 21). Paul was a master builder, and a master warrior; but in reference to his life and service, he says: "I live, yet not I, but Christ liveth in me;" and "I labored more abundantly than they all, yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me" (Gal. ii, 20; I Cor. xv, 10). Truly, he, like his great Master, renounced all that he had that he might glorify God. By the same grace of God we may do likewise if we will. A little light concerning the resurrection of the just, the marriage supper, and the Kingdom of God (vs. 14-19), will wonderfully draw us.

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My will is gone to sleep, dear,
And none but you can wake it;
My heart is in your keep, dear,
To hold, or drop, or break it.

The day without your eyes, dear,
To wake my interest in it,
Is dark and cold and drear, dear;
I never can begin it.

One day I hold most dear, sweet,
The day when first I met you;
One thing I see most clear, sweet,
I never can forget you.

My love and faith and trust, sweet,
Are more than I can tell you,
To test me is unjust, sweet,
Of doubt let this dispel you.

Since life is but a span, dear,
And love is all there's in it,
We'll try the simple plan, dear,
Of loving every minute.

—Chicago Herald.

Two Methods of Cleaning Pearls.

The susceptibility of pearls, even of the purest quality, to become yellow and smutty in color by absorbing perspiration from continued wearing in the hair, around the neck, on the arms, etc., or through exposure or age is well known, and though the major portion of our readers are familiar with some methods by which pearls so affected may have their original brilliant color restored, the following receipt will prove a useful addition to the workshop knowledge of many.

Boil the pearls for about fifteen minutes in fresh cow's milk, in which soap has been dissolved; then take them out, rinse them in clean water and dry with a clean white cloth. Inspect them to see if the desired results have been obtained; if not repeat the method several times. If they still have not been improved try the following: Have a neighboring baker make for you a small loaf of bread, in which before the loaf is baked lay the pearls, either strung upon a silk thread or closely wrapped in a piece of gauze; then let the bread be baked pretty thoroughly —not to brown, however. When the loaf is withdrawn from the oven let it cool, then break it and take out the pearls, which will generally be found satisfactory and handsomely white.—Jewelers' Circular.

Hester's Grandson.

Little Hester has grown up brothers and sisters and nephews and nieces who are older and bigger than she is herself. It has never occurred to her to be surprised at this; it is part of her world as she found it. She has not yet discovered that this state of things is somewhat unusual.

Not long ago one of her married sisters sent for Hester to come and see a new baby, and accordingly the child was taken by her nurse to visit this new relative. She looked at the baby in mingled astonishment and delight.

"Well, little sister," asked the baby's mother, "how do you like your new nephew?"

"Oh, I like him," the child answered earnestly; "but he can't be a nephew; he is too small. But perhaps," she added, upon second thought, "he is big enough to be a grandson."

And as "Hester's grandson" is the new baby known in the family.—Youth's Companion.

A Dog's Intuition.

An Auburn man thinks just twice as much of dog intelligence now as he did a week ago. He owned a dog and had tired of him and had agreed to transfer him to a friend who lives in the south part of the city. He took him in his arms, tied a rubber coat over his head and carried him down and delivered him. It was a long distance and he had no idea that the dog would ever show up again about his own premises. That night on reaching home the dog lay in his accustomed place on the rug, while the Auburn man's wife wore a curious smile of amusement. The conundrum in the family is: How does a dog know the way home? One thing is now quite certain—that the dog can stay where he is as long as he wants to. —Lewiston Journal.

Michael Angelo.

Michael Angelo's seal represented three rings inclosed one within the other, as expressive of the union which he had made in his mind of the three arts of painting, sculpture and architecture. Michael Angelo lived to a very great yet healthy old age. In the beginning of the Eighteenth century the Senator Buonarotti caused the vault to be opened at Florence in which his body was deposited. It was found perfect, and the dress of green veivet and even the cap and slippers in which he was buried were entire. He appeared to have been a small, well set man, with a countenance of great severity.—New York Ledger.

Forgot the Name.

Sue (who has just been asked to play something on the piano)—I really can't play anything.

Tommy—Say, Sue, why don't you play that piece you spoke to me about?

Sue—What piece?

Tommy—Why, that one you told me to ask you to play when we had company, 'cause you knew it better'n any of the others. I forget the name.—Yankee Blade.

For'ard.

"I am a great sailor now," wrote the sweet girl graduate, "and it's awfully easy to learn nautical terms. 'Aft' is the stern of the ship, and 'forehead' is the head of it. Isn't it simple?"—Harper's Bazar.

Simple and Safe.

"How to live on a thousand a year?" said Chappie. "That's easy enough. Blow it in the first week and then visit your rich uncle for the other fifty-one." —Epoch.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

The British government is preparing to establish extensive fortifications in western Australia, the Australian government to stand the cost of the works and the imperial government to furnish the armament.

The Shah of Persia is about to introduce some western light into his dominions. To this end he has commissioned his ambassador in Berlin to send engineers, technologists, and workmen to Persia, in order to provide the larger towns there with gas works.

A TWO SIDED BILL.

It Created a Tremendous Sensation in the Treasury Department.

There was received at the treasury department one of the most peculiar bank notes ever seen among the millions upon millions of currency notes printed by the government. It was a $20 note or a $10 note, just according to which side was up, for by some remarkable mistake the one side was printed with the figures and devices of a $20 bill, while the other had all the figures and devices of a $10 bill.

The note was returned to the treasury by the cashier of the First Washington National bank of Jersey City, who sent it with a rather sarcastic note, intimating that his bank was not going into the freak business, and added that as the treasury had counted that bill for $20 he would trouble them to send him an ordinary $20 note. The affair created a sensation, for no one had ever seen such a wonderful note before. The matter was referred to the department of issue, from which the note had been sent out to the Jersey City bank. The mistake was promptly corrected and an immediate investigation begun.

The investigation was prosecuted with vigor, and Gen. Meredith found the cause of the trouble. It seems that the four notes printed on a sheet are not all of one denomination. There are always three of one kind and the fourth of another; thus, in this case, three tens and a twenty. It was an easy task to learn just when this bundle had been printed, and by which plate printers. They were examined, and it developed that one sheet of four notes, after having been printed on one side, had fallen off the bundle to the floor. The assistant who picked it up by some unfortunate oversight turned the sheet upside down when she placed it on the bundle.

The rest is easily understood. This sheet was printed on the second side with a 20-face on the reverse of a ten, and one of the three 10-face on the reverse of the one 20 of the steel. Hence there were two "10 20s" in the lot. Thus the mistake was corrected. But no good explanation was offered, or can be offered, why these two bills, passing through a score of hands, each one of whom is supposed to examine every bill most carefully, should not have been discovered.

Every person in the bureau who handles a note is held responsible in the strictest way, and it is almost incredible that none of these people should have discovered the mistake. In the department of issue are not less than six counters, whose business it has been for years to count the notes before issuing them to the banks. They are considered the most expert counters in the world, and yet all six of these wonderful experts allowed such a bill to pass through their hands. No trace has been found of the second hybrid, so that it must be wandering around the country. The two notes will be kept in the treasurer's office as curiosities.—Baltimore Sun.

Experiment with Ropes and Wires.

Some interesting experiments have been made by a French engineer to ascertain definitely the strength, extensibility and elasticity of round and flat ropes of hemp and aloe, and of iron and steel wire. In these investigations there were employed a horizontal hydraulic press and weighing apparatus consisting of a steel yard and sliding weight by which tension of 130,000 pounds could be recorded, and for higher pressures a gauge on the body of the press was used. Specimens were fastened by winding each end on a grooved pulley of special construction, the usual length of the specimens being thirteen feet.

The result of all the tests gave for the average tensile strengths of ropes the following: White hemp, 10,500 to 11,200 pounds per square inch; tarred hemp, 7,700 to 8,400; white manila, 9,800 to 10,600; white aloes, 5,600 to 7,000; flat tarred hemp and manila, 7,800 to 8,400. A factor of safety of four, or even three in some cases, is considered a safe rope. A rope of unannealed wire has an ultimate strength of about 55,000 pounds per square inch of section of metal. When annealed the ultimate strength is reduced to about 45,000 pounds; but the elongation is nearly doubled, being nearly 12 to 15 per cent. in annealed wire. The best wire ropes for mining purposes have a much higher tensile strength.—New York Telegram.

Equal to the Occasion.

Boston Thief—I assure you my offense was but the result of a slight mental aberration occasioned by the gastric emotions that arose from my becoming cognizant of the existence of an unprotected aggregation of nutritive substances in my immediate vicinity.

Boston Cop—In that case I supplicate your pardon and trust you will not think too harshly of me for having abraded the epidermis of your pericranium by the sudden propulsion against it of my ligneous wand of office. —Town Topics.

Cyclamen Growing Rare.

The prefect of Savoy has recently prohibited the gathering of the cyclamen in the woods of his department. Notwithstanding its abundance in the locality this beautiful plant has been threatened with total extinction from the enormous numbers gathered each year for sale in the markets of Chambery and Aix-les-Bains. It is the old story; collectors are everywhere; and the edelweiss and possibly the primrose will soon become rare, if not extinct.—Exchange.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal cattarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will reach all the remote sores and ulcerated sufaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past obliges us to admit that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. The more distressing symptoms yield to it.

One of the married women judges at the Fenton (Mich.) fair entered several articles in her maiden name in the class of which she was judge and then awarded them the first prize.

All Broken Down.

Is it not sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said? Young man, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practised, keep good hours, retire early, and build up your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—Old Physician.

SANTA ANNA'S COACH.

A Mexican War Veteran Tells How He Assisted in Its Capture.

There are in Washington many interesting characters, some of whom, though they may not have held high positions, still have lived and done service with persons whose names are historic. When once in a talkative mood such persons as this can give very entertaining accounts of incidents that are now almost forgotten. Just such a character as this is Sergt. John Walters, now one of the watchmen at the state, war and navy department building under Capt. Tyson, of Arctic fame. Sergt. Walters served under Capt. (afterward Gen.) Sedgwick in the Mexican war, and was for many years the orderly at the headquarters of the army under Gen. Winfield Scott and was with him in Mexico. Sergt. Walters was born May 5, 1821, or, as he states, upon "the very day that great soldier, Napoleon Bonaparte, left this world I came into it." Sergt. Walters entered the army by enlisting in the Second regiment of artillery, then commanded by Col. Bankhead, Jan. 21, 1845, and with that regiment went to Mexico.

Before the siege of Vera Cruz he was detailed as an orderly at the headquarters of Gen. Scott. When the siege commenced he rejoined his company and was in charge of three mortars planted about a mile from the city. The landing was made in March, from the 9th to the 11th, and the little band of 12,500 men opened trenches, threw up breastworks and planted the mortars. Upon the city's refusal to surrender fire was opened, and on the 29th the garrison surrendered and the American troops entered the walls. According to Sergt. Walters, Gen. Scott seemed disappointed that the force promised him, 25,000 men, had not been sent, but nevertheless on April 11 he started out for the City of Mexico.

At the battle of Cerro Gordo, April 17, Sergt. Walters says that his company—Company H, Second artillery—were on the point of flanking the Mexicans when they spied the coach of Santa Anna in a gulch not far off. The coach had been left behind and the Mexican chief and some half dozen of his suite were seen nearly a mile distant riding rapidly on American horses. Duncan's battery opened fire on them, but the Mexicans made good their escape. The coach was what would now be regarded as an old fashioned hack, and the harness that was still fastened to it showed that the mules or horses had been cut loose in a hurry. In the carriage was found the wooden leg of Santa Anna and a number of boxes of gold and silver coin. This capture, says Sergt. Walters, was the foundation of the Soldiers' home. This money was very considerable, but he does not know just how much there was.

There was some controversy at the time as to whether the capture should be paid into the treasury, but Gen. Scott claimed that it belonged to the army. Consequently he turned it over to the quartermaster's department to be spent in providing a home in which old and wounded soldiers could spend the latter part of their days. To this sum was added the amount levied on the inhabitants of the City of Mexico on its surrender.

Mr. Walters says that when Gen. Scott returned to this city he sent for Gen. Wool and the two went out to the present location of the home and were shown over the place by Mr. Riggs. It was not, however, until they had sampled the iron water in the spring that they concluded that the location was the proper one, although they had already admired the views from the various sections of the grounds. "As far as I know," said the old sergeant, "I am the only man alive who participated in the capture of that coach. There may be others who were in the battle, but of company H, Second artillery, I do not know a single survivor."—Washington Star.

A Mean Kind of Thieving.

A lad named Miner Bender was arrested for stealing lithographs. This arrest was the revelation of a scheme that has been in practice for a long time, and has become extensive in its proportions. It seems there is a firm here which, on the plan of old Fagin, the Jew, in "Oliver Twist," employs lads to steal the lithographs from the shop windows where they have been placed as advertisements. It is only the pictures of the most prominent actors and actresses and those having well known plays that are coveted. When these small purloiners have secured a goodly supply and have undone, perhaps, the entire week's work of a theatre billboard man, they take them to this firm and receive a small compensation for the work they have performed, but nothing for the crime. This firm has a use for these pictures. They sell them at a profit to the managers of barn storming companies, to be used in small country towns. Thus are the people of these towns gulled by being made to believe that they are seeing the popular plays of the times enacted by famous actors. Thus it is that good plays and famous actors become underrated in rural communities.—Chicago Herald.

A Shameful Admission.

"Let fifteen of the best lawyers in this country draft a will," says a New York lawyer, "and if any of the dissatisfied heirs will put up $100,000 I will guarantee to see it broken. If the will itself contains no flaw I can prove undue influence or insanity, or find some other point in the armor. See how the wills of Vanderbilt, Stewart and Tilden went by the board."

The six bibles of the world are: the Koran of the Mahommedans, the Tri Pitikes of the Buddhists, the Five Kings of the Chinese, The Three Vedas of the Hindoos, the Zendavesta and the Scripture of the Christians.

Japan is a remarkably productive country. Its area is less than California, while its cultivated land is one-tenth of its acreage; yet its products support a population of 88,000,000.

Words cannot express the gratitude which people feel for the benefit done them by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Long standing cases of rheumatism yield to this remedy, when all others fail to give relief. This medicine thoroughly expels the poison from the blood.

A Paris company has been organized for working products derived from chestnuts, chiefly for the alcohol.

Street cars in St. Louis, Mo., are to be run by a water motor.

How "Idlewild" Was Named.

Idlewild, the home of N. P. Willis, on the Hudson, is almost as celebrated as Mount Vernon, where Washington lived so long. The way it came to receive its rather odd name is interesting. Mr. Willis loved the Hudson river and its beautiful and picturesque environs, and he spent much time searching for the spot he finally selected. It was a rough old farmer who sold him his property. The man tried to impress Mr. Willis with the value of the land for farming purposes, told him what it could be made to yield in a year and how much stone he had taken from it and underbrush he had burned, thinking this the most valuable information he could give him. But Mr. Willis was not at all interested in these matters. What he wanted was a fine view of the river and nature in all its loveliness. The cultivation of the land was precisely what he did not care about.

He wandered about the place with the farmer, undetermined whether to buy it or not, when they came to a splendid gorge, whose magnificent beauty satisfied all the longings of the poet and dreamer. He stopped and gave vent to a burst of enthusiasm and asked the farmer what he would take for that portion of his property. The man stared in amazement and evidently thought his customer was a madman; but eager to dispose of this uncultivated waste of land, as he thought it, he said: "That bit of idlewild! That is not good for much; you may have it for such a price," and he named a low figure. Mr. Willis bought the property on the spot, and decided at once that it should be called "Idlewild."—New York Press.

The Middle Initial.

A Chicago lawyer who makes a good many speeches said:

"I have made it a rule never to mention the middle initial of a man's name, if he has any, in my speeches. There is a hoodoo about the middle initial. I have known some mighty good men who were stranded, temporarily at least, on account of some speaker who in referring to such got the middle initial of the name wrong. The public catches the middle name of a public man very quickly and it soon becomes as familiar as the family name. And the speaker who gets the middle initial wrong in a speech not only gets the laugh on himself, but he makes the man whose name he thus mutilates look less prominent.

"The other day a Kentucky orator—McCord is his name—was making a speech in the Democratic caucus, and he referred to the late James G. Beck. The effort fell flat. A good speech was ruined. McCord will never hear the last of that bad break. For a Kentuckian not to know the middle initial of the name of a man like Beck is an unpardonable sin.

"I need only to refer to a similar incident that occurred in the Republican national convention in this city in 1880, when Mr. James F. Joy in his nomination speech spoke of Mr. James H. Blaine. Of course Mr. Blaine was too prominent to be affected by any break of this sort, but Joy never recovered from it.

"My advice to orators is: 'Steer clear of the middle initial.'"—Chicago Times.

Several Grewsome Inventions.

With a view of robbing the grave of its terrors somebody has patented a lining to conceal the mother earth. This lining consists of evergreen attached to cloth or matting. After the coffin is lowered the decoration can be pulled out and used again until the evergreen wears out or turns brown. The inventor proposes to bring the scenic effects within the reach of poorer people by having an imitation of evergreen painted on canvas for cheaper use.

Another of these funeral minded inventors has patented what he calls a "cab for pall bearers." The vehicle has side doors and will hold eight persons, two of whom, however, must ride backward. The design seems to be to save the expense of an extra carriage, at the same time encouraging sociability on the part of those performing the last sad offices.

And, as if this was not enough, another inventor has obtained letters on what he calls "a funeral carriage." He carries the coffin and the bearers, and if there are not too many mourners he accommodates the whole procession with one vehicle. The funeral carriage is built like an omnibus, with a compartment on top for the coffin. The inventor provides skids, an endless chain and a pulley for running the coffin up into the place intended for it over the heads of the bearers.—Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

An Incubus from Africa.

A gentleman who has brought an African boy from a place a thousand miles from the coast to London complained to the magistrate that the lad was insubordinate. He knew that he must not flog him or put him in irons, which might have been done in Africa or on board ship, and would have the desired effect, and in default of such a proceeding he wanted the magistrate to have him put in the cells for a few hours. Mr. Vaughan told the applicant that that would be false imprisonment; he could not help him in any way.—Public Opinion.

An instrument has recently been exhibited in London by which a photograph can be taken of drops of water in the course of their formation. It consists of a lantern and lenses, by which a water trough, the source of the drops, can be strongly illuminated, together with a lightning camera having a revolving dish with one perforation.

The coming season bids fair, from all reports, to be the greatest lace curtain season this country has ever known. The manufacturers abroad are making great preparations to meet the demands of the American market.

Every tissue of the body, every nerve, bone and muscle is made stronger and more healthy by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Many of the Paris dressmakers are reversing the late rule of fussiness round the feet, and contrive instead to give skirts a semi-peg-top outline by looking narrower round the feet than at the upper part.

Fifty-dollar dressmakers have adopted the French way of fitting a bodice —that is without cutting a dart in the material. The side gores are cut on the bias and the waist fits like original sin.

Electricity is now being made to operate machines for mining coal.

What Stronger Facts and Figures

RECOMMENDATION can a medicine have than the testimony of those whom it has cured? One such case is worth columns of puffery. We would request all who are afflicted with Blood Diseases to read the following:—

SALT-RHEUM.—Mrs. T. P. Cushing, 37 Suffolk st., Chelsea, Mass., writes: "For a long time I was troubled with salt-rheum. My hands would crack open, bleed, and itch terribly, causing great suffering. I tried almost every remedy I saw advertised, but received no benefit, until I took Ayer's Sarsaparilla, four bottles of which cured me."

CANKER.—Mrs. W. Gaige, Poultney, Vt., says: "I have suffered much from canker humors. At times, I was unable to eat or swallow solid food. Last spring I began the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and quickly found relief. After taking two bottles of this medicine I was cured."

RHEUMATISM.—E. F. Harris, Buckland, Mass., certifies: "Eight years ago I had so severe an attack of rheumatism that I could not move from the bed, or dress, without help. I tried many remedies, but received no relief until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which restored me to health."

CATARRH.—Seth Schreiver, Sag Harbor, N. Y., testifies: "My daughter suffered for years from an obstinate and offensive catarrh. Having heard Ayer's Sarsaparilla highly recommended, I resolved to try it. Before my daughter finished ten bottles she was entirely cured."

ERYSIPELAS.—Rev. S. J. Graham, Buckhannon, W. Va., writes: "Having been afflicted with erysipelas for nearly twenty years, I was at last induced by a friend to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I procured a bottle, which gave me relief before I had used half of it. I took three bottles, and have had no indication or symptom of the disease since."

BLEEDING PILES.—My wife has been more or less troubled with bleeding piles for thirty years. She tried many doctors and remedies, but obtained no relief until she began to take

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

This preparation has effected a cure."—A. C. Deats, Sheshequin, Pa.

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"I always recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla because I believe it to be the best blood-purifier in the market."—Joseph Myer, Jr., Elmira.

Pennsylvania.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla remains the favorite in spite of all competitors."—Hugo Andriesson, Druggist, Beaver.

West Virginia.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is very popular here."—J. H. Purdy, Cameron.

New Hampshire.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best preparation known for the cure of blood disorders."—J. W. White, Druggist, Nashua.

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New Jersey.—"We keep other kinds, but find Ayer's Sarsaparilla does more good."—Mullens & Son, Gloucester.

Virginia.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is very popular here."—Robert Lecky, Druggist, 724 Brook av., Richmond.

Texas.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is in greater demand here than any other similar preparation."—N. W. Lewis, Druggist, Manor.

North Carolina.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla sells better than any preparation of the kind, and gives better satisfaction."—R. J. Mitchell & Son, Oxford.

Ohio.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla sells better than all other blood-purifiers put together."—T. H. Armstrong, M. D. and Druggist, Powhatan.

Wisconsin.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla gives better satisfaction than any other."—V. Bardouski, Druggist, Milwaukee.

Florida.—"We can safely say that during the past ten years we have sold more of Ayer's Sar-

saparilla,

than of all others put together."—J. Otto & Son, Key West.

Price $1; six bottles, $5. Worth $5 a bottle.

A Vulgar Habit Rebuked.

Why will so many persons commit the unpardonable rudeness of addressing a person by his or her initial letter, as, for instance, "Mr. C." or "Mrs. S.?" It is as vulgar as a fishmonger's style. What can be more abominable than to hear a woman speak of her husband as "Mr. A.," as though he had been whittled down in her estimation until there is nothing left of him but a single letter? It is not very long since that what they call in the press of the far west "a shooting affair" occurred in Helena, Mont., the result of a prominent politician there addressing his hostess as "Mrs. B." A young Russian present resented what he considered an insult to his friend's wife, and promptly settled the matter in true western fashion.—*Exchange.*

Discoverer of Africa's Diamond Fields.

O'Reilly an old man, who is said to have been the first individual to unearth diamonds at Kimberly, South Africa, is quite poor, and obliged to work for his living. He was for many years a trader with the natives, and doing well, but the rush to the fields, he says, "ruined him." Since diamonds were discovered in South Africa, over $100,000,000 are said to have been exported.—*New York Observer.*

The Washington *Star* tells how he was betrayed: "They were trying hard not to look like a bride and groom, but an incident happened that gave them clean away. They stepped out of the Ebbitt House yesterday afternoon for a walk. The young man looked at the threatening sky and then, with the solicitude peculiar to young husbands, concluded that he had better raise his umbrella, and then his beloved would be protected when the rain did come. So he unfastened the band of his natty umbrella, gave it a little flirt and then raised it. About a pint of rice showered down on his head and scattered over the pavement. The spectators roared, the bride giggled nervously, and the young man beat a hasty retreat into the hotel to get the rice out of his hair."

An old Scotch lady who lived at considerable distance from the parish church was in the habit of driving over to the service. Her coachman, when he considered the sermon nearly at an end, would slip out quietly for the purpose of having the carriage ready by the time the service was concluded. One Sunday John returned to the church, and after hanging about the door for a considerable time grew impatient, and popping in his head, discovered the minister haranguing as hard as ever. Creeping down the aisle toward his mistress he whispered in her ear: "Is he no near done yet?" "Dune!" returned the old lady, in a high state of indignation, for her patience had long been exhausted; "he's dune half an hoor since, but he'll no stop."

An Eiffel tower may rise in Germany. The Bavarian government proposes to build one near Starenberg Lake, as a monument to Bismarck, and secondarily as an observatory.

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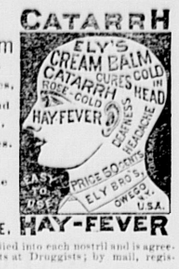

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.55, 11.09, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H., at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.04, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 10.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, A. M., 12.25, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.55, 9.50, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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53	Powle Street near Highland Station.
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62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
63	Junction Montvale Ave. and Union Street.
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67	Cor. Main and Kilby Streets.
68	Main Street opp. Catholic Chuach.
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The Woburn Journal

THE RUSSIAN BLOODHOUND.

In crossing the Strand, London, I dodged the pole of one vehicle just in time to be struck by the shafts of another, and, as the pavement was slippery, I went down, and the vehicle went over me, breaking my left leg below the knee. An hour later I was in my bachelor apartments (the work of the surgeon finished), and feeling that I ought to be thankful to have come off with my life. I was in for a siege of many weeks, and I had some business which must be attended to by an outsider. Therefore, after a day or two I sent for Captain Jack Williams, an old acquaintance. He answered promptly enough and we soon made very satisfactory arrangements. He was a bluff, honest fellow, out of active service, and having nothing to do, and the only unpleasant feature about his friendship was the fact of his owning a monster Russian bloodhound. The brute was his shadow. Where the dog could not go the Captain would not go. He refused all parties and receptions because of the dog. He refrained from excursions by land or sea because he would be temporarily separated from Czar, as he called the animal. The pair were well known in London, and the captain was safe at midnight in the slums as any other man would be in the Strand at noonday. One glance at the dog was enough to show that he was as dangerous as a tiger. He made no friends either among dogs or men, and had miraculously escaped a dozen well laid traps to bring about his death.

I hated Czar, and on two or three occasions I had reason to believe that the feeling was returned. When the Captain called and found me laid up, he had sense enough to know that the presence of the brute might annoy me, and he therefore shut him up in the servant's room for a few minutes. The dog was usually prompt in obedience. On this occasion he obeyed in a grudging, sulky manner, and before leaving the room threatened me so plainly that I became apprehensive. The Captain agreed that Czar should not enter my sick room again, and in a couple of weeks I had forgotten all about the incident.

I had apartments on the second floor, three rooms in a row, with a hall along the front of the last two. The first room was for my servant, a man who had been with me for many years. The next was the reception room, and the third my sleeping room. One coming down the hall could enter at the door of either room. The bedroom and reception room were connected, but the servant's room was entirely shut off. It was a hot day in August, with all doors and windows open. I was feeling pretty smart, although the pain was considerable, and a couple of my friends had just departed, after a brief call, when Henry, my servant came in to see what he could do for me. I was flat on my back, as you know, with no chance to turn over on account of the leg, but I had him prop me up with two or three pillows. I then sent him for ice. He had but a few steps to go, and the doors were left open behind him. He had been gone about five minutes when in walked Capt. Williams's Russian bloodhound. I shouldn't have said walked; on the contrary he came running in, head up, tongue out, and his eyes as red as live coals. I saw him the moment he entered, and it passed through my head that he was mad.

The door leading into the hall was open. Twice as the dog circled around the room he seemed on the point of going out, but each time changed his mind, whined in an uneasy way, and then continued his circling. He did not look for me, nor at me. It was a large room with the bed against the wall, and from the way the brute bumped against the chairs I believe he was nearly blind. He had been with me two or three minutes when the hall door was caught by a draught of wind and slowly pulled to. It did not quite shut. The dog noticed the movement, sprang to get out, and the result was that he pushed the door shut and snapped the spring lock. The door leading into the reception room was still open, but the door from that into the hall was shut. The animal rushed into this room, upset a chair and bumped the table, and then came back whining, his tail down and his courage gone, and slunk under my bed. That the dog was suffering with hydrophobia there could be no doubt. As he returned from the reception room there was foam on his jaws, and he was so weak he staggered.

Had I been a well man and fully armed my situation would have been bad enough. There I was, perfectly helpless, locked in with the brute, and knowing that it might be hours before death came to him. My servant had a key to the door and when he returned he would open it and walk in. There was not the slightest question but that the dog would attack him. I had two or three minutes in which to think, and it was wonderful how clear headed I was. I looked upon my own chances as hopeless, and therefore determined that when Henry returned I would call out to him before he got the door open. I was also concerned for fear the dog would get out of the building. It was a crowded neighborhood, and he might bite a score of people before he was destroyed.

It is said that the presence of a great danger sharpens the sense of hearing. I believe this to be true, for I have had several personal experiences. As I lay there waiting for my servant to return I plainly heard sounds which could not have come to my ears under ordinary circumstances. At the foot of the second flight of stairs, a distance of fully 70 feet from my bed, Henry was stopped by a young man who lodged on that floor. I heard him say:

"I was waiting here to tell you that Capt. William's brute of a dog passed up stairs a short time ago. Is the Captain there?"

"He was not there when I left."

"And he has not come in after the dog. The animal had a scaly look, and you had better be careful how you drive him out."

"Thank you, sir, I'll hurry right up."

I heard my man come up stairs and along the hall. As soon as he saw that my bedroom door was shut he seemed to suspect the worst, and he acted like a hero. He came down the hall on tiptoe, put his face close to the door, and sang out:

"Colonel, I know the big dog is in your room and I am going for help. If he comes near you shut your eyes and pretend to be dead."

The sound of his voice put the dog into a frenzy. He growled and snarled and snapped, and as the man hurried down the hall the beast rushed from under the bed with a dreadful howl and began rushing around the room as before. After making the circle of the bedroom four or five times, he dashed into the reception room. There he quite overturned the centre table, and in his fury he wrenched off a leg with his teeth and destroyed the upholstering of the sofa. I was terribly excited and had I given way to my feelings I should have screamed out like a woman. I shut my eyes tightly, braced my nerves by chiding myself for a coward, and when the climax came I was fairly ready for it. I knew that the dog would sooner or later turn to me, and as he left the reception room he was on the foot of the bed in two bounds. There was an open book lying there, and he seized and worried this for a moment. Then came walking up to my face, bearing his full weight on my broken leg, and giving me intense pain. My arms and hands were on the cover, and the foam from his mouth fell upon my bare flesh. He put both paws on my chest, and ran his nose over my face to snuff at me, and he was all the time snarling and whining in a way to take the nerve away from the stoutest man.

I don't know whether he would have bitten me or not, could I have remained quiet, but such a thing as holding my nerves steady for over a minute was utterly impossible. I was feeling that I must throw up my hands and scream out when the beast leaped off the bed. He had heard people in the hall. He run about the room whining and snarling, and all at once made a spring for the door of the reception room, which was being shut too by human hands. A space six or eight inches wide was left, and when the dog attempted to push his head into this, a couple of bullets were fired into him and he backed out to fall dead. Henry had summoned two policemen, and while the brute stood over me on the bed the faithful servant had entered the reception room and pushed the door as nearly shut as they wanted it, having believed that the dog would behave just as did. That Czar was suffering with hydrophobia none could doubt from his looks and conduct. Inside of twenty days two house dogs which he had snapped at as he came up went mad, and then there was no further question that I had had a close shave from a horrible death.—*New York Sun.*

(For the Journal.)

A Trip to Virginia City, Nevada.

Leaving the Union Pacific Railroad at Reno, 244 miles east of San Francisco, I took the 1.45 P. M. local train on the Virginia and Truckee for the greatest silver mining city in America, Virginia City. A ride of 11 miles and we arrive at Steamboat Springs, the most noted hot springs of western Nevada, so named by the first white men who visited them on account of the puffing sounds that some of them emitted and because of the tall columns of smoke and steam that some of them sent up. They are situated at the eastern base of a low range of hills and occupy the top of a flat ridge over a mile in length by a half mile in width. The temperature of the principal springs is said to be over 200 degrees which is about as hot as water can be made at a height of 5000 feet above the sea level. Some of the springs rise through circular openings of from 1 to 3 feet in diameter. Steam rises in great volumes from all these boiling springs, and the air is filled with a strong odor of sulphur; far down in the underground regions are heard loud surgings and lashings as if huge volumes of water were being dashed to and fro. In the morning when the air is cool and calm from 60 to 80 pillars of steam may be counted rising to the height of a hundred feet or more above the low bare ridge. At the springs is a fine commodious hotel, bath houses for vapour baths and every accommodation desirable. The springs are very beneficial to persons afflicted with rheumatism and also useful in many other cases.

A few miles further on we pass Frankfort, a small mining village of perhaps 300 people. Another half hours ride and we reach Nevada's Capital, Carson City, where I stop for a day to "take in the town."

Carson City, the capital of Nevada and County seat of Omsby County, was founded by Major Omsby in 1858. It is beautifully laid out on the plains of Eagle Valley, east of the high timbered hills, forming the eastern base of the main ridge of the Sierra Nevada mountains. It now has a population of about 5000. It derives its main support from the fine farming country by which it is surrounded. Probably it contains more costly public buildings than any city of thrice its size in the Union. There are two daily papers, "The Appeal," owned and edited by the world renowned Sam Davis, whose serio-comic writings are copied by the leading papers all over the country. I called upon "Sam" during my stay in Carson. Mistaking me for a book agent he at first met me with an exceedingly cold glitter in his eye, but on my solemn declaration that I was simply a New England Yankee and that my visit was of a purely social nature, he relaxed into his usual good humor and I passed an hour very pleasantly with him. Mr. Davis is a power in Nevada politics and like the WOBURN JOURNAL, the *Appeal* is the *Herald* of the "Grand Old Party."

Resuming my journey the next morning at 10.20 we first reach Mound House, a small mining town of no considerable importance; 9 miles further on we reach Gold Hill where silver was first found. There were houses and settlers in Gold Hill long before Virginia City was settled. There the great Comstock lode was first struck by an old Virginian miner, John Bishop by name, who was prospecting for placer mines. The town is 6000 feet above the level of the sea. Being walled in, east and west, by hills it is always several degrees warmer than at Virginia City which is a thousand feet further up on the mountain side. The first mines were struck in sinking an air shaft for the Comstock mine; much gold was taken from the top of the shaft, and further down it yielded many millions of silver and many millions have been and are now being taken from the veins beneath the foundations of the town. Under the town are many famous mines among which are the Crown Point, Belcher, Yellow Jacket, and others many of which are known undoubtedly to the luckless Eastern stock dabblers who, to put it mildly, have erred in judgment in making their deals. Conspicuous among the private residences is that of Senator Jones. During the prosperous times of '78 the town contained a population of 8000; now there is less than half that number.

We now arrive at Virginia City situated on the eastern face of Mount Davidson, a rocky treeless mountain 7775 feet above the sea level and 1000 feet from the summit lies Virginia City. The town was first settled in 1859. It was first called Ophir, then Pleasant Hill, and finally Mt. Pleasant Point. Late in October of '59 James Fennimore, known among the miners as "Old Virginia;" was in town one evening having a little roundup with the boys when he fell and broke his whiskey bottle against a rock. Picking up the bottom of the bottle in which remained a small quaintity of the precious liquid he solemnly poured it upon the ground and exclaimed: "Boys, I christen this camp 'Virginia,'" and called upon those present to witness that he had christened in "due form" the town in honor of himself and his native State. Being a favorite with the boys they unanimously declared that Virginia it should be, but the town growing rapidly "City" was attached, and Virginia City it remains until the present day.

Up to 1875 everything prospered. The mines were yielding their millions and the population had grown to 20,000 when in October of that year the City was nearly wiped out of existence by fire. No fewer than 2000 buildings and $10,000,000 worth of property was destroyed, the total amount of insurance amounting to only $2,500,000. In 60 days after the fire the principal streets were rebuilt with larger and finer structures and it now contains many fine business blocks, residences and public buildings that would be considered creditable to cities of ten times its inhabitants. The men who made their millions were those who came after the mines had been pretty well prospected.

The discoverers of the great Comstock mine were two prospectors, Comstock and O'Riley. Comstock sold his interest soon after its discovery for $10-000 with which he opened a store in Carson City for the sale of such goods as the country demanded. Knowing nothing about business, having no education and being unable to keep books he was soon flat broke. After losing all the property he possessed in Nevada he struck out into Idaho and Montana where he prospected for several years without success. In Sept. '70, while encamped near Bogeman, Montana, he committed suicide, blowing out his brains with his six shooter. O'Riley held his interest until it brought him $50,000 a part of which he received in the shape of dividends. He then commenced delving in mining stocks and soon lost everything, became insane, and ended his days in an Asylum.

The total yield of the mine discovered by these unfortunate men has been over four hundred millions; the consolidated California and Virginia from the time of its discovery until Dec. 30, 1888, was $119,997,718; the net dividends for that period were $76,690,800. Although Virginia City covers more ground than before the fire and contains larger and finer buildings it is not so populous as in the old flush times of the big bonanza as the Comstock is called. In those days every hotel and boarding house was filled to overflowing; now most of those in the city are permanent inhabitants and property owners. Those who formally composed the great army of sports and adventurers have gone to other fields, as a result of the work of an organization known as "Vigilance Committee 601." Virginia City has now a population of about 10,000 of active, whole souled generous people. The mills and mines employ a large body of men, over half a million being paid for labor every month.

A trip to this wonderful mining city will amply repay the tourist and sightseer.

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A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflamation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

The cloakmakers in New York city have won their fight. The rates of wages established by the union are to recognized. Public opinion was so severe upon the sweaters that they were compelled to give in. They have heard some very wholesome truth in the last six weeks.

In July the sun is about ninety four million miles away from the earth. There have been times during the week when New Yorkers have thought it was about two blocks off.

MUNROE'S
Clothing Store.

Bargains in SUMMER CLOTHING, including Alpaca and Seersucker Coats and Vests, Flannel Sacks, Cheviot and Flannel Shirts, Tennis Caps, Bicycle Hose and Supporters, Belts, Athletic Shirts, Summer Underwear, Hosiery, Neckwear, Straw Hats, &c.
Also, a new line of White Shirts with short bosoms, all sizes for stout men.

LARGE STOCK. LOWEST PRICES.

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A Mutual Company is one in which every dollar of assets, however acquired, is the property of the Policy-holders. Advantage claimed for
The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.
It is the only combined purely Mutual, All-cash company in the United States.
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Copies of the Twenty-year Distribution Policy, together with your contract with the company, will be furnished on application to the agent.
WEBSTER WOODMAN, Agent, 423 Main St., Woburn, Mass.

Literary Notices.

"One Thing at a Time" is a good motto, the wisdom of which is exemplified by a striking picture in the August number of PETERSON'S MAGAZINE. A girl stands with a broom in her hand, so completely absorbed in a newspaper that she is oblivious of the fact that the kettle is boiling over on the stove, the toast burning, and disorder generally reigning in the kitchen. The number is rich in fine illustrations, fashion-plates and needlework designs. Two serials begin this month, one a tale of English life by Georgia Grant, the other, a story of Virginia by Alice Maud Ewell; both open admirably, and the contrast between them adds to the interest of each. There is a wide variety of choice reading matter and miscellaneous articles, a timely paper on Cholera and its treatment by Miss Elizabeth Scovil, Superintendent of the Newport hospital. Terms, two dollars a year, one dollar for six months. Address, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, Philadelphia, Pa.

Forced To Leave Home.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggists for a *Free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicines. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggists to-day for a *free* sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large size packages 50 cents.

Jay Gould Interviewed.

Jay Gould had gobbled the New Jersey Southern, and there was an effort to attach its boats. He sent them somewhere out of the state. I went to ask him about it.

"Tell me all about it," said he.

I did, like a little man.

"Well, well, well," said he. "Now, that's great news. What, the Jesse Hoyt missing—and the little Americus? Why, I know those boats very well, sir, and I have ridden in them so often that I have grown very fond of them, especially the Jesse Hoyt. This is great news. If you hear any more about it come and tell me."—*Julian Ralph in Chatter.*

What It Does.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
1. Purifies the blood.
2. Creates an appetite.
3. Strengthens the nerves.
4. Makes the weak strong.
5. Overcomes that tired feeling.
6. Cures scrofula, salt rheum, etc.
7. Invigorates the kidneys and liver.
8. Relieves headache, indigestion, dyspepsia.

The cars on the Jungfrau railway have movable flaps, which may be expanded by the guard until they nearly touch the tunnel lining. In this way the car becomes a kind of piston, acting in the tunnel as a cyclinder, and the air acts as an automatic brake to check the speed of the descending car.

See What

The well-known manager of excursions to Washington, California, and the White Mountains, I. A. Whitcomb, says: I have never had anything do me so much good as your Sulphur Bitters. It is the best spring medicine I ever used. I would advise all who suffer from biliousness and dyspepsia to use Sulphur Bitters, for I know they cured me.

The Lagrange (Ga.) *Graphic* says: "There is a negro in Perry by the name of Alfred Swift who was struck by lightning on the 19th. The bolt struck him at the elbow on the right arm, ran up his arm, around his body, down both legs, tearing both his shoes to pieces. The marks of the lightning are as plain as on a pine tree."

Thousands have been relieved of indigestion and loss of appetite by a single bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The use of this medicine, by giving tone and strength to the assimilative organs, has made innumerable cures of chronic dyspepsia. Price $1. Worth $5 a bottle.

INK BAGS.

"The Cuttle Fish has a kind of gland, called the *ink bag*, from which, when pursued, it throws out a brownish black liquor that darkens the water, enabling it to escape observation."—*Webster's Dictionary.*

Just so do the Alum and Ammonia Baking Powder manufacturers, who have for years been palming off on the unsuspecting housewife their adulterated powder as "absolutely pure." As soon as the fraud which they practice is shown up by the baking powder "testers," their ink bag opens and out comes the dirty liquor of falsehood and misrepresentation in the form of reading notices in the newspapers under such headings as: "Trying to Defraud Housekeepers," "Sneak Thieves in Disguise," "Overshooting the Mark," etc., in the hope that their adulterations and fraud will thereby escape observation.

Since the public have learned that these nasty ejections from the baking powder cuttle fish are not editorials, but advertisements, paid for by the wincing Baking Powder Co., they understand how a Company willing to resort to such methods has the hardihood to distort and falsify even Government Reports.

The Cleveland Baking Powder Co. makes an article so pure and wholesome that it is willing to have the composition known, and therefore prints it on every can, and fears no test that can be made.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE ORIGINAL PACKAGE BILL

It is very doubtful if any law is passed at the present session of Congress to meet the decision of the Federal Supreme Court respecting the sale of intoxicating liquors in original packages notwithstanding the fact that the Senate some weeks ago enacted a bill to that end. On Tuesday the House, which had had the Senate bill under consideration for some time, passed an act but it was so unlike any measure believed to be needed that its adoption by the Senate is entirely out of the question.

It is doubtful if the House intend to have any original package law passed this session. They act as though they were opposed to such legislation, and the close vote by which their bill was adopted strengthens this belief. But if the measure fails the Republicans will be held accountable for it, for they have a majority in the House and could pass an effective original package bill if so disposed. "Webb," the Washington correspondent of the Boston *Journal* gives an intelligent account of how the matter stands, and his statement is published in another column of this paper.

A LAWN PARTY.

The Suburban Press Association are extremely delighted over an invitation from Congressman Lodge to attend a lawn party on his beautiful grounds at East Point, Nahant, some afternoon next month, the exact date to be fixed hereafter.

Mental visions of a "square meal" at the Congressman's expense, supplemented by domestic lemonade *ad lib.*, with icecream and speeches galore, cause much impatience, it is said, on the part of the craft for the arrival of the day of the physical and intellectual feast.

Should the afternoon prove to be a pleasant one, and if the feast and lemonade come full up to the grade (which will certainly be the case, for Congressman Lodge is a generous and gentlemanly host), then look out for eloquence in the editorials of the S. P. A. for succeeding weeks, and taffy without stint.

THE GREAT G. A. R. PARADE.

Commander-in-Chief Alger has issued his first order for the parade of the Grand Army of the Republic at the annual National encampment to take place in Boston on August 12. The encampment, the parade, and everything connected with them, are expected to be on a grand scale, with a larger number of Veterans there than have ever before assembled on a similar occasion.

Boston and the neighboring country are making great preparations for the reception of the Veterans from other parts of the Union and nothing that can contribute to their comfort and pleasure will be left undone.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Dr. Dodge—M. D.
E. Prior—Auc. Sale.
S. Skelton—For Sale.
Jas. Skinner—Notice.
H. Dodd—Bradshaw & Co.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
J. H. Bates—Cleveland B. P.
F. M. Frye—Sewing Machine.
T. C. Evans—Bryant & Stratton.

GOOD NEWS: The tax in this city for 1890 will be ONLY **$16.50** on $1,000. Last year it was $17.20 on $1,000. Good enough!

— Stillman Shaw is at Middleboro.

— It has been rather poor beach weather this week.

— Miss Josephine Smith is at Sanbornton, N. H.

— Holdridge finds ready sale for his excellent oil stoves.

— There has been any quantity of east wind this week.

— John E. Frost and family are visiting up in N. H.

— C. E. Sutherland was at Hotel Nantasket last week.

— "Now and Then" in Y. M. C. A. Notes is worth reading.

— Co. K 39th Regt., will hold their annual reunion on Sept. 17.

— Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Soles are at Cape Cod for rest and pleasure.

— Mrs. C. H. Fifield and children are at Onset having a good time.

— J. F. Deland was at Sunset Pavillion, No. Conway, last week.

— Fred Prior, son of E. P., is visiting at Troy and Albany, N. Y.

— Mr. Winthrop Hammond has returned from a pleasant Western tour.

— The Lewis Music School will close Friday, Aug. 1, till September.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith and family are enjoying sea breezes at Nanepashemet.

— Mr. W. W. Hill spent last Sunday at Willard's Hotel, Washington, D. C.

— Mr. E. E. Thompson's family are enjoying Marblehead Neck this year.

—Mrs. Laura L. Moody is at her post again in Mr. C. W. Smith's dry goods store.

— Copeland carries as good a stock of dry goods as the next man and sells as cheap.

— Richard Morris is making quite an addition to his residence on Plympton street.

— Capt. John P. Crane's leather factory has temporarily suspended operations.

— Henry T. Smith and George Bland are rusticating in Casco Bay and thereabouts.

— Mrs. A. M. Winn is at Marblehead Neck; her daughter, Mrs. Lane, is also there.

— Several Veterans of this city are being voted for for the *Globe* 1000-dollar sword.

— Michael Maloney was fined $50 for selling liquors illegally and paid it last Tuesday.

— It rained a little last Sunday, but not enough to affect things much one way or another.

— Mr. Frank B. Dodge and family will go to Old Orchard, their regular summer resort.

— Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Elliott have gone to Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket for their outing.

— Dr. Robert Chalmers and lady will please accept the JOURNAL's congratulations. Daughter.

— Mr. Robert Eaton, who has been visiting New York recently, has returned to his home in this city.

— Supt. Frank Richardson and family returned from a trip to New York last Friday evening.

— A Squard of the H. S. B. went over to Button End and had a target shoot last Monday afternoon.

— Auctioneer E. Prior sold the personal effects of the late Charles D. Wade at auction last Tuesday.

— The route of foreign travel which Ernest Bartlett has laid out includes England, Scotland and Ireland.

— This week's JOURNAL will find Miss Susan E. Edgell at Jerusalem Spring House in Canaan, N. H.

— Newburyport is as good a place as Frank Buchanan wants to spend vacation at. It *is* a nice old city.

— The alarm from box 53 at 1.50 this morning was for a fire in a small wooden building on Warren street.

— The Slattery Dramatic Company will give an entertainment for the benefit of G. A. R. Post 33 on Aug. 4.

— Mr. Frederic A. Flint will pass his vacation season at Camden, Me., as usual. He likes Camden very much.

— Mr. Mark Cotton, salesman with A. Buckman on Main street, has got safely back from a pleasant visit to Weirs's.

— Patrick McGowan and wife will sail from New York tomorrow for Europe. They will be gone about two months.

— Delightful Intervale, N. H., is where Miss R. B. Tidd and Miss May Nichols are passing their vacation very pleasantly.

— Mrs. James Walker of Church Avenue and her mother and sister were at Ocean Spray last week where they have a cottage.

— Farmers say hay was never harvested in better condition than this year. And there was quite a good deal of it to the acre.

— A communication on "Cruelty to Dogs" from O. W. R. will appear next week. There are two sides to this cruelty to dogs question.

— Several owners of unlicensed and uncollared dogs were before the District Court last Tuesday. The cases were variously disposed of.

— Edith Hanson, who will enter Wellesley College this fall, is visiting Prof. Appleton of Brown University, now at Oakland Beach, R. I.

— Mr. John M. Seaver, a prominent salesman in Paine's great furniture establishment in Boston, and wife are up in New Hampshire rusticating.

— Frank P. Johnson is spending his vacation here at home just at present. He will return and enter the Sophomore class at Amherst in the fall.

— Last Monday morning a piece of timber fell on Robert Webber, one of Mr. Kimball's employees on the Methodist Church, and injured him considerably.

— H. L. Parker, who used to be bookkeeper for the Woburn Coal Company, is writing some very readable letters for the JOURNAL from the Pacific coast.

— Secretary Whitcher told us that the Woburn Co-operative Bank sold $2350 at the last meeting at a good rate. The money was bought for building purposes.

— Mr. E. D. Newton has entered the employ of Carter & Nichols as salesman in their coal office. Handling coal and lumber was his business before going to California.

— Dr. Dodge having disposed of his drug business will now give his whole time to the practice of medicine and can be found at the office at his residence, 391 Main street.

— Fred F. Lowell is at his old haunt, Peaks Island, Portland Harbor. Portland, Peaks Island and Casco Bay have charms for Mr. Lowell which no other spot in America has.

— Major Ambrose Bancroft's family are at Plainfield. The Major's real good time will begin about Aug. 11 or 12th when Boston will be full and overflowing with Veterans.

— The semi-annual report of General Secretary Bailey of the work and results of the Y. M. C. A. of this city, to be found in another column, tell a good story for the Association.

— The remaining concerts of the series provided by the Woburn Brass Band will be given on Aug. 6 and 20, and Sept. 3. Funds, so it is said, have been raised for the purpose.

— Gentle Reader, cast your eye over the great parade of figures which Mr. Webster Woodman makes in his advertisement of the best Life Ins. Co. in America. They are enormous.

— S. Franksford Trull and family, Henry E. Smith and wife, Miss Susan Edgell, Miss Josie Hinckley, Miss Hattie Bosworth, William F. Bosworth went to Canaan, N. H., last week.

— The Phalanx (Co. G.) have had a very nice week or their annual muster. The weather has been delightful. This is Governor's Day, and to-morrow the boys will be getting back home.

— James Skinner, Esq., surviving partner of the late firm of James Skinner & Co., leather makers of this city, publishes a notice in this issue of the JOURNAL to which attention is called.

— There is a Major H. C. Hall at Waltham and he is receiving votes for the *Globe*'s 1000-dollar sword. Woburn has a Major H. C. Hall who is as deserving of votes as the best of them.

— Mr. Sparrow Horton has an important change in his card to-day. People entitled to pensions will do well to give him a call, for he can do the business up in the best of shape.

— Auctioneer Prior advertises an important sale to take place at Wood Hill, Burlington. The property to be sold is desirable and no doubt the sale will be a spirited and well attended one.

— The Woburn Electric Light Company are putting electrics into the depot of the B. & M. RR. in this city. Under the management of Supt. Fish electric lighting is spreading in this city.

— The Foresters of this city, 500 strong, expect to dine at Hotel Nantasket, Nantasket Beach, on Aug. 20, and spend a holiday there. Athletic sports, games, etc. will be the order of the day.

— We had a short call from Editor Barnstead of the Stoneham *News* last Wednesday morning. He is about the thriftiest looking country Editor we have seen for a long time. As usual Mr. Barnstead was in a big hurry.

— President Davis of the Greensboro (N. C.) Institute (colored) preached at St. Johns Baptist church in this city last Sunday. He is visiting the North to collect money for his college, and got a good purse from the members of St. Johns last Sunday.

— The following are the new set of Bellevue Club officers: President, John F. Carley; Vice-President, Reuben E. Morton; Secretary, William A. Sherburne; Treasurer, Edward B. Thompson; Executive Committee, the President, Joseph P. Shields and John M. Wallace.

— Rev. N. B. Fisk, a former beloved pastor of the M. E. Church in this city, will occupy his old pulpit next Sunday, providence permitting. He has hosts of friends and admirers among the people of Woburn because he is a man of sterling character and genuine piety.

— Miss Josette Gertrude Menard of Woburn, whose graceful musical lyrics are so much enjoyed, goes next week to visit the Nova Scotia coast and enjoy its romantic scenery.—*Boston Budget*. The JOURNAL hopes she will enjoy the trip and at its close safely return to her home here.

— Mr. George A. Day, Cashier of the First National Bank in this city, visited Newport, R. I., lately and filled his portefolio with pictures of scenes and things at that very fashionable watering-place. It is understood hereaway that Mr. Day is something of an expert with lens and tripod.

— The *Chronicle* is trying to impart a musical education to the people of Reading by publishing weekly an original piece of music. The only fault that can justly be found with the productions is, that some of them seem rather too lively to suit the ideas and habits of that reposeful old burgh.

— The family of Mr. Charlie A. Jones of the Five Cents Savings Bank will leave next Thursday or Friday for Annisquam, their favorite summer seaside resort, where they will remain until about the middle of September. Mr. Jones will make frequent trips between Woburn and Annisquam during the summer.

— Mr. Charles Trull and family, which includes Mr. John Trull and his domestic dependencies, are away up among the White Mountains. By the way there is no foundation for the reports that White Mountain visitors have had to carry hot soapstones and bottles of boiling water to bed with them this week.

— Mrs. Julia A. Day, No. 10 Glenwood street, and Miss Jessie A. Day, a teacher in the Highlands School, are at Kennebunkport, a quaint old seaport in the neighborhood of Capes Arundal and Porpoise, and a popular place for summer resort for the best class of people. The sea views there are unsurpassed.

— We had another good dinner on the products of Mr. Levi C. Teel's prolific pea patch the other day. The soil of Cambridge street must be just the checker for green peas or else Uncle Levi is a master hand for making the excellent vegetable do its level best in the way of growing large and toothsome. Thanks, Uncle.

— Since the last issue of the JOURNAL Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott have made several successful liquor raids, among which we may name John Maloney, Michael Reddy, Bridget Callahan and Hugh Rooney. A considerable stock of liquor was secured, and the owners of it will be attended to in due season.

— Leonard Thompson, Esq., of this city left Boston last Saturday with a large Raymond excursion party for Alaska, Vancouver, National Park, etc. The party was composed of men and women from different sections of New England. The trip will consume several weeks. Mr. Thompson is getting to be a good deal of a traveler.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— The first number of *The News* was issued by Andrews, Cutler & Co., last Saturday. It is a very neat, clean looking 7-column paper, well filled with local news, and appears to be a worthy candidate for public patronage. It will be neutral in politics and religion, or, in its own words, "non-partisan in sect and party." Mr. Frank E. Wetherell is its editor.

— Record of Deaths in Woburn from 1640 to 1873 prepared by Edward F. Johnson, Esq., ably assisted by Miss Gertrude Menard, has been published by the city and copies are for sale at the City Treasurer's office in Municipal Building. It is a very valuable volume as a companion production to Record of Births covering the same long period and done by the same author. Mr. Johnson has received many high encomiums for the manner in which he did this work.

— The two G. A. R. Posts in this city expect to take care of a good many Veterans during Encampment week in Boston, beginning on Aug. 12. Comrades from abroad will find the latchstrings of the homes of their Woburn fellow-Vets always hanging on the outside of the doors. The "boys" are lotting on a big time during the National Encampment.

— The wife and four children of Rev. F. W. March, foreign missionary, son of Rev. Dr. March of this city, arrived in Boston from Syria last Saturday night and proceeded to the home of Mrs. March's parents at Auburndale. Rev. Dr. March visited his daughter-in-law and grandchildren early this week and of course the meeting was a pleasant one all round.

— You all see what Fred Leeds has to say about his $14-excursion to the While Mountains? These are the particulars: Take Portland boat in Boston at 7 p. m., Tuesday, Aug. 5; early train from Portland, up through Crawford's Notch to Fabyans; 2 days at White Mountain House; thence home via Boston, Concord & Montreal RR. It will be a big thing for the money.

— Rev. H. C. Parker, pastor of the Unitarian Church in this city, and family will leave on next Wednesday for Duxbury by the sea where they will pass a portion of their vacation in the enjoyment of clams and ocean breezes. Another part of their midsummer outing will be spent inspecting the splended dairy products of the Green Mountain State. We wish them well, certainly.

— The best Hair Mattress is none too good for your bed. Sound sleep is cheap at any price. To say it cannot be bought with money is not strictly correct. Wonderful stories are told of an imported soft hair from South America, which is now being made up into mattresses by Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston. It costs no more than ordinary hair, but is two or three times as luxurious.

— Local reporters of the Boston papers are making a great hue-and-cry over the dismissal of firemen Dean from Hose Company, No. 6, C. S., and are trying to make it out that he is a very badly abused man. For so much smoke there is but terrible little fire. Complaints were formally lodged by Capt. Newcomb with Chief Engineer Ferrin, and the upshot of it was, Dean was dismissed from the service.

— The National Band will give a concert on the Common next Wednesday evening, July 30, 1890.

1.	March. The Attack.	Reeves
2.	Overture. Polyphony.	Pettee
3.	Selection. The Jolly Minstrels.	Brooks
4.	Waltz. Remembrance of Naples.	Bennett
5.	Musical Reminisceces. A picture of the past.	Rollinson
6.	Serenade. Magnolia.	Missud
7.	Idyll. The Mill in the Forest.	Eilenberg
8.	Galop. Out on a Lark.	Cox
9.	Schottische. Chimes of Normandy.	Planquette
10.	March. Namasket.	Thomas

— Miss M. S. Brown of No. 30 Mt. Pleasant street in this city is Secretary and Treasurer of the "Ten Minutes a Day Society," which is a benevolent organization instituted for the purpose of supplying deserving people at home and abroad with useful and needed things, such as clothing, etc. The Society extends all over the country, and those who would communicate with it should address Miss Brown as above.

— Uncle Sam's letter carriers take their vacation of 15 working days each in this manner: Capt. William H. Mathews goes first of Aug. and will be privileged to take in the grand parade of Veterans in Boston on the 12th of which he is one; John Maguire and Ed. H. Callahan, on Aug. 14; E. E. Foss and John O'Brien, on Sept. 12. They have not yet determined just where they will hang out during their 15 days of vacation.

— Editors of country papers are not all of them useless pieces of the machinery that keeps society going. Many times they are as useful as anybody else and deserve as much credit for good conduct. For example, there is the Editor of the Natick *Bulletin*—if it hadn't been for his public spirit, push and pecuniary ability Natick people would have had no open-air band concerts this season. But the *Bulletin* Editor enlisted in the good cause and the concerts are a sure thing.

— Last Wednesday we received a call from Mr. John S. Colgate, Editor and proprietor of *The North Texas Farmer*, published at Paris, Texas. He is a son of Mr. Colgate, the florist at Cummingsville, and has been in Texas ever since the War. He was one of the "Boys in Blue," and his visit North is for the purpose of attending the National Encampment of the G. A. R. in Boston next month as well as to visit his old home here and his family. Mr. Colgate likes Texas and will return to his home there early in September.

— Officers of Liberty Council, No. 39, O. U. A. M.; Senior ex-Councillor, George H. Peters; Junior ex-Councillor, Charles F. Spear; Councillor, Orin W. Stevens; Vice Councillor, James E. Furlong; Inductor, Frank C. Taylor; Examiner, David H. Eaton; Recording Secretary, Chas. F. Richardson; Assistant Secretary, George C. Conn; Financial Secretary, Frank L. Skinner; Treasurer, W. Frank Fowle; Inside Protector, George H. Sutherland; Outside Protector, William F. Cummings; Trustee, B. Frank Smith.

— The Fourth of July parade committee are indignant over the paragraph printed in our last issue, copied from the Woburn JOURNAL, wherein the Woburn High School Cadets declined to parade because of a "Jack-at-a-pinch" invitation which they claim to have received from the committee. Mr. A. E. Ayer, secretary of the committee, states that the Woburn boys were among the first to be invited—ten days or two weeks previous to the celebration. They had plenty of time to make all arrangements necessary. Letters passed between Mr. Ayer and the Captain and everything appeared to be all arranged until about 24 hours before the parade, when they sent word declining to march. These boys had no occasion to feel sore over their invitation, as it was given in the best of motives, and should have been received by them in the same spirit, even if they did not want to parade.—*Star*. All the JOURNAL knows about it is what some of the Battalion boys said to its reporter.

— Mr. Charles M. Munroe, one of the most successful clothing merchants in this city, has been awarded the contract to supply the Woburn Fire Department with firemen's suits for the current year. This amounts to a pretty large matter, for each member of the Department is to be furnished with a suit and to supply the whole takes considerable money. It is understood that Mr. Munroe's facilities for filling the contract are firstclass and that he will give the city a fine job. It was wise in the Fire authorities to give the business to a home house.

— The Woburn Brass Band, to use rather a hackneyed phrase, fairly outdid itself last Wednesday evening in giving the public another of its splendid open-air concerts. There isn't, in our opinion, a Band within 40 miles of here that can beat the W. B. B., and but very few that can come anywhere near it. Thomas J. Marrinan is the leader and as a handler of the baton he hasn't many peers in these parts. A larger or better behaved crowd never before came out to enjoy one of Woburn's famous summer evening band concerts on the Common.

— James Chester Hanson, son of the late James I. Hanson, so long the Principal of our High School, and Mrs. Helen C Hanson, and a bright and studious lad he is by the way, has passed satisfactorily and without conditions the preliminary examinations for Harvard College. This was a very creditable achievement on the part of young Hanson, particularly as but a very few boys have accomplished the feat at any time, and it is stated that he is the only one who has passed such examinations "without conditions" in the last four years.

— It is to be hoped that the report that Mr. James Skinner has recommenced active operations at his leather manufactory is true. Since the death of Mr. True last winter Mr. Skinner has been dilligently employed settling up the business of James Skinner & Co., of which firm Mr. True was a member, and nothing, to speak of, has been done by him in the way of making leather. It is one of the largest establishments in the city and starting it up again full handed will add considerably to the business of the place.

— Town of Everett, lying between Malden and Boston, is entitled to the champion's belt. Its population in 1880 was 4,150; in 1890, 11,043, a gain of 6,893 in 10 years. Its popu- in 1885 was 5,825, reaching 11,043 in 1890, showing a gain of 5,218 in five years. This unquestionably goes ahead of any other town in Massachusetts as to per cent of gain. Malden hasn't done bad either. According to the U. S. enumerators its population is nearly 24,000; according to the count of the city Assessors it is 1500 more, or over 25,000. But Malden shows a remarkable growth in the last five years.

— The Woburn Gas Light Company held their annual meeting for the election of officers and the transaction of other business at 4 o'clock last Monday afternoon. President Benjamin Hinckley presided. The old Board of Directors were re-elected, namely: Benjamin Hinckley, John Johnson, G. R. Gage, Richard J. Monks, Charlie A. Jones; Auditors, Frederic A. Flint, Robert J. W. Phinney. At a meeting of the Directors, Mr. Benjamin Hinckley was re-elected President of the Company, and Mr. Richard J. Monks, Treasurer. Mr. John Gilcreast will, no doubt, continue in the office of Superintendent.

— F. M. Frye is booming the sewing machine business for all there is out. He is handling the "White," the favorite of the country, and they are going like hot cakes buttered on both sides. Frye has just hired R. M. Arnold, an expert sewing machine machinist, for salesman and repairer, and with him he expects to sweep the deck. Arnold understands all there is worth knowing about a machine and the business, and with him for salesman and repairer Frye feels confident that he has got the business all in his own hands. He will not only do general repairing, but has second-hand machines constantly on hand which he will sell at hardpan figures.

— Dr. S. W. Kelley is in Maine this week. He had business with the Portland Machine Works in relation to the Complete Combustion steam boiler in which he is largely interested, a part of which was to make a trial trip to Bangor over the Maine Central of one of the boilers just completed by the Works. From all accounts the boiler is a very valuable invention. A year ago the stock of the company owning it was sold for considerably less than half its par value, and to-day it is away in the pictures. Believing in its intrinsic merits and great utility Dr. Kelley has been indefatigable in pushing this invention into public notice and favor and at last it is a complete success and will probably prove a bonanza to its owners.

— People desiring copies of the Woburn Record of Deaths can obtain them at the City Treasurer's office. Under the vote of the City Council the Treasurer is to charge twenty-five cents per copy, and the purchaser can take as many copies as he desires at that price. Those who possess a copy of the Record of Births should make an early call on the Treasurer if they desire to obtain the corresponding volume of Deaths. This latter book also contains the quaint epitaphs of the old burying-ground some of which are exceedingly curious and amusing. We should like to give a few quotations, but our readers can obtain the whole thing for twenty-five cents, and become the possessors of a volume of exceeding interest and valye to every citizen of Woburn.

— Mr. Z. A. Atwood, cutter at G. R. Gage & Co's merchant tailoring establishment, and wife have gone to Bucksport, Me., the former home of Mr. Atwood, and also the abiding place of "Old Jed Prouty of Bucksport, Maine," a venerable hayseed well known to Boston theatre-goers. Mr. Atwood didn't doubt but that he would see "Old Jed" down there and go fishing with him. He and "O. J." were great cronies when they were boys and have always had a strong fellow-feeling for each other, so whenever they get a chance they generally improve it by going fishing. "Old Jed" knows all the trout holes in every brook in Bucksport and about there, and what he don't know Landlord Moses of the best hotel on the Maine coast can tell him. Mr. Atwood was longing to get down there to be with old Mr. Prouty and Moses as soon as possible and go fishing.

— At 5 o'clock, p. m., on Saturday, August 2, Auctioneer Prior will sell for Mr. Samuel Skelton as desirable a piece of residence property as there is in Woburn, it being a part of the real estate which belonged to the late Samuel C. Skelton. The lot—a large one—lies on Warren street between Capt. John P. Crane's new residence and the late John H. Cummings homestead, nearly opposite Lawrence street, and for a gentleman's home there is nothing in this city that surpasses it. Academy Hill takes the lead by considerable as a residence section—in fact, some call it the "Court End" of the town—and it is a really a delightful part of the city. None but nice, genteel homes are found on it, and this property which Mr. Prior is going to sell for Mr. Skelton on Aug. 2, is as desirable and pleasant as any of the many very fine places on the Hill. Please bear this important sale in mind.

— Mrs. W. H. Swain prefers the Upper Kennebec as the scene of her summer vacation this year and a letter addressed to her at "Skowhegan, Somerset County, Maine" wouldn't be likely to miss her hand very much. Skowhegan, located on both sides of the beautiful Kennebec at Skowhegan Falls, is as pleasant a New England village, of the first magnitude as to size, as the traveler would be likely to light on in a month of Sundays. There is nothing around there more charming unless it be Norridgewock, five miles further up the river, which is, by all odds, the choicest spot on earth for summer rest and repose and of course takes the palm over all the towns in that country, although all of them are wonderfully attractive—especially Madison. There is where Mrs. Swain is passing the "heated term," while William, who is a prosperous Boston marketman, will be likely to join her later on.

— When a certain Main street barber got back from a fishing trip through Wilmington the other day he was about as near used up as a man generally gets to be. He and a friend started out together about 5 o'clock in the morning and hoofed it to a brook running through the farther end of Wilmington where they expected to catch more trout than a half dozen men of their size could tote home on their backs in a month. They tramped and they tramped; they went up the stream and they went down the stream; but they caught no fish. When our friend, the barber, with an appetite as sharpset as any crosscut saw, turned his attention to fodder he found, to his dismay, one of his two ham sandwiches gone and no trace of the thief to be found anywhere. The other chap said nothing and fished. It was a tough day for both of the boys. They declared they had walked over a thousand miles that day in a broiling July sun, but that was setting the figures rather high we should say. But they were a tired, hungry, dirty, fishless brace of mortals when they got back to Woburn that night, and there is no way you can rile their temper quicker than to ask them how fishing is in Wilmington.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a special meeting of the Common Council of Woburn last Tuesday night, the Highway Committee's report on laying out Dartmouth street, Dexter and Longwood Avenues, were accepted in concurrence. An order was passed authorizing the Treasurer to hire $6000 for the construction of a new conduit from the pumping station to the reservoir. An order was passed to build a new four-room schoolhouse on Fowle street, and that a joint committee of five be chosen to purchase land and make contracts in accordance with plans drawn by J. Merrill Brown. The City Treasurer was authorized to hire $14,000 for the construction of a schoolhouse and the purchase of land. In recognition of the G. A. R. parade in Boston, August 12, it was voted to close all the Municipal Buildings on that day. Councilmen Beggs, of Ward 3, Eames and Fox were chosen on the school building committee.

ALDERMEN.

The Board granted a hearing to the fish dealers of Woburn on their petition to have all out-of-town fish peddlers pay a license fee of $50 for selling fish within the city limits. The Mayor's nomination of Daniel Lafferty to be a special policeman, vice McGiver, removed, was confirmed. B. S. Devlin & Co. were granted leave to withdraw on their petition for a druggist's liquor license. The Board adjourned to Sept. 2 for the summer vacation.

The Bryant & Stratton Commercial School of Boston, which our readers will notice advertised in this week's issue, will re-open Tuesday, Sept. 2nd. This School needs no recommendation from us, as its present standing and reputation gained during the last 29 years places it at the head of all schools of a similar character. It can be patronized with full confidence that nothing that is possible to be done for its pupils will be left undone.

Death Record From 1640 to 1873.

The record of deaths in Woburn from 1640 to 1873, as copied from the Woburn records, and alphabetically and chronologically arranged by families by Mayor Edward F. Johnson, has just been published at the city's expense. Miss J. Gertrude Menard has assisted in comparing the record with the data to be found on the gravestones in the Salem street and Calvary cemeteries, and this has resulted in the addition of over 400 names, and the discovery of a number of discrepancies between the clerk's records and those chiselled on the gravestones. An appendix to the work gives a transcript of epitaphs in the Woburn first and second burial grounds, as made by Mr. William B Cutter, Librarian of the Public Library.—*Boston Herald*

The above publication is a valuable one to the people of Woburn.

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Y. M. C. A.

BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

Aug. 9, a deep sea fishing excursion; 5 tickets only; any gentleman who wishes one can procure it at the rooms for $1.00.

Saturday evening meeting is an informal one, and we wish every man who is interested in Christain work would endeavor to be present. It will pay you.

At the Sunday afternoon meeting at 4 o'clock we expect to be addressed by Rev. N. B. Fisk, a former clergymen of this city. All men are invited to be present.

The moonlight excursion down the harbor will occur next week Tuesday. Round trip tickets from Boston, Battery Wharf, 50 cents, for sale at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Let all plan to go. Call for further information on the General Secretary.

"LOOKING BACKWARD."

We do not believe in this motto at all times, yet in this instance we wish to make an exception and glance "backward" for six months to see if the Young Men's Christian Association of this city have a right to live. If they have this right certainly there are men and women who should be willing to support it. The following statistics show for themselves:

Visits to the rooms (Sunday excluded)	8,501
Daily average,	66
Total attendance—Men's Meetings,	1725
Average,	69
Saturday evening meeting,	200
Average,	9
Request for prayers,	22
Professed conversion,	14
Joined the church,	6
Boys Branch Meeting Sunday,	
Total attendance,	1227
Average,	49
Boys asked for prayers,	30
Boys professed conversion,	10

Some of these will join the church in the fall.

Two lectures have been given to members and friends, beside a number of sociables.

Membership at present time is as follows: Sustaining members (paying $5 or more per year), 62, and 151, limited or unlimited, paying less than $5.

It costs about $175 per month to keep the rooms open. This sum looks large and some may say it is needless, but stop a moment: How much would you be willing to pay to keep your boy out of bad company? I am sure you would say the above is none too much.

The Lord only can reveal the amount of good that has come to those who frequent here.

NOW AND THEN.

Occasionally we hear of a Christian who does not believe in the Young Men's Christian Association. Usually such an opinion is the natural outcome of ignorance of what the Association is doing. The same man would not denounce the church or its immediate branches of work, but he fails to see that the Association is an ally of the church, but using those agencies which appeal to the physical, mental and social tastes of young men, thereby bringing them under Christian influences and among Christian men. He does not know, or knowing, does not care that while his boy may have a cheerful home and kindly surroundings, thousands of young men roam the streets in the evenings, or worse, visit the saloon, only because they have not a better place. It is not surprising that men go down hill. A young man comes to the city, and after his first days's work goes out for a stroll. He feels just like having a talk with a friend. There is not a person in all the length and breadth of the city that he knows. On every corner and in every street vice in its most fascinating form greets him, and fortunate is he, if by the restraint of early home training he finds himself in no worse place than a cheap play house. Somewhere in town is a Young Men's Christian Association, struggling for an existence, where he would find congenial and wholesome society, but so many are the allurements on every side that he does not reach it, and before three months he is ruined, or going down hill by lightning express. This is no picture of fancy, but an intense and awful reality, and the man who "does not believe in Associations" is to blame, because he does not, by his support and prayers, help the Association to extend its work, thus giving it a chance to save the young men before the saloon and its allies destroy him.—*Ex.*

W. C. T. U.

A strictly pure, unfermented wine for sacrimental use is manufactured at Bedford, Mass., by Mrs. Sarah C. Sampson & Co., who are successors to Miss Emma M. Taylor, of Woburn, all being members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Mr. James H. Roberts, formerly of the State Prohibition Committee is arranging for a large mass meeting, in which all the temperance organizations will participate, to be held Aug. 4th, at Downer Landing, a favorite picnic resort in Boston Harbor. Gov. St. John, and other prominent platform speakers will be present. Special excursion rates are secured.

The W. C. T. U. of Hampden County has established, at South Hadley Falls, an industrial home for inebriate and fallen women, and has given it the name of the Frances E. Willard Industrial Home. The gifts from different Unions and individuals in the county have amounted to about thirteen hundred dollars, which is sufficient to carry on the work for one year. The estate has been hired from a member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and contains a house of twelve rooms and sufficient grounds to make it an available and pleasant place for such an institution. The matron, Miss Rachel Lee, has been under the efficient training of Miss Charpiot, who for years has skillfully managed the Home for Intemperate Women, in Boston.

The Boston Y. W. C. T. U. has established a coffee house on Federal Street, two doors south of Kneeland Street, in the vicinity of the Old Colony R. R. Station, where good coffee, rolls, sandwiches, pie, and soups are furnished. The establishment is run on a practical business basis, and is becoming well patronized. In the evening the room is used as a free reading room, which is crowded with boys, who enjoy the books and games. If sufficient funds are secured, the work will be enlarged by fitting up two rooms, one for the training of boys in carpentering and wood-carving; the other for a training school for girls, where they will be taught sewing and cooking.

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The Original Package Bill.

Special Dispatch to the Boston Journal.

WASHINGTON, July 22. The House passed the Original Package bill, but it was neither the Senate bill nor the Adams substitute. It was the bill reported by the Judiciary Committee. It was a bill which it is clear as the sunlight will not be accepted by the Senate. If there is to be any legislation on the subject, it will be as the result of a conference. No one ventures even to suggest what would result from the enactment into law of the bill which today passed the House. The difference between the Senate bill and the bill which has passed the House is very simple. The Senate bill applies to liquor only, and attaches to the original packages in a severe and drastic manner at the border of the States. The House bill applies to all articles of commerce—liquor, oleomargarine, cottonseed oil—not at the border, but when they are offered for sale to enter into the mass of merchandise of the State. No one may say what might not happen under the House bill. It is very clear that one State might under cover of its protection assail in the name of purity the business of a neighboring State, and that the measure, instead of being solely in the interests of health and good morals, might be made a weapon to destroy commerce and to injure sections. The House bill, in the form in which it passed, will not become a law. Possibly the Senate bill will not. The best opinion is that out of the conference may come some measure which will be restricted to liquor alone, and that further attempt at legislation upon that subject will be postponed until next winter. The vote on the passage of the bill was a very close one, and for a long time its fate was undetermined.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Gospel of Leisure. After this service the church will be closed till the first Sunday in September.

CONGREGATIONAL—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "How to keep a good Conscience." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

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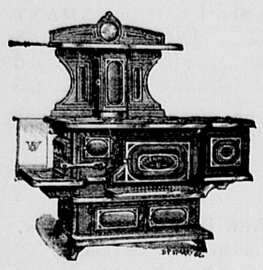

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Forgot His Bait.

From the *Sunday Herald* of the 20th instant we clip the following concerning our fellow-citizen, Benjamin Champney, from the letter of its White Mountain correspondent:

I met Mr. Benjamin Champney the other morning starting out for the second time that day to go a fishing. Artist's Brook was to be his fishing ground, but, to his vexation, after he had walked away up above the falls, and was about to begin fishing, he discovered that he had left his bait at home. It was a hot day, but he went back for it, and was trudging along back again through the dust when I saw him. Whether or not he was rewarded with the good luck he certainly deserved I am unable to report. He asked me to call in at his studio and see a painting that had just been sold to Mr. Fred Whiting of the *Herald*. The artist has named it "The Forest of Arden," and he obtained his conception of it from the scene in "As You Like It," at Daly's last winter. It is a beautiful picture of an avenue in a grand old forest. It has a dreamy, delicious atmosphere, and along the broad way, and off in the alluring distance in the depths of the wood, the ground lies bathed in a soft, golden light. A great tree in the foreground at the beginning of the avenue, and the dreamy, romantic sentiment of the whole, reminded me of the lovely scene in "Joan of Arc," as I saw it in Germany, where the maid stood alone under the vast talking oak and addressed a parting invocation to the dear loved scenes of her childhood, beginning:

"Lebt wohl ihr Berge, ihr geliebten Triften,
Ihr traulich stillen Thaeler lebet wohl!"

["Farewell ye mountains, ye beloved pastures,
Ye dear, still valleys, fare ye well!"]

Tries to Console Itself.

The Boston *Courier* says: The Boston *Advertiser* tries to console itself for the outstripping of Boston by Baltimore and St. Louis. "It is not by her census roll," says this philosophic Bostonian, "but by her roll of patriots, thinkers, philanthropists, of names illustrious in the records of the church, the State, the school, the forum, and the world of letters, that Boston is ambitious to be known and remembered." Upon which the New York *Sun* remarks as follows: "Bully for Boston! While she can boast of body and mind, Sullivan and Cook, her necklace of beans will be more illustrious than the violet crown of the elder Athens. What if Baltimore and St. Louis have a few more men, women and children? In those ungodly places you can get claret and soda in the drug shops. Boston forbids the drink. In Boston, too, soaking is sedentary. What more does the town need to make it glorious? Depend upon it, the thin shanks of Boston will never cease to shin up the toilsome steep of Fame."

Mason's Fruit Jars at 63c. a dozen, and "Fruit of the Loom" bleached cotton, at 8½c. a yard, are specimens of the prices quoted in the "Lean Pocket Book" sale advertised on our local page this week.

Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom's Department Store where this sale is taking place is noted for its offerings of standard goods, at down cellar prices.

(From Boston Record.)

Gen. Banks Will Run Again.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—[*Special.*]—J. J. McCarthy has not succeeded in getting a ship for the Charlestown navy yard, but he has seen Gen. Banks and announces exactly what The *Record* announced two months ago, that Gen. Banks expects to run again in the fifth district, if the bill (to place him on the retired list) does not pass the house. Gen. Banks' term here has been a pleasant one, and his speeches, though few in number, have always been received with much attention. He has a clerk (as he is chairman of a house committee) and his work is not especially arduous. He lives very quietly and cosily in a little house in the eastern part of the city, and has refrained from taking any active part in the social life at Washington. This life seems to suit him, and he would, as *The Record* has already stated, be unwilling to retire unless he were placed on the retired list of the army.

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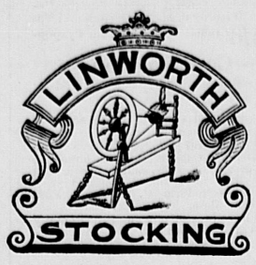

ings Worth much more than many so called "Fast Blacks," which will please the Mammas and the boys and girls as well, and not cost any more. Sizes to fit everybody from baby to grandmamma.

Pearline has its place but it will not have to be used to wash-out the stains left by the "LINWORTH."

C. Willard Smith

Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for August is a fine number. The contents are fresh and entertaining. There is a great deal in the number that the women ought to know about because it bears on their everyday life in all its departments. There is nothing cheap about this magazine except its subscription price. We give THE JOURNAL ($2.00 a year) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 a year) for $2.00 INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

HARPER'S MONTHLY for August is a handsomely illustrated number, there being no less than 8 papers in it whose interest is much enhanced by the excellent work bestowed on them by the artist. The literary contents of the issue are of the best quality. Port Tarascon is continued; Edward Everett Hale has an interesting paper called Magellen and the Pacific; Street Life in India; A Walk up the Avenue; An Impression—these are a few of the large number of entertaining articles which the August HARPER'S contains.

***HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company, 14-20 Franklin street, Boston, and by Sparrow Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for July 12th and 19th contain A Visit to a Great Estate, and Distinction, Dante in his Relation to the Theology & Ethics of the Middle Ages, A Kentish Pilgrim Road, and Vermin in England, Sultan Abdui Hamid, by Professor Vambery, Jamaica, The Gods of Greece, by J. R. Mozley, Some Indian Wild Beasts, and The Art and Mystery of Collaboration, George Wither, In the Brazilian Capital, Notes of a Pilgrimage, Mr. Patmore on Distinction, The Lady Wrangler, and The Effect of the New Careers on Women's Happiness, with instalments of The Strange Occurrences in Canterstone Jail, and Lloyd Courtenay's Banishment, and Poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each; the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell and Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The complete novel in LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE for August is contributed by that popular English author, Mrs. Alexander. The story is entitled What Gold Cannot Buy. The many readers of Mrs. Alexander's The Wooing O't, Her Dearest Foe, and other charming stories will devour with pleasure this new and captivating romance. It is the story of a plucky young English girl who goes out as the companion of an elderly and aristocratic matron. There are capital descriptions of English country life among the higher classes, and the story gradually leads up to a startling and unexpected denouement. Lawn Tennis for Women is the title of an article which will greatly interest all lady players. It is written by those famous lady players, Miss Bertha L. Townsend and Miss Margarette Lyman Ballard, for years the champions of the United States. Lawn Tennis is the most widely popular of all out-door games among both men and women, and much has been written about it, but so far only from a man's point of view. Women's play of course differs essentially from that of men. This article is written with the object of improving the play among women, and should be read by every lady player. Some of the other papers are: Veiled, Ebb and Flow, Contemporary Biography, Women, The Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences, etc. Published by Lippincott, Philadelphia.

Some men are all nose and whiskers, while others run mostly to feet and ungodly appetite. So it is with soaps. So it is with soaps. Some are little else than fancy wrappers, others merely a pleasant "smell" and the balance nearly all rosin. Like the man of real merit, Brussels soap is soap only, and the best and most economical at that.

Lend An Ear, General.

Gen. Banks: Your decision as to whether you want to run for Congress this fall is awaited with interest by Messrs. W. A. Tower of Lexington, Henry Parkman and Nathan Appleton of Boston, E. H. Capen and Edw. Glines of Somerville, C. W. Kingsley and J. A. Fox of Cambridge.—*Boston Record.*

WINCHESTER.

Everybody is about through haying.

Edith A. Kimball is at Oragon House, Hull.

Fred F. French at Point Allerton Cottage, Hull.

W. L. and W. A. Perry at Hallett House, Hyannis.

J. S. Blank and family at Arlington House, Nantasket.

The historical tablets are not a bad institution by any means.

N. B. and A. Harrington are at Hesperus House, Magnolia.

Mrs. Burdett is at the Dunlap Cottage, Marblehead Neck.

Mrs. Frank L. Ripley at Nanepashmet House, Marblehead Neck.

Herbert Rowe who has been clerking in the postoffice will enter Dartmouth College this fall.

Officers of Win. Fire Relief Ass'n: President, Chas. T. Symmes; Vice-President, N. A. Kapp; Treasurer, C. H. Symmes; Secretary, A. Eugene Ayer.

Mr. John Maxwell has returned from quite a lengthy visit to Alabama, in the northern part of which he has important real estate interests. Mr. Maxwell made large investments at Ft. Payne, which bids fairto become a live manufacturing, mining and railroad centre.

A raft of young men consisting of Thomas Feeney of the Boston *Record*, Felix O'Connor, Isaac Boudro, Al. Hutchingson and Herbert Decelle are spending the week on Plum Island off against the mouth of the Merrimac a few miles below Newburyport. They went down last Saturday evening, or rather, the main body of them did, a small force having gone on in advance to pitch tents and get things shipshape for a week's camping ont. The weather was slightly glacial during the fore part of the week for camping, especially near the sea.

Our town has not gained in population the last 10 years nearly as much as we all thought it had. There has been a large number of dwellings built here since the last State census was taken and yet the increase of inhabitants for 1885 to 1890 was less than from 1880 to 1885. I give you the figures:

From 1880 to 1885,	588
From 1885 to 1890,	457
From 1880 to 1890,	1045

Or only 100 yearly gain since 1880. I think there is a screw loose somewhere in this census business.

WINCHESTER SAVING BANK:—At the quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Winchester Savings Bank held sixteenth inst., the Treasurer's report was viz:

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors,	$402,324 31
Guarantee Fund,	9,449 01
Premium Fund,	4,019 13
Interest Account,	6,505 69
Due on Mortgage,	300 00
	$422,598 14

ASSETS.

Mortgages,	$193,925
Bonds,	112,911 30
Personal Notes,	73,900 00
Bank Stock,	36,006 25
Taxes Paid,	507 60
Expenses Paid,	117 42
Cash on hand,	5,230 57
	$422,598 14

The following is the Assessors' returns of the valuation and tax for 1890:

Real Estate,		$3,603,235.00
Personal Estate,		1,063,820.00
		$4,667,055.00
Rate, $17.70 on $1,000,	$82,606.87	
1177 polls at $2, $2,354.00		
23 " " .50	11.50	
		2,365.50
		$84,972.37
State Tax,		$ 3,937.50
County Tax,		3,623.87
Town Tax,		76,456.96
Overlayings,		954.04
		$84,972.37

No. Houses,	856
" Barns,	275
" Shops,	242
" Horses,	400
" Cows,	222
" Swine,	127
" Carriages,	267
" Dogs,	232
" Militia, 20 to 45.	707

Last year the tax rate was $17.00 per $1,000.—*Star.*

To talk now about the 4th of July at Winchester seems to be in the nature of a "Day After the Fair," nevertheless there was one feature of it which I will venture to bring up for a few words of commendation for the reason, principally, that so little mention has been made of it in the public prints. I refer to the entertainment given for the pleasure of the children in the Town Hall in the afternoon. It was one of prettiest and most interesting parts of the whole celebration and as highly enjoyed, particularly by Winchester people. The committee who had the affair in hand and carried it through so successfully were Messrs. F. W. Lawson, E. H. Rice and John H. Carter, the chief pusher being Mr. Lawson, who fairly dotes on young 'uns. The Town Hall was filled to its utmost capacity with delighted spectators, and the entertainment consisted of an exhibition of Lovett's "Living Pictures," feats of Legerdemain, Ventriloquism, etc., and passing judgment and awarding prizes to to the most beautifully decorated boy of Winchester and the most beautifully decorated girl, who should enter the competative list. The decorations were in leaves, wild flowers, etc., and the one to whom the first prize was awarded received a handsome and costly gold medal, and the second, a silver one. There was a great variety of decorations, much taste was displayed in the arrangement of the flowers and leaves over the boys and girls, and the exhibition was a fine one. Indeed, it was so highly enjoyed that next year it will be repeated on a much larger scale.

It's economical—Brussels soap.

General Sherman's Mule.

In a conversation with Judge Joseph Cox, who is a very pleasant talker and full of anecdotes and information, he said: "I was talking to Gen. W. T. Sherman, several years ago, about riding horses and mules, and he said: 'Cox, a mule is the easiest animal to ride in the world. I always preferred to ride one during the war. In a picture representing the burning of Atlanta the artist has me seated on a fiery steed, with fury in his eye, etc., while the houses are burning and the soldiers are tearing up the railroad iron. Well, I was there; but I was straddled on a plain, common, everyday mule.'" But of course it would ruin a historical picture to put a great general on a mule instead of a fiery charger.—*Cincinnati Porcupine.*

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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Religious Dogs.

The famous St. Bernard dogs are very carefully trained. A traveler who visited some of the monasteries of the monks of St. Bernard a few years ago found the monks teaching their dogs from the earliest stages of puppyhood. Not only is physical and mental training included in the teaching, but spiritual culture is by no means neglected. At meal time the dogs sit in a row, each with a tin dish before him containing his repast. Grace is said by one of the monks; the dogs sit motionless with bowed heads. Not one stirs until the "Amen" is spoken. If a frisky puppy partakes of his meal before grace is over an older dog growls and gently tugs his ear.—*New York Ledger.*

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the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

Value of Good Clothes.

I once heard a gentleman tell this story: "I believed that clothes never made the man," said he, "until I started out in life for myself. I was rather indifferent then regarding my attire—in fact, I think it might have been deemed shabby. Well what was the consequence? Every hotel that I went to made me pay in advance if I stayed but a single night. I noticed then that others with better clothes than mine were treated with greater confidence. I took the hint and braced up, and, would you believe it, I could remain at a strange hotel for three and four weeks after that and never be presented with a bill?"

It is easier to slake the thirst of a bottomless barrel than to get along without Brussels soap.

It is so Understood, Etc.

It is understood that Gen. Banks will not seek a renomination to Congress this fall, whether he is put on the army retired list or not. But Gen. Banks should go on this latter. He is an old man, has been a faithful public official in both a civic and military sense, and the great American Republic can richly afford to deal generously with him.—*Cambridge Press.*

Imposing.

It is doubtless true that the carriages containing the crippled veterans will add inordinately to the length of the Grand Army procession, but there will be nobody in the line who will better deserve to be there than they. The scars of battle are even more honorable than epaulettes, and they will be apt to elicit quite as many plaudits.—*Boston Herald.*

A mystery of New York is a "Norwegian, a thorough cook and housekeeper, with the best of references as to character and ability, now out of employment," who has been advertising for a situation for nearly a year. Sometimes she receives as many as one hundred letters a day. Several decoy letters have been sent to her address by newspaper men desirous of penetrating the mystery, but they have been unsuccessful.

A regular industry is being started in this country in the manufactuae of gearing for electric railways out of raw hide. It is preferred to metal, as it makes far less noise and wears better. The material is said to finish up in the working as well as metal. The use of this material indicates that very severe strains are brought to bear upon cogs not capable, if of metal, of standing the stress.

William Malcolm, who died at Syracuse, N. Y., on Saturday, is said to have carried with him to the grave a scientific secret of inestimable. He could make lenses that did not require adjustment for varying distances, but, like the human eye, could sweep any field at one focus. His secret was known only by himself.

The United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., was founded in 1802. The number of students is limited to 344. Appointees must be between seventeen and twenty-two years of age.

A rich company will erect a shipbuilding plant at New Bedford, Mass., for the construction of iron and steel sailing steamships.

Thunder Bay River in Michigan is jammed with logs for a distance of 30 miles. They are packed in an almost inseparable mass.

Severe measures have recently been taken by the Russian government against the adulteration and the sale of injurious substances as food.

The harvest of cereals in Oregon and Washington will be the heaviest ever known. There will be magnificent crops of fruit.

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The fruit dealers predict that peaches will improve from this time to their perfection.

A deposit of beautiful agate and carnelian has been found on Cedros Island, Lower California.

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At 1 o'clock, P. M., comprising in part the following described property: 1 pair Bay Mares, 8 years old, weighing about 1300 lbs. each, good style and action, extra workers, and a very valuable team for heavy business, as good a team as goes over the road; 5 young Cows, four of which came in for the first time this spring; 1 two-year-old Heifer, due to come in this fall; 1 Bull, three years old, a very superior animal; 33 Hogs, consisting of Breeding Sows and Barrows; 40 Pigs from 4 to 10 weeks old; 1 Market Wagon, well built and in excellent condition; 1 Manure Wagon, 1 Swill Wagon, 1-horse power Horse Cart, Buggy, 1 pair new Sleds, been used but a few times; 1 set traverse runner Sleds, double and single Harnesses, Plows, Cultivators, Chains, and Farming Tools in general; 35 Cords hard Wood, cut this last winter.

Parties desirous of purchasing any of the above described property will do well to attend this sale.

Per order, JOHN J. DIXON.

Burlington, July 21, 1890.

By E. PRIOR, - - - Auctioneer,
Office, 393 Main street, Woburn.

VALUABLE

BUILDING LOT

AT AUCTION

IN WOBURN.

SATURDAY, Aug. 2, 1890, at 5 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, containing about 15,400 square feet, situated on Warren street, nearly opposite Lawrence. This lot has a frontage of 60 feet on Warren street, is about 200 feet deep and 72 feet on rear end, with an entrance on Wyer's Court of 15 feet, being the balance of the Real Estate of the late Samuel C. Skelton.

This is one of the most eligible and desirable lots for a genteel residence in the city, being within three minutes walk of churches, schools, postoffice, depot, &c. Parties desirous of purchasing either for their own use or for investment should attend this sale. The lot is well adapted for the erection of two dwelling-houses, one with a frontage on Warren street, the other on Wyer's Court.

$100 to be paid at time and place of sale, other terms at sale.

Per order, SAMUEL SKELTON.

Woburn, July 24, 1890.

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The late firm of James Skinner & Co., having been dissolved by the death of one of its partners ALL PERSONS having claims or demands against said late firm are requested to present them for IMMEDIATE PAYMENT to the undersigned.

JAMES SKINNER,
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Boston, July 21st, 1890.

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H. N. CONN,

Insurance Agent, has removed to Room No. 3, NATIONAL BANK BLOCK. The public will please take due notice.

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— OF —

SUMMER GOODS.

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Alligator Hand Bags. Not genuine Alligator, but splendid imitation. Solid, deep, handsome bag.	Lean Pocket Price: 81 cents.
Florence Oil Stoves. Scientifically constructed and cannot explode. Marble base; nickel fittings.	Lean Pocket Price: 85 cents
Ladies' Fashioned Gossamers. Peasant style. Made with yoke, and shirred. Strengthened gores	Lean Pocket Price: $1.95.
Reed-body Baby Carriage Elegant design. Tastefully upholstered. Fine satin parasol. Plush rolls.	Lean Pocket Price: $6.29.
Surah Silk Parasols. In Scotch plaids. Steel paragon frames. Feather-weight, but very strong.	Lean Pocket Price: 95 cents.
Non-breakable Trunks. Solid wood frame, covered with hammered metal, sheet-iron bottom,	Lean Pocket Price: $2.49.

In our Cotton Cloth Department you will find Continental Brown, yard wide, at 7 cents; Fruit of the Loom, Bleached, for 8½ cents, and every other brand at similar lean-pocketbook prices.

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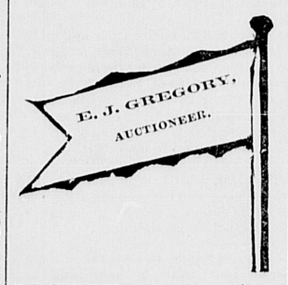

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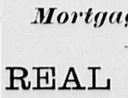

Desirable Real Estate at Auction in Woburn, Mass. Will be sold at public auction, on Saturday, July 26, 1890, at 5 o'clock, P. M., on the premises, the desirable dwelling-house situated at No. 12 Allen street, almost new, everything in fine repair, on a corner elevation, grand view of the surrounding city and suburbs, good neighborhood, house has 7 rooms, barn and shed connected. This property is located within 10 minutes walk of City Hall, will rent readily and net a good income on the sum invested. Those intending to purchase real estate for a home or investment should attend this sale.

Don't forget the hour, 5 P. M.

Terms: $100.00 to be paid at time and place of sale; other terms made known at time of sale.

Per order, RODERICK DESCHENEAUX.

P. S.—Allen street is southerly from No. 69 Green street.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Nathan G. Green to Edward H. Ryder dated December 18th, 1884, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (So. Dist.) Libro 1602, Folio 338, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of August, 1890, at five o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A lot of land situated in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot marked "M" on a plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's purchase recorded in Book of Plans 2, Plan 29, in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Central street, eighty-five feet; northerly by lot marked "Q" on said plan, two hundred feet; Easterly by lot marked "U" on said plan, eighty-five feet; and southerly by lot marked "R" on said plan, two hundred feet; containing seventeen thousand square feet of land.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

EDWARD F. SWAIN,
Trustee of the estate of Sabrina T. Ryder, present holder of the Mortgage, successor to Howes Ryder, Trustee, the Assignee of the Mortgage.

Boston, July 14, 1890.

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THE LOST AND FOUND.

LESSON IV, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JULY 27.

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1. "Then drew near unto Him all the publicans and sinners for to hear Him." Whatever else these might have to forsake in order to be His disciples, they would not have to renounce that which is perhaps the hardest of all to lay aside—religiousness, or self righteousness—for they did not profess to have any. They were despised by the holy people of the day. The Kingdom was not for them.

2. "And the Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them." They said a grand true thing when they said "This man receiveth sinners." He said Himself, "I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance" (Luke v, 32). And Paul, by the Spirit, rings it out as "A faithful saying and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners" (I Tim. i, 15).

3. "And He spake this parable unto them." The whole chapter is one parable in three parts, showing the love of the Good Shepherd, the Spirit and the Father, in searching for and welcoming back the lost one. The lesson today brings before us the first two parts of the parable, the third part being reserved for next week. Both in creation and in redemption the Father, Son and Spirit are seen working for the welfare of the creature. "In the beginning God created." "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God. * * * All things were made by Him." "By the Word of the Lord were the heavens made and all the host of them by the breath (spirit) of His mouth." "And God said, Let us make man in our image" (Gen. i, 1; John i, 1, 3; Ps. xxxiii, 6; Gen. i, 26). So also in redemption. "God so loved that He gave His only begotten Son." "The Son of God loved me and gave Himself for me." "Through the Eternal Spirit He offered Himself without spot to God" (John iii, 16; Gal. ii, 20; Heb. ix, 14). And, stranger still, both Father, Son and Spirit come to make their abode in the heart of the true penitent who has turned to God (John xiv, 17, 23).

4. "Go after that which is lost until He find it." First we have the Son as the Good Shepherd seeking the sheep which is lost. The same illustration is found in Matt. xviii, 11-14, in connection with His saying, "The Son of Man is come to save that which was lost." The sinner is brought before us as a lost and helpless soul, unable to do anything to restore himself; not knowing the way back, and even if he knew it he is without strength to get there.

5. "And when He hath found it, He layeth it on His shoulders, rejoicing." Out in the desert He heard its cry; sick and helpless, and ready to die; and the cry of the helpless reached his heart. He said to Moses, "I have surely seen the affliction of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry * * * ; for I know their sorrows" (Ex. iii, 7). "In all their affliction He was afflicted, and the angel of His presence saved them; in His love and in His pity He redeemed them; and He bare them and carried them all the days of old." "And of Benjamin He said, * * * he shall dwell between His shoulders" (Isa. lxiii, 9; Deut. xxxiii, 12).

6. "And when He cometh Home." Thank God for this, that, having found the sheep which was lost, He bringeth it home. He does not lose any by the way. Of those whom the Father gives to Him He loses none. He says, "I give unto them eternal life, and they shall never perish; neither shall any pluck them out of my hand" (John x, 28).

"Rejoice with me; for I have found my sheep which was lost." Not only is his own heart glad, but he will have his friends and neighbors to rejoice with him because the lost is found. Jesus would have His people to rejoice with Him, for he says, "These things have I spoken unto you, that my joy might remain in you, and that your joy might be full."

7. "I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth." If a shepherd is so glad over the recovery of a lost sheep that he causes his neighbors to rejoice with him, "How much is a man better than a sheep?" (Matt. xii, 12). And how much is the finding and bringing home of a lost soul better than the finding and bringing home of a lost sheep. But here is a revelation of the unseen by one who has been there and knows all about it; joy in heaven, and why? Because a sinner has repented.

8. "Either what woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it." In the sheep there might be a consciousness of its being lost, but a piece of metal has no feeling and is not conscious of anything. It may be that we are thus reminded of the soul that is "dead in sins" (Eph. ii, 5), and requires the convicting power of the Spirit (John xvi, 8). The woman with her light is the active agent in this case, and, as in the former, she seeks till she finds. Israel, as a nation, is compared to a woman (Isa. liv, 1, 5; lxii, 11, etc.)

9. "Rejoice with me; for I have found the piece which I had lost." Again, as in the former case, are friends and neighbors called upon to rejoice. All who have the Spirit of God ought to rejoice in the work of the Spirit wherever that work is manifest; and if we were filled with the Spirit what a going forth there would be after lost ones and backsliders. If friends and neighbors rejoice in the restoration of a piece of silver to its owner, the piece of money being the peculiar property of its owner, how much more should Christians rejoice in the conversion of every soul, wherever on the face of the whole earth that soul may be saved, because every redeemed one becomes a member of that body of which all the redeemed form a part, and of which Christ is the head (Eph. iv, 15, 16). And every member added to the body (although in His book all the members were written, when as yet there was none of them, Ps. cxxxix, 16) just hastens so much the manifest completion of the body, the marriage of the Lamb, and the coming of the Kingdom. Then shall be the true home bringing and the fullness of joy of all the redeemed.

10. "Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth." Not only there shall be (as in verse 7), but there is joy in Heaven over one penitent sinner. If we saw only one soul saved as the result of a day's teaching or preaching, we might not feel very much encouraged; but when we remember that every repentant soul, young or old, small or great, causes joy in Heaven, it ought to make us rejoice, too, with great joy. Think of Jesus patiently and diligently seeking the soul of Nicodemus, and just as patiently and diligently the soul of the poor sinful woman of Samaria, and let us be encouraged to more diligent personal effort. When praying once with a repentant one, upon whose mind the memory of a mother's prayers was doing effective work, I said to him as we rose from prayer: "Now it may be that the angels have already told your mother about this transaction." The joy that filled that man's heart at the very thought of the possible joy of his mother in Heaven made the words of this verse seem very real to me.

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And tame.

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Yet rings as if 'twere echoing, loud or low,
The hardier plaudits that were given him years Ago.

His art of yore, both real and regnant than,
Courts now mere vacant mummery; and at whiles
Mirth wages fight with melancholy * * * ac where
He smiles.

Or yet so tired he seems by claims that task
Those powers of portraiture, once firm and high.
Pathos but half screens humor, like a mask
Worn awry.

Ah, piteous trend of time, that thus may bring
Genius from grand achievement to grotesque—
Turn Falstaff tragic and round Hamlet fling
Burlesque!
—Edgar Fawcett in Cosmopolitan.

Helping the Injured in London.

Mr. J. C. Cole, husband of the famous contralto, was some time ago trying to break a colt to harness. The colt took fright and ran away, and Mr. Cole was thrown from the buckboard wagon, breaking a leg just above the ankle. He was picked up and sent home in a passing carriage. That evening seven men called at the Cole mansion and demanded money for the services they had rendered in carrying the injured man across the street to the carriage! One creature was willing to take tu'pence for his services; he had picked up Mr. Cole's hat. Another man wanted three ha'pence for having called the carriage. All these fellows said they wouldn't have volunteered their services if they hadn't expected to be paid therefor. This is a fair illustration of the spirit that obtains in London, and I am told it prevails throughout England.—Eugene Field's Letter in Chicago News.

Justice Waiting Outside.

Dr. Tanner tells a story on a circus follower whom he met on his travels in the past. The "grafter" in question was arrested for stealing a silver watch from a canvasman, and was duly tried before a justice of the peace and acquitted. When the crowd had gone the magistrate saw the former prisoner still sitting furtively watching the door.

"Ah, my good man," said he, "the law has found you to be innocent. Why don't you go?"

"Go! go!" gasped the "grafter." "With that big strong arm guy that I swiped the watch from laying for me outside? I guess not; I'll stay here as long as he does."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Toads as Sharpshooters.

The toad is the best marksman I ever saw shoot, and very rarely misses his mark. He has a tongue more than twice as long as his body. This he can shoot out like a dart or lance, and on its sharp point he impales his game. I have frequently attached a fly by means of mucilage to the end of a stick and brought it within seven or eight inches of the nose of one of my toads. He would wink one of his large eyes, take aim, and in a second the fly was impaled on the point of his tongue. —Macon Telegraph.

Butter Made from Minerals.

A mineral oil, or rather butter, has been introduced as a lubricator by the Compagnie Francaise de Graisses Minerales Consistantes. It is stated to be free from acid, resin or drying oils, and does not alter with exposure to the air. Its melting point is 84 degs. Ci (183 degs. Fahrenheit), and it does not inflame at a lower temperature than 220 degs. C. While it resembles butter in color it is odorless and has no chemical action on metals.—English Mechanic.

New Use of the Spectroscope.

It is proposed to use the spectroscope to determine whether cesspools, stables, etc., drain into neighboring wells. A solution of carbonate or chloride of lithium is poured into the suspected sources of pollution in the neighborhood, and after a week or so the well water is examined spectroscopically for lithium, which can thus be detected even if the water holds in solution less than one pint in a million.—New York Telegram.

Worth gives as much thought to one of his wonderful gowns as a poet would to a poem. His best creations are born at some quiet French or German spa, and the detail wrought out in his Paris house. He has a fine residence on the Rue de la Paix, where he can be seen only by the initiated. His constant companions at home are two little black dogs that are always at his heels.

The improvement of coffins has long been a favorite field for ingenuity. The latest idea is to have the name plate in the form of a scroll. At the top the scroll turns into a hollow cylinder with a cap which can be unscrewed. This cylinder is intended for the preservation of any record which may be inclosed in it at the time of burial.

Saginaw, Mich., has a family which lives in a shed 12 by 16 feet in area. The family consists of father, mother, three children, three horses, two cows, two goats, six dogs, a flock of pigeons and six cages of singing birds. A bale of hay separates the so called brute portion of the family from the rest.

Any book of poems which has the word "tyrant" in it cannot pass the Russian frontier. The czar thinks it a direct hit at him. An English book was lately tabooed because it had the sentence, "God's free air." All the air in Russia belongs to royalty.

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A Kiss for a Blow.

"I took one of your pretty young ladies for a drive on Wednesday," said a traveling man at the Windsor. "The dust was blowing a cloud and covered us up completely. I noticed that her nose was twitching and that her eyes were full of dust, and she nervously felt in her pocket, but seemed not to find what she was after. After a while she sneezed a little birdie sneeze and said: 'Montague (that's me), will you kindly loan me your handkerchief? I find that I have lost mine in some stupid way.' Now I had just arrived from a week's trip, so my laundry was in a frightful state of decomposition and the one handkerchief that I had in my inside pocket was like a printer's towel—it would stand alone on one corner—so I blushed and told her I had lost mine. Things were getting rather serious for want of a kerchief, and she said, 'Dear me, I want to blow my nose awfully.'

"I bashfully informed her that perhaps I could offer a substitute, and she looked at me expectantly.

"'What?' she said

"'A—a—kiss,' said I, desperately.

"'Sir! Take me home this instant.'

"I meekly turned my horse around. 'I was only offering to fulfil a biblical injunction, Miss Rapphyno.'

"She looked at me relentlessly and coldly said:

"'How so?'

"'A kiss for a blow,' I said, meaningly, trying to smile. She blossomed out again in a minute.

"'I guess we needn't go home,' she said."—Denver News.

"Hurrah!"

What was the origin of the exclamation "hurrah?" There are few words still in use which can boast such a remote and widely extended prevalence as this. It is one of those interjections in which sound so echoes sense that men seem to have adopted it almost instinctively. In India and Ceylon the mahouts and attendants of baggage elephants cheer them along by a perpetual repetition of "Hur-re-re! Hur-re-re!" The Arabs and camel drivers in Turkey, Palestine and Egypt encourage their animals to speed by shouting "Arre, ar-re!"

The Moors in Spain drive their mules and horses with cries of "Arre!" In France the sportsman excites his hounds by his shouts of "Har-re, har-re!" The herdsmen of Ireland and Scotland shout "Hurrish! Hurrish!" to the stock they are driving. It is evidently an exclamation common to many nations, and is probably a corruption of "Turaie" (Thor aid), a battle cry of the ancient Norsemen, who called upon Thor, the god of thunder, to aid them in their strifes.—St. Louis Republic.

Forests of Europe and Africa.

"Since I have made my map," said Explorer Henry Stanley in an address to the Royal Geographical society, "I have taken the trouble to measure the extent of the area covered by this forest, and I find it to be something like 224,000,000 acres; and if we allow each tree thirty feet around for sufficient space, and only forty-eight trees to the acre, we have the colossal figure of 10,752,000,000 as the total number, and if we calculate the plants and saplings of the impenetrable undergrowth we shall be among the incalculable billions."

The forests of Europe, according to a recent report of one of the state foresters of Prussia, cover the following areas: Germany, 34,596,000 acres; Russia, 494,228,600 acres; Austria-Hungary, 46,951,700 acres; Sweden, 42,000,000 acres; France, 22,240,000 acres; Spain, 19,769,000 acres; Italy, 9,884,570 acres, and England, 2,471,000 acres.

Men Like to Give.

"Much obliged. Yes; don't care if I do," responded the close fisted man of our set as I asked him to help on a new wing to the orphan asylum where my wife was a directress. As I turned the corner I whipped the book out of my overcoat pocket, and stuck it under the nose of the most benevolent man in our crowd. "Well, well," he gasped. "I wouldn't have asked him, though. I should have expected to get a slap in the face, and I would rather have paid the $1,000 he has put down out of my own pocket than to have risked insult in asking him."

"Yes, and that is your constant mistake," I rejoined. "That is how you have earned your name for generosity. You give rather than ask. But I assure you that other men like to be asked. Men are better than they seem."—New York Weekly.

Look Out for Cheese.

A Virginia artillery company has been using cheeses in target practice, and it was shown that one of the cheeses fired against an earthen breastwork penetrated two feet further than a solid iron ball. They carry at point blank range farther than shot or shell. Look out for cheese rinds in the next war.—Detroit Free Press.

The cars on the Jungfrau railway have movable flaps, which may be expanded by the guard until they nearly touch the tunnel lining. In this way the car becomes a kind of piston, acting in the tunnel as a cyclinder, and the air acts as an automatic brake to check the speed of the descending car.

One of Ex-Senator Jones' Stories.

Ex-Senator Jones, when he first came to Detroit, was noted as an excellent story teller. Many citizens will recall one he told on several occasions. It was during a congressional campaign and he was "stumping" Florida. Arriving at a small town about noon he started out after dinner for a walk about the village, on the outskirts of which he came upon a building thronged with people. Upon inquiry he learned that the building was a church and that a wedding was about to take place. He edged his way through the crowd until he reached a spot where he had a good view of the bride and groom and the clergyman who was to perform the ceremony. The church was packed with the exception of a low, dark gallery near the roof. This was apparently deserted.

The minister proceeded with the ceremony until he came to the point where the custom then in vogue in that neighborhood required him to pause and inquire if there was any one present who knew any reason why the couple should not be made husband and wife. A hush fell upon the assemblage, and everybody waited in breathless suspense. Something of a sensation was caused when a voice came from the upper gallery, saying:

"Yes, I have."

All eyes were turned to the loft, where, seated all alone in the gloom, was barely discernible a meek looking little man, with a haggard face and dishevelled hair.

After the clergyman had recovered from his surprise he said, sternly: "State your reason, sir."

The suspense was turned to merriment by the man's reply:

"I want the gal myself," he said.—Detroit Free Press.

The Immensity of Space.

For a long period astronomers unsuccessfully endeavored to determine the distance between the stars and the earth, and it is only within a comparatively short time that the interesting problem can be said to have been solved. The distance which separates us from the nearest star is, according to Professor Nichols, about 206,000 times greater than the distance from the earth to the sun, or 95,000,000 of miles multiplied by 206,000.

Alpha, in the constellation of the Centaur, is the star nearest the earth; its light occupies three whole years in traversing the distance which separates us from the little blinking orb; or, in other words, should Alpha be blotted out of existence today we would be well into the summer of 1893 before the inhabitants of this mundane sphere would be aware that Alpha no longer existed. Yet light travels so rapidly as to occupy no perceptible space of time in flashing around our globe.

If the sun were transported to the place occupied by this, the nearest star, the vast circular disk, which in morning rises majestically above the horizon and in evening occupies a considerable time in descending entirely below the same line, would have dimensions puny in their insignificance. Colossal as the sun appears to us it would, were it possible for it to exchange positions with Alpha, take the Lick telescope to make it appear as a star of the third magnitude.—St. Louis Republic.

Ate Spools of Thread.

The great charm of a fox terrier is that you never can tell what he is going to do next. It is always the unexpected, you may be sure. A person uptown owns one that a short time ago suddenly took an unaccountable liking for spools of thread as an article of diet. He would swallow them whole, and his digestion did not seem to be impaired in the least by it. Upon one occasion the thread had become partially unwound before the spool was swallowed, and when the dog was discovered an end was hanging out of his mouth. His owner took hold of the end, and had no difficulty in reeling the thread out, leaving the dog only the empty spool. The operation was not followed by any disastrous results, but the terrier looked as if he had been cheated of something, and did not wag his stumpy tail vigorously for some time. —New York Tribune.

The Artists' Profits.

Of pictures by Meissonier the "Recit du Siege de Berg-of-Zoom," in the Secretan sale, which fetched 20,100 francs, is exactly the size of a five-franc silver piece, that is to say, smaller than one of our silver dollars. The picture is sometimes known among collectors as "La Piece de Cent Sous," and it is told of it that Meissonier painted it originally for M. de Chevigne at the rate of 100 francs an hour, and did it in three hours. A profit of 19,800 francs on a single picture ought to satisfy any one, except, possibly, the artist, who does not profit by the advance.—Exchange.

A hatless and coatless stranger rushed into a Tacoma store and asked if they could cash a $40 check for a man who has an office in the same building upstairs. Being told that they could the stranger rushed upstairs and in a moment came down with the check, which was then cashed. When it was sent to the bank the next day the forgery was discovered. The swindler escaped.

CIGARS THAT WERE CIGARS.

He Knew What They Were Because He Raised and Made Them Himself.

He was the conductor of a milk train on the Erie railroad, and he sat on a can at luncheon hour smoking in a reminiscent mood.

"Did you ever roll a cigar?" he asked the brakeman.

"Can't say I did," answered that worthy, spearing a piece of corned beef from his dinner pail with a case knife.

"I have," said the conductor. "I had a farm up country, and a man says to me, 'Hank, here's a little terbacker seed. See what you can do with it. And when it sprouts look out how you weed it, because terbacker looks terribly like mullein.' So I planted the seed, and when the plants got high enough I transplanted most of 'em, and every night I'd go out and spade around and water the plants and pile on the fertilizer. I never saw anything grow the way them terbacker plants did. I told the feller that gave me the seed how the plants was growin', and he came over to get some sprouts. He looked at the plants rather queer, felt the leaves and says he, 'Hank, yer terbacker 'll make fine mullein stalks.' And blamed if I hadn't been diggin' and waterin' a whole mullein patch.

"Well, sir, he give me some more seed, and I raised that terbacker and cut it. There was a woman lived near me that used to work in a cigar factory, so I got her to show me how to roll cigars, and then I went to work. I reckon the first cigar I made had enough terbacker in it to make five, and when I lit it I braced my feet agin the mantelpiece and pulled till I thought I'd bust. I had to bore that cigar with a gimlet before it would go, but after a while I got the hang of rolling, and I'd make up a boxful at a time. I tell you they was men's cigars. I never see anything since like the strength of 'em. The way they'd burn, too, was a caution. The light would wind all around one of them cigars like a cowpath, and you never knew how much smoke you had left.

"I used to go out with a pocketful and give 'em away, but I never seed a feller try one but once. I was down at the station one Sunday afternoon. We was sittin' in a milk car smokin', and a young feller came along I knew. He had on a brand new suit, and he wouldn't sit down on a milk can for fear of a grease spot. I offered him one of my cigars, and he lit up. Just about the fifth puff that feller sat down on a milk can as slick as could be; didn't mind the grease at all, and when he finished half an inch blamed if he didn't throw that cigar away, forget all about his new clothes, and plump right down in a heap on the dirty floor, with a face on him as white as the milk in a can. Before that young feller went home we thought he'd throw up his feet."

"I tell you," said the conductor thoughtfully, "them cigars was hummers."

"Didn't the smoke smell bad?" inquired the brakeman with much interest.

The conductor knocked the ashes out of his pipe and waved the engineer to start up. "Well," he replied diplomatically, "I didn't mind it."—New York Tribune.

Infection in Chewing Gum.

The practice of chewing gum has become very widespread. It is not a very elegant habit, to many it is positively repulsive, and there are sources of danger, too, that should not be overlooked. A case in point was related to us a few days ago. Diphtheria broke out in a family in East Des Moines. After the child had recovered, the clothing and all the exposed articles fully disinfected, the parents, with the convalescent child, visited some relatives in the country. The indispensable chewing gum, like Satan, went also—in the mouth of the little child. Prompted by generosity it allowed its country cousins—two children—to chew the gum previously chewed by the visiting child. In three or four days, without any other known source of infection than the chewing gum, the two children were simultaneously stricken down with diphtheria in a most serious form.—Exchange.

The Average Man's Taste.

As a rule the ingenious woman is much admired and sought after by the opposite sex. The average man cannot stand a woman who will wear her dress buttoned in the back, a la Kate Greenaway. He may condescend to talk to a woman dressed like a guy, but he will never, never take her out. The average man may call a dress a gown and mistake satin for silk and silk for satin, but his ideas on woman's dress are far more significant than many people suppose. He dislikes anything approaching the masculine in woman's dress, and a cardinal point in his belief is that the bodice of a gown should be of some soft material—never a shirt front and never beaded.—New York Press.

Twenty Dollars for Smith's Name.

Henry Smith, a drummer from the flats of Jersey, wrote his name on one of the outside windows in the top of the Washington monument. Officer James B. Evans, who is stationed at the monument, promptly arrested him, and Mr. Smith forfeited $20 collateral when the case was called in the police court a few hours later.—Washington Star.

Their Future Secure.

She—Come, get up, you silly fellow, and tell me how we are to live; we cannot live on love, you know.

He—No, but we can live on my love's father.—Chatter.

What is a cold in the head? Medical authorities say it is due to uneven clothing of the body, rapid cooling when in a perspiration, &c. The important point is, that a cold in the head is an inflamation of the lining membrane of the nose, which, when unchecked, is certain to produce a catarrhal condition—for catarrh is essentially a "cold" which nature is no longer able to "resolve" or throw off. Ely's Cream Balm has proved its superiority, and sufferers should resort to it before that common ailment becomes seated and ends in obstinate catarrh.

Pastor—"I should like to see you taking a more active interest in religious things, Miss Bessie." Miss Bessie—"I—I'm afraid it wouldn't do, Mr. Goodman. I couldn't be spared from the choir."

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"For a number of years I was stationed in the tropics, and, while there, suffered much from torpidity of the liver and indigestion.

Headaches

and nausea disabled me for days at a time, and it was only by the use of Ayer's Pills that I obtained relief."—E. A. Robinson, 151 School street, Lowell, Mass.

"Ayer's Pills cured me of liver complaint after five years of unavailing treatment. They have done me more good than any other medicine I have ever taken."—E. J. Fawcett, Green st., Charlestown, Mass.

"A year ago I was severely afflicted with

Jaundice.

My eyes and skin were saffron-color; I had constant pain in my back; was much troubled with constipation and piles, and I could hardly sit down without falling asleep. When I began taking Ayer's Pills my faith in remedies was almost gone; but this medicine helped me right away, and in less than three months I was completely cured."—Darius Norton, Pomerania, N. J.

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Woman's Column.

The "Glorious Fourth."

Sixteen States now have school suffrage for women. Kansas has municipal suffrage. Wyoming is the first State whose daughters are politically free. It is our hope that South Dakota will be the second. This year, for the first time, the Judiciary Committee of the U. S. House of Representatives has reported in favor of a sixteenth amendment enfranchising women.

As these results crown the labors of many years, it will be appropriate for the suffragists of the United States to hold meetings on the coming Fourth of July, for the double purpose of rejoicing over these victories and helping the Dakota campaign. Let such meetings be held on the Fourth wherever it is practicable, and at every meeting let a collection be taken up for Dakota. Hold literary exercises appropriate to the occasion, and secure good speakers and fine music. Let the women who believe in representative government enlist the men who also believe in it, and together let them make this a Fourth of July worth of a Republic.

SUSAN B. ANTHONY,
Vice Pres.-at-Large of National American W. S. A.

LUCY STONE,
Chairman Ex. Com.

Mrs. Mary Million of Madison County, Ky., the present incumbent, is a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Public Schools. The *Southern Journal* says: "Her administration has been so wise and beneficial that her re-election is assured, as she has no opponent. Eleven counties in the State now have women candidates for this office. Mrs. Million is the first woman in the State elected to the office."

Olive Logan, who now lives in London, has been chosen a member of a Society of Authors, of which Tennyson is the president and Walter Besant the secretary. This society gave a dinner to Mrs. Burnett when she achieved her triumph in the Fauntleroy litigation. Olive Logan was present and made a little speech, which, it is said, created such a favorable impression that she was elected to membership at the first vacancy.

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Remus (who is beginning on pie)—Dat doan' make no diff'nce to me. I ain't got no parlor in my stummick.

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A Virginia artillery company has been using cheese in target practice, and it was shown that one of the cheeses fired against an earthen breastwork penetrated two feet further than a solid iron ball. They carry at point plank range farther than shot or shell. Look out for cheese rinds in the next war.—*Detroit Free Press.*

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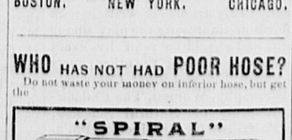

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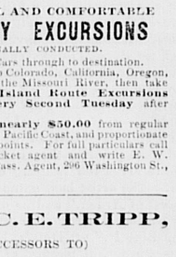

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Southern Division.

JUNE 30, 1890.

Passenger Service from Woburn.

FOR BOSTON, 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37, A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 7.11, 8.29, 8.45, 10.10, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.55, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35, 11.00 A. M., 12.10, 1.07, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 4.45, 5.35, 5.55, 6.15, 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, 10.00, 11.10 P. M.

SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 3.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.23, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.20 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS, 1890.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.16, 6.45, 7.45, 8.50, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.55, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.40, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

*Trips to Winchester only.

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IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1890.

Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
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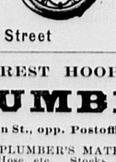

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"Yes, it's me, worse luck, Miss Comfort," whimpered poor Ellen.

"And what's the matter?"

"It's me bill up stairs, Miss Comfort—the boarder in the second story front, wid the gay, goold shirt studs an' the green and yellow stones in his sleeve buttons. Nine dallers and sivinty cents, Miss Comfort—six weeks' washing and ironing—and now, when I make bould to ax him would he be pleased to pay me, he tells me it isn't convanient. And when I tells him how sore I need money, he up and gets mad and says I shan't have it at all.

Miss Comfort stood listening, with knitted brow and troubled, black eyes.

"Have you got your bill with you, Ellen?" said she, after a moment's hesitation.

"Jimmy wrote it out, all nate and proper," faltered Ellen, producing a crumpled slip of blue paper from her pocket.

"Give it to me," said Miss Comfort Walker, "and come here this evening at 8 o'clock, and you shall have your money."

Ellen shook her head disconsolately.

"And thank you all the same, Miss Comfort, dear," said she, "but you can't no more't we can get blood from a stone."

"We'll see about that," said Miss Comfort.

She went slowly up stairs, with the little piece of paper in hand.

"It's a shame," said Miss Comfort.

Leotard Carlyon was Miss Comfort Walker's best boarder, with the single exception that up to the present moment, his twenty-five dollars a week had been in the future. Now, it so chanced that one reason for her reposing so much confidence in Mr. Leotard Carlyon, the new boarder, was that he was the nephew and heir apparent of Caleb Carlyon, the rich banker, from whom she rented her brown stone house, at the trifling consideration of $3000 per annum.

"He can't be a thorough-going imposter," said she to herself, "with such a relation as that."

So she went bravely up to Mr. Carlyon's room and tapped at the door.

"Come in," he called out. "Oh it's you, Miss Walker, is it?"

Miss Comfort advanced valiantly with the bill in her hand to where Leotard Carlyon reclined languidly amid a heap of sofa pillows, with a newspaper in his hand.

"Don't you think you could settle this little account, Mr. Carlyon?" she said. "The poor woman needs it very much."

Leotard Carlyon's handsome black brows darkened.

"She has been to you with her story, has she?" snarled he. "No, I can't settle it! And I wouldn't if I could. It's worth more than the money to me to be so badgered and beset. Have the goodness, Miss Walker, for the future to remember that I am able to attend to these little affairs for myself, without any extraneous interference."

"That means that I am to attend to my own business," thought our little housekeeper, as she retreated, coloring and rather indignant. "Well, I will, for I consider it my duty to obtain redress for the unfortunate."

So Miss Comfort tied on a little brown velvet hat she had trimmed with scarlet poppies and brown autumn leaves and set out bravely for the Mount Orient bank.

The clerks stared at her a little curiously as she was shown into the president's room at the back, where Mr. Carlyon sat, straight and upright, with blue eyes like a falcon and hair slightly sprinkled with gray.

He elevated his brows at sight of Miss Comfort Walker.

"I believe your rent is not due for a month yet, Miss Walker," he said, with the cold courtesy which always made her feel as if he were encased in an armor of ice.

"No," said the little lady, courageously; "but it's about your nephew, Mr. Leotard Carlyon," and she told the story of Ellen O'Brien and her wrongs.

"He ought to pay the money," said Miss Comfort, excitedly. "He must be made to pay the money."

"May I ask, Miss Walker, why you interest yourself so markedly in this affair?" the banker asked with a cold, measured calm, that contrasted strangely with the little woman's heat and flurry.

"Another way of telling me to mind my own business," said Miss Comfort to herself. But she kept up a bold front and answered:—

"Because I think no man has a right to cheat a poor woman out of her hard earned money."

"Cheat is a strong word, Miss Walker," observed her landlord.

"It's the only correct word in this case, Mr. Carlyon," retorted Miss Comfort, secretly marvelling at her own courage in thus daring to confront the stately banker.

"Perhaps he is owing something to yourself?" questioned the banker keenly.

"Yes, sir; he is," Miss Comfort made answer. "But it isn't that I came about. I am quite able to attend to my own financial debts, even to lose a little if it should be necessary, but this poor woman is friendless and alone."

Mr. Carlyon glanced at his watch. Miss Comfort turned toward the door.

"I'm very sorry that my time is no longer at my own disposal," said he, courteously.

And Miss Comfort went away almost crying.

"Now I've made an enemy of him, as well as Mr. Leotard, and haven't done the least bit of good," she thought. "And he will let the house to some one else in the spring, and—and—but, after all, I am not sorry that I did my best. Poor, poor Ellen! What shall I say to her when she comes at 8 o'clock?"

But that evening, just as Miss Comfort was beginning at her pile of account books, a ring came to the door, and Miss Comfort rose up, confused and fluttering.

"Miss Walker, prav don't let me disturb you," said the banker. "I have only dropped in for a little social call. You showed yourself to me today in a different light from any in which you have yet appeared."

"A dun!" demanded poor Miss Comfort, almost hysterically.

"No—a true-hearted, noble-natured woman! But you need no longer distress yourself. The bill is paid. And now, if you are at leisure, I'll just take my evening cup of tea with you."

How pleased and proud Miss Comfort was, as she poured the decoction of fragrant young hyson into her great-grandmother's cup, decorated with butterflies and oblong scrolls of gilt and violet. And how she kept wondering all the while how Carlyon, the great banker, could take such an interest in her homely, humdrum little affairs.

But if she had only known it, Mr. Carlyon seldom came across a true, real heart in his complicated business transactions.

"It's not true," said Mr. Leotard. "My uncle would never make such a fool of himself at his age. Why, he's fifty if he's a day."

"Only forty-four," said Mrs. Leigh Creswick, with malicious delight. "But, of course, it must be a great mortification to you, Mr. Leotard, who have always been looked upon as his heir. And to think too, he is going to marry that queer little old woman who keeps the boarding house. For it's true! As true as taxes! I saw the wedding ring myself at ——'s."

Leotard Carlyon gnawed silent at his mustache. How strangely little circumstances are woven together in life's web, he thought. If he had paid that whining washerwoman's bill, she would not have confided her woes to Miss Comfort Walker; and Miss Comfort Walker would not have gone to his uncle; and his uncle wouldn't have fallen in love with Miss Comfort's rosy cheeks and bonnet neither; and he would have still been the rich banker's heir apparent.

He wished he had paid the washerwoman's bill.

The Vampire Bat.

A great many Mulhatton yarns have been told by travelers about the "terrible bloodsucking vampires." The reader of South American travel is always treated to a dish of this kind of stuff, which, if half were facts, would make a fellow's hair stand on end to think of being compelled to sleep in open air in any part of northern South America. The facts seem to be that there is a species of bat, phyllostoma spectrum, inhabiting the Central American republics and South America as far south as the yakada, which if pressed for food will fasten itself on animals and the exposed parts of the human body for the purpose of sucking blood.

That sleeping persons are not awakened by the bat, and that the incisions through which the blood is drawn readily heal, should be taken as proof positive that the vampire bat stories, like the human vampire stories of Hungary, are but fabrications of diseased imaginations. The little vampire is an insect eater, perfectly harmless, and not at all feared by the natives of the region which it infests.

A recent traveler (Clarke, 1888) says: "I have slept out in the open air in the Xingu country in all kinds of weather: have seen hundreds, yes, thousands, of vampire bats, but have always found them perfectly harmless, as much so as the native black bat of Pennsylvania and York state."—*St. Louis Republic.*

Government.

There are occasional gleams of humor even in the most serious articles which newspapers ever publish. A recent one one on "The Business Outlook" contained the following paragraph:

"Thanks to the administration's want of foresight the dry weather of the past season has become exceedingly menacing to the agricultural interest."

The journal does not explain how the government could have prevented a drought in a portion of the country, or a wet season in another. Perhaps it thinks that the government ought to have some influence with its own barometer.

This criticism brings to mind the not unfamiliar criticism of a western farmer in a season of heavy rains.

"Rain, rain, rain!" said the farmer. "An' this is what we get for electin' old Bill Flood governor last fall!"—*Youth's Companion.*

Diseased Pork.

Many persons who never venture to eat pork on account of its alleged unwholesomeness will not deny themselves the use of bacon and ham under the belief that when cured the much abused flesh of the pig is purified of all its noxious qualities. They can now, unfortunately, no longer maintain this position, for recent investigation has shown that salting or pickling seems to have little, if any, destructive effect upon the common forms of bacilli which are found in diseased meat. Experiment showed that such meat, after being in pickle for two months, exhibited multitudes of these living germs of disease. The experiments have been carried out with care, but it is not stated whether or not meat which has been subjected to the operation of smoking as well as pickling is freed from its disease provoking germs.—*New York Telegram.*

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

"Hurrah!"

What was the origin of the exclamation "hurrah?" There are few words still in use which can boast such a remote and widely extended prevalence as this. It is one of those interjections in which sound so echoes sense that men seem to have adopted it almost instinctively. In India and Ceylon the mahouts and attendants of baggage elephants cheer them along by a perpetual repetition of "Hur-re-re! Hurre-re!" The Arabs and camel drivers in Turkey, Palestine and Egypt encourage their animals to speed by shouting "Ar-re, ar-re!"

The Moors in Spain drive their mules and horses with cries of "Arre!" In France the sportsman excites his hounds by his shouts of "Har-re, har-re!" The herdsmen of Ireland and Scotland shout "Hurrish! Hurrish!" to the stock they are driving. It is evidently an exclamation common to many nations, and is probably a corruption of "Turaie" (Thor aid), a battle cry of the ancient Norsemen, who called upon Thor, the god of thunder, to aid them in their strifes.—*St. Louis Republic.*

See What

The well-known manager of excursions to Washington, California, and the White Mountains, I. A. Whitcomb, says: I have never had anything do me so much good as your Sulphur Bitters. It is the best spring medicine I ever used. I would advise all who suffer from biliousness and dyspepsia to use Sulphur Bitters, for I know they cured me.

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Bargains in SUMMER CLOTHING, including Alpaca and Seersucker Coats and Vests, Flannel Sacks, Cheviot and Flannel Shirts, Tennis Caps, Bicycle Hose and Supporters, Belts, Athletic Shirts, Summer Underwear, Hosiery, Neckwear, Straw Hats, &c.
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Food Value of Fresh Fruit.

We do not attach to fresh fruit the food value it actually bears; for instance, bananas. A keen social analyst has said that the habits and obligations of civilized life are purely a question of geography, and the uses of food are so absolutely. In that wonderful record of perils and triumphs, "In Darkest Africa," Stanley cites among his chief resources against starvation bananas, plantains and a large variety of pineapple. From days too painfully near starvation, when two bananas daily was all the food he could allow himself, to that time of plenty when the foragers brought in four tons, the sole nutriment was bananas and plantains—"with what cries of joy these wild children of nature flung themselves upon the fruit and kindled fires to roast and boil and bake." If the reader would know the possibilities of this admirable fruit let her try thick slices dipped in butter, salt and pepper and broiled, or breaded and fried, or baked, or made into fritters. Even boiled plain they are as good in their way as boiled tomatoes.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

The Old Creeds and the New.

An unecclesiastical and broad minded clergyman whom we will call Smith was walking down Broadway in company with a friend whom we will call Jones. Pretty soon they met an acquaintance of Jones, who presented his clerical companion in these words: "Let me introduce you to my friend, the Rev. Mr. Smith, who as you may infer, makes divinity his specialty." "Pardon me for making a correction," said Mr. Smith laughing, "but if I make a specialty of anything it is humanity rather than divinity." This answer shows the very marked line of cleavage between the old and the new school of clergymen. The former thought so much of the attributes of God that they had little time to think of man; while the latter pay so much attention to man that they have little room in their system for abstract speculations about God.

Why Is It Popular.

Because it has proven its absolute merit over and over again, because it has an unequalled record of cures, because its business is conducted in a thoroughly honest manner, and because it combines economy and strength, being the only medicine of which "100 Doses One Dollar" is true—these strong points have made Hood's Sarsaparilla the most successful medicine of the day.

It is rather significant that the English should send the Grenadiers to Bermuda just now. They seem extremely anxious to get that garrison strengthened. But Uncle Sam does not seem over curious about this increase of troops in his immediate vicinity.

Among the immigrants who landed at New York on Wednesday was a male infant 16 months old, sent from Ireland to his mother in this country, in charge of an Irish immigrant. The passengers on the steamer raised a purse of $100 for him.

A fresh expedition is to be sent to the Congo for the purpose of attempting the solution of the remaining problems connected with the remote feeders of the great river. It is to consist of seven Europeans sent out by the Congo Commercial Company.

In twenty years 1204 men were killed in the anthracite mines in Pennsylvania.

Forests of Europe and Africa.

"Since I have made my map," said Explorer Henry Stanley in an address to the Royal Geographical society, "I have taken the trouble to measure the extent of the area covered by this forest and I find it to be something like 224,000,000 acres; and if we allow each tree thirty feet around for sufficient space, and only forty-eight trees to the acre, we have the colossal figure of 10,752,000,000 as the total number, and if we calculate the plants and saplings of the impenetrable undergrowth we shall be among the incalculable billions."

The forests of Europe, according to a recent report of one of the state foresters of Prussia, cover the following areas; Germany, 34,593,000 acres; Russia, 494,228,600 acres; Austria-Hungary, 46,951,700 acres; Sweden, 42,000,000 acres; France, 22,240,000 acres; Spain, 19,769,000 acres; Italy, 9,884,570 acres, and England, 2,471,000 acres.

Men Like to Give.

"Much obliged. Yes; don't care if I do," responded the close fisted man of our set as I asked him to help on a new wing to the orphan asylum where my wife was a directress. As I turned the corner I whipped the book out of my overcoat pocket, and stuck it under the nose of the most benevolent man in our crowd. "Well, well," he gasped. "I wouldn't have asked him, though. I should have expected to get a slap in the face, and I would rather have paid the $1,000 he has put down out of my own pocket than to have risked insulting him."

"Yes, and that is your constant mistake," I rejoined. "That is how you have earned your name for generosity. You give rather than ask. But I assure you that other men like to be asked. Men are better than they seem."—*New York Weekly.*

The vicissitudes of climate are trying to most constitutions, especially to people having impure blood. For all such (and they constitute the majority), the best safeguard is Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the use of which cleanses the blood and strengthens and invigorates the system.

In Hungary during the generous harvest season the gangs are given meat three times a week. When the carcass of woolly mutton appears it is surrounded with joyous cries, each eager and clamorous for his share of the unwonted treat.

The Twelve Apostles is the name of the great war vessel of 8200 tons which the Russian Government is just about to launch at Sebastopol. A larger vessel, called St. George the Conqueror, is in building at the same place.

In Russia the pesantry begin to work in summer at 2 a. m. and knock off at 9 p. m., with periods of rest equal to two or three hours, leaving from sixteen to seventeen hours' work per day.

The New York Elevator Conductor's Society has established a benevolent fund which provides for the payment of $6 a week in case of sickness, and allows $100 to the heirs of deceased members.

According to the annual report of Carroll D. Wright, United States Commissioner of Labor, there are 1518 railroad corporations in this country, and the total number of employes is 700,000.

In the Tyrol women work *not only* in the fields, but on the highways, wielding picks and trundling wheelbarrows.

Machinery makers in every section of the country appear to be crowded with orders.

INK BAGS.

"The Cuttle Fish has a kind of gland, called the *ink bag*, from which, when pursued, it throws out a brownish black liquor that darkens the water, enabling it to escape observation."—*Webster's Dictionary.*

Just so do the Alum and Ammonia Baking Powder manufacturers, who have for years been palming off on the unsuspecting housewife their adulterated powder as "absolutely pure." As soon as the fraud which they practice is shown up by the baking powder "testers," their ink bag opens and out comes the dirty liquor of falsehood and misrepresentation in the form of reading notices in the newspapers under such headings as: "Trying to Defraud Housekeepers," "Sneak Thieves in Disguise," "Overshooting the Mark," etc., in the hope that their adulterations and fraud will thereby escape observation.

Since the public have learned that these nasty ejections from the baking powder cuttle fish are not editorials, but advertisements, paid for by the wincing Baking Powder Co., they understand how a Company willing to resort to such methods has the hardihood to distort and falsify even Government Reports.

The Cleveland Baking Powder Co. makes an article so pure and wholesome that it is willing to have the composition known, and therefore prints it on every can, and fears no test that can be made.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

OUR GROWTH.

The figures which we reproduce in another column of the JOURNAL from a computation made by Chief Wadlin of the Bureau of Statistics and Labor respecting the population of this city and its growth during the last 10 years cannot but prove to be in the highest degree gratifying to those who care anything about the prosperity of the place. The increase of the number of inhabitants was as surprising as pleasing to most people for the conviction was quite general that, by reason of causes which could not be controlled the report of the census-takers would be anything but a flattering one or one that we should be likely to feel much pride in.

The figures are very encouraging. They show that our city is making splendid progress in the right direction—it is growing in population, and additional ones will of course show that it is growing in business and wealth. This with a handsome reduction in the rate of taxation ought to give Woburn a boom this year.

There is everything to encourage the business men of Woburn to cordially join hands and work for its future prosperity. If our citizens will unite as one man to keep home business at home and not bestow so much of their patronage on Boston; if they will join together to advance the interests of home industries; if they will put their shoulders to the wheel and increase their efforts to secure a greater variety of them; if they will only give "a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together," when the next State census is taken, in 1895, it will be found that this city has distanced all competitors in its growth of population, business, and wealth.

THE LAWRENCE TORNADO.

At about 10 o'clock last Saturday forenoon a very destructive tornado struck South Lawrence and No. Andover, 15 miles northeast of this city, and in both localities did a great deal of damage. Some six or eight lives were lost and 30 or 40 people were more or less injured, many of them seriously. A large number of buildings, among them the Catholic church, were unroofed, shattered, or totally destroyed in South Lawrence and some at No. Andover, and the loss of property, on which there was no tornado insurance, was very great.

In the locality visited were the homes of many factory operatives, on which class the loss in death, personal injury and property principally falls. They were neat, nice residences, generally the abode of peace and plenty, but in a moment scores of them were swept away before the irresistible force of the cyclone.

The tornado, which was accompanied by a powerful rain and terrific thunder and lightning, lasted only a few seconds, but in its march from near the So. Lawrence station of the Boston & Maine Railroad, due east, to No. Andover, almost every obstacle encountered was torn to pieces and levelled to the ground.

It was estimated that from 40,000 to 50,000 people visited the scene of the cyclone on Sunday.

OF COURSE.

The renomination of State Auditor Ladd by the Republicans is not only a foregone conclusion but is very desirable from any standpoint. Efficiency and honesty in a public official are very desirable.—*Boston Journal.*

Not to nominate Auditor Ladd, one of the most efficient and faithful of all the Commonwealth's officers, would be a great mistake.

But then, nobody contemplates such a thing, and any other kind of talk is idle.

IN HONOR OF THE OCCASION.

Very wisely and patriotically, we think, the city government have ordered that Municipal Building, the seat of said government, shall be closed on August 12 in honor of the great National G. A. R. parade which is to take place in Boston that day.

It was due to the two Posts in this city that such action should be taken.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The State Committee held a meeting last week and made arrangements for the Republican State Convention, Wednesday, Sept. 17, was fixed upon as the date for holding it, and Tremont Temple, Boston, as the place.

☞ The Boston *Evening Traveller* is nothing if not enterprising. It is always wideawake for news and never fails "to get there" on time and in the best of shape. Last Saturday afternoon in gathering up and giving to the public the news of the great tornado at Lawrence the *Traveller* distanced all competitors. It was the first to have an account of the affair in print and on the streets; it had the fullest and most reliable report of it; and it demonstrated to a dot that when it comes to getting right up and doing things—doing them quicker and better than anybody else—the *Traveller* is the genuine "Old Reliable" every day in the week, Sundays excepted. Besides all which the Boston *Evening Traveller* is one of the livest and best dailies published in New England.

☞ Complaints against the U. S. Census Bureau on the score of poor work are well nigh universal. Nobody anywhere appears to be satisfied with the count. An Englishman is at the head of the Bureau, which may or may not have something to do with it.

But Woburn is not grumbling much.

☞ The Suburban Press Association will hold their next meeting and banquet at the Crawford House in Boston on Saturday, Aug. 16. Several distinguished gentlemen are expected to address the craft on that occasion.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

C. H. Dudley—Wanted.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
E. J. Gregory—Auctioneer.
Holbrook & Adams—For Sale.
M. and C. Littlefield—Adm. Notice.
C. A. & F. H. Burdett—Com. College.

— See programme of St. Charles Minstrel show.

— Soda fountains have been in great demand lately.

— James McGrath has gone to Hampton Beach.

— Mayor Johnson is away on a brief vacation trip.

— Mr. Carter occupies the Stantial House at Annesquam.

— Mr. C. H. Dudley wants to hire a house. See his card.

— Miss Emma Fowle has returned from her visit to N. H.

— Mrs. Maggie Ellis and son are at Cape Cod for an outing.

— Mr. Mark C. Felch's family are visiting at Milford, N. H.

— Mr. Robert Duncan has returned from his trip to Nova Scotia.

— J. P. Buckman has been having a good time at Popham Beach.

— George W. Duren and wife were at Lake Quinsigamond last week.

— Wednesday was a melter, else we do not know what a melter means.

— Miss Flagg was at the Pacific House, Nantasket, a few days ago.

— Rev. Frank Keyes is ill, but his friends hope for his speedy recovery.

— Mrs. Eliza Fowle is quite ill, but an early improvement is looked for.

— A new water main is being put in between Scott and Chestnut street.

— Business was never duller in Woburn than just at the present time.

— Mrs. James Walker is about to visit her daughter at Danbury, N. H.

— Mrs. Hortense Taylor and her son George have returned from Saratoga.

— Miss Maggie Robertson and Miss Mary Kenney are summering at Andover.

— Mr. Richard A. Walsh returned last Monday from a pleasant visit to Hopkinton.

— The new Colony of Pilgrim Fathers embraces nearly the entire city government.

— Mrs. James I. Hanson is spending a few weeks at Uxbridge, her native town.

— Box 379 of Winchester offers a fine 7-year old horse for sale. Read the notice of it.

— Another scorcher yesterday. Old Prob hits the nail on the head every pop now-a-days.

— Miss Mary Maloney of Salem street is visiting her cousin, Miss Lizzie Howard, at Lowell.

— It has been very hot indeed a part of the time this week. So much better for the beaches.

— W. R. Sawyer is with a Boston Orchestra at Kearsarge House, North Conway, for the season.

— The Scandinavians will have a very neat, nice and commodious church edifice when completed.

— J. W. Johnson, Esq., and family have got back from a pleasant overland trip into New Hampshire.

— Windsor Hotel is crowded plum full of boarders. Who says Woburn is not a fine summer retreat?

— Mr. Robert J. W. Phinney and wife have returned from a two weeks vacation in New Hampshire.

— Miss Alice Carr is spending a fortnight very enjoyably at Holliston where she is visiting relatives.

— Principal Dow of the High School has returned from a pleasant vacation trip to Philadelphia and thereabouts.

— The Tanners and Curriers Assembly will hold their annual picnic at Oak Island on the 23d of this month.

— Sunday, although quite warm, was on the whole an enjoyable day as to weather, but Monday was a scorcher.

— Miss Cummings, daughter of Mr. E. N. Cummings formerly of the West Side, is visiting friends in this city.

— Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, the talented Associated Press reporter, has moved into a suite of rooms in College Block.

— Miss Grace Cummings will go to delightful Camden (Me.) for her summer outing. She has made a wise choice.

— Persons who would rest easy and sleep soundly these hot nights need one of Mr. Joel Barnard's Whitney's spring beds.

— Officer James Connolly, after a long and severe illness, has got out on to the streets again. He has had a tough time.

— A few additional seats on the Common near the band stand would make it a delightful place to wait for the horse cars.

— That City Collector Maguire will be re-elected unanimously next December is one of the perfectly sure things in Woburn politics.

— A vicious dog badly mangled a finger for a son of Mr. W. H. Cummings a few days ago. Thought the dogs were muzzled.

— The Scandinavian Sewing Circle had a very successful auction sale of fancy and useful articles the other day. It netted about $90.

— Mr. Joseph Field, salesman at Dickinson's market, returned from a vacation at Fort Popham, down below Portland, last Friday.

— Two Woburn Aldermen have died while in active service during the 18 months of the city's existence—Aldermen True and Golden.

— Gregory, the auctioneer, will attend to vendues at Winchester and neighborhood on the most reasonable terms. He is a good one.

— Mr. Wilbur Cummings is building a fine residence on Academy Hill near Capt. J. P. Crane's on a part of what was the Skelton estate.

— The general verdict is that more Woburn people are away on vacation than on any previous summer. Guess general verdict is about right.

— Miss C. Adelaide Richards, with a party of four, is spending her vacation at Bristol, N. H., and taking a great deal of real solid comfort.

— Mr. Haynes, whose harness shop and store is on Montvale Ave just off from Main street, is having a good run of custom and is doing firstrate.

— Caldwell, the furniture manufacturer and dealer, would like to buy Carter's rink for business purposes if its site could be bought at a reasonable price.

— George H. Ellison, one of the most prosperous of all the JOURNAL's graduates, called and looked lovingly over his old stamping grounds here last week.

— By reference to the list published in this paper it will be seen that we have a plenty of outgoing and incoming mails to accommodate the public demand.

— Fred Leeds's White Mt. excursion, by sea and land, will come off on Aug. 5. Anybody who misses that trip will miss the best thing of the season.

— The Globe Theatre opens the fall season, Monday, August 11, with Gorman's Minstrels. This is one of the finest minstrel and variety shows that travels.

— Mrs. J. O. Cummings is spending the summer in New Hampshire. Her daughter, Mrs. O. T. Curtis, is passing the vacation season with her mother.

— Supt. Crilley is making preparations to put in the water main from the pumping works to the reservoir. He is nearly ready to begin to cast the pipe for it.

— Mr. Charles J. Claffy, one of Woburn's popular young men, started last Sunday evening for Kennebunkport, Maine, where he will remain for a fortnight.

— The Boston *Courier*, which is an authority on matters of lawn games as well as on society affairs, says a revival of croquet is imminent. It is a very nice sport.

— The home of Mrs. Bridget Collins, this city, was broken into last Tuesday by a pair of tramps, who obtained hardly plunder enough to pay them for their trouble.

— The *North Texas Farmer*, Mr. J. S. Colgate's paper published at Paris, Texas, appears to be a live, wideawake weekly which shows unmistakable signs of prosperity and thrift.

— While many towns have been getting short in their water supply Woburn has had a plenty and lots to spare. It would take a big drouth to shorten the water supply in this city.

— Mrs. A. Clement, whose husband was killed by the cars at Stoneham a month ago, has been paid a death benefit of $4,000 for the loss of her husband by the Golden Cross.

— City Treasurer John C. Buck, with his family and company of friends, has returned from a visit to Lake Winnepiseogee, a favorite N. H. resort of many Woburn people.

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis has taken a large contract for railroad grading in Vermont. The work to be done is not far from St. Johnsbury and involves the expenditure of many thousands of dollars.

— The City Assessors are getting so they can see the end of their job for 1890. It is a big one to list the property in this city, make the assesments, and put it all on the books for the Collector.

— Mr. E. J. Gregory, auctioneer and dealer in real estate, advertises his business in the JOURNAL this week. He also carries on the insurance and represents some firstclass companies. Read his card.

— Milton, Mass., has been the abiding place for the last fortnight of Miss Mary Moore of Union street. She is visiting her friend Miss Nellie Kenney, now of that place but formerly a resident of Woburn.

— A finely executed photograph of Major William W. Wade of this city adorns the exhibition board of one of Boston's largest photographic establishments on Tremont street. It is an excellent likeness.

— If any linguist in this city has a desire to try his luck on a few jaw breaking names let him tackle the "list of unclaimed letters" in this paper. If that don't floor him he'll do to travel in foreign parts.

— Mrs. Sophia Stevens of Jersey City, N. J., daughter of the late Samuel B. Tidd of this place, died at her home last week Thursday, July 24. She had numerous relatives and many old friends in this city.

— Mr. E. L. Shaw and family are at Jackson, N. H., for their summer recuperation. The place is away up among the mountains, cool and salubrious, and has always been a favorite resort for Woburn people.

— Peter McGoff of this city has received 1144 votes for the *Globe's* 1000-dollar sword, and Commander James L. Pinkham of Post 161 has received 518. Scattering votes have been cast for other Vets.

— Mrs. Frederic Flint celebrated the 80th anniversary of her birthday yesterday. She is well and as bright and active as person 15 years younger. May she celebrate many more birthday anniversaries.

— Mr. Herbert Richardson of Erie, Penna., and family have returned here from the beaches and are stopping at the pleasant residence of Mr. Chandler Parker on Canal street. Mr. Richardson was formerly a "Woburn Boy."

— Mr. Alexander Grant will leave to-morrow for Pictou, N. S., his native town, where he will remain a fortnight or so. He will go from Boston to Halifax, N. S., per steamer Halifax, thence to Pictou by rail. Mr. Grant makes it a practice to visit his mother, who is now 83 years old, at the old homestead, every summer.

— Hundreds of people went from this city last Sunday to view the ruins left by the great Lawrence tornado last Saturday morning. Many modes of conveyances were resorted to and the city was left pretty bare of inhabitants.

— Mr. Lewis White, of the Lyceum Building tonsorial parlors, has secured the services of a first class hair-cutter and shaver. He ranks at the head of the profession. Particular attention paid to the cutting of ladies' and children's hair.

— No clew to the Goddard burglary last week has yet been struck. They made a good haul of gold and silver goods, including a fine gold watch, solid silver table ware, jewelry, etc. and it is very doubtful if any of it is ever recovered.

— Mrs. S. T. Converse and daughter of Sherman Place in this city are at their favorite resort again this summer, namely, West Compton, N. H. Both ladies think there is no place like West Compton for genuine summer rest and pleasure.

— Mr. Postmaster Reade has succeeded in getting a morning mail for Woburn direct from New York without stopping at Boston. Allow brother Reade time enough and he will give this city a mail service that we may well feel proud of.

— Col. A. L. Richardson has gone into it too. Just as soon as the fad struck him he went off and bought a camera and at the rate he is going on a whole picture gallery will be the swift reward of his picture-taking talents and industry.

— These are good nights for burglars to operate in. Windows in sleeping apartments are generally left open, to take advantage of which thieves are not generally slow. Look out for open windows if unpleasant visits from burglars would be avoided.

— Mr. Waldo Thompson, of the Thompson hardware establishment, wife and Miss Winnie DeLoriea have returned from a visit to Nantucket which, they unite in declaring, is the very best place in the world at which to pass the heated term.

— Mr. Water Register A. P. Barrett will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for "comps" to the dramatic entertainment to be given by the St. Charles Minstrels for the benefit of G. A. R. Post 33 in Lyceum Hall on next Monday evening, August 4.

— Mr. F. H. Nourse of Winchester is a prominent real estate dealer and auctioneer in Boston and Winchester and does a great deal of business in his line elsewhere in this part of the State. He is considered one of the fairest and most reliable men in the business.

— Moses P. Brown of East Boston, Governor of the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, has appointed Mr. George W. Nichols of 396 Main street, this city, Deputy Governor. A new Colony is now forming for full particulars of which apply to Mr. Nichols.

— Notwithstanding the rain Auctioneer Gregory made a capital sale of the Descheneaux place at Allenville last Saturday. It was valued for taxation $1,000, but Gregory, working the business up in energetic style, sold it for $1185. Everybody said it was a fine sale.

— Gems of art in Mirrors, Cheval Glasses, Cabinets, Antique Desks, Corner and Reception Chairs, and unique pieces of lovely furniture dazzle and almost bewilder the visitor in his first visit to the spacious warerooms of Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Dog days began on July 25 and it was a remarkable fact that the weather was in perfect keeping with the almanac. We felt that day the first touch of dog days weather for the summer, and people remarked how unusual it was to have date and temperature so closely agree.

— The wedding of Dr. Winn of Winchester and Miss Mary Reade of this city will take place in St. Charles Church next Tuesday evening to be followed by a reception in Music Hall. The *elite* of this and neighboring cities will be present and witness the ceremonies and participate in the reception.

— Mr. John Duncan, Superintendent of the Boston Clothing Company's store, will probably take a 4 days trip with the De Molay Commandery of Knights Templars, Somerville through the Old Granite State. They expect to have a big time and Knights seldom fail in their calculations in respect of such matters.

— Mr. Francis A. Buckman and family, and Mr. E. G. Clough and family left for Marblehead Neck day before yesterday where they will remain for a few weeks. Mr. Alvah Buckman and wife will go down next week, when he hopes to be fully recovered from the attack of illness he had last week.

— Our esteemed friend, Mr. Marshall Tidd of No. Woburn, and wife started yesterday for a trip through Southern New Hampshire, and will be gone two or three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Tidd are getting to be quite tourists and it would not surprise us to hear that they had embarked for a European trip.

— The street cars on both routes from here are well patronized every day from 5 to 10 o'clock p. m. A trip to Medford Square, or Malden, or any of the wayplaces, in the cool of the evening, is just as delightful as anything can possibly be. A great many people understand this and govern themselves accordingly every evening.

— The grocers of this city have concluded not to observe "Grocers Day" in the usual form this year, but to join in with the general G. A. R. celebration on Aug. 12, and let it go at that. They do not want two holidays in August and the 12th they are in duty bound to observe in honor of the National G. A. R. encampment in Boston.

— The long and severe drouth broke all to pieces last Friday whereat the earth and vegetation greatly rejoiced. Not a drop of rain fell during the whole haying season and the crop was never secured in better condition in the world. Just as soon as the haying was well through with the rain came in great abundance and the potato crop will be from fair to middling.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Alderman S. B. Goddard returned from Jackson, N. H., last Tuesday evening where he left Mrs. Goddard and her sister Miss Frost, who are enjoying the cool mountain air of that favorite summer resort very much. They will remain there a fortnight or so longer, during which time Mr. Goddard will probably revisit the scene of his last week's pleasures.

— Captain William C. Parker of the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx (Co. G, 5th Regt. M. V. M.), with Mr. C. E. Osgood of Somerville, went down to Providence, R. I., last Monday evening and on Tuesday accepted an invitation from a crack yachting club there to take a cruise and a big yachting dinner, both of which were highly enjoyed by Capt. Parker and Mr. Osgood.

— We are indebted to Messrs. B. B. Brown & Co., No. 10 Faneuil Hall Square, Boston, per Mr. B. B. Brown of this city, senior member of the firm, for a bottle af Worcestershire Sauce, and another of Pepper Relish, the latter put up by B. B. B. personally. For which evidence of good will Brown & Co. and Mr. Brown will please accept the JOURNAL's best thanks.

— Assessors Col. Grammer, Ferguson and Prior did the handsome thing by the JOURNAL last week in furnishing important information respecting the tax rate this year. The figures were what the tax-payers desired to see, realizing which fact the accommodating Assessors here mentioned kindly furnished them on request, for which they will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks.

— On next Monday evening, Aug. 4, the St. Charles Minstrels will give a concert at Lyceum Hall for the benefit of Post 33, G. A. R., to which the price of tickets has been fixed at 35 cents. This combination has given a good many fine musical entertainments in this city. It is composed of firstrate talent and a most excellent performance may be expected from them next Monday evening.

— Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald, proprietor of Hotel Windsor in this city, started last Wednesday evening for New York city where she intended to remain a day or so and then to take one of the floating palaces on the Hudson and voyage up that romantic and delightful river to Albany, thence proceed on to Saratoga and such other resorts as may be calculated to gratify her fancy for travel and sight-seeing. Her trip will include a visit to the White Mountains of course.

— After an illness of several months Alderman Michael Golden died at his home at Montvale last Tuesday of Bright's disease. He had been Superintendent of the B. & L. freight yards in Boston for many years; was formerly a member of the Woburn Board of Selectmen; has represented Ward 5 in the Board of Aldermen ever since the incorporation of the city, and was esteemed an honest, upright man and good citizen. He left a wife and several children to mourn his death.

— Bristol, N. H., is getting to be a famous resort for Boston and suburban people. The JOURNAL has recorded the arrival there of numerous representatives of Woburn's best society. Last week Mrs. Marcellus Littlefield (wife of the accomplished reporter of the Boston *Herald*), Mrs. John Ferguson (wife of the Commodore who is at the head of the Almshouse Committee), and her daughter Mabel, went up to that choice country retreat for a good time and at last accounts they were having it.

— Assessor John Ferguson, whose official station requires him to make and keep notes of the same, says almost anybody would be surprised to go over this city and ascertain how many buildings have been erected during the past year. There have been so many of them that their aggregate value more than offsets the loss on personal property chiefly occasioned by the inactivity in the factories of James Skinner & Co., Eustice Cummings & Co., Bryant & King, and others.

— Thomas Beatty, the well known athlete of this city, was one of the participants in the sports at the Lynn Lasters Union picnic, held at Lake Walden last Monday, and made quite an addition to an already enviable record in the line of athletic sports. He took first prize in the standing and three long jumps and was defeated in one heat in the 135 yard handicap of 48 entries where he received a start of only 5 1-4 yards ahead of Mills and Bowen, two of America's best sprinters.

— The following are the officers (elected last Monday evening) of the Woburn Mutual Benefit Assseciation, an insurance Order recently established here: President, John G. Maguire; Vice President, Elmore A. Pierce; Clerk, Charles K. Conn; Treasurer, Lawrence Reade; Directors, John I. Munroe, James L. Pinkham, Isaac A. Howe, Edward J. Gregory, Myron B. Field, George W. Nichols, Elliot L. Packard, Elmore A. Pierce, Lawrence Reade. Bylaws were adopted and an application made for a charter.

— Mr. B. F. Kimball of No. Woburn received a letter from Rev. Charles Anderson, formerly pastor of the No. Woburn Congregational Church but for the last two years a professor in Robert College, Constantinople, Turkey, of which his brother-in-law, Mr. Washburn, is President and his father-in-law, Rev. Dr. Hamlin, was the founder, which contained the gratifying intelligence that Pastor Anderson and his family were all well and enjoying life as fully as they could expect to do so far away from their native sod. President Washburn has been in America nearly a year during which period Prof. Anderson has had the principal charge of the College, for the proper discharge of the duties of which position he is abundantly able. There are many people in Woburn who would like to see Rev. and Mrs. Anderson again.

— From present appearances the auction sale of real estate on Academy Hill tomorrow afternoon by Auctioneer Prior will be largely attended by men of means who are after the most desirable residence property in this city. The JOURNAL, by error, stated that the lot lies between Capt. Crane's and the estate of J. H. Cummings; it should have said, between Capt. Crane's and the new house of Mr. Wilbur Cummings, for there is where it is. Mr. Skelton's advertisement conveys full information respecting the property and the reader is referred to the same. There can be doubt at all but that somebody will get a big bargain in the lot, for it is going to be sold anyhow.

— Last Tuesday Mr. Waterman Brown, historian of the Boston & Lowell Railroad, and its faithful employee from the beginning of it to the present time, submitted for our inspection "An Act" passed by the General Court of Massachusetts, April 14, 1852, to discontinue the old Middlesex canal and dissolve the Company owning it, which was incorporated by an Act of said General Court passed June 22, 1793. The document is endorsed "House—No. 182," and is the printed report of the Committee on Railways and Canals issued, as is the custom, for the use of the members. The act was passed and the old Middlesex canal corporation went out of existence on April 14, 1852, and the canal itself gradually followed.

— The fish dealers of Woburn believe in the home market principle, and are petitioning the home government to put a heavy tariff (license) on the out of town peddlers who come there to dispose of their raw material (fish). These fish dealers have nothing to say about the Woburnites who go into the neighboring cities and towns to traffic. However, the principle of spending your money among your own merchants, as far forth as you can, is a good one and to be commended.—*Lynn Bee.* Aye; when the business is brought right home to our individual pockets we are all good protective tariff people. Every mother's son of us believes in looking out for No. One first, and that is the bedrock idea of a National protective tariff.

— Capt. Frank Wellock, of Boston pilot-boat No. 2, and wife came over from their home at East Boston a few afternoons ago and recuperated and strengthened themselves on a lot of good, substantial country fodder found at the residence of the JOURNAL folks on Church Avenue. Capt. Wellock is one of the oldest Boston pilots in point of service, although by far from being the oldest in years, and if there is anything connected with getting in and out of Boston Harbor, or with anything a good distance beyond it, that he don't known all about then it must be something that isn't laid down in the charts or contained in nautical works. He has been all over it a thousand times and staid there all night too. They were accompanied by Miss Emma Busell of 21 Chelsea St., East Boston.

— Mr. John Cummings 2nd, the popular Cummingsville grocer, laid a sample of English gooseberries on the Editorial table last Wednesday which were worthy of more than a passing notice. On an average the individual berries were about the size of walnuts, of a very dark color, extremely juicy, and about as sweet as honey—sweeter than hand-made honey or city manufactured maple sugar. The English gooseberry was introduced here only a couple or three years ago, but it has earned a right, by its prolific yield, size, and excellent quality, to the protection of the American Flag and exercise of American suffrage. Neighbor Cummings sets up the claim (in a mild sort of a way, to be sure) that nobody else in Woburn has the knack of making these gooseberries grow so large and sweet as he does!

— The young man or woman who expects to get ahead in the world at the present day without being a rapid writer, quick at figures, and practical accountant, will find it exceedingly difficult to enter into competition with those who have had special training in these departments. The Burdett Business College whose announcement appears on page 3 fits young people in three months and upwards to all positions as accountants, cashiers, stenographers and typewriters. The many young people in this city who have been assisted to good situations by the Principals, who are Woburn residents, together with the general commendation of its methods of individual instruction by our Supt. of Schools, High School Principal, and others, is double assurance that any promises made by its Principals will be more than fulfilled.

— Last Wednesday was a date of accidents in this city. A few minutes past 1 o'clock, P. M., Peter McKenna, a painter in the employ of Mr. William Leeman of this city, fell from the gable window of the Fifield building on Fowle street a distance of 40 feet and died in 20 minutes after. In seeking to gain the swing staging on which the painters stood to do their work it is supposed that McKenna made a misstep when he got out of the window to gain a place on the staging, and his foot slipping, he was precipitated to the ground below. Near the ground he struck a projecting timber and received internal injuries from which he died without recovering consciousness. He worked for Mr. Leeman last year and was in his employ again this season. He was about 47 years old and left a wife and three children at Lowell. Undertaker Reade took charge of the remains.

— At 6.45 on last Wednesday evening, John Doherty, who lives at the Sand Banks in Winchester, just over the Woburn line, was run over at the Main street crossing of the B. & L. Railroad in this city and very seriously, if not fatally, injured. He was walking South on the track between the Church Ave. and Main street crossings and when at the latter point a switch engine that hauls back into the yards a part of the 6.42 train struck and knocked him insensible. The engineer stopped the engine at once and proceeded to investigate the accident. Doherty lay unconscious near the track with his left arm cut off just below the shoulder and one foot badly crushed. A crowd soon surrounded the terribly injured man and in a few moments Dr. Harry Blake responded to a summons and took him in charge. Policemen Mulkeen and Kean were speedily on the spot and succeeded in dispersing the crowd that the unfortunate man might get a chance to breath if any life was left in him. After temporarily attending to his wounds Dr. Blake ordered Doherty to be sent to the Massachusetts General Hospital, and he was put into the baggage car of the 7.08 train and taken there. The women of Station Agent Green's household noticed Doherty go down the track towards Main street and expressed a fear that he would meet with just the accident he did, as the engine and car was but a short distance away. The danger whistle and bell were employed and the engineer and fireman yelled with all their might to warn Doherty off the track, but he appeared to take no notice of the warnings. No blame can be attributed to the engineer, fireman or other train hands for they employed in vain every means in their power to save the unfortunate man. At last accounts Doherty was alive.

Woburn's Population.

A SPLENDID SHOWING.

Contrary to the expectations of almost everybody this city has made a handsome increase of population during the last 10 years, and especially since the State census of 1885. There seemed to be good grounds for the general fear that Woburn contained a smaller population on the 1st of June, 1890, than on the same day, 1885, therefore an increase of such magnitude as the figures show was a great surprise. A very gratifying feature of the returns is that which shows that the increase of population from 1885 to 1890 was more than double of that from 1880 to 1885, because it demonstrates that the city is now growing, and growing more rapidly than ever before.

During the last five years the leather makers have experienced their hardest times. There has been but little money in the business, and expenses, including working forces, have been cut down to a minimum. In that period many labor-saving inventions have been introduced into the factories, the tendency of which has been to reduce the number of men employed; while severe and prolonged labor troubles have driven tanners and curriers from our home establishments to similar ones in other leather making localities in flocks. These and other potent causes have led some of our people to doubt if the place had grown any in the last five years, not a few claiming that if we had held our own as to population during that period we had done remarkably well, while others were to be found who were free to express the belief that there had been considerable of a shrinkage from the figures of 1885.

In percent of growth few towns or cities in Eastern Massachusetts can make as favorable a report as Woburn shows by the census of 1890. The footings, kindly furnished the JOURNAL by Hon. Horace G. Wadlin, Chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and Labor, are not only a surprise but one of a most encouraging and gratifying character. Despite the many adverse things and strong head winds and currents it has had to contend with our city has been growing right along, is now growing—growing faster than ever before, and with more rapidity than any other town or city in Middlesex county, with here and there an exception.

The population of Woburn on June 1, 1890, was **13,440.**

Here are the figures for the decade:

1880.	1885.	1890.
10,931.	11,750.	13,440.

Gain from 1880 to 1885, 819: from 1885 to 1890, 1690: from 1880 to 1890, 2,509.

Woburn was incorporated in 1642. The first Colonial census was taken 1765; the 2d in 1776. The first United States census was taken in 1790 and has been taken every 10 years since. The first State census was taken in 1855. The following shows the population of Woburn from the first official enumeration to the present year:

1765——1515	(Col.)
1776——1691	
1790——1727	(U. S.)
1800——1228	
1810——1219	
1820——1519	
1830——1977	
1840——2993	
1850——3956	
1855——5448	(State)
1860——6287	(U. S.)
1865——6999	(State)
1870——8560	(U. S.)
1875——9568	(State)
1880——10931	(U. S.)
1885——11750	(State)
1890——13440	(U. S.)

Instances of considerable decrease are accounted for by the incorporation of parts of Woburn into other towns, as Burlington and Winchester.

Programme

Of the St. Charles Minstrel entertainment, Aug. 4.

Interlocutor, D. D. Begley

Bones.	Tambos.
C. Rogers,	J. Finn,
J. Kelley,	J. Bradley,
T. Griffin,	C. Donahue,
G. Campbell.	J. Connolly.

PART I.

Introduction by the Minstrels.
Solo. When mother put the babes to bed, J. Murphy
End Song. Paddy Shay, J. Kelley
Tenor Solo. Afterwards, P. McElaney
End Song. Gates Ajar. (By request), J. Bradley
Whistling Solo, J. Nagle
Solo. Sale in the harbor, W. Reddy
End Song. Raise the roof to-night, C. Rogers
Solo. Signal Bells, C. Leighton
End Song. There goes McManus, J. Finn

PART II.

Overture by the Orchestra.
Dutch Comedians, Butler and Claffy
Lightning Drill, Sergt. J. Darmody
Sl. Chas. Cloggists, Connolly, Donahue & Begley
Two Shamrocks, Griffin and Finn
Plantation Sketch Artists, Kelley and Rogers
Irish Gents. Songs and Dances, Donahue & Griffin

PART III.

Overture by the Orchestra.

THE LAUGHABLE FARCE

The Black Statue.

Jake. A servant,	J. Riley
Mr. Squintum. Farmer,	J. McGovern
Pete,	D. O'Connell
Mr. Gilfooley,	T. Dolan
Mrs. Squintum,	J. Connolly
Rose,	F. Rice
Music,	Calnan's Orchestra
Stage Manager,	T. D. Hevey
Admission,	25 Cents
Reserved Seats,	35 Cents

Doors open at 7, Curtain 8.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, July 26, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Ehah S. Bullard, Mr. Gideon Hondl, James Hoxley, care Patrick Donovan, 84 Brattle St., Mademoiselle Caroline Morreis, Nora Morill, M. Agriolomichelede de Tronje, box 121.

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S. B. GODDARD,

General Insurance and Real Estate Agency,

New Savings Bank Building, Woburn, Mass.

Assets of Companies represented over Thirty Millions.

Losses promptly adjusted and paid at this office.

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Of Dependent Fathers and Mothers, Widows and Children, and Invalid Soldiers. Please call on

SPARROW HORTON, Justice of the Peace, Woburn Bookstore.

WILBUR A. REYNOLDS, D. D. S.
Dental Parlors.
No. 180 Tremont St., - Boston.
Near Boylston Street.
*** A continuance of WOBURN PATRONAGE respectfully solicited.

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AUCTIONEER.
Personal attention given to the sale of Real and Personal Estates in Woburn and vicinity.
Office: 393 Main St., Woburn.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Canoeing.

The following members of the Innitou Canoe Club left here on Monday, July 28, for a two weeks cruise: Vice Commodore, E. T. Brigham; Secretary, Stillman Shaw; W. W. Crosby, Raymond Dodge, E. F. Wyer, H. G. Wyer.

They started from Oakdale on the Nashua River and from there came down into the Merrimac, down the Merrimac, up the Concord and its branch, the Sudbury, and at Saxonville the canoists will cross over into the Charles, coming down into Boston Harbor, and then up the Mystic to Woburn.

They will be gone two weeks, camping on the way and carrying themselves and their duffle in canoes.—S.

Those who worship at the shrine of the economical Brussels soap arise purified.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Boston Mail opens at 8, 8.30, 10.15 A. M., 1.15, 2, 4, 6.25, 8.05 P. M.
New York Mail opens at 8.00 A. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 8.45 A. M., and 4.20 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.00 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 2.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 10.00, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.15 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
Burlington, 10.00 A. M.
Winchester, 2.30 and 4.15 P. M.
North Woburn, 5.45 P. M.

Post Office opens at 6.40 A. M.
Closes at 8.00 P. M.
Saturdays at 8.30 P. M.

Lawrence Reade, P. M.

The population of Buffalo is approximately 254,000.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

METHODIST—Preaching by Mr. J. P. Bailey, Gen. Sec'y. Y. M. C. A. at 10.30 a. m. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. General prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Usual meetings during the week.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Sublect: Nature a Preacher; Communion at 3 p. m.; Young Peoples' Meeting 6 p. m.; Missionary Concert at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Prelude: "Waste and Want." Sermon: "Money and Missions." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly concert. Mission reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, July 27, Nancy H. Fowle, aged 73 years, 3 months.

In this city, July 29, Carlton H. Seaver, aged 1 year, 7 days.

In this city, July 31, Mary Heneher, aged 75 years.

In Burlington, July 26, Richard J. Alley, aged 69 years, 6 months, 8 days.

In Lynn, July 28, Percy P., youngest son of Elmer E. and Carrie I. Chesley, aged 9 months and 12 days.

In Jersey City, N. J., July 24, 1890, Mrs. Sophia Stevens, daughter of the late Samuel Tidd of Woburn.

Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

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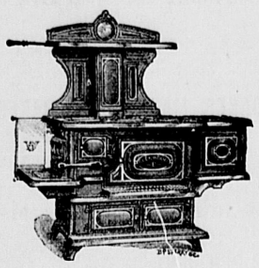

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Y. M. C. A.

BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

We invite any man who wishes to come to our prayer service at 8 o'clock Saturday evening.

Sunday at 4 o'clock we are to hear a man who was a skeptic but is now a believer and we desire that any man who is skeptical shall be present in Concert Hall.

August 10, we propose to hold at 4 o'clock a Mass Meeting. We invite all. We are expecting help from the neighboring cities and intend to make it one of the best mass meetings ever given. Remember August 10, 4 o'clock.

One more word about North Lubec. If you are in want of a place and do not know where to go we entreat you to go there. Why? not because we shall have the benefit of it, but because you will. The Hotel is ready and if any are going they should send in their names at once. Get membership passes from the General Secretary so as to secure the benefit of reduced rates. Fare, $4, round trips; $1 for passes; Hotel rates from $1 per day to $1.50 according to room; which makes round trips only $12 one week, including fare, $19 for two weeks.

The question often arises: What is the extent of the Y. M. C. A.? We give the following facts:

In United States and Canada,	1,341
In Colleges,	305
Railroad branches,	82
German branches,	10
Colored men,	36
Indian,	11
	1,785

Value of property owned by Association, including libraries and furniture, $10,433,-647.

In addition there is pledged towards building, $1,500,000.

Expended for local current expenses last year, $1,654,750.

Expenses for International and State work $162,000.

Secretary and assistants engaged in the work, 1,095.

And this has been accomplished since 1844, or the last 45 years, for it was then that a young clerk in the city of London, Mr. George Williams, brought to light the Young Men's Christian Association for the first time.

In these days of societies for reforming everybody and almost everything it is really a relief to have some one realize that there is such a thing as perfecting one's self independent of any society. It is therefore with genuine pleasure that we call our readers' attention to the advertisement headed "Self Improvement" on our local page this week.

Waterman Brown's Bear.

At divers and sundry times we have been asked to publish the following letter written by once one of the leading citizens of Woburn, now deceased, but it has only been within a few days past that we have been able to procure it from Mr. Brown. By those who knew Mr. Hart when alive, and now know Mr. Brown, the letter will be read with interest.

WOBURN, MASS., Dec. 22d, 1869.

My Dear Brown:

I have great pleasure in saying that while on a recent visit to your good city of Nashua I found myself pleasantly convened with a few of your old and well tried friends. Your early history, so full of stirring events, the pure habits of your maturer life, your cultured and refined tastes, and the general proclivities of your character formed a topic of brief discussion. It was decided that, among your many prominent and happy characteristics, that perhaps you excelled as an eminent Zoologist. Desiring to crown the discussion with some tangible token of our appreciation of your proficiency in this interesting department of science, as well as to add to your already large collection of Zoological specimens, we have, through a committee, purchased a Black Bear, the most perfect of his kind, which we desire you to accept from your strictly personal friends. The animal has been under the care and tuition of Prof. La Montagne for two years and is proficient in all the elements of education ever taught the species.

The committee deserve congratulation in having been able to effect the purchase at any cost, as her Majesty's agent has tendered the most liberal offers to secure the animal for Saint Regents Park, London.

Happy in having been permitted to participate in affording facilities to science as well as honoring an old friend, we remain Yours very truly,

D. D. HART and others.

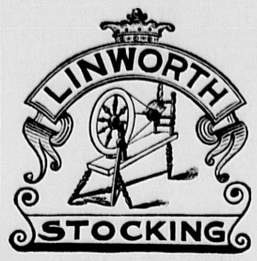
Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

"Have you washed your feet?" You think this is a queer question to ask, but it is one that many Mammas have got in the habit of asking the boys and girls as "Have you washed your hands?"

And Why? Because it has been almost impossible to get Stockings that would'nt crock and fade.

But alas! for Pearline.

We have got a Line of Stock-



ings Worth much more than many so called "Fast Blacks," which will please the Mammas and the boys and girls as well, and not cost any more. Sizes to fit everybody from baby to grandmamma.

Pearline has its place but it will not have to be used to wash-out the stains left by the "LINWORTH."

C. Willard Smith

Cruelty to Dogs.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL: In reading a late copy of the JOURNAL my eye fell upon the official notice of your city anent the "muzzling" and "restraining" of dogs during the midsummer months and as a native and old resident of Woburn I beg a bit of space in the columns of your paper to utter my protest against such an unjust and cruel edict as noted above.

I am surprised that the wise and sensible Mayor of Woburn (proven so in divers ways) should have given his official consent and seal to such an act, for he ought to know that to muzzle a dog, especially in hot weather, deprives him of the act and privilege of perspiring and of refreshing himself with water at will. The dog perspires only through, and at his mouth and to muzzle him is an act of absolute cruelty.

The dog is a very nervous animal and very sensitive to kind, or cruel treatment. The "mad dog" scare is a very groundless one and it is a wonder that otherwise sensible people can be found so utterly credulous and timid of such a rare trouble and disease as is rabies, or hydrophobia. It may exist but, as above stated, is so rare that in a life time a case may not be known. I state with authority that there have been only two cases in this State during the last eight years. Fear and tetanus (commonly called "lock-jaw") and bad blood cause the many cases of hydrophobia reported. I have been bitten often by my own and strange dogs and the only effect has been a scar.

There are few dogs so wicked as to injure any one; the fault in most cases is with the man, woman or child and not the dog. If a dog is tormented, worried, insulted or anywise ill treated he naturally retaliates but he has not hydrophobia. The dog is a noble, faithful animal, and if he is otherwise he is made so by man—infinitely more brutal than he is.

"The more I see of men the better I love dogs" and I hope the dog owners of Woburn will keep their dogs muzzled, or restrained, as kindly and lightly as possible and that soon a more enlightened feeling may prevail as to their bruteness.

"O, let us yet be merciful!"

O. W. R.

July 22, 1890.

A Modern Promised Land.

[Correspondence of the Boston Times.]

JERUSALEM SPRING HOUSE,
CANAAN, N. H., July 18, 1890.

If, in the much told "once upon a time" fable the beautiful nymph of the water were to unite her charms with those of the gallant sprite of the wood and in the enjoyment of fairy bliss were each to contribute a share to embellish a home of pleasure and enjoyment, it has often been wondered where this spot would be. Many places have claimed this distinction, but the fact that others are constantly coming to the front shows conclusively that the much-looked-for capital of sylphland is as yet a myth of the imagination.

The ideal place is unquestionably that where Nature in all her loveliness reigns supreme, and where Art is present only to make it habitable for man. A place where one may feel that he is of the world and yet not in it. Such is the idea which prevails by those whom fortune has favored with a visit to the Jerusalem Spring house at Canaan, N. H. Here the natural beauties of scenery, woodland, brooks, mountains, drives, walks, and the health-giving qualities of pure spring water, are combined in a fascinating mosaic; and they are made still further enjoyable by the hospitable air of the hotel and its easy accessibility by the surrounding world.

Woburn is just now very well represented on the hotel register of the Jerusalem Spring house, for among the arrivals here from that city last week were Mr. and Mrs. S. Franksford Trull, Mr. Elliott F. Trull, Miss Bertha P. Trull, Master Clifford Trull and nurse, Mrs. Deborah G. Trull, Mr. and Mrs. H. Eustis Smith, Miss Susan Edgell, Miss Evelyn Trull, Mr. W. Fred Bosworth, Miss Hattie Bosworth, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Trull, Mr. John T. Trull, and Miss Josephine S. Hinckley.

Mr. Henry N. Sawyer frequently runs up from Boston to get a breath of fresh air.

Mine Host Taft is one in a thousand, and with his good wife is ever on the alert for the comfort of his guests.

Naval Officer Frank D. Currier and his wife are frequent visitors here.

A number of Boston people have already secured rooms for August which is one of the pleasantest months here.

If you don't know where to get pleasing quiet, delightful outdoor surroundings, charming indoor hospitality, for an outing over Sunday, for a week, a month, or the summer, this house can be recommended from the heart of experience.

[For the Woburn Journal.]

A Visit to Lake Tahoe.

Leaving the Central Pacific at Truckee, 208 miles east of San Francisco, we reach the Lake by a stage ride of 14 miles along the Truckee River, and grand and beautiful scenery along the base of high rocks and picturesque mountains the sides of which are covered with stately pines. In places where the walls recede from the stream are charming little nooks, meadows and valleys, and at almost every turn of the road and river new beauties present themselves to view. There are delightful surprises on every hand over every mile of the road from Truckee to Tahoe city, which town is situated at the outlet of the Lake.

Taking into consideration the surroundings there can hardly be a more beautiful Mountain Lake, lying as it does between the eastern and western summit ridges of the main ridge of the Sierra Nevada Mountains at an elevation of 6247 feet above the level of the sea. Its length is a little over 21 miles. Roughly, it has the form of a parallelogram, lying nearly north and south about one third in Nevada and the remainder in California, and having an area of 204 square miles. Its greatest depth is 1800 feet. It is shut in and surrounded on all sides by mountains that rise from 2000 to 5000 feet above its surface. The Lake evidently occupies an extinct volcano crater of great size. Soundings show in the bottom a deep channel or crevice which extends nearly the whole length of the Lake in a north and south direction. In this the depth is every where from 1500 to 1700 feet. The deepest spot, 1800 feet, is towards the south end of the lake, in front of Mount Tallac. The water is of great clearness and crystal pureness, and never freezes. The lake receives the waters of 51 creeks and brooks, the largest of which is the Upper Truckee which empties in at the south end, the only outlet is the Truckee River.

It is very difficult to swim in this lake on account of the great elevation and reduced atmospheric pressure on the water rendering the lake less buoyant than bodies of fresh water at a sea level. The Lake in some respects is treacherous and dangerous. It is subject to sudden heavy squalls; fierce gusts of wind at times rush down from the big canyons causing the water to boil with fury. These squalls are liable to capsize any boat and unless an experienced boatman be of the party, fatal results are almost sure to follow. The bodies of persons drowned in the Lake are never recovered unless very near the shore. The bodies of no less than 12 men are known to lie at the bottom of the Lake, and among them there came very near being that of your correspondent, occurring as follows:

On the afternoon before my departure from the Lake, in company with two fellow tourists, I went out for a farewell fishing trip. Taking a boat at the wharf in front of the Hotel, we rowed out about 1-4 of a mile towards the centre of the Lake, where after a half hour's skillful angling we succeeded in landing a dozen or more "speckled beauties" in the bottom of the boat. Being satisfied with these, we turned our boat homewards. I was seated on a box placed on the small platform in the extreme end of the boat, trolling my line along in water, leisurely puffing a cigar and enthusiastically "taking in" the magnificent surrounding scenery, when a 12 pound trout appropriated the hook and insisted on perambulating in the opposite direction. I at first opposed his wishes, when the boat making a sudden lurch I as suddenly changed my mind, likewise my position, and turning as graceful a somersault as the surrounding circumstances would permit I silently followed his troutship into the water as before stated. The water of this Lake is decidedly difficult to swim in, owing to its extreme dampness, and other scientific reasons too numerous to mention, and after a few spasmodic strokes, getting my mouth full of the previously described crystal pure water, I went down. When I next became acquainted with myself I was being rolled to and fro on the platform in front of the Hotel ostensibly for the purpose of reducing the water supply. "I told that d—d tenderfoot he would get killed if he didnt take better care of himself" in which I recognized the voice of a bluff old Californian lumberman who the day before had kindly volunteered this bit of wholesome advice. After passing a moment or two in silent meditation and pleasant reflection, I was assisted to my feet when I apologized to the fast assembling crowd for appearing in public in such a dilapitated condition and referred them "at my expense" to the Hotel Bar for further particulars.

Our eastern trip to Truckee was completed at 10 o'clock the next morning.

To the tourist in general, and New England people in particular, should you chance to pass over the Union Pacific Railroad in summer time, stop for a day at Truckee and visit this beautiful mountain Lake. You cannot afford to miss this opportunity.—7534.

California, July 14, 1890.

Scandinavian Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Widen will leave this city tomorrow for a visit to Gottenberg, Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Olson will sail tomorrow on the Pavonia for Copenhagen, Denmark, where they will reside in the future.

Rev. O. G. Tinglof of Sweden has taken up his residence at 46 Garfield Ave. in this city. He is engaged in home missionary work in this State.

There was a conference of the Scandinavian Evangelical Society of this city in Y. M. C. A. Hall last Sunday, a large number being present. Among the clergymen present were: Rev. H. F. Ohlson of Worcester, Rev. Emil Holmblad of Lowell, Rev. G. Dahl of Boston, Missionary O. G. Tinglof of Kristinehamn, Sweden; Missionary E. Ostergren of Holden and others. A quartet from Boston gave several selections.

Marseilles, in France, is headquarters for the sale of false hair. Twenty bales of Chinese human hair recently arrived there, and Yum Yum's and Fou Fou's headgear will be manufactured into curls, frizzes and crimps for American ladies.

A clear complexion, bright eyes and firm, solid flesh, are a few evidences of his health-giving properties. "While not detracting from the mother's care, I cannot lay too great stress on the merits of Mellin's Food, writes a father.

WINCHESTER.

Miss Helen Andrews is at Bath, Me.

Miss E. O. Williams is at Powder Point, Dexter.

D. W. Kimball are at Maplewood Cottage, Maplewood.

Mr. T. W. Lawson goes to Kentucky on business soon.

G. G. Stratton took his sea breezes at the Fiske, Old Orchard.

George B. Davis and wife have been at the Grand View, Annisquam.

Mrs. M. L. and Miss Dorothy W. Crosby have been stopping at the Rockland House, Nantasket.

J. F. Dooney and W. B. French were at the Senter House, Centre Harbor, a few days ago.

Judge Tyler and wife are travelers in Europe. The Judge went over principally to improve his health, which is not robust.

A great many of our people are summering away from home with not half the comfort they would enjoy under their own vine and fig tree.

Frank, Misses M. B., Beatrice, Kate, Burt and Arthur Jackson; Mrs. Hill, and Masters Grant and Arthur Wimbus, are all camping on the beach near Atlantic Station.

W. B. French, Mrs. French, E. B. Hill, Samuel Wells, Frank Wells, John McKay, E. B. Bent, G. S. Huntress, Jr., were registered at the Oregon House, Nantasket, last week.

Mrs. Caldwell and daughter of Reading, Pa., are guests of Mr. J. W. Taylor in this village. The former is 85 years old and was for a long time, many years ago, a resident of Woburn. She thinks it is good to get back to the old home.

Mr. Loring, of Loring & Avery, the extensive leather manufacturers of this place, has cut and housed 120 tons of hay this season from his farms. Not a drop of rain touched the hay, a finer crop of which or a larger one was never harvested in this section of country.

There is nothing that Mr. F. H. Nourse enjoys better than a lively Winchester town meeting—and who ever knew of a Winchester town meeting that was not lively? There was considerable fun at the one held the other day to see what the town would like to do about having a poor farm, or almshouse. There was some sharp sparring between some of the attendants, and if there had been more of it Mr. Nourse would have liked it better. He liked what there was of it—he liked it so well that he managed to have the subject postponed to the next town meeting so that he could get another instalment of Winchester sharp talk.

The following valuable information was obtained from reliable sources and will prove of interest: It is noticed in comparing last years Assessor's report with that of the present, a falling off in the number of poll-tax payers. A year ago there were 1260, while now according to the report there are but 1177, a falling off of 83 polls. The cause of this dropping off is not ascertained. Real estate valuation last year was $3,471,327, while now it is is $3,603,235, a gain of $131,908; personal estate last year $1,031,920, this year $1,063,820, a gain of $31,-900, or a grand total gain of $163,808. The amount to be raised by taxation the present year is $84,972.37, while for 1889 it was $79,087.40. From this it is clearly seen when the rate of taxation exceeded that of the previous year 70 cents on $1,000, notwithstanding that the town has increased.

Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for July 26th and August 2d contain The Poetry of John Donne, Mute Witnesses of the Revolution, Charles the Twelfth: a Memoir, by the King of Sweden, The First General Election in Japan, My Islands, and Nero and St. Benedict, Early Days Recalled, The Sultan of Turkey, Wasted Solar Heat, Notes of a Pilgrimage, The Spring Habits of British Quadrupeds, and The Cliff Dwellers of Colorado, with instalments of Marcia, A Waltz of Chopin and The Empty Compartment, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low.

The August number of THE ARENA exhibits the characteristic boldness and fearlessness that has made the great review so popular in the short space of nine months. Sterling ability, coupled with absolute freedom in the discussion of all great problems, is something novel in magazine literature; yet this has been a leading characteristic of THE ARENA since is incorporation. The present issue contains a remarkably interesting paper from Prof. N. S. Shaler of Harvard University, on The Economic Future of the New South, in which the great scientist notices at length the wonderful resources of the South, her natural advantages in soil, climate, and great mineral resources. This is followed by number of able papers among which may be mentioned Our Foreign Immigration, Hypnotism, etc., Domestic Infelicity of Literary Women, A Day In Court, An Inspired Advocate (Rufus Choate), The Shadow of the Noose, etc.

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"Waltham Should Do the Same."

Woburn's City Council has directed that all city offices be closed August 12, in recognition of the G. A. R. encampment. Waltham should do the same. The day should be made a general holiday and the city can inaugurate the work of making it so by passing in order like that passed by Woburn. A portion of the day or evening should be devoted to a public recognition of our guests. Let our business men take hold at once of the matter of closing their stores on that day so that none may plead insufficient notice.—*Waltham Free Press.*

The man who is hung by a vigilance committee is like Brussels soap in a new town. All it wants is a trial.

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Post 33, G. A. R., Presentation.

There was a grand affair at G. A. R. Hall last evening. There was presented by the Contributing (honorary) Members of Post 33 a full set of officers' badges, equipments, canes, etc., at a cost of nearly $100, the presentation being followed by a banquet and entertainment.

It was a big occasion.

"The great Northwest" is the place for the laboring man; no strikes, plenty of work, and good wages for all willing to work; no better way to get there than by steamer from Buffalo. For special rates address J. A. Flanders, 322 Washington street, Boston.

Electric Street Railroads.

The Lynn & Boston Railroad company has petitioned for the electric system in Peabody. This company, with its usual energy, is pushing the electric system in every direction, and the time is not far distant when the system will prevail on all the company's lines.—*Lynn Bee.*

Mr. Breed, President and principal owner of the Lynn & Boston, is President and principal owner of the North Woburn and of the East Middlesex lines, which means that the day is close at hand when the cars of both these roads will be run by electricity. Mr. Breed is rich, progressive and prompt to adopt modern improvements, therefore it is safe to conclude that electricity will be the moving power on both of these Woburn roads within, probably, the next year or so. It would add very materially to the passenger receipts of both corporations to change horseflesh for harnessed lightning.

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Burlington.

Mr. Frederick Richardson of Stoneham was severely injured, Tuesday morning, while driving an ox-team loaded with hay from his land in Burlington. Near the house of Mr. John Winn he was trying to get off the team when the oxen started and the forward wheel ran over him, breaking one of his legs. He was carried to his home in Stoneham.

Typhoid fever often gets into a community and has a "run." Science says it is born within the human system, and that when the germ reaches the open air, perhaps through the pores of the skin, its touch is contamination. It is then very essential that clothing should be thoroughly washed, and this can best be done with Brussels soap, and then all typhoid and other germs become inert.

A CARD.

We would extend our thanks to friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted our sister, Mrs. Nancy H. Fowle, during her long illness and us in our bereavement.

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The form of real estate deeds has been reduced from three pages to one in New York and the cost of recording from $1.75 to 50 cents and $1 each.

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1st. The leather is the firmest and toughest of goat-skin.

2d. The leather is tanned so as to be flexible and as easy to the foot as a kid slipper.

3d. It is hand sewed; not a tack, nail or peg in it.

4th. Its sole is of solid leather, hard and firm; put there to stand rough usage.

In a word—a common-sense shoe. It is finished in russet or black, in all sizes and widths, for children, misses or ladies, at 69c, 99c and $1.49 a pair, respectively. A lean pocketbook shoe, absolutely unequalled for mountain or seashore use.

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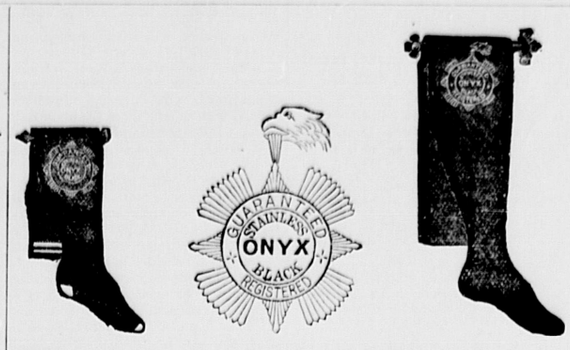

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If applied for at once I will sell and deliver in Woburn within the next six weeks, first quality Hay for seventeen (17) dollars per ton.

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Insurance Agent, has removed to Room No. 3, NATIONAL BANK BLOCK. The public will please take due notice.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Nathan G. Green to Edward H. Ryder dated December 15th, 1884, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (so. Dist.) Libro 1662, Folio 358, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of August, 1890, at five o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A lot of land situated in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot marked "M" on a plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's purchase recorded in Book of Plans 2, Plan 29, in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Central street, eighty-five feet; northerly by lot marked "Q" on said plan, two hundred feet; Easterly by lot marked "U" on said plan, eighty-five feet; and southerly by lot marked "R" on said plan, two hundred feet; containing seventeen thousand square feet of land.

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Boston, July 14, 1890.

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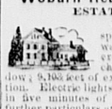

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THE PRODIGAL SON.

LESSON V, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 3.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xv, 11-24—Commit Verses, 17-20—Golden Text, Luke xv, 18—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

11. "And he said, A certain man had two sons." This is the beginning of the third section of this parable, which is a continuation of the lesson of last week. The whole parable touches the great love of God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, for lost, and helpless, and erring humanity; and the sympathy of the angels with God in His joy over the salvation of the lost.

12. "And the younger of them said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he divided unto them his living." The sin is seen in the son's desire for the things of his father rather than for the father and his love. The desire also for independence of the father and separation from him indicates the ingratitude of his heart and his insensibility to the father's love and care.

13. "And not many days after, the younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living." The first illustration of this rebellious nature in man is seen in Cain, who would not submit to the kind requirements of a loving God; but preferring his own way "went out from the presence of the Lord" (Gen. iv, 16) to do as he pleased. It is seen in Esau, who preferred a mess of pottage to his God given birthright (Gen. xxv, 32-34).

14. "And when he had spent all, there arose a mighty famine in that land; and he began to be in want." When we turn away from God, who is the fountain of living waters, and seek to satisfy ourselves with aught else, even with the gifts of God, we are hewing out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water (Jer. ii, 13), and sooner or later we shall surely come to want.

15. "And he went and joined himself to a citizen of that country; and he sent him into his fields to feed swine." The far country into which he went from his own father's house and plenty is all about us. It is this present evil world which lieth in the wicked one (Gal. i, 4; I John v, 19), and which allures us away from God. All who are unsaved are said to be "far off," and because of their sinful and unclean natures are compared to dogs and swine (Eph. ii, 13; II Pet. ii, 22).

16. "And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat; and no man gave unto him." First want then worldly helps, and now a beastly appetite.

17. "And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!" He had been so full of self and self seeking that the Father's house had not been much in his thoughts, except perhaps as the recollection of a restraint which he could not submit to. But by having his desires granted he has been led to see somewhat of the leanness of his soul (Ps. cvi, 15). We read in I Cor. v, 5, of one being delivered unto Satan for the destruction of the flesh, that the spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord Jesus. And in Job xxxiii, 14-30, we read of dreams, visions, sickness and afflictions as means used by God with men to bring back their souls from the pit, to be enlightened with the sight of the living.

18. "I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven and before thee." In the story of the lost sheep and lost piece of money we saw the seeking shepherd and woman with the light. The sheep and the money did nothing, the shepherd and woman did all. But here is a responsible human being who has gone astray like a lost sheep, and has been as insensible to his father's love as a piece of metal.

19. "And am no more worthy to be called thy son: make me as one of thy hired servants." He was unworthy to be called the son of such a father when he had plenty and was living riotously, or even when he left that father's home, or when he demanded his share of the goods. But he did not know it, and could not, under those circumstances, be made to see it. The only way to humble him and bring him to his senses was the way he was allowed to take. Now he sees his sinfulness and unworthiness as he could not otherwise have been made to see it.

20. "And he arose and came to his father." All his conviction, and sense of unworthiness, and good resolutions, would have gone for nothing had he failed to take this step. He might have remained in the far country and died there full of conviction and good resolutions. But here is the saving point, "He arose and came." And now we shall see the result.

"But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him." Here is the Love of God which said to one poor sinner, "Thy sins are forgiven; thy faith hath saved thee; go in peace." And to another, "Neither do I condemn thee; go and sin no more," and which says to all, "Him that cometh unto me I will in no wise cast out" (Luke vii, 48, 50; John viii, 11; vi, 37).

21. "And the son said unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and in thy sight, and am no more worthy to be called thy son." This was not all he had intended to say (see verse 19), but it seems to have been as far as he got. It is a high honor to be a servant of God, but He makes us His children, children of God and joint heirs with Christ, when in true penitence we come to Him (John i, 12; Rom. viii, 17; John xv, 15). If we confess our sins He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness (I John i, 9).

22. "But the father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet." Think of Adam and Eve having lost their fellowship with God and hiding from Him because of their sin; and see God clothing them with coats of skins which He had made (Gen. iii, 21). See the robe of righteousness, and garments of salvation of Isa. lxi, 10; II Cor. v, 21.

23. "And bring hither the fatted calf, and kill it; and let us eat and be merry." If, in the previous verse, we have forgiveness of sins, and righteousness, and full restoration to position and inheritance and authority, here we have true fellowship and great joy. The foretaste is enjoyed here when He comes in to sup with us and we with him (Rev. iii, 20); but the full joy will be when we eat and drink with Him at His table in His kingdom (Luke xxii, 30). See in Mordecai's exaltation, apparel, adorning, and in the joy and gladness of the people, a foreshadowing of kingdom joys (Esth. viii, 15-17.)

24. "For this my son was dead, and is alive again: he was lost, and is found. And they began to be merry." For the third time in the parable He tells us of the joy over the lost when found. And again in verse 32. Surely that which gives such joy to Father, Son and Holy Spirit, should give great joy to every child of God. But is it not to be feared that the spirit of the elder brother might be still manifest if we should make much ado over the conversion of some poor publican or harlot? Let us pray to be filled with the Spirit of Him who receiveth sinners and eateth with them.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle, at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

In Russia the ratio of laborers to land cultivated is one to eleven and one half acres.

That distention of the stomach which many people feel after eating, may be due to improper mastication of the food; but, in most cases, it indicates a weakness of the digestive organs, the best remedy for which is one of Ayer's Pills, to be taken after dinner.

WHERE CLOCKS ARE IN NEW YORK.

Cogent Reasons Why Women Shopping in New York Do Not Carry Watches.

Many women whom I know invariably leave their watches behind them when they go out shopping. I remonstrated with one of them the other day and got this answer and explanation:

"There is no need of my carrying a watch, which is a most inconvenient thing for a woman to carry, anyway. She can't put it in her pocket, for she'd never find it when she wanted it; if she buttons it in the front of her waist it is more getatable, but is still inconvenient. No one wears a watch in her waistband, and a chatelaine watch, or carrying your watch in a chatelaine bag, is a temptation to a thief. So I leave my watch at home and trust to the public clocks.

"Of course I see my hall clock when I go out. Then there are several clocks on the Grand Central; there is a clock in every elevated station; there is the church clock at Twenty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, besides Howard's electric clock. The Fifth Avenue hotel clock every one knows, and there is a clock in Twenty-third street near Sixth avenue. There are two clocks along Broadway south of Twenty-third street, a clock in Fourteenth street near Sixth avenue. Tiffany's clock is in Union square, and there are several clocks in all the big 'shopping stores,' generally near the elevators.

"There are a few clocks along the Bowery, and some along Sixth avenue, while down town there are plenty of them; the City Hall, The Tribune, The Times clocks, the Produce Exchange clock, and quite a number of less prominent but equally good timekeepers. So really what is the use of my carrying a watch that is either in my way or out of my way, and in both cases useless?"

And I hadn't a word to say.—Julian Ralph in Chatter.

After Dinner.

A lady who had become a member of a small club was horrified at receiving the announcement:

"April 2, dinner at 6. Toasts. You will reply for the gentlemen."

"Toasts!" cried she. "Why, I know nothing about toasts except what I learned in the kitchen. Make an after dinner speech! I could as well compose a symphony!"

She is not alone in her timidity. Many an accomplished orator has owned to the stage fright connected with "saying a few words" after dinner. There are still those who take comfort in Thackeray's delightful prophesy that "a day will arrive when we shall have the speeches done by a skilled waiter at a side table, as we now have the carving."

Still, a man's newe and ability can never be gauged by the amount of fright excited in him at the mere act of getting upon his feet. With many persons that one movement seems to break the ice of timidity, though even Mr. Lowell once assured an audience that "whenever he finds himself upon his legs he is tempted to yield to a natural impulse and take to his heels."

There are, however, those who find no difficulty in getting up, but seem to be totally unable to sit down again. The old advice in regard to the length of such speeches as they are likely to make is still the best which can be given them.

"If you haven't struck oil in less than five minutes you'd better stop boring."—Youth's Companion.

Stilton Cheese.

It is a part of the religion of every epicure that dinner without cheese is like a beautiful maiden with only one eye. An Englishman of national reputation has said: "I do verily think that in 1828 a Stilton cheese was a better fellow than he is in 1889," and the man ought to know, for he has eaten them for almost three-quarters of a century. Stilton is a quaint old village in the northwestern part of Huntingdonshire, in the west central part of England.

It has never been famous for anything but cheese. The Stilton that comes to this country is fairly good. It has been said that in the old days men put less milk in their cream and less water in their milk than at present, but it is only fair to admit that the crusty, brown old port that was taken with it made it seem better to those who ate it long ago. Stilton is the most expensive of the cheese brought to this country, and the sale for it is found altogether in the eastern states. —New York Tribune.

One of Ruskin's Jokes.

I met a very charming English girl who told me a most characteristic tale of John Ruskin. One of the classes at Girton had just completed Ruskin's "Stones of Venice," and to show their appreciation of the author's work wrote him a "round robin" thanking him for the pleasure this book had given them. In a short time each signer of the letter received a note from Mr. Ruskin telling her that her writing was a digraceful exhibition of girlish ignorance, and that she must write three verses from the Bible every day for a month and then send her manuscript to him. And the joke of it all, my young friend went on, was that the girls were geese enough to do it.—New York Star.

The use of the electro-magnet for indicating the presence of submerged torpedoes or lost anchors has been suggested. The magnet in connection with a delicate strain dynamo meter is lowered into the water and excited by a battery. The metal will attract the magnet and the dynamometer will reveal the fact.

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"Oh, mommer, mommer," yelled a little darkey as he saw the militia on the way to camp to-day, "what's them sojers?" "Sojers, chile?" exclaimed the mother; "what you talkin' 'bout? Dem ain't sojers; dem's de Districk malaria."

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Some Incidents Showing How Troubles Arise from Little Causes.

"There are many amusing incidents connected with our business," said a safe manufacturer one day to a Boston reporter. "It is to be expected that in the ordinary course of events circumstances will arise when a safe will have to be opened by an expert. Locks, like any other piece of mechanism, are not infallible. The best of them are liable to fail at times through some slight defect in manufacturing, same as the mainspring of the most valuable watch may give out unexpectedly.

"Not long ago a firm wanted a man to fix their safe. It was open, but they could not shut the door far enough to throw the bolts. The man went to the place and after a brief examination saw a penny resting on one of the bottom flanges. Taking this off the door shut and locked all right. I forget how much it cost the firm to have the man go to their place and pick up that little coin, but it was enough to prevent its being repeated, no doubt. A similar case happened recently. We were sent for at about the close of business hours to see what was the trouble with one of our safes. The bolts would not throw far enough to turn the lock. The result was the finding of a cloth button from a lady's dress in the lower bolt hole.

"Some years ago we had delivered a new set of vault doors for a bank about two hundred miles away. Just before they were ready to occupy their new quarters we had a telegram to send a man at once. The bolts of the outer door would not throw far enough to lock it. Our man went, and this is what he found: The bank officers had fitted in a board for the tread of the vestibule, but had omitted to bore holes in it for the throw of the bolts. An auger and ten minutes' labor made everything all right, but made that piece of board a rather extravagant luxury.

"Epicurean like, we have reserved the best for the last. For fear that this may reach the eyes of the hero of the incident I will substitute for his correct address that of Calais, Me. It was not a thousand miles from there. The letter read to come at once and open a safe, as there were important documents wanted for immediate use. With his kit of tools a man took the next train and arrived on the following evening. It proved to be an old fashioned safe with a large key lock. 'There,' said the man, 'is the safe. The lock has been working harder and harder for weeks, until now I am locked out. I am in a hurry to have it opened. Never mind the damage if you will only break into it in short order.'

"Our expert took the key and tried it, but it refused to work. He then took a small wire and picked out half a thimbleful of dirt and lint from the key, tried it again and a better working lock was never seen. 'How much is your bill?' As this involved a trip to and from Calais of about 600 miles, and time and expense in proportion, he replied $40. Taking a roll of bills from his pocket he said: 'That is satisfactory on conditions. Does any one in the place know your business here?' The reply was, 'No one.' 'All right, then; get out by the next train and keep mum, for I would gladly pay $100 rather than have any of my friends know that I was fool enough to go to Boston for a man to pick the dirt out of my key.'"—Boston Courier.

A Phantom Postman.

For weeks a remarkable phantom or illusion has attracted attention at Parkersburg, W. Va. On dark nights the figure of a phantom postman has been seen clearly outlined on one of the windows of the city postoffice. The form and features of the phantom are as distinct as life. It appears to be in the act of distributing mail. The apparition has been seen only when no one was in the building, and it cannot be accounted for. Hundreds have seen it, and among the superstitious it has created alarm. It reads the postal cards. —Exchange.

Where "Counterpane" Comes From.

Counterpane is a corruption of counterpoint, from the Latin cul, cita (a wadded wrapper, a quilt). When the stitches were arranged in patterns it was called cul, cita, puncta, which in French became courtepointe, corrupted into contre pointe, counterpoint where point is pronounced "poyn" corrupted into "pane."—Dry Goods Chronicle.

Bound to Win.

Boston Girl—Papa, Mr. Toney is coming here to-night to press his suit with you.

Boston Papa—Does the young man appreciate what an alliance with our house means?

Boston Girl—Yes, papa, but Albert says he is bound to have me at any price.—New York Ledger.

Spectacles in Art.

The earliest picture I know of is one by Domenichino, in which St. Bartholomew "ecclesiam B. M. V. aedificari jubet; et columna decideus Monachi ejus discipuli jussu sistitur." The saint stands in the center of the picture examining a plan through a pair of pincenez.—Notes and Queries.

Suggestions for a Marine Barometer.

A suggestion for bettering weather predictions has been made by Capt. Franklin Fox, a well known English seaman. During January, 1890, when terrific gales burst upon the British islands, he finds that barometers at London gave no reliable monitions of these disastrous cyclones. His own idea is that the atmospheric power of rising or depressing the mercury in a barometer is affected by the amount of electricity in the air at the moment, and that "to have strict, reliable weather glasses we require electric tests of the conditions of the atmosphere attached to them."

It may be true, as Capt. Fox has supposed, that electricity has an effect on the oscillations of the mercury in the glass. During the passage of an electric storm over a station the mercury, for reasons never fully explained, almost invariably rises or falls very rapidly, though it often returns to its previous level when the storm is past. There is little doubt that the electrical state of clouds, as Lord Rayleigh has shown, determines their precipitation, and the down rush of rain, always accompanied by a down rush of air, will tend to sustain or elevate the mercury —an effect likely to be intensified when the descending air is filled with the smoke and dust arising over a great city.

When, therefore, a great storm is approaching, and clouds in its front are in that electrical condition which favors heavy and prolonged precipitation from them, the effect may very naturally account for the barometric phenomenon noted by Capt. Fox. At all events, the series of experiments which he proposes could not fail to throw new and valuable light upon the degree of reliance to be placed upon the weather glass. If the invention of a reliable marine barometer should be the result of such experiments it would be the means of saving thousands of lives and ships from the ocean cyclone. —New Orleans Picayune.

A Generous Farmer.

Rev. Smith Baker, of Lowell, Mass., formerly of Maine, while in Saco told of an experience he once had while holding a pastorate near Bangor. There was a well to do farmer who lived on the opposite bank of the Penobscot from Mr. Baker's residence who one spring, whenthe ice on the river was breaking up, lost a daughter. Mr. Baker was asked to officiate at the funeral, which he did, being obliged to hire a horse and carriage to make the journey, the nearest bridge being some distance up the river. Nothing was said about paying him either for his services or his expenses.

A little while afterward another death occurred in the family. Mr. Baker was again asked to conduct the services, which he did, this time hiring a man to row him across the river, and again with no mention of compensation. The next spring the farmer's mother passed away. Mr. Baker was obliged to make the journey as he did the first time by carriage. This time the farmer went to Mr. Baker and said: "Mr. Baker, you have been very kind to come over here to conduct these funerals at such an expense to you, and I feel that it is asking altogether too much. I want to pay you something. So next fall, when the apples are ripe, you drive around and you can help yourself from my orchard."—Lewiston Journal.

He Didn't Tell His Parents.

"I have never been so happy before in all my life," said Henry Soulen, the father of a 15-year-old boy who fell from a fifth story window in the New Insurance building, and was saved from a horrible death by alighting upon a mass of telegraph wires. Mr. Soulen was talking about his son's escape, and, although two days had elapsed, his voice trembled with emotion. "I have just been over to the scene of the accident," he stated, "and consider that my boy's escape was simply wonderful. The wires upon which he fell are not more than a dozen in number." It appears that young Soulen did not tell his parents of his frightful experience. "John reached home Saturday evening," said his father, "ate his supper, and acted as if nothing had happened. He thought he might as well keep quiet so long as he had not been hurt. In the evening my son Herman, who had read about the affair while down town, rushed into the house, grabbed John in his arms and thanked God that he was still alive. Then we heard for the first time of John's fearful experience."—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Seventy-three Roses on His Coffin.

A pretty little episode in the life of the late Dr. Byford was revealed at his funeral. The noted doctor had many devoted friends, and among them were Dr. and Mrs. Henrotin. The latter has for a number of years been in the habit of sending Dr. Byford a white rose on his birthday. She carried the rose to him on the last anniversary, and he then said to her: "You must bring seventy-three roses next year, for I shall be that many years old." The doctor died before his seventy-third birthday arrived, but Mrs. Henrotin attended the funeral and brought the seventy-three white roses which were laid on his casket.—Chicago Herald.

The Widow's Mite.

An aged German general wore only one trinket, a much worn German half-penny, at his watch chain. One day his grandson asked the reason of its presence in the place of honor, and the old general answered by telling a little romance. Baron Malortie, the grandson, narrates the story in his book, "Twixt Old Times and New."

The grandfather was so severely wounded at Leipsic in 1812 that he was picked up for dead and thrown with thirty or forty corpses in a common grave. His servant having promised the officer's father to bring his son alive or dead, searched for his master's body and found him still alive. A strong constitution and the servant's nursing allowed the officer to be removed at the end of ten days.

His father's house was a long distance from Leipsic, and the country was overrun by French patrols and marauders. The journey home was begun at night in a peasant's cart drawn by an old horse. Cross roads were taken, and during the day they rested at some farmhouse.

One morning after traveling all night they reached a small village and stopped in front of a baker's shop. The servant went in to buy bread, leaving his master stretched on a bed of straw and rags covered with a mantle and wearing a soldier's old cap on his bandaged head. There was nothing to betray his rank, but on the contrary he seemed a poor wounded private.

A poor woman in a tattered black gown, with a child in her arms, looked in the baker's window. Suddenly she saw the wounded man. Glancing at the halfpenny in her hand, and then looking at the bread in the window, she pressed the coin into the soldier's hand, and hurried off without saying a word. She had sacrificed her own and her child's breakfast that she might relieve one whose need she thought greater than her own.

At this moment the servant appeared, and by his master's order ran after the poor woman. Overtaking her he dropped a gold piece in her hand as a gift from the wounded soldier, who from that day wore the widow's mite at his chain.

The Hands.

One of the most common signs of want of breeding is a sort of uncomfortable consciousness of the hands, an obvious ignorance of what to do with them and a painful awkwardness in their adjustment. The hands of a gentleman seem perfectly at home without being occupied. They are habituated to elegant repose, or, if they spontaneously move, it is attractively. Some of Queen Elizabeth's courtiers made playing with their sword hilt an accomplishment, and the most efficient weapon of the Spanish coquette is her fan. Strength in the fingers is a sure token of mental aptitude. When Mutius burnt his hand off before the eyes of his captor he gave the most indubitable proof we can imagine of fortitude, and it was natural that amid the ferocious bravery of feudal times a bloody hand in the center of an escutcheon should become the badge of a baronet of England.—New York Ledger.

Syndicates at Home and Abroad.

We are informed that in Europe Germany takes the lead as the country of syndicates in 1889. Ninety-two were formed there in that year, including an auction "ring" and a warfingers' "ring." In Austria there were thirty-eight syndicates; in Great Britain, thirty-one; in France, six; in Russia, seven; in Belgium, eight; in Italy, two; in Sweden, four, and in Denmark, one. In addition to these there were eleven international trusts dealing with copper, zinc, nitrates, rails, mirror glass, sugar, dynamite and hotels. In America fifty-eight syndicates were formed, several of which were of English origin. It is known that about 260 of these trusts were formed during 1889, and it is probable that an equal number existed unknown, except to those interested in them. The majority of the syndicates appear to have been genuine industrial and commercial undertakings.—Stock Exchange.

Combination Life Preserver.

The idea of combining various uses in a single article is a favorite one with inventors. "The combined cap, pillow and life preserver" is to be made of some air tight material. As a cap it looks like the double visored headgear which is considered the thing for steamer wear. The center pulls out. What appears to be a ventilator in the top proves to be a mouthpiece. You blow into it until the interior is about half filled with air, and you have a very fair imitation of the air pillow. If you awake at night and find that the boat is sinking you blow some more air in through the mouthpiece and have a life preserver as big as a good sized bladder. There is even a piece of tape attached for tying the preserver to the breast.—Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Wood Pulp Blotters.

Ordinary blotting paper is too compact to absorb ink readily. The wood pulp from which fine white writing paper is manufactured is the best of blotting paper, and in localities where a pulp mill is accessible writers can easily obtain sheets of it.—Cor. Author and Writer.

Parts of Speech.

"Now, Johnny, you know what a noun is, do you?"

"Yeth, um."

"What is Jerusalem?"

"An ejaculation, mum."—Harper's Bazar.

What is a cold in the head? Medical authorities say it is due to uneven clothing of the body, rapid cooling when in a perspiration, &c. The important point is, that a cold in the head is an inflamation of the lining membrane of the nose, which, when unchecked, is certain to produce a catarrhal condition—for catarrh is essentially a "cold" which nature is no longer able to "resolve" or throw off. Ely's Cream Balm has proved its superiority, and sufferers should resort to it before that common ailment becomes seated and ends in obstinate catarrh.

"Do you take many periodicals?" asked a young minister on his first visit to one of his parishioners. "Oh, no, sir," replied the good woman; "I never do, but I'm sorry to say that my husband takes a periodical about once in every two months. I wish you could induce him to sign the pledge."

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The steno-telegraphy, with which people are now experimenting in France, is creating much excitement among news gatherers. By it shorthand reports can be transmitted to any distance, just as they come from the desk of the stenographer. The invention also effects a rate of telegraphic speed, either in long or short-hand, never obtainable before. In an hour for instance, by means of it, 25,000 stenographed words were transmitted from Paris to Brussels, 18,000 words to Lyons and 15,000 to Marsailles. Stenographed words can be sent at the rate of 200 words per minute; ordinary words, 100 or 120. Further experiments are expected to give still more astonishing results.

The Chicago *News* has this item: "A peculiar display of atmospheric effects upon a lifeless human body was witnessed six miles south of Quincy yesterday. A farm hand disappeared from the farm of Mr. Borcke. He was not seen again till this morning, when his body was found in a cornfield half a mile away from the house, where it had lain for more than three weeks. Instead of being decomposed it was dried up like a mummy. The skin was stretched tightly over the bones and was dry and hard. Physicians are unable to explain the phenomenon."

The Shah of Persia has granted an English company control of the Straits of Ormuz, which connect the Persian Gulf with the Arabian Sea. This virtually gives England control of the gulf, and is a menace to the forward movements of Russia. England now controls the Straits of Gibraltar, the Suez Canal, the Straits of Ormuz, the harbor of Hong Kong, the Bermudas and numerous other points that give an immense advantage over any other nation in the world.

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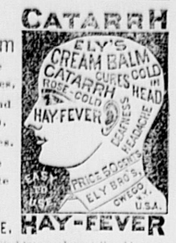

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JUNE 30, 1890.

Passenger Service from Woburn.

FOR BOSTON, 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37, A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 7.11, 8.29, 9.45, 10.10, P. M. RETURN, 6.55, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35, 11.00 A. M., 12.10, 1.07, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 4.45, 5.35, 5.55, 6.15, 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, 10.00, 11.10 P. M.

SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.09, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

WINCHESTER and WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.10, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 7.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS, 1890.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.40, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.00, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

*Trips to Winchester only.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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34	Junction Cambridge and Lexington Sts.
35	Cor. Willow and Bedford Sts. (Cummingsville)
38	Cor. Winn and Bedford Streets.
42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
43	Montvale Ave, opp. Vernon Street.
45	Salem Street, Walnut Hill.
46	Central Street, opp. School-house (Montvale.)
51	Cor. Green and Mt. Pleasant Sts.
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57	Conn Street, Bryant & King's Factory.
62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
63	Junction Montvale Ave. and Union Street.
65	High Street, McDonald's Lumber Yard.
67	Cor. Main and Kilby Streets.
68	Main Street opp. Catholic Church.
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JUBA AND THE GHOST.

Juba was a dog. It was the custom in the negro quarters where he belonged by right of ownership to refer to him as "ornery cur;" but this contemptuous appellation was more descriptive than accurate, for Juba united in himself a dozen strains of blood and belonged to no race of dogs in particular.

He had the heavy lower jaw of a bulldog, the deep intelligent eyes of a Scotch collie, and the watchfulness and agility of a terrier, but somehow these characteristics refused to blend harmoniously in him, and his best friend would have been forced to fall back on the darky's description admit that he was "ornery" looking.

He was a dog that you would have known in a glance was a negro's dog. You have seen a thousand such in the cane, or corn, or cotton fields guarding a dinner pail, or dozing on a ragged old coat at the end of the "turn row," faithful sentinels even in sleep of the poor treasures they are set to watch. There is always something a trifle pathetic in the affection that exists between these outcast dogs and their masters—a kind of comradeship between those who have drawn blanks in the lottery of life, and who cling together in community of misfortune.

It was Juba's destiny to be born on a fine wheat and tobacco farm in Tennessee, whose owner was a connoisseur in dogs, and who had a scorn for a scrub dog only less than his contempt for a horse without a pedigree. So Juba was very nearly being drowned for the sins of his ancestors, when Uncle Mose, the old negro overseer, interposed and saved him. Whether it was that Juba looked upon Uncle Mose as his saviour, or whether he was naturally of an affectionate disposition, must ever remain a conjecture, but from the first there was a remarkable affection between the old man and his dog.

"Juba ain't a settin up to be no plumb beanty," he would say sententiously when any one criticised his pet; "but he's a powerful peart dog en mighty knowin. Lord, I des believe dat dog could teach a schoolmarster grammar ef he had de use of his tongue."

It really seemed to matter little to the old man, though, that his constant companion did not have the "use of his tongue." As they trudged fieldward in dewy mornings, and in the long evenings when Mose sat and dreamed before his cabin fire with the dog at his feet, it really seemed as if Juba's love was strong enough to bridge over the gulf that separates the human and the mere brute.

But perhaps Juba's chief charm was his satisfactoriness. He was a sober minded dog, who never rushed off on hair brained excursions on a wrong scent; he never foretold disaster by howling at the moon, or treed imaginary possums up the wrong gum tree. He was not a brilliant dog, and he was keenly conscious of his own defects. When the brown partridges hid in the stubble in autumn, and the setters and pointers were brought out, Juba would drop his ears, that were greatly the worse for having been "chawed" in a fight, and slink dejectedly away.

These disadvantages, however, counted for nothing in Uncle Mose's eyes.

"Talk about yo' pinters en setters en sheep dogs en whut all yo' mind to, dey ain't nary one of dem can hol a candle to Juba when hit comes to treein possums and vermints," the old man would say, and then he would drop his voice to a whisper and add, "Lawd, dey ain't nothin can stop dat dog, not even sperrits en hants, en one time he treed a ghos!"

When Uncle Mose remembered the possum hunts he and Juba had taken together he loved him as we do an old friend who has shared our labors and our triumphs, but when he thought of the ghost he revered Juba as his preserver.

It happened years and years ago and it was in the early fall, when the wild grapes hang from the heavy vines in purple beauty, when the haw trees bend under the weight of their own crimson and black berries, when the pawpaws fall to the ground with their own weight and lie there in luscious ripeness and the persimmons gleam like ruddy gold amidst their dark green leaves. It is then that the possum is fattest and most toothsome, and that he falls the easiest victim to the hunter. No one knew this better than Uncle Mose, and for days, as he bent above the heavy tobacco, now splotched with dusky yellow and almost ready for the knife, he chuckled to himself as he looked over at the forest that skirted the "new ground" and thought about the possums fattening in it.

"You better be a sooplin' of yo'se'f, ole boy," he would say to Juba, who was, as usual, following close upon his heels down the tobacco row, "you better be a sooplin' yo'se'f, 'ease possums is powerful sassy and peart in 'simmon time."

The dark of the moon is the traditional season among the negroes for possum and coon hunting, and the night after the "turn" found a dozen or more stalwart negroes at Uncle Mose's cabin ready for the projected hunt. Some carried torches, others axes to cut down trees, if necessary, or to clear a way through the underbrush. A score or so of mongrel dogs yelped and sprung around in anxious expectancy. As usual, Uncle Mose with Juba, alert but quiet, at his heels stood in the midst of the group, and it was he who led, striking down the path towards the woods.

It was a picturesque group enough, as they threaded their way through the dim paths of the forest. The light showed the lithe, strong figures of the men; it glinted on the bright axes thrown over their shoulders; it showed the glancing forms of the dogs, hurrying hither and thither through the underbrush. The air was sweet with the odors of the night, and the silence was only broken by a deep, mellow laugh from a negro throat, or the sharp yelp of a dog, or the rattle of nuts, as the wind shook a scaly bark tree.

Presently there was a deep, bass note that thrilled every pulse as only a hunter's pulse can thrill at the presence of game. It was Juba's bark, and they knew he never failed. The first possum had been treed, and they broke into a sharp run, in answer to the summons.

"Hiyi, we'se got you now, ole hairy," exclaimed one.

"Don't come none yo' dead tricks on us," cried another; "you'se des de same ez in de pot now."

It was even so. In an instant a stalwart fellow had climbed the tree and shaken the hairy little beast down among the dogs, from whom it was with difficulty rescued. A cleft stick was procured, the possum's long tail inserted, and the party moved on, following in the wake of the dogs.

Possums were plentiful that night. Mose complained that "twaint no fun when dey are just settin' round on de logs lak days hankerin' to be put in de pot."

He found it difficult to keep up with his younger companions, and by and by he turned back homeward. With the faithful Juba at his heels, and the fat possum swinging over his shoulder he walked on, contentedly thinking of his morrow's dinner. Presently he became conscious that it was growing very dark. The clear starlit dusk was all blotted out, and he could hear the groaning of the trees as they trembled and shivered at the approaching tempest. In another instant, as it seemed to him, the storm had broken with all its fury over him. The thunder rattled and roared, the lightning blinded him, and he could hear the crash of the trees as the fierce wind tore them from their roots. Dazed and frightened, the old man stumbled along, falling over roots and torn by briers.

At last, by a flash of lightning, he saw that he was just standing without the little white painted neighborhood church. Ordinarily nothing could have overcome his superstitious fears sufficiently to induce him to enter a church at midnight, but in his present plight he welcomed any shelter, and pushing open the door he groped his way up the narrow aisle and crouched down beside the altar.

Juba lay at his feet and licked in mute sympathy the hand that caressed his shaggy head. Through the unshuttered windows every flash of lightning showed the gleaming white stones of the grave yard that almost surrounded the little church. Uncle Mose shuddered. There was the tall marble shaft that marked the grave of a negro trader. Every night, it was said, his spirit walked the earth, tortured by the tears and groans and broken hearts of the mothers from whom he had torn babies, by the curses of the wives he had torn from their husbands' arms. Even hell would not hold so vile a soul. There was the tiny grave of an unbaptized infant who cried because it could not enter heaven. There, horribly distinct in the flash of blinding light, was the unmarked grave of a man who murdered his brother. There was—God in heaven! what was that wild white face at the window? The old man staggered to his feet, but the apparition was gone. He would go out again into the night. Better the wildest storm than this ghost haunted place.

He turned toward the door, but there, standing in the gallery that ran across the back of the church, over the very door through which he must pass, was the white, ghostly thing.

Uncle Mose's heart stood still with fear; his trembling limbs would no longer support him and he fell on his knees.

"Oh Lawd God A'mighty," he prayed, "ole Mose ain't never been lak dese year common niggers dats always a pesterin' you for somethin' or n'er. Ole Mose ain't never boddered you much in all dese years, but Lawd he got the end of his row now, and dey aint no turn to hit. De fros' done cotch de ole man lak a stalk of backer standing out in de patch, en w'en you come to stem him an' strip him for prizin up dar he won't be nothin' but lugs."

The old man's voice died out in a sob, and he bowed his head, waiting for the awful something to come. But suddenly across his fears broke a familiar sound—Juba's deep, determined, unimaginative bark when he had treed something. Uncle Mose opened his eyes again on the world he never expected to behold more, and there, plainly revealed in a flash of lightning, was Juba with his "chawed" ears boldly erect, deliberately treeing the ghost in the church.

In all the years he had known Juba Uncle Mose's confidence had never once wavered in the sagacity and ability of his dog, and this was no time for half measures now. With a cry of relief he scrambled to his feet and with a bound cleared the church door, leaving the awful presence in full possession.

What was it?

The next morning a crazy woman who had escaped from a neighboring asylum was found dead near the church, with her long white garments soaked with rain, and there were those who suggest she must have been the apparition Mose saw in the church.

But he rightly refused to accept any such flimsy theory.

"I tell you," he always maintained, "hit would a been all up wid de ole man ef Juba hadn't tree'd dat ghos'."

There is little faith, however, that is proof against ridicule, and by and by it came to pass that the old man was shy of telling his ghost story to unbelievers, and it was rarely he could be won to speak of it at all after Juba died. When some irreverent stripling would ask, with a suppressed laugh, "Unc Mose, whut wuz dat tale you used to tell bout Juba en de ghos?" the old man would answer testily:

"Tail, tail? Dey wan't no tail bout Juba; he wuz de bob tailest dog yo' ever see in yo' bawn days."—*Elizabeth M. Gilmer in New Orleans Picayune.*

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The following significant dispatch from Toronto appeared a day or two ago in the press throughout the country:

"TORONTO, July 21. A cable dispatch says the Canadian Pacific Railway Company is about to procure fresh capital for purposes in connection with a Pacific steamship service under subsidies granted under the British and Dominion Governments."

Democratic organs, which a few short weeks ago were hotly and ignorantly denying that England subsidized her steamship lines, have been enlightened by the current discussion, and would now no more deny the existence of British subsidies than they would the existence of the pyramids of Egypt.

Blakeley Hall tells the Brooklyn *Eagle* that everything is much cheaper and nicer in Boston than in New York city; and he says Boston is especially cheaper than New York in the price of living. A dinner which can be had for $1.60 in Boston costs $3 in New York. A beautifully fashioned modern house in Commonwealth avenue which rents for $1100 per annum could not be had in a corresponding neighborhood in New York short of $3500. And so he continues to show the superiority of Boston, winding up with the statement that the private houses of Boston are much more magnificent than those of New York. All of which is refreshing to our local pride.

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Mr. Blaine and Reciprocity.

Secretary Blaine's latest letter to Senator Frye on the reciprocity question is full of the same force which characterized the earlier correspondence. Mr. Blaine disposes—conclusively, we think—of the objection which has been advanced by opponents of the measure that, even if America were willing, Spain would not consent to reciprocity and stand by and see her richest colonies entering into closer and closer commercial relations with the United States. Mr. Blaine recalls the circumstances, which some of his critics had apparently forgotten, that six years ago Spain entered into a treaty of reciprocity, which failed because the free sugar proposition then was entertained with no favor in our Congress. About the same time the House of Representative had defeated the consummation of a similar arrangement with Mexico. If any reasons can be cited why Spain and Mexico would be any more averse to reciprocity now than they were in 1882-83, such reasons have not yet been presented.

Another interesting feature of the letter is Mr. Blaine's explicit statement that he urged the Republican members of the Ways and Means Committee, as long ago as last February, to make some provision for reciprocity in the forthcoming Tariff bill. He failed then, and the fact is not a good omen for the success of any reciprocity proposition in the present Congress. But Mr. Blaine's critics can no longer blame him for postponing decisive action until it was too late, for it is obvious that he seized the earliest opportunity to perform his duty as he understood it. This letter is in some respects the most important and the most urgent of the series. It evidently demands, and we are sure that it will receive, the thoughtful consideration of Congress and the country.—*Boston Journal.*

Hold It To The Light.

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The Anglo-Jewish Association gives a glowing picture of the condition of the Jews in Russia, which is growing from bad to worse. One of the worst features of their persecution is the restriction put upon education. Jewish students can only form 3 per cent of the total number, even in places where the Jews form 75 per cent of the total population, while the number of children allowed by law to receive elementary education in schools is only 5 per cent of the total number attending such schools. The Jews are still prohibited from holding arms or acting as agricultural administrators, and those who inhabit villages are not permitted to migrate to rural districts. It is also proposed to exclude them from the legal and engineering professions.

Some of the Republican Senators could not resist the temptation yesterday to pour a little hot shot into the Democracy, and Mr. Hiscock's speech was particularly effective. But it will be well for the Senators to remember as a general thing that with the mercury soaring away up where it is at present, legislation is what the American people want and not oratory.

Democratic correspondents at Washington continue to attribute the delay in the passage of the Appropriation bills to the imperfect operation of the House rules, when the fact is, as these correspondents know perfectly well, that the delay has been in the Senate and not in the House, and that one cause for it is the absence of such rules as those which govern the House.

When Gov. Taylor of Tennessee says that the National Election bill is an envious stab at a prospering South, he is uttering sheer nonsense, and if he only stopped to think before he spoke he would acknowledge it. To say that the bill is a stab at the prosperity of the South is equivalent to saying that that the prosperity of the South is based upon political fraud and intimidation.

"Papa," said the young mother, "I've decided on a name for baby; we will call her Imogen." Papa was lost in thought for a few minutes; he did not like the name, but if he opposed it his wife would have her own way. "That's nice," said he, presently, "my first sweetheart was named Imogen, and she will take it as a compliment." "We will call her Mary, after my mother," was the stern reply.

Plans are being prepared for a great market house in Chicago. The structure will be several blocks in length, to be covered with a glass roof and divided by streets 125 feet wide and 80-foot alleys. It is to be located beyond the Randolph street viaduct. The estimated cost is $1,000,000.

The new census gives Colorado a population of about 400,000.

The Fraser River salmon fishery is almost a failure this season.

We are all content to be called sinners so long as the parson does not descend to particulars.

The largest peach orchard in the world is believed to be at Brownwood, Texas, which contains 11,000 trees.

So much snow has fallen in Switzerland this summer that it has put a stop to mountain climbing.

Hollyhocks and ferns make a popular table decoration, and other old-fashioned flowers have been taken into fashionable favor.

A typewriter manufacturer says that there are 75,000 women in this country who make a living by running the machines.

The Mormons are gaining a foothold in the Canadian Northwest, and it is believed will make trouble for the Government.

Cumso—"Jaysmith is penurious, isn't he?" Fangle—"I should say he was! He won't even langh at a joke unless it is at some one else's expense."

It is proposed at Vienna to span the Danube Canal with a bridge lined with shops like the famous Ponte Rialto at Venice and the Arno Bridge at Florence.

The electric battery has superseded the hose and cold water for taming refactory prisoners in the Ohio Penitentiary. It is reported to be very efficacious.

The Western busy bee has not been making honey this year. In Iowa there has been a total failure of the honey crop, owing to the fact that there has been no honey in the flowers.

It is reported that a Judge at Troy has declared that the baby carriage is a nuisance, when it runs into law-abiding citizens. There is no appreciation for the poor baby anywhere.

The physician who has declared in print that the talk of ice cream and soda water being deleterious is all nonsense had no feeling for the young man who has invited his particular girl to a picnic.

Vegetable or fruit sandwiches are recommended as new delicacies for picnics. The newest dainty sandwich is made of a nasturtium leaf, sprinkled with a little salt, and set between two round slices of biscuit and butter.

The longest journey on record for a young carrier pigeon was made in 1887 by the noted bird Wade, owned by Mr. Henry Wagner of Boston. This bird when only about five months old flew from London, Ont., to Boston—525 miles.

The natural affiliation of the Democratic papers with the wrong side of moral questions is illustrated afresh by the prompt ardor with which the Philadelphia *Record* assails the proposed anti-lottery bill "as an act of pure despotism." The managers of the Louisiana Lottery themselves could not have expressed their views with more fervor.

Senator Gorman gave in his allegiance to the free traders yesterday, but he did not do it gracefully. He is apparently still far from agreeing with the majority of his Democratic colleagues who hold with Senator Vest that the Democratic tariff policy "challenges the protected industries to a fight of extermination."

It is clear that the Germans are delighted to have Heligoland. Admiral Von Werner has just contributed to a Leipsic journal an article on the island's military value. In his opinion its possession renders the blockade of the Eibe and Weser impossible; and this is decidedly an important consideration.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

We are not surprised to hear that the political pot has already begun to boil. People are commencing to talk. The various political conventions will be putting in an appearance at an early day.

In connection with the Republican nomination for State Senator from this District the name of only one person has struck our ear, and that was Edward F. Johnson, present Mayor of this city. It is understood that Mr. Johnson will not consent to run for a third term of the Mayoralty and his friends think strongly of presenting his name in the Senatorial convention, if he will allow it.

It is probable that several other gentlemen in the District will be urged for the nomination between this and the date of the convention.

There is a plenty of good Senatorial timber in the District.

THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Last Tuesday the Boston *Herald* published a careful estimate, based on the most reliable data that could be obtained, on the number of Veterans that would attend the National G. A. R. Encampment in Boston next week, and the number of strangers outside the G. A. R. ranks who would visit the city on business and pleasure at that time. The former it places at 50,000, and the latter at 250,000. These figures represent the lowest estimates made not only by the *Herald* but by intelligent people placed in positions which afford them uncommonly good opportunities to get facts on the subject.

According to these calculations Boston will be tremendously full of people next week.

THE PRESIDENT COMING.

If nothing turns up to alter his plans President Harrison will attend the National G. A. R. Encampment in Boston next week.

A reply to the Committee's invitation was received from him last week in which the above announcement was authorized.

The presence of the President of the United States will have a strong tendency to greatly increase the crowd at the Encampment.

KEMMLER EXECUTED.

Kemmler, the murderer who has been waiting for his earthly exit so long, was executed by means of electrietty at the Auburn, New York, State Prison, early last Wednesday morning, in the presence of several doctors and others.

It took two or three shocks to kill him. After the first he was pronounced dead but was brought back to life again.

It is believed there will be no more legal executions by electricity.

DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION.

According to the new apportionment the Republicans of Woburn will be entitled to 8 delegates in the State Convention.

Ward 4 will have 2 delegates and each of the other 6 Wards will have one.

The Convention will be held on Sept. 17.

MIGHT AS WELL GO FISHING.

Now that Gen. Banks isn't going on the retired list of the army, ambitious 5th district Republicans might as well go a-fishing.—*Boston Herald.*

There's about where it lights. If General Banks fails to get on the retired list he will be a candidate for re-election, and if he is a candidate for re-election he'll distance all competitors "as sure as shootin'."

☞ THE WOBURN JOURNAL is tickled almost to death because the taxes over there this year are to be only $16.50 on a $1000, and puts the figures in bold face type. Perhaps Editor Hobbs can save enough on his taxes to pay his passage to Nahant on the occasion of Congressman Lodge's reception to the S. P. Association. Hope to see you there, Bro. Hobbs.—*Reading Chronicle.*

What a sprightly old chap our neighbor of the *Chronicle* is getting to be! As member of the ever-to-be-esteemed S. P. A. he is first at the banquet and the last to leave it, indulges in oratory, throws off a bumper, shakes a hoof at the head of the quadrille, and "goes home with the gals in the mornin'," as gay and lively as a lad one-third of his age, and don't mind it a bit.

But then, Woburn beats Reading all to pieces on increase of population and decrease in rate of taxation.

☞ We are in receipt of the speech of Congressman Henry Cabot Lodge delivered in the House of Representatives at Washington on June 26, last, on a bill pending (called by the Bourbons "Lodge's Force Bill") to provide National Supervision of National Elections, which, on careful perusal, we find to be a fair, dispassionate discussion of an important National question. Mr. Lodge expresses statesmanlike views of the functions of the Federal Government, its rights and liabilities, and these views are laid down with clearness, calmness, and without any bifaluten whatsoever. In other words it is a clear, strong statement of correct ideas concerning the subject discussed.

☞ By courtesy of Hon. Charles R. Ladd, the present and prospective head occupant of the Auditor's Office, we are indebted for a copy of the annual report of that Department of the State government, for which we return thanks.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Journal Office—Lost.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.

— Read "Lost" in this paper.

— Warren Edgcomb is at Saco, Me.

— The Public Library has been reopened.

— Mrs. E. Prior and daughter are Dennis.

— Miss Etta Pushee is visiting at Littleton, N. H.

— Shields's new drugstore boasts of a big arc light.

— Stores in this city will be closed all day Tuesday next.

— Benjamin Carr went to New York a few days since.

— Note a change in Fred Leeds's excursion advertisment.

— Mr. A. Wilbur Parker's address is Melrose Ave., Falmouth.

— Mr. Walter O. Bacon of Canal street is away on his vacation.

— Mrs. Eugene Bullard went to Autrim, N. H., for her vacation.

— Mrs. A. B. Luce and daughter left last Tuesday for Martha's Vineyard.

— Mr. John Q. A. Brackett went to Chicago on a business trip a few days ago.

— Mrs. Whiting was a guest at the Straits House, Nantasket, last Saturday.

— Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Greenwood start to-day for Keene, Peterboro, etc., N. H.

— Fannie McLaughlin of Water street was at Old Orchard Beach last week.

— Mrs. W. C. Kenney and Mrs. O'Neile went to the White Mts. last week.

— George H. Ferrin was a guest at the Winnepesaukee House, Weirs, last week.

— John A. Walch was a registered at the Randall House, No. Conway, lately.

— Miss Mabel Hobbs of Portland, Me., has been visiting relatives here this week.

— Mr. and Mrs. John I. Munroe went down to Manchester-by-the-Sea last week.

— Mr. E. J. Gregory and family will go to Salisbury Beach to-morrow for an outing.

— Miss Mamie Perry was a guest of the Ocean Wave House, North Rye Beach last week.

— Mrs. J. Q. A. Brackett and Edward Q. Brackett are at Cottage City for a visit.

— Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Atwood have returned from a pleasant visit to Bucksport, Me.

— Mrs. Dorinda, widow of Ephraim W. Hadley of this city, has received an original pension.

— Miss Mary T. Perry and Miss May Fifield chose Epping, N. H., for their summer retreat.

— Mr. Frederic A. Flint will start next Tuesday for his favorite summer retreat, Camden, Me.

— Mr. George F. Fosdick and family are summering at the White Mountains and vicinity.

— Mrs. D. G. Alexander and daughters are at Nahant, the gem of the North Shore resorts.

— The National Band will give a concert on the Common next Wenesday evening, August 13.

— Mr. Charles P. Pollard, late of Pollard & Parker, has returned from a trip to New Hampshire.

— McGregor is building another hot house for English violets which he will hereafter extensively cultivate.

— Miss Mamie Eaton, the popular teacher, has returned from her vacation visit at Manchester-by-the-Sea.

— What are the Woburn Branch of the Mass. L. O. L. doing about these days? Don't all speak at once.

— Mrs. Martha B. Cummings of 120 Main street in this city has returned from a visit to Saratoga.

— Mary E. Briggs is a guest at the Montreal House, Old Orchard, where she will remain a couple of weeks.

— Albert Munroe is enjoying his vacation season on Peak's Island in Casco Bay, a favorite resort of his.

— Mr. Waldo Thompson hears that his father, Mr. Leonard Thompson, is enjoying his Alaska trip very much.

— Lawyer Titus and family and Miss Mary Johnson have gone down to Waldoboro, Maine, for their vacation.

— Good apples are going to be a minus quantity around here this fall from the present appearance of things.

— S. T. Gifford and wife and Miss L. Brown were nice and comfortable at Towers's, Falmouth, a few days ago.

— Cooper & Rand of the Woburn Real Estate Exchange want several tenements for good tenants now waiting.

— Miss Gertrude Walcott of Hudson, this state, is visiting with her friend, Miss Flora Nichols on Warren street.

— Judge Charles A. Adams occupies the bench of the Fourth District Court in the absence of Judge Converse.

— General Secretary Bailey of the Y. M. C. A. and wife went to Asbury Grove last Tuesday and will be absent a week.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., has one of the most desirable houses in the city to rent at a reasonable figure. See his card.

— Alarm 32 Thursday afternoon was for a grass fire at Nichols' Corner. The alarm from box 68 at 7 P. M. was for a fire at Skinner's tannery. No damage.

— Mrs. Robert W. King fell down stairs at her home on Union street last Monday morning and received quite serious injuries.

— It is proper to state that Officer Fountain arrested Larock after Officer Kean had baffled him in his attempt to burn the barn on High street, for such was the fact. Both officers did well to stop the fire and nab the firebug.

— The burglars who raided the Central Square Railroad depot one night last week didn't make the biggest kind of a haul.

— Rev. C. H. Washburn, pastor of the Congregational Church at North Woburn, preached at Falmouth, Cape Cod, last Sunday.

— Mr. A. S. Hayward left last Tuesday for the Kennebec down in Maine. He is a native of Sidney on that gay old river.

— Police Officers Kean and McKenna entered on their vacation last Monday. They propose to enjoy life for a week or two.

— Miss Abby McSweeney, one of the main props of the JOURNAL composing room, is visiting friends at Waltham and Belmont.

— All the city plans and lots have been catalogued by Arthur W. Tidd under the supervision of Mr. William E. Cummings, C. E.

— The peaches at the fruit stands are very fine looking; whether they are toothsome or not we can tell better when they get cheaper.

— Mr. C. H. Dudley is the new salesman at Thompson's hardware store and a right gentlemanly sort of a person he seems to be.

— Katydids gave their first concert of the season last Monday evening. They sounded autumnlike. Six weeks to first frost—is that it?

— John Huse was arraigned and fined in Court last Saturday morning for trying to lay his son Mark low with a shotgun. Rum did it.

— Assessor John Ferguson (the Commodore) and City Collector J. G. Magnire sniffed salt water at Downer's Landing one day last week.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave a splendid concert on the Common last Wednesday evening to a big crowd. It was a very fine one indeed.

— From a very small beginning Mrs. Jennings's Intelligence Office has grown into a pretty extensive affair. It is very handy for employers and employees.

— The Pine Tree Club, Mr. Charles Dorr says, are talking of having a picnic soon, or as he calls it, a grove and pasture rackett. It would be a good thing.

— Bro. Charles W. Dorr thinks the "Friendly Aid Society" is the best thing in the Endowment Order that has appeared on the tapis lately. He is into it all over.

— Immense crowds of people visited the beaches last Sunday. The East Middlesex St. Ry. did the biggest kind of a business. The cars were packed both ways all day.

— Mrs. Daniel W. Bond, wife of the enterprising business man of No. Woburn, and daughter visited Weymouth last week, and are enjoying life there at the present time.

— Thousands of people visit the "Fall of Babylon" at Oakland Garden every day. Excursion parties come to see it from all over the State, and everybody calls it a big thing.

— Maloney Brothers have broken ground for a double-tenement house on the corner of Montvale Avenue and Ferguson Place. Mr. Jacob M. Ellis is building the cellars and foundations.

— The Woburn Electric Light Company have petitioned the Selectmen of Reading for the privilege of erecting poles in that town to enable it to do a general lighting and power business there.

— Parties looking for an opportunity for profitable investment would do well to consult Mr. Elisha F. Hayward of this city in regard to the Cardiff, Tenn., Coal and Iron Co., of which he is the agent.

— Mr. John Ferguson, Chairman of the Almshouse Committee, informed a JOURNAL reporter the other day that the number of people at the almshouse is much less than usual at this time of year.

— The family of Mr. Frank B. Dodge, the jeweler, are at the Seashore House, Old Orchard, the most popular house on the beach. Mr. Dodge spent last Sunday there and will go down again.

— The Woburn Brass Band will help furnish music for the great G. A. R. Encampment in Boston next week. They have been engaged by Joseph Hooker Post, No. 23, for Wednesday and Thursday.

— During quite a brisk thunder storm a week ago last night lightning struck the old Burke & Munday shoe factory on Main street owned by Mr. Joseph Kelley, and the currying shop of Mr. Kenney.

— Librarian Francis made a flying visit to Portsmouth the other day by water. Kittery Point, over on the Maine side of the river from Portsmouth, was the scene of his youthful joys and sorrows.

— The new funeral car recently bought and brought here by the Messrs. Tripp is one of the best and costliest in this State. It is splendidly built, has every modern improvement, and cost a pile of money.

— Mary E. Plannett and her little niece, Bertha B. Smith, daughter of the late G. F. Smith, will start for Sanbornton, N. H., to-day where they expect to remain and enjoy life for four or five weeks to come.

— Frank Gould, son of Mr. Harry F. Gould of No. 8 Bennett street, is spending his vacation very pleasantly at Littleton, N. H. He enjoys the mountain air and sublime scenery of the old Granite State.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave an open-air concert to a big crowd of people at Reading last Friday evening. The Band is in demand for concerts and parades and has done more playing this season than ever before.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Last Saturday Auctioneer Prior sold the real estate on Academy Hill previously advertised in the JOURNAL for Mr. Samuel Skelton, or the estate of Almira Skelton, to Thomas Callan for a very satisfactory price.

— Alderman Griffin Place returned from quite an extended visit across the water last week. He went to England and other foreign parts for purposes of business and pleasure combined. Ald. Place can afford to gratify his taste for travel.

— Mrs. Edmund C. Cottle prefers Kennebunkport at which to enjoy seaside repose, so she took the children and went down there last week. There isn't a more desirable place on the coast than Kennebunkport, York County, Me.

— We are pleased to observe that the English sparrows of this city hold their own pretty well against the unholy war that is waged against them in certain quarters. It looks as though they were bound to beat the Legislature after all.

— During these hot summer months you should have one or two pieces of Rattan Furniture to make life comfortable. The best place in New England to secure Rattan goods at the lowest price, is at Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Next week a company of young gentlemen, namely; Harry Carter, Harry Dow, Henry Brown, Carl S. Dow, George W. Buchanan and John E. Gilcreast, expect to go to Sebago Lake for a good time. It is a beautiful place for a summer outing.

— A careful perusal of the advertisement of Burdett's Business College in this paper is advised. The proprietors of the institution are among the best esteemed citizens of Woburn and deserve Woburn patronage for their popular and successful Boston school.

— Uncle Levi Teel's vegetable garden out on Cambride street holds out like the Widow's Cruise. If it keeps on humping itself as vigorously as it has of late it will keep Uncle Levi and the Editor a long way from the doors of the Poor House this fall and winter.

— It has been a very hot week. From 90 to 98 right through the day and 75 at midnight has been no uncommon meteorological condition since the middle of last week, and people have become pretty well wilted down. At least there is a good deal of groaning among them.

— Mr. Roger S. Spaulding who went to California nearly a year and a half ago and has been at Seattle, W., for a year past, has returned to this city. He reached this latitude early in July and has been visiting in New Hampshire. He was sick when he got here, but is now in good health.

— Judging from the multitude of placards in the store windows, each and everyone of which reads: this store will be closed Aug. 12, G. A. R. parade in Boston, it is fair to presume that next Tuesday will be observed as a general holiday in this city, for which the municipal authorities wisely set an example.

— John Doherty who was struck by a switch engine while walking on the railroad tracks between Church Ave. and Main street on Wednesday evening, July 30, died in the Massachusetts General Hospital last Friday night. His only known relative in this vicinity was a sister living in Boston or one of its southern suburbs.

— A committee composed of Alderman Linscott, B. Frank Kimball, W. W. Cummings and Elmore A. Pierce had conference last Wednesday with Superintendent Flanders of the Lowell division of the B. & M. railroad in regard to lower passenger rates for North Woburn. They were pleasantly and satisfactorily received.

— There was a very pleasant party at the residence of Chief McIntosh on Thursday evening of last week at which the Arion Quartet were handsomely entertained by the host and hostess. There was a fine collation, pleasant social intercourse, and some choice music by the Arion. The affair passed off very agreeably to all present.

— Mr. J. J. Grothe, successor to Pollard & Parker, blacksmiths and carriage builders, has just finished off a hose wagon for the Newton Fire Department. It weighs 1000 pounds and carries 800 feet of hose, with a capacity of 1000 feet if necessary. It is an excellent carriage and a credit to Mr. Grothe's mechanical skill and thoroughness.

— The Globe Theatre's fall season opens on Monday next, August 11, with Gorman's Minstrels. This is one of the best troupes that travel. The Globe Theatre is one of the coolest in the city, being lighted by electricity and fitted with appliances for furnishing plenty of fresh air to the audience. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

— Mr. Charles M. Munroe is having an addition made to his store which will more than double its capacity. The length of it will be increased 45 feet by a rear addition of that length and full width of the present rooms, which will give him one of the best stores in this city. A large and constantly increasing business demands this additional room to do it in.

— It is said that two Methodist meeting-houses are built every day in this country. One of them was started last week at Woburn, and all the Protestant ministers or the city attended and gave the pastor, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, fraternal encouragement. Mr. Montgomery expects to have the church paid for by the beginning of 1891.—*Wakefield Citizen and Banner.*

— The entertainment given by the St. Charles Minstrels at Lyceum Hall last Monday evening was of a high order of minstrel merit. It was first-rate and gave a great deal of satisfaction to a large and appreciative audience. Each part was as well carried out as it could have been done by professionals. There were dead loads of fun from beginning to end. Lyceum Hall was well filled aloft and alow and Post 33, for whose benefit the show was given, must have been materially benefitted in its finances from the receipts.

— Rev. Fr. Slattery of St. Charles church has returned to his post of duty in the best of health and spirits. During the last year he has passed through a series of severe attacks of illness and suffered a great deal; but he seems to have pulled clean through this time and has at last got firmly established health. He has a great many warm friends here who will hail his return with pleasure.

— Mr. W. P. Pierce of Olean, N. Y., formerly of Central Square, left here this morning for Old Orchard where his family have been stopping for several weeks. He will remain on the the coast—all along from Bar Harbor to Scituate—about a fortnight and then return to Olean, where he has a large tannery and is doing a handsome business at leather making. He moved there about a year ago, and likes York State firstrate.

— George F. Hartshorne, C. E., made photographic pictures of many of the scenes of devastation and ruin left by the Lawrence tornado two weeks ago. He went up the next day and took along his lightning camera to get views and when he returned home he had a large number of them ready to be finished up. The destructive power of the tornado was well set forth by these pictures of Mr. Hartshorne's.

— At the monthly meeting of California Pioneers of New England held at the Crawford House, Boston, last week, Hon. B. F. Whittemore of this city was elected Chairman of the Printing Committee for the Annual Banquet which is to be held on the 9th prox. in Boston, and his daughter, Miss G. M. Whittemore, was elected a member of the Ladies' Reception Committee.

— George W. Nichols, the watchmaker, went fishing last Saturday night. He and M. B. Field of the American Express Co. were taken down the harbor and out to sea by R. W. Pratt in a steam yacht. They were gone a day or so, and claimed to have had extraordinary good luck—for them. No doubt of it. As usual the color of their catch was not seen by Woburnites on their return.

— Miss Hattie Blake, daughter of Mr. E. N. Blake, and Miss Elizabeth M. Brown, daughter of Mr. Jacob Brown, went to Kennebunkport last week for rest and pleasure. Mr. E. N. Blake went down a few days after, and our latest intelligence from the party was to the effect that they seriously contemplated a hostile descent on Bar Harbor. Mr. Blake will probably fetch up on the banks of the Sandy river before he gets back to Woburn.

— Miss Bessie B. Grammer, daughter of Mr. Samuel G. Grammer, is expected to arrive in this city in less than a week. She will come on the California G. A. R. excursion train but will not return. She went away about 20 months ago and during nearly all the time has been at Omaha, Neb., which city she likes very much. She has enjoyed good health during her prolonged absence, and also enjoyed life firstrate. A great many friends will extend to Miss Grammer a warm welcome back to her home.

—Woburn's City Council has directed that all city offices be closed August 12, in recognition of the G. A. R. Encampment. Malden could do the same with honor to herself. The day should be made a general holiday, and the city can inaugurate the work of making it so by passing an order like that passed by Woburn. Let our business men take hold of the matter of closing their stores on that day for several hours, if not for the entire day, at once, so that none may plead insufficient notice.—*Malden City Press.*

— Mrs. Robert J. W. Phinney has engaged to sing at a concert to be given at No. Conway on Aug. 12 for the benefit of the free library there. The affair is in the hands of Mr. E. W. Tyler of Boston who is an annual visitor at No. Conway and is this year one of the committee on the coaching parade; and the talent already secured are: J. H. Rickitson, the well known Boston tenor; Mrs. Moran, the widow of Harry Bloodgood, who has a cottage at the Intervale; and Mrs. Phinney. Other artists will be added to what when complete will be a brilliant list.

— Last Saturday evening's edition of the Lynn *Item* told how near we came to losing Mayor Johnston among the Granite Hills of N. H. It was'nt quite as bad as that, but the Mayor, in company with Mr. George F. Fosdick of this city, had an unpleasant experience at No. Conway last week during the heaviest and most terrific thunder storm that has visited that region in the last 30 years. Happily for them the lightning-charged clouds dropped below the summit of the mountain on which they stood, and although they got thoroughly drenched there was no danger to be apprehended from electric bolts and matters of that kind. They came out of it all right.

— A few days ago J. T. Freeman & Co. of this city shipped to the Loredo Tanning and Leather Goods Co. located at Loredo, Texas, a full outfit for a large tannery and currying plant which they had just completed on an order of the Company, which is composed of English capitalists. They sent with the outfit an improved iron glassing-jack, stoning-jack, a pebbling-jack, a stuffing-mill, a washwheel, a polishing wheel, and a soleleather roller. Also shafting, pullies, etc., for a firstclass tanning and currying establishment. Freeman & Co. have a wide reputation and their brewery, tannery and other machinery stand high for excellence among manufacturers.

— The funeral of Ald. Michael Golden, which took place last Friday morning, was largely attended. Besides a delegation of his fellow employees from the Boston & Maine Railroad, the Woburn Board of Aldermen were present in a body, likewise City Clerk David F. Moreland, City Collector John G. Maguire, City Messenger Edward Simonds, Chairman John Ferguson of the Board of Health, and other members of the city government. The bearers were: Ald. William C. Kenney, City Clerk David F. Moreland, Lawrence Martin, Bartholomew C. Golden, Superintendent of the Glue Works at Montvale, Philip A. McKenna, and Bernard Golden. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

— Thieves undertook to get away with two or three dozen of Mr. C. H. Mentzer's nice spring chickens about half past one o'clock last Monday morning but instead of that he left the premises very suddenly with probably quite a stock of buckshot in his legs. Mr. Mentzer, who is Mr. William B. Harris's son-in-law and lives at the Harris homestead on Lexington street, heard a wagon drive up near the hour named above and thereupon armed himself with his shot-gun and cautiously reconnoitered for game. Presently a man emerged from a henhouse near by with a loaded bag over his shoulder which bag, when the fellow was commanded to halt by the undressed gunner, he dropped and made a dash for his wagon. It was right then and there that Mr. Mentzer got in his charge of buckshot, but the thief escaped. Mr. M. saved his chickens and got a good bag to boot.

— We never appreciated the blessings of poverty more keenly than during the late heated term. We have always regarded poverty as a good friend, but just how good a friend we have never fully realized until this week. Respecting poverty, labor and kindred things our idea has been, ever since arriving at the years of discretion, that that degree of the first named commodity the possession of which compels a constant and steady pull at the second is and always has been a true and complete blessing to the possessor, for labor is unquestionably a panacea for hundreds and thousands of ills that the rich have to endure because they are not poor, and people are so foolish that they will not labor unless poverty compels them to. Now, the men and women who have been obliged to work through all the scorching weather of the last few weeks have been truly blessed. In doing their daily stints they have forgotten the heat, or become indifferent to it, and they who have done that, have been much, very much, happier than the idle folks who had nothing to do but sit round, dawdle, pant, sweat, and complain of the weather. If poverty had obliged these idle people to take hold and do something they would have been saved much of the discomfort of the late hot spell and enjoyed themselves a thousand times better than an abundance of riches has permitted them to do. Aye, give us work, even if we have to take poverty with it.

A Presentation.

Post 33, G. A. R., held its regular monthly meeting last evening. There was a surprise for them, as about 9 o'clock a large delegation of contributing members knocked for admission. Upon arriving in the ante-rooms the officers of the Post were requested to meet the visitors, and they did so, and then all marched into the hall, and after the members had formed a square City Clerk David F. Moreland, on behalf of the contributing members, presented a set officers' swords and equipments, 12 in number, badges of rank, G. A. R. badges, and canes enough for the whole Post, for use at the encampment parade. Past Commander Albert P. Barrett was presented with a staff officer's sword and equipments, he being an aid on the staff of the Department Commander. Commander William P. Warren responded for the Post, and following were short speeches by Comrade Charles A. McDonald, Postmaster Lawrence Reade, Prof. Elmore A. Pierce and Past Commanders James Carton and William C. C. Colgate and David F. Moreland.—*Boston Globe, Aug. 1.*

The above occasion was one of the happiest that has ever taken place inside of G. A. R. Hall. It was briefly alluded to in the last issue of the JOURNAL, but as there was not sufficient time on hand to give a better account of it the above from the *Globe* is appropriated.

Following close on the heels of the above generous behavior on the part of the Honorary Members and the good time that followed the presentation, came the following letter from a lady who, with her late husband, is held in pleasant remembrance by Post 33:

"My husband, your late comrade, always felt a great interest in the Grand Army of the Republic, and its members everywhere enlisted his sympathy. If he were living he would spare no efforts for the success of this great undertaking of the coming Encampment. For his sake, and my pleasure, I enclose this small sum of $5.00 to add to the contributions you have need to collect.

"I have not forgotten your great kindness and respect for him at the time of his death and burial, and I would like to do more than this, but as a little is better than nothing, I thought this little would be acceptable.

"With best wishes for pleasant gatherings through the week of the coming entertainment,

I am yours respectfully."

Some Very Interesting Figures.

We are indebted to the courtesy of the City Assessors for the following statements just completed in their office. Tax-payers will read them with interest. We thank the Assessors for their favor:

APPROPRIATIONS.

	1889.	1890.
City,	$139,242.85	$137,108.29
State Tax,	8,620.00	7,542.50
County Tax,	6,683.70	6,940.77
	$154,546.55	$151,591.56
Total valuation for 1890,		$8,918,306
" " " 1889,		8,092,463
Gain,		$225,843
Tax rate on $1,000 for 1889—$17.20.		
Tax rate on $1,000 for 1890—$16.50.		
Value of Real Estate for 1890,		$7,311,539
" " " 1889,		6,981,000
Gain,		$330,539
Value of Personal Estate for 1890,		$1,606,767
" " " 1889,		1,711,463
Loss,		$104,696
Gain on Real,		$330,539
Loss on Personal,		104,696
Net gain,		$225,843
No. of Male Polls for 1890,		3743
No. of Male Polls for 1889,		3725
Gain,		18
No. of Female Polls for 1889,		160
No. of Female Polls for 1890,		164
Loss,		2

No. of Horses—877.
" " Cows—470.
" " Swine—352.

New houses for 1890—72.

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SPARROW HORTON, Justice of the Peace, Woburn Bookstore.

Chief Wadlin's Census Figures.

Hon. Horace G. Wadlin, Chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and Labor, has prepared the following table of the census for 1890 of Boston and the cities and towns situated within 12 miles of the Capitol of the State. The table is not quite perfect because full and and accurate returns have not been received at the Chief's office, but when all are in and complete the result will stand about the same as the reader will find it set forth below.

The aggregate population of the cities and towns in a radius of 12 miles of Boston was, in 1875, 603,909; in 1885, 731,746; in 1890, approximately, 855,000. Thus the local and suburban population in Boston in another five years will have passed the 1,000,000 mark.

The absolute increase from 1880 to 1890 is greatest in the following order: Boston, 74,406; Lynn, 17,291; Cambridge, 16,677; Somerville, 13,504; Malden, 11,086; Newton, 7,380; Everett, 6,884; Waltham, 6,821; Quincy, 6,696. The table follows:

	1880.	1885.	Estimate 1890.
Boston,	362,839	390,393	437,245
Cambridge,	52,669	59,658	69,346
Lynn,	38,274	45,867	55,565
Malden,	12,017	16,407	23,103
Newton,	16,995	19,799	24,375
Somerville,	24,933	29,971	38,437
Waltham,	11,712	14,699	18,533
Arlington,	4,100	4,673	5,528
Belmont,	1,615	1,939	2,076
Dedham,	6,233	6,641	7,119
Everett,	4,159	5,825	11,043
Hull,	383	451	1,003
Hyde Park,	7,088	8,376	10,279
Lexington,	2,460	2,718	3,056
Lynnfield,	686	766	785
Medford,	7,573	9,042	11,105
Melrose,	4,569	6,101	8,491
Nahant,	808	637	899
Needham,	5,252	2,585	3,030
Quincy,	10,570	12,145	16,666
Reading,	3,181	3,551	4,080
Revere,	2,263	3,637	5,652
Stoneham,	4,805	5,559	6,158
Swampscott,	3,500	3,471	3,185
Wakefield,	5,547	6,060	6,959
Watertown,	5,428	6,238	7,093
Winchester,	3,802	4,304	4,854
Woburn,	10,931	11,750	13,440

It ought to be stated that "estimate" over the 1890 column means something more than it does when a Western "boom" town or city "estimates" its population: the figures in that column are based on an actual count and a true return, and will stand the fire of an official count.

If they go on growing at the rate they have during the last five years the population of the cities and towns named above will be a good deal over 1,000,000 in 1895.

Once a western railroad company laid a rail over a widow's farm at quite a grade, and did not compensate her as she thought they should have done. About once a month she soaped the rails, checking the trains, and finally in this way brought the company to terms. Soap is a power in the world, and the monarch of all soaps is Brussels soap. It delighteth the heart and is a foe to uncleanliness. It's economical.

Scandinavian Notes.

BUILDING. The following named gentlemen have been chosen a Building Committee with full powers to go on and erect a church edifice on the site on the corner of Montvale and Greenwood Avenues recently bought for that purpose: A. J. Simonson, Charles H. Svenson, Sven Froberg, N. C. Olson, August Erlandson, Alfred L. Olson, Charles R. Rosenquist. A photograph of the elevation shows a neat handsome building.

PREACHING. Rev. K. S. Bjork of Waltham will preach in Y. M. C. A. hall next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. The services will be held in the Swedish language.

SUBSCRIPTIONS. Mr. Charles R. Rosenquist started out early this week to secure subscriptions with which to build the proposed Swedish church. He has not made much progress as yet but meets with a kindly feeling for the enterprise that augurs well for the future. Mr. Rosenquist will have charge of the subscription paper and those who wish to contribute to this laudable undertaking may apply to him. It is to be earnestly hoped that the citizens of Woburn, especially members of the evangelical churches, will contribute liberally towards the erection of this Swedish house of worship for it is very much needed by the Scandinavians of this city.

A GENEROUS ACT. Mr. Rosenquist had barely started out for subscriptions to the new church the other morning when he met and was introduced to Mr. M. Greenwood of San Francisco, Cal., by his brother Mr. Curtis Greenwood of this city whom he is visiting. On introducing him Mr. Curtis Greenwood remarked to his brother, who is quite a wealthy man, that it would be a good thing in him to make a contribution to the new Swede church, and the brother accepted the idea as not a bad one at all. He thought he would subscribe to the building fund and, receiving a subscription book from Mr. Rosenquist for the purpose, he at once put his name on one of its pages and opposite the name "$100." He received Mr. Rosenquist's hearty thanks for the very generous gift and passed on. If our wealthy citizens would show proportionately as much liberality towards this Scandinavian enterprise as Mr. Greenwood, the California gentleman, did the Swede church would soon be built and occupied.

The greatest assortment of all kinds of Real Estate to be had in the city of Woburn is at Cooper & Rand's Woburn Real Estate Exchange cor. Park street.

In Memory Of.

Last Thursday evening week the Board of Aldermen of this city held a special meeting for the purpose of paying respect to the memory of one of their members, Alderman Michael Golden of Ward 5. At the proper time Alderman Ramsdell of Ward 2 offered the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, by the death of Michael Golden, late a member of the Board, the city of Woburn has lost a faithful and efficient servant, and an honored, generous and public-spirited citizen; and

WHEREAS, by his death, we, his colleagues, have suffered the loss of a genial, earnest and well beloved associate; be it therefore

Resolved, That in recognition and out of respect to his memory, the members of the Board attend his funeral and cause this resolution to be engrossed on its records and to be published in the Woburn *News*, JOURNAL and *City Press*, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to his family as a tribute of respect to his memory.

The abolition of the slave trade at Zanzibar is the first good effect of English influence there. Now let us see it it will stay abolished.

WILBUR A. REYNOLDS, D. D. S.

Dental Parlors,

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Near Boylston Street.

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AUCTIONEER.

Personal attention given to the sale of Real and Personal Estates in Woburn and vicinity.

Office: 393 Main St., Woburn.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

The Fly.

"How doth the little busy bee improve each shining hour." My experience with bees has been very limited but I can testify that it would be true if instead of "bee" "fly" was used. I believe I have always hated bees since I have known that beautiful poem. It was always quoted to me when I wanted to play instead of being good and working.

But I really do think the fly "improves each shining hour." I am sure it is only in the "wee sma hours" when it is still. Strange to say it doesn't improve folks temper, especially baldheaded gentlemen. Talk of mosquitoes! they are not to be compared to flies. Who ever saw or heard of a mosquito with such a perversity for sticking? The fly well illustrates that line of our school days "if at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

What mosquito would venture to explore and feast upon the contents of the sugar bowl, milk pitcher and butter dish?

The fly is the insect of the day. Give it all the fly powder and paper you want, you may kill some, but the more you kill the more you have. So what can we do but—suffer?—N. M.

Y. M. C. A.

BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

At 8 o'clock, Saturday evening is our prayer meeting. Come in and help us.

Deep sea fishing excursion will be represented by five of our men on Saturday.

Some of the Junior Branch visited Crescent Beach last Monday and spent the day there.

Mass meeting on Sunday at 4 o'clock. We invite every man, woman and child to be present.

No. Lubec will be visited by Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Murdock, Miss Annie Smith and Mr. Chester Smith. They start today.

A Fact.

To be of any value to the advertiser, the circulation of a newspaper must be among actual readers. A circulation padded on the prize-package plan, where papers are bought, a ticket cut out, and the rest thrown away, is of course, perfectly useless to an advertiser. It will be noticed that the *Boston Herald* has never been forced to adopt such a plan in order to appear prosperous.

What a host of men have kissed their wives in the dark, supposing them to be the pretty servant girl, and what a host of people still use common instead of Brussels soap, supposing them to be as good and economical.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Boston Mail opens at 8, 8.30, 10.15 A. M., 1.15, 2, 4, 6.25, 8.05 P. M.
New York Mail opens at 8.00 A. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 8.45 A. M., and 4.25 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.00 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 10.00, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1

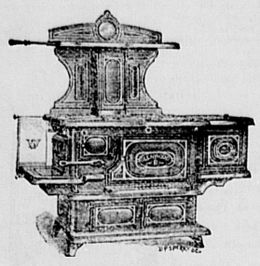
Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

Copeland & Bowser,

335 Main Street, WOBURN.



A. L. HOLDRIDGE,

AGENT FOR THE

Glenwood Cook

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Garland Oil Stoves.

Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

Burlington.

Mr. G. H. Bennett has recently lost a good horse.

The church is closed for the annual vacation of the pastor. There will be no service until August 17.

A horse belonging to Mr. Nathan Simonds was kicked by another horse, in the pasture last week and was injured so badly that his owner was obliged to have him killed.

Gen. John Eaton, president of Marietta College, Ohio, formerly of the Bureau of Education, Washington, and Col. Lucien B. Eaton, a prominent capitalist of Memphis, Tenn., recently spent a day in Burlington visiting their friend of former years, Samuel Sewall, and recalling memories and acquaintances of long ago. Both gentlemen in their youth were school teachers in Burlington and they still remember that episode with pleasure.

Mr. Richard J. Alley who died at his home in Burlington July 26, had been a resident of this town for many years. As the "village blacksmith," he was well known to people in this region and was seldom absent from his post of duty, until ill health compelled him to lay aside his work and close his shop door, where the fire had ceased to glow and the anvil was cold. Mr. Alley was a man of marked uprightness of life. Quiet and unassuming he earned that "good name which is better than riches." With his life work well done he rests in peace.

"Something attempted, something done,
He earned a night's repose."

What They Have Done.

There are people in the country who are disposed to harshly criticise Congress for what it has not done this session, or in other words for its alleged failure to make laws. Either such people don't stop to consider what they are talking about or else they do not wish to give credit to whom credit is due.

The following are some of the important things Congress promised to do and has done:

1. Pledges kept by the House:
Tariff bill.
Federal Election bill.
Silver bill.
Anti-Trust bill.
Dependent Pension bill.
Administrative Customs bill.
Territorial Admission bills.
Battleships bill.
2. Pledges kept by the Senate:
Silver bill.
Anti-Trust bill.
Dependent Pension bill.
Administrative Customs bill.
Postal Subsidy bill.
Tonnage Bounty bill.
Territorial Admission bills.
Battleships bill.
Original Package bill.

A married man once said: "I would rather hold a currycomb argument with the heels of a mule than to beat my wife three straight games of euchre, or say a word against Brussels soap."

Speaker Reed.

They may attack Speaker Reed in newspapers and reviews, they may lie about him, scold at him and attempt to belittle him, but the sensible men and women of the country applaud him for taking a stand which has advanced legislation and shown up the falsity of the pretence that men sent to Congress were to be be counted as members only when it pleased their own sweet will. To seek by parliamentary subterfuge to thwart the will of the majority is only a shade less than open treason. The people are tired of the boys' play in Congress. Neither party is benefited in the long run by parliamentary trickery. The country demands that the business of the country shall be expedited with all reasonable speed. It is a disgrace to the nation that American Congress cannot discuss business affairs in a business like way. Too many lawyers and too few practical men of business may account for some of the delays. Let us thank Speaker Reed that his shoulder has been at the wheel in the House.—*Boston Journal.*

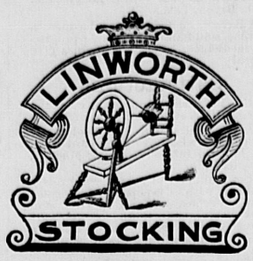
A beautiful woman is, indeed, God's noblest work in nature, but all women will be interested in reading an advertisement on our local page this week addressed to beautiful women. Messrs. Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom in the thirty-four departments of their Department Store cater for the trade of that class of women who appreciate buying standard goods at cut prices.

"Have you washed your feet?" You think this is a queer question to ask, but it is one that many Mammas have got in the habit of asking the boys and girls as "Have you washed your hands?"

And Why? Because it has been almost impossible to get Stockings that would'nt crock and fade.

But alas! for Pearline.

We have got a Line of Stockings Worth much more than many so called "Fast Blacks," which will please the Mammas and the boys and girls as well, and not cost any more. Sizes to fit everybody from baby to grandmamma.



Pearline has its place but it will not have to be used to wash out the stains left by the "LINWORTH."

C. Willard Smith

Literary Notices.

OUR LITTLE ONES for August looks as neat as a pin. Every page has a fine picture for the benefit of the children, while the literary contents are of the most entertaining kind. OUR LITTLE ONES is published by the Russell Publishing Company, Boston.

THE NEW MOON for August contains many good things—a great many more good things than anyone would think could be furnished for $1 (the subscription price per annum) by any magazine publisher in the country. The stories, sketches, poetry, etc., all make capital hot weather reading, and the Editorial Departments are full of interesting things.

The August number of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY is a good one. Among its contents are: Common Sense Applied to the Tariff Question, Sanitary Work in Great Disasters, Missions and Mission Indians in California, Mental Strain, Ancient and Modern Ideas of Hell, The Discovery of Invisible Words, Centres of Ideation in the Brain, The Uses of Animal Color, Thunder Storms, Correspondence, etc. Published by D. Appleton, New York.

THE MUSICAL RECORD for August contains, under the head of "Music-Publishing," a skeleton history of the great music publishing house of Oliver Ditson & Co. of Boston from its modest beginning in 1840 to the present time, in which are given the portraits of John C. Haynes, the head of the house since the death of O. Ditson a year or two ago, and of Charles H. Ditson, the oldest son of the founder of the famous establishment and head of the New York branch. The article makes interesting reading. The number contains its usual instalment of new music and several pages of musical reading matter.

ST. NICHOLAS has a charming frontispiece for August. It is an illustration by Birch to the serial story Lady Jane and shows the former dancing-master, who has become a greengrocer, recalling his triumphs in teaching the pretty heroine the elaborate steps in vogue during his youth. The story itself is delightful. Some of the summery features: The White Mountain Coaching Parade, A Lesson of the Sea, A Remarkable Boat Race, The Sea Princess, Cupid and Crab, The Audacious Kitten. The serials are continued effectively, and the African Baseball papers are of the usual interest and value. Besides the features mentioned, there is an account of Miss Olof Krarer, the first native of East Greenland who has visited civilization. The sketch is illustrated by two photographs. The contents are well varied, strong, and, as usual, of a high order of merit.

It is because The Anglomaniacs presents a novel aspect of New-York life with uncommon pitch and wit that the third part, in the August number of THE CENTURY, will be probably that portion of the magazine to which most readers will first turn. In the new chapter of Friend Olivia the heroine sets sail for America with her father. The short story of the number, The Emancipation of Joseph Peloubet, introduces a Frenchman who turns his back in disgust on the Second Empire, starts a newspaper in New York which advocates emancipation of slaves, and collapses, and who then returns to his trade of baking until the breaking out of the war, when he enlists, and his ideals are realized and his life is sacrificed. These are followed by A Yankee in Andersonville, The Case of Miss Carroll, The Autobiography of Joseph Jefferson, Letters from Japan, The Women of the French Salon, The Treasures of the Yosemite, Italian Old Masters, The New School of Explorers, and many others equally fresh and interesting. A large number of the articles are profusely illustrated by celebrated artists.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Aug. 2, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. Edward E. Tupper.
Mr. A. E. Dillion, Mishawum.

Winn—Reade.

Dr. Charles H. Winn of Winchester, and Miss Mary Reade of this city, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. Laurence Reade, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at the altar of St. Charles (R. C.) Church, at 7 o'clock on last Tuesday evening in the presence of a vast assemblage of friends of the bride and groom, by Rev. M. D. Murphy of Hopkinton, this State, assisted by Rev. Lawrence W. Slattery, Rev. T. J. Murphy and Rev. Fr. Gilday, curates at the St. Charles Church. The tying of the Hymenial knot was performed in a graceful and pleasing manner by the officiating clergyman, who is a close friend of the parties united and of their families, and the act was witnessed with deep interest by the crowds of people who filled every part of the large auditorium of the church. No similar event has ever given rise to so much interest or attracted so many people to the scene of its enactment. The bride is a prime favorite with a great many young people in this city and it was but reasonable that they should want to be present and see her well and safely launched on the sea of matrimony. But the spectators of the nuptial ceremonies were not all from the younger part of society, for Miss Reade had hosts of friends among the older people, scores of whom helped fill the church to its utmost capacity that they might witness the solemn rites that united two loving hearts as one.

Florists had displayed much taste in handsomely decorating with beautiful flowers and plants the Reade residence on Main street, from which sallied out a large and merry company of relatives and intimate personal friends of the families as the hour of 7 o'clock approached. Nearly all of an upper room of this residence was occupied by the wedding presents, of which there was a rich profusion, in form and material of great variety, and in beauty and utility unsurpassed. Miss Mary was most generously remembered by her host of warm friends at home and abroad, and the happy groom was anything but forgotten on this important occasion by his personal and professional associates and admirers. The bridal gifts consisted in part or elegant solid silver vessels for various uses, table and teaspoons, beautiful china sets, rich cut-glass wares, choice cutlery, handsome books, fine oils and engravings, water color pieces, one purse of $500, and another of $100, besides many other appropriate gifts which we have not room enough to catalogue. As freewill offerings they represented warm friendships and high esteem for the bridal pair.

The church was elaborately and beautifully decorated for the important occasion. Mr. McGregor, Superintendent of the Dow greenhouses, and his skilled assistants, did it, as also the floral work in Music Hall, for which they were warmly praised. An ocean of lovely flowers were used in the decorations, besides no end of mosses, ferns, green plants in pots, and other fresh, sweet things. Faultless taste was displayed in the arrangement of the flowers, plants and leaves at the residence of Mr. Reade, the church, and at Music Hall, and the decorations at all these places were pronounced superb. In particular the following are some of the features of the decorations. For the elegance of those at Mr. Reade's residence Miss Celia Reade is entitled to the credit as she arranged solely the flowers and plants furnished by Mrs. Hovey: Music Hall, in which the banquet was spread, was handsomely and tastefully dressed with many different kinds of foliage and flowering plants. The platform was a perfect mass of the latter and from the curtain at the rear were suspended two pure white doves. One of the most beautiful pieces in the hall was a harp composed of asters, pinks and roses, the work of Mr. McGregor. From one chandelier hung a beautiful pendant of ferns and smilax attached to which was a bunch of white peas and astors. Also a bouquet of the same flowers in every arm of the chandeliers. The reception and retiring rooms were also elegantly decorated with choice plants and sweet smelling flowers.

The nuptial ceremonies took place under a huge floral arch, from which was suspended a large wedding bell composed of the choicest products from the hothouses, and which was surmounted by a dove.

The bride's wedding dress consisted of a pearl white heavily corded silk cut decollete, and she wore pearl ornaments, a diamond necklace (a present from the groom), and an elegant bridal veil. The groom was neatly attired in a regulation wedding suit.

The bridesmaids were: Miss Celia A. Reade (sister of the bride), Miss Louise M. Winn (sister of the groom), and Miss Nellie Reade. The groomsmen were: Dr. Thomas Harrington of Lowell, Dr. Frank Gilfeather and Thomas Hurley of Boston. The ushers were: Edward F. Cassidy, Joseph P. Shields, Dr. Murphy, Charles Campbell of Waltham, Dr. Frank Marra of Boston, Dr. T. B. Shea of Boston.

The bridesmaids were charmingly dressed. Miss Celia Reade wore a light handsome silk, cut decolette, with pearl trimmings. Miss Lulu Winn wore a white silk, pearl trimmings. Nellie Reade's dress was a beautiful pink silk, cut decollette. Each of the bridesmaids wore a heavy gold necklace presented to her by Dr. Winn, the groom.

The following were among the more notable of the ladies costumes at the reception: From Milford, N. H., were Miss Mary Ferry in black lace, decollette, with nile green trimmings, headdress a la Spanish; Nellie Ferry, canary colored surah silk, lace and pearl trimmings; Julia Eagan, heliotrope nun's veiling; Mamie Brodrick, flowered china silk; Maggie Brodrick, light blue and pink silk; Katie Hughes, black satin; Lizzie Rooney, black satin, orange trimmings. From Waltham, Mass., were Mrs. Agatha Reade, heliotrope lansdale cut V shape, and en train; Mrs. Michael Burgen, plum colored silk; Kittie Guinen, nile green, with nun's veiling; Mrs. Joseph Guinen, black lace; Mary Guinen, cream colored silk, tulle overdress; Mamie Harvey, black lace; Rebecca Campbell, canary colored china silk; Mrs. William Rooney, tinsel brocade, cut decolette en train, and diamonds; Mrs. Dr. McCormick, gray steel silk, trimmed with point lace, and a handsome evening bonnet. Mrs. Reade, mother of the bride, was elegantly dressed in black silk and Duchess lace. Mrs. McManners of New York City, wore a black and white china silk, with white mull trimmings, a perfectly entrancing love of a bonnet of lavender and white ostrich feathers. She also wore a wrap of Duchess lace and her ornaments were diamonds. Mrs. Dupee of Winchester was dressed in white silk, with white silk ribbon trimmings; Mrs. J. B. McDow of the same place, black lace. From Boston, Alice Murray, in black lace, and diamond ornaments; Emma Murray, figured India silk, pink roses; Annie Barrett, light blue silk and diamonds; Mary Mora, black lace, with old rose trimmings; Lizzie Daley, light brown silk; Margaret Flynn, black crepe deschine; Mrs. T. F. Hegerty, sea foam china silk; Mrs. Lannigan, white watered silk; Annie Glynn, black and white India silk; Mrs. Peter Kenney of Woburn wore a handsome black silk with jet trimmings; Kate Riddley, black silk, lace and jet trimmings, and diamonds. From Cambridge were Mrs. E. Goodrow, in colored silk, lace and jet trimmings; Annie Goodrow, pink silk; Mrs. Charles Goodrow, white silk; Mrs. Josephine DeRosay, light blue silk, white lace overdress; Mrs. Albert DeRosay, white ottorman silk; Mrs. Joseph Dee, white silk. Among those present from this city were Mrs. Mayor Johnson in white silk, entrain; Mrs. John P. Delaney, salmon silk, point lace trimmings, bonnet to match; Mrs. J. H. Parker, black satin, jet trimmings, tulle and white flowers; Mrs. P. Lafferty, white silk, pearl trimmings; Sarah Fuller, nile green silk, tulle overdress; Dora Fuller, pink silk, tulle overdress; Annie Larkin, lemon silk, ostrich trimmings; Mary Moore, white silk; Mrs. Richard Morris, black silk; Margaret Shields, slate colored silk; Rose Maguire, white silk, white brocade trimmings; Carrie Crane, white silk; Mrs. Herbert B. Dow, flowered silk; Mrs. Richard Carton, heliotrope velvet, diamonds; the Misses McCormack, black lace, white mull trimmings; Tessie Kenney, pink and nile green silk; Mrs. W. F. Kenney, garnet plush and pink surah.

While the guests were assembling in the church the organist, Anna Murphy of Boston, played themes from Schumann's Pilgrimage of the Rose, and Beethoven's Mount of Olives. On the entrance of the bridal party the organ peeled forth the Wedding March from Feramossy by Rubinstien; also Creation by a Quartet consisting of Mrs. F. J. McQueeney, Miss Theresa Flynn, Mr. Dillworth, and Mr. Robbins. This was succeeded by a Bridal Song by Cousin, and Wedding March by Mendelssohn. These musical features of the ceremonies greatly enhanced the pleasure derived from witnessing them.

At the close of the wedding ceremonies at the church the large company of invited guests, some 500, repaired to Music Hall in Post Office Block which had been duly prepared for the grand wedding reception. The entire floor of the second story of the block was used for the various purposes of the reception, the banquet being given in the Hall.

Calnan's Orchestra of this city furnished the very best of music for the dancing, which was kept up until nearly sunrise Wednesday morning; and Hicks, the famous Boston caterer, furnished one of his most elaborate and costly banquets for the festive occasion. It was an elegant repast and the small army of guests enjoyed it with a keen relish.

The highly fashionable affair was attended by many prominent people from New York, Boston, Charlestown, Waltham, Cambridge, Somerville, and other cities and towns, among whom were Mr. William O'Brien of Baltimore, Editor of the *Catholic Mirror*; Mr. Alex. Barrett of Chicago, Editor of the *Catholic Review*; Dr. D. F. Haskins, Port Physician of Boston; Hon. E. F. Johnson, Mayor of Woburn; and many other distinguished persons for whose names there is not space in this issue of the JOURNAL.

At 1.30 a. m., the bride and groom took a carriage and were driven overland into Boston, but nearly all of the gay party kept up the wedding festivities to a much later hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Reade, and in an especial manner, Miss Celia Reade, the bride's sister, left nothing undone that could contribute to the enjoyment of the guests. The music, the banquet, the brilliant illuminations, the floral display, were the best that money could buy, while the cordial and courteous personal attentions made the guests feel at their ease and quite happy.

In the way of garnishing the church and reception rooms with elegant furniture and rich soft carpets Mr. Edward Caldwell, the popular Main street dealer, was entitled to the credit.

It was the largest and most brilliant wedding that was ever solemnized in Woburn. Everything passed off in the finest style and every guest was delighted with the reception and generous treatment met with from Mr. and Mrs. Reade and their daughter Miss Celia, and when the end came they all felt it was a good thing to have been of the gay and happy party.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

The White Caps of New Mexico continue so audacious that Gov. Prince has issued a proclamation calling upon them to disband. He declares that if they do not do so he will order out the Territorial militia, and, if necessary, call upon the United States troops. This band of regulators style themselves Knights of Labor, and have organized lodges throughout the San Miguel country, until they now have a membership of 1500. They have without any legal cause destroyed hundreds of miles of fences, turned herds of cattle loose, burned thousands of tons of hay and destroyed other property, while several men who have opposed them have been seriously wounded by unseen assassin or mysteriously disappeared.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

An English critic writes: I know of nothing more convincing than the completeness of the recognition accorded in the recent years to the group of painters who lived and worked around the village of Barbizon. Ten years ago, I remember, when I commenced to make a copy of a Corot in the Louvre I could hear a titter of surprise go around the gallery.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

The overthrow of the Mormons in the Salt Lake City election will give great encouragement to the friends of American law and order in that Territory, and cast a great damper on those Democratic politicians who have had hopes that some day Utah might be admitted to the Union as a Democratic State.

In the forests of Washington and British Columbia are frequently seen trees dripping copiously during clear, bright days, when no dew was visible elsewhere. This peculiarity is due to the condensing power of the leaves of the fir, and it occurs only when the humidity is near the dew point.

Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

The New York *Times* (Dem.) discovers a "strong popular demand for the immediate adjournment of Congress." That is because the *Times* apprehends that the continuance of the session means the enactment of the Tariff bill and the Federal Elections bill.

The accident which has obstructed commerce on the Sault Ste. Marie Canal will be apt to give a big boom to the Congressional movement to enlarge and improve this, the most important artificial waterway of its class on the planet.

There was a time when Democratic applause was not exactly agreeable to Mr. Plumb of Kansas. If he enjoys it now, it is more than can be said of his Republican constituents. Kansas Republicanism is of the thoroughgoing variety.

If the report proves true that gold has been discovered in Oklahoma, there is pretty sure to be an exodus to the "boom" of a year ago will appear insignificant.

Mellen's Food not only contains in itself all the elements of nutrition, but presents them in such form that the infant can digest and assimilate them with perfect ease. "I have had more and better success with Mellin's Food than with any and all others I have tried" says a physician.

COAL!

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We Will Meet the Market.

Call and get our prices before placing your orders.

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Dealers in Coal, Wood and Ice,

291 MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

WINCHESTER.

E. C. Holton tarries at Lubec, Me.

M. Taplen was at Brant Rock at last accounts.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sargent are at Magnolia.

George E. Kellogg and wife are at Presale Cottage, Manchester.

The boiled clams of Hyannisport agree with Miss Sally Libby.

Webster Howes and wife are hunting "Oxford bears" at Norway, Me.

The yachting is very attractive to Mrs. Burdett at Marblehead Neck.

Andover, Me., is the rural retreat where J. W. Suter has been rusticating.

Mr. George Callan of Boston spent a few days this week among his friends here.

The last that was seen of L. F. Cutter he was headed New Hampshireward.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson were guests at Young's Hotel, Winthrop, recently.

Herbert H. Nickerson has been at Hyannisport, also Miss Bessie Smalley.

Lewis Parkhurst is up there looking into the "deserted Vermont farms" question.

Thomas Leen of Boston is a guest of Mr. P. O'Connor and family of this town.

Miss Celia V. Leen, a popular school teacher of Boston, is visiting friends in this town.

Judge Littlefield and family have returned from Wilbraham. Judge Adams held Court for him while he was away.

Mr. Henry Stone continues to be ill but hopes of his speedy recovery are entertained.

— Mr. D. W. Winn enjoyed his clam chowder at the Norcross, Monument Beach.

A man came pretty near getting knocked down for asking: "Is it warm enough for you?" last week.

Rev. Mr. Perkins is away on vacation. He will go to the White Mts. before returning to his pastoral charge.

A brisk campaign to procure seats for the Common has sprung up within a few days. The seats ought to come.

At last accounts the Harringtons, N. B. (Nota Bena—take notice) and A., were watching the "waves dash high on a wild" etc. coast.

E. C. Huse finds the porch of Fairhaven Cottage, Crescent Beach, a choice spot on which to listen to what the wild waves are saying.

The following prominent Winchester people battled with the breakers and wrestled with a fish dinner last week at Monument Beach: A. E. Whitney, G. H. Carter, J. F. Johnson, James Underwood, Charles A. Sweetser and Thomas Norman.

There is considerable bragging going on here by owners of alleged fast horses as to the comparative merits of their respective beasts. I don't know of any equine specimens that are swifter "than greased lightning" but a few of them will get over the ground with considerable rapidity.

Considering the torrid nature of the weather for two or three weeks past the *Star* evinces a great amount of courage by going into politics the way it did last week. It started a Senatorial boom for somebody or other in its last issue and actually rushed into portraits! Such rashness in dogdays ought to have a checkrein put on it. Real, live politics during the ardent reign of the Dog Star! Who ever heard of such a thing before?

Paris is suffering from a hot wave and everybody lives in the open air.

A youth at York, Pa., suffers from paralysis brought on by cigarette smoking.

A pair of shoes for a Georgia negro weighed four pounds and five ounces. They were numbered 15.

The London radical press says that a peerage which produces Lord Clancarty and Lord Dunlo is rotten.

A Catholic Congress to deal with labor questions is to be held in Coblenz during this month.

A man in Jefferson county, Pa., has lost his sight from drinking too much ice water while heated.

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Worth's edict against crinoline will make no mourners. A reference to the fashion plates of 1864 will convince everybody that the clinging draperies of the present day are best suited to the æsthetical notions of the closing days of the nineteenth century.

The New York State Republican League will hold its convention at Saratoga, Sept. 4. It is expected that the convention will indorse the National Election Bill, which has already been indorsed by the league's Executive Committee.

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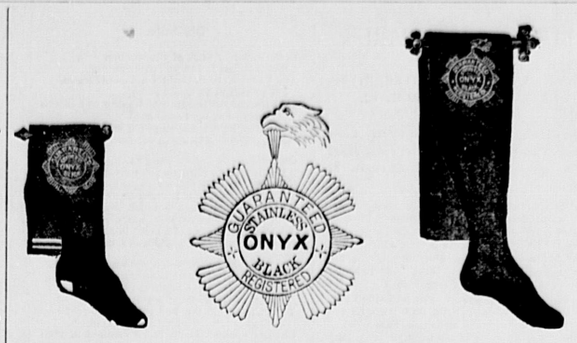

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LESSON VI, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 10.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xvi, 19-31—Committ Verses, 25-26—Golden Text, Mark x, 24—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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19. "There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day." In the margin of the R. V. "faring sumptuously" is translated as "living in mirth and splendor." So that we have before us one who had all that heart could wish, as far as this world is concerned, and he made the most of it, and was no doubt envied and sought after by many. An invitation to his house was something desirable, and perhaps never refused. But in all the wealth and mirth and splendor of his home there was nothing pleasing to God.

20, 21. "And there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate, full of sores, and desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table: moreover the dogs came and licked his sores." Perhaps there could not be a greater contrast than the rich man in his luxury and this poor beggar in his poverty and affliction, and no ordinary person would hesitate a moment if asked to choose for themselves the position of one or the other.

But when we consider the whole lesson in the light of here and hereafter, we shall see that it might well be called "The story of the two beggars." The one was a beggar during the short time of his earthly pilgrimage, the other became a beggar for all eternity.

22. "And it came to pass that the beggar died and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom." Those who call this parable take it upon themselves to assume the responsibility of so doing. I am not willing to do so, having no authority, and prefer to accept it as a plain statement of facts by one who knew whereof He affirmed, and was capable of giving us a glimpse of the unseen, with which He was perfectly familiar.

"The rich man also died, and was buried." His wealth could not prolong his life, nor could his many friends and admirers detain him. He, too, has gone from present things, leaving all his mirth and splendor behind him.

23. "And in hell (R. V., hades) he lifts up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom." No escort of holy angels awaited him, nor does he find himself in rest and peace, much less in mirth and splendor. Even while they are weeping over his body, and tenderly caring for it, he is in torment, in that portion of Hades, or the place of departed spirits, where the lost await the resurrection of the body, the great white throne, and their everlasting punishment in the lake of fire (Rev. xx, 5, 11-15; xxi, 8). The word "hell" is found in the New Testament about twenty-three times; twelve times it is Gehenna, or the place of everlasting burnings, and eleven times it is Hades, or the place of departed spirits between death and resurrection. The R. V. makes the distinction. This is a difficult lesson for those who believe that there is no consciousness between death and resurrection, for the facts as stated by the Lord Jesus completely upset such a notion.

25. "Son, remember." Does not this seem to imply that at least part of the agony of the lost will be the unceasing remembrance of past sins, past opportunities forever gone, past ingratitude to God which can never be remedied? Those who in this life give themselves up to pleasure, saying unto God, "Depart from us; for we desire not the knowledge of Thy ways," will in due time know the meaning of these words, "Woe unto you that are rich! for ye have received your consolation" (Job xxi, 13; Luke vi, 24).

26. "Between us and you there is a great gulf fixed." Taking this verse as we find it, the doctrine of probation after death is swept away; for according to this there is no passing from the place of the lost to the place of the blest. Heaven is above all fear, hell is below all hope. Jesus said to the unbelieving of His day, "Ye shall die in your sins! whither I go, ye cannot come" (John viii, 21). "These shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the righteous into life eternal" (Matt. xxv, 46). The punishment is the same length as the life; for it is precisely the same word in the Greek which is applied to each.

27, 28. "Send him to my father's house, for I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them lest they also come into this place of torment." Here is a lost soul anxious for the salvation of those on earth who are, like he was, indifferent to their eternal welfare. What a wonder this is when saved souls on earth manifest so little anxiety for the salvation of others. Or is it a wonder when we consider that this lost soul knew what it meant to be lost, for he was experiencing their torment; while saved ones on earth too often seem not to believe that it means anything very bad not to be saved.

29. "Abraham saith unto him, They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them." The word of God, even the Scriptures of the Old Testament, are all sufficient to guide us into the way of peace, for there is but one way of salvation revealed in the whole Word of God, and that is salvation by a substitute, the innocent taking the place of the guilty. Whether we consider the coats of skins for Adam and Eve, or Abel's sacrifice, or the ram offered in the stead of Isaac, or the constant sacrifices of Israel, all point to Him who was led as a lamb to the slaughter, on whom the Lord laid the iniquity of us all, who was wounded for our transgressions, bruised for our iniquities, on whom was laid the chastisement which purchased our peace, and with whose stripes we are healed (Isa. liii, 1-7). For further light on salvation in the Old Testament see the ark of Noah, the Passover Lamb in Egypt, the cities of refuge, and such passages as Isa. i, 18; xliii, 25; Mic. vi, 8; Zech. iii, etc.

30. "And he said, Nay, father Abraham: but if one went unto them from the dead, they will repent." So many think today and say, How do we know? What evidence have we? Has any one ever come back to tell us? All who talk thus set aside these words of our Lord as of no value, and despise Him who came from Heaven to Calvary to redeem us. The words of Moses and the prophets are the words of the Holy Spirit of God through Moses and the prophets, yea, the words of God Himself (Acts xxviii, 25; Heb. i, 1). So that if any think they would be convinced by one from the dead rather than by the Word of God, it requires no argument to prove that all such are guilty of despising the Word of God.

31. "And he said unto him, If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rose from the dead." We are apt to think that seeing is believing, but Jesus says, "Blessed are they that have not seen, yet have believed" (John xx, 29). And Peter says by the Spirit, "Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see Him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory" (1 Peter i, 8). We have no proof that this rich man was a murderer or a blasphemer, a drunkard or a dishonest man; he may have been moral, upright and a good citizen; but he evidently was an unbeliever, a rejecter of God and His word, and this caused him to become a lost man.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

One of the dancers in a theatre in Berlin was found dead in her bed, and it was supposed that she had committed suicide, but a post-mortem examination showed that she died from heart failure, due to tight lacing. The liver of the unfortunate young woman was horribly deformed and crushed out of shape.

DISDAIN.

In the soft gray dusk of the summer eve,
In the orchard path you met me,
And I grew so bold, tho' I'd not asked leave,
I felt so sure you would let me,
That I raised the bough with its dew wet bloom
(It was almost bent asunder!)
And held it aloft that you might have room,
And laughed—you could but pass under.

On the trees the leaves hung as still as death,
The grass by no breeze was worried;
No tardy bee with a honey sweet breath
Through the tender twilight hurried;
Each bird had finished its lullaby tune,
Hushed was all tremulous calling,
And the mystic spell of a night in June
O'er the still white world was falling.

But you turned away when you saw me there,
(So cold you were, so unwilling!)
With never a word, and all unaware
That my eyes with tears were filling.
Yes, you turned aside and you left the path;
The grass to your knees came sweeping.
Oh! the tasseled heads were crushed in your wrath,
The clover where it was creeping.

I saw the curl of your dainty pink lip,
I saw your eyes full of scorning;
To your cheek the blushes began to slip,
And bid me, forsooth, take warning.
So I dropped the bough to the earth again.
(What reck if it broke asunder!)
Something there was in its burden of pain—
I knew you would not pass under.
—Josette Gertrude Menard in Boston Budget.

Curious Waxworks in London.

The Aquarium now has a new attraction in the shape of a waxworks exhibition representing some of the exciting scenes of the French revolution of 1789–1793. The wax figures, from designs by M. Layeillon, were executed by M. Beguine, of Paris, who gained the Prix de Rome for sculpture at the recent exposition, and were modeled by M. Halle.

Among the most striking scenes are those of Rouget de Lisle singing his composition "La Marseillaise" to an old spinet said to be over a hundred years old; the arrest of Louis XVI and his family at the tavern of Varennes, in Argonne, after being betrayed by the postillion, who recognized them through their disguises. The figures are remarkably well posed and executed and the dresses and furniture are said to be genuine antiques. Another remarkable group is that of the shoemaker Simon browbeating the poor little Dauphin, who has just signed his name, "Louis Capet" in the Conciergerie. The idea of the exhibition is similar to that worked out in the Musee Grevin, at Paris, and the Eden Musee, at New York.—Pall Mall Gazette.

The Sense of Pre-Existence.

Every one has experienced the strange tricks that memory occasionally plays You are engaged in reading, in writing, in serious occupation which engrosses your mental powers. Suddenly there bursts into your thoughts some recollection of childhood, some trivial circumstance that happened years ago and was forgotten immediately afterward. Not the minutest analogy need exist between your present thoughts and the unbidden recollection that starts, goblin like, from the sealed up vaults of the past. Does this not indicate that experience in life, no matter how frivolous, leaves an indelible print on the mental organism, and that, though this print may seem to fade, it is still there, like writing in invisible ink, or the effaced manuscript on the palimpsest—only waiting for some exciting cause to bring it out clearly and legibly?—American Notes and Queries.

Puzzled the Secretary.

A short time ago "Tim" Byrnes, appointment clerk in the treasury department, appointed a man, who had long been an aspirant to a position in the treasury department, at $500 a year. The man was on his way to Washington, but was stopped by a wreck on the railroad. He immediately telegraphed Secretary Windom: "Am delayed by a wreck, but will be there tomorrow. Hold things down until I arrive and it will be all right." The secretary puzzled over the matter for some time before turning the telegram over to "Tim," who said the newcomer was one of the many who supposed that when he was selected for a place in the department, and did not arrive on the day designated, the entire treasury machinery would stop.—Washington Letter.

An East Indian Romance.

It would seem that romantic lovers are still to be found on the banks of the Hooghly. In a village called Tangail another case of "Villikins and His Dinah" was enacted a few days ago. A young Calcutta graduate, on being disinherited by his father for marrying a lady of the reformed class against his father's wishes, agreed with his "dearly beloved" to put an end to their existence by poisoning. They bade adieu to each other and swallowed opium. The lady died the next morning; "the young graduate revived," it is said, under the influence of a stomach pump and other medical aid, and is living now, after paying a penalty of forty rupees for his "rash" act.—Times of India.

Better Than Chemicals.

Cousin Lucy—How funny, this thing of a freezing mixture that will turn water into ice in a few minutes, isn't it?

Cousin Tom—Yes; but if I could mix the "good evening" I got from my fiancee and the "good night" I got from her father the day I failed in business I'd have a compound that would convert the Atlantic into a glacier in four seconds.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

To keep tools from rusting, take one-half ounce camphor, dissolve one pound melted lard; take off the scum and mix in as much fine black lead (graphite) as will give it an iron color. Clean the tools and smear with this mixture. After twenty-four hours rub clean with a soft linen cloth. The tools will keep clean for months under ordinary circumstances.

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Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggists for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicines. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggists to-day for a *free* sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large size packages 50 cents.

At Guthriesville, Pa., a mad dog attacked the little son of Mrs. Gibbons, but before the child was bitten the pet dog of the family rushed upon the rabid animal and put him to flight, but not till after a severe fight, in which the family dog was badly bitten and lacerated. The boy escaped without harm. The dog that so nobly sacrificed itself had to be killed.

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NONSENSE ABOUT BLOODHOUNDS.

The Dogs Used in the South to Catch Prisoners Are Only Small Foxhounds.

Bloodhounds are inseparably associated with slavery in the south. "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and other stories and dramas of that character would lose half their interest without the horror inspiring bloodhounds. Since the war the bloodhound has been associated with the recapture of escaped convicts. These convict catching bloodhounds are a myth. There are no such dogs in this section of the country. The dogs used in trailing escaped prisoners are very small foxhounds, insignificant and harmless animals.

At Pratt Mines, five miles from this city, there are 1,200 convicts leased by the state to the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company. To capture those who escape the company keep a large stock of hounds. These dogs are small red foxhounds. A few of them are spotted, but the majority are a solid, dull red color. They are small, slender limbed animals, capable of fair speed and endurance, and they can without difficulty follow a trail five to eight hours old.

The dogs are kept in a large stockade a short distance from the prison, and never taken outside the inclosure except when wanted to trail escaped convicts. To get the dogs on the right trail a coat or hat belonging to the escaped convict is obtained, if possible, and held to the nose of each dog, while Trainer Crosswell by signs makes them understand that it is the scent they are expected to follow. They are then taken to the point where the convict made his escape from the mine or prison, or to the place where he was last seen. The moment they scent the trail they recognize it and give a short yelp. Their leashes are then slipped off; they are told to go, and the chase begins. Guards on horses follow close behind Trainer Crosswell, who rides a fleet horse and keeps right with the dogs.

Trainer Crosswell is proud of his dogs. Once fairly started on a trail they never lose it, unless thrown off the scent by a hard rain or the convict taking to water. They have trailed men through the principal streets of this city, where thousands had passed over the trail, and finally run the fugitive down. They never make a mistake. If they are started on the right trail they follow it to the end. When several convicts escape together and separate in the woods when pursued the dogs are divided and the separate trails all followed.

On several occasions these dogs have done good service in trailing down murderers and burglars. Trainer Crosswell says he can take any ordinary foxhound when young and teach it to trail men. It is entirely a matter of education and not of breed.—Birmingham (Ala.) Cor. Philadelphia Press.

Branded with Curling Tongs.

The shop of a fashionable coiffeur was recently the scene of an alarming battle between women. The veracious history of the affair is the following: For some time past a smartly dressed and elegant lady had been patronizing the artist in hair and his well stocked establishment. She turned into the barber's sanctum three or four times a week in order to have her locks trimmed. There was assuredly no harm in this, for everything was apparently conducted on strictly professional lines.

A young damsel, however, who acted as chief accountant and cashier on the staff of the coiffeur, saw matters in a different light, and she resented the long and frequent visits of the fashionable lady to the tonsorial sanctum. Accordingly the fair cashier lately made an interruption into the room where her rival was seated in the easy chair awaiting the artist, and snatching up some handy curling tongs, which were red hot, she branded the neck of the elegant customer in two or three places with the instrument. The lady after having duly shrieked made a dash at her assailant, who rushed out into the street and was only next seen by her victim in the police court, where the heroine of the curling tongs was condemned to pay £2 as fine and damages for her unwarranted assault on the customer of the fashionable coiffeur.—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

Repaying the Favor.

Among a people who know no way of canceling a debt except by making payment in kind one is liable to strange experiences. The Maoris of New Zealand are very exact in this respect, as we see from an incident related by the author of "Bush Fighting."

During a skirmish a son of the principal chief fell into the hands of the British. He was badly wounded in the leg, and amputation became necessary, after which the man rapidly recovered.

When the patient was able to be moved the chief was informed that he might send for him. He did so, and next day a cart load of potatoes arrived in camp as a present for the general, together with a message of thanks for the kind treatment his son had experienced. The chief also declared that in future he would not kill wounded soldiers who fell into his hands, but only cut a leg off and send them back!

Ancient History.

A reporter amused himself one national holiday by quizzing "a regular Fourth of July darkey" about the origin of the day. The negro was an old man, a sage among his people. He wore the regulation black suit, second hand and faded, while his head was adorned with a broken down beaver hat that had done service "before the war."

After some preliminary conversation the reporter asked, "Do you know what the Fourth of July is?"

"Who, me? Le course I does. Hit's de openin' ob de watermillion season, an' de folks lays off a day ter git a good taste."

"Why do the colored people celebrate?"

"'Cause de white folks does."

"Well, why did the white folks first start it?"

"Well, dat was 'fore my time. You gwine back too fur fur me, boss. But I'se hear 'em tell about it."

"How was it?"

"Well, of I'se up on de Bible hit wuz 'bout de time Moses wuz 'lected de fust president er dese United States."

"No; you are a little off there; it wasn't Moses."

"Well, what wuz de gemmen's name?"

"Don't you know it?"

"Course I knows it; but I can't 'member de name right now."

"Was it Abe Lincoln?"

"Yas, ser, he de man. My grandpa wuz wid him when he rid across de Chattahooche riber in de batteau, an' grandpa catched de bigges' catfish dat Mister Linkun ebber seed, an' he gib him a silver dollar fur hit, an' my ole lady's got de dollar now. Yas, ser, dat's de reason dey celebrates de Fofe."—Atlanta Journal.

A Nation With Many Holidays.

It was reserved for the new republic of Brazil to institute the most extensive and remarkable series of national holidays ever known.

The provisional government of that country has issued a decree which declares that, "inasmuch as the republican system is founded upon a profound sentiment of universal brotherhood," and as "this sentiment cannot be properly developed without a system of public festivals destined to commemorate the continuity and solidarity of all generations of man," it has seen fit to institute a series of holidays which will commemorate the points of union between the history of Brazil and that of all peoples.

The government, consequently, establishes nine national holidays. The 1st of January is to be devoted to the commemoration of universal brotherhood, the 21st of April to the events which were the precursors of Brazilian independence and the 3d of May to the discovery of Brazil.

The 13th of May also becomes a holiday and is to "commemorate the brotherhood of all Brazilians." The 14th of June "commemorates the republic, and the liberty and independence of the American peoples." The 7th of September is to honor the independence of Brazil, the 12th of October the discovery of America, the 2d of November the memory of the dead, and the 15th of November the glory of the country of Brazil in general.—Youth's Companion.

A Hated Rival Scared Away.

A young man whose ingenuity deserves recording, ascended the front steps of a State street residence, near Henry street, Brooklyn, one night. Through the half closed curtains of the parlor window he saw the young woman upon whom he intended to call sitting in aggravating proximity to his hated rival. He realized how inappropriate it would be to ring the door bell, so he stepped softly and rapidly down the steps, around the corner and sounded an alarm for the police.

In a couple of minutes the patrol wagon, laden with policemen and commanded by Capt. Campbell, prepared for a fray with burglars, dashed noisily into State street. The young man directed them to look for a burglar in the house of his sweetheart, and it was a narrow escape for the hated rival. Half an hour later, after the neighborhood had relapsed into its normally quiet condition, the young lover rang the doorbell and found his sweetheart in a state of mind. His rival had departed and his reputation as a suspicious character will probably interfere with his future visits to that particular young woman.—New York Mail and Express.

Two Answers.

"What made you tell her so many times?" asked a sympathizing bystander, who had heard a railway official answer the same question for an old lady six times in fifteen minutes.

"Why, she didn't understand!" replied he simply, evidently a little surprised at the suggestion that he could have refrained from speaking. In disagreeable contrast to his forbearance stands the speech of the sea captain, irritated by an oft repeated query.

"Is it always foggy off the banks?" asked a passenger, guiltless of a suspicion that he might offend.

"How do I know, sir?" snarled the captain. "I'm not always off the banks."—Youth's Companion.

AN HISTORIC INSTRUMENT.

Leidy's Microscope Through Which Trichinæ in Pork Was Discovered.

In a box of highly polished wood, clasped and bound with shining brass, there reposes at present at the Philadelphia hospital a little instrument that has had an effect upon America's export trade in pork in an opposite ratio to its size, and that effect still lingers. It has brought American pork into bad repute with the German government. It is nothing but a microscope, but it is the microscope by the aid of which trichinæ in ham was discovered.

It was away back in 1835 that trichinæ was discovered by Pagot in the muscles of the human body, and the parasites were afterward described by Owen. How they came into the human system no one knew. That they got there and that their presence worked great harm was proven conclusively, but the source, the first starting point of the parasite—this was what scientific men, puzzle and hunt as they would, were unable to discover. It remained for an American and a Philadelphian to make this discovery, of which the general public has probably never realized the full value, but to which the world of science has always given due credit.

In 1844 Joseph Leidy was graduated as a doctor of medicine. If there has been one thing above another for which this celebrated scientist has always been noted it is his acute powers of observation. Nothing escapes his eye, nothing is too small to rivet his attention. In 1846, just two years after he graduated and when only 23 years old, he made the great discovery which had escaped so many celebrated physicians for so many years. It was one day when he was at luncheon that he fairly stumbled on the discovery, which would have yet escaped him had it not been for his powers of observation. He leaned over a large, luscious looking ham to cut off a slice as the meat portion of a ham sandwich.

Something on the surface of the meat attracted his attention. He looked closer and saw a number of tiny white specks no longer than pin points. What they were he did not know, but he concluded he did not want any ham—or, in fact, anything—to eat just at that moment. He put the ham away where no one else could get at it and carried the slice he had cut off up to his rooms. He placed these white dots under a microscope, and when they were properly focused they stood out plainly as the trichinæ that had been found in the human body just eleven years before. It was a discovery that might well cause a man to feel elated. This microscope, a handsome instrument about eighteen inches high, after doing the work of its celebrated owner for many years is now the property of his nephew and namesake, Dr. Joseph Leidy, Jr.—Philadelphia Times.

A Renaissance.

A Renaissance (re—again, and naissance—birth) means simply a new birth or revival; but the word, as used, is always understood to mean a revival in learning. The period known as the Renaissance, by way of eminence, dates from the taking of Constantinople by the Turks (1453), but long before that epoch the love for classical literature had been reviving. This event, however, gave a decided impulse to the revival of learning in western Europe; the learned men of the Greek or Eastern Empire sought new homes in the Occident and established schools throughout Europe. The revival of learning, the invention of printing (1450 A. D.), the discovery of the new world (1492), the decline of feudalism, the elevation of the middle classes, all contributed to bring about "The Renaissance;" the Reformation followed soon after (1517), ignorance was dissipated and superstition abated.

With the revival of classical literature came a taste for classical architecture, and during the Seventeenth and Eighteenth centuries there existed a distinct style known as the Renaissance in architecture, following that of sculpture and painting, and in time the saints of the Middle Ages gave place to the gods and goddesses of ancient Greece and Rome. The renaissance reached its climax about the beginning of the present century, but the people finally rebelled when window light had to be sacrificed to the reproduction of an ancient portico, etc. — Brooklyn Eagle.

A Magnet for Gold.

That certain substances have an attraction for gold was publicly demonstrated at Truckee in the presence of a large number of prominent citizens. A. W. Chellis, inventor of the electrical mineral ball, having been challenged to prove that the attraction of the ball for precious metals could be mathematically demonstrated, placed gold in one pan of the scales, balanced it, and holding the ball near the pan containing the gold caused the scales to deflect. He proved that the attraction of the ball equaled one grain for each $10 of gold. Small particles of gold, gold dust and gold leaf flew to the ball as iron filings will to a magnet.—Cor. San Francisco Call.

A Tender Chord.

Rev. Dr. Primrose—I'll forgive you this time, but if I ever catch you again in the hen house I'll give you up to the law.

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Rev. Dr. Primrose—That will do, Sambo. Be sure you don't touch that cord in the back yard on your way out.—Epoch.

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"Is that a love letter?" asked one young lawyer of another, who was poring busily over some closely written sheets. "Oh, no," replied the other, confusedly. "It's just a writ of attachment."

New York is said to be full of dukes, counts, marquises and other European nobles who have been compelled to leave home for one reason and another. Girls who have gone to Europe in vain search for a title can now obtain one cheap at home.

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Woman's Column.

The first election in the State of Wyoming will occur Sept. 11.

Among the legal firms in Lansing, Mich., is one whose title is "Judge Lucas & Wife, Attorneys."

The Royal Templar Camp to be held at Montreal, next month, has set apart Aug. 20 as "Women's Day."

The recent quarterly report of the Malden chief of police, Richards, shows 112 arrests, of which 102 were of men and 10 were of women.

The Countess of Tolstoi is a tall, beautiful woman, and very fond of society. She was in London lately as a delegate to the Liberal Woman's Federation.

"Following the Guidon" is a new volume of army and frontier reminiscences, by Mrs. Elizabeth Custer, soon to be published by Harper & Bros.

Miss Florence Bowdage, of Cotton Hall, Denbigh, Wales, won the first and the silver medal for butter making at the Southport Agricultural Show.

Women have been lecturing in Italy with great liveliness this year. The Beatrice celebration has had a great effect in rousing Italian women to intellectual effort.

Miss Eleanor Sherwin, of Plainfield, N. J., a graduate of Wellesley in 1889, has been elected instructor in Greek and Latin at the Robinson Female Seminary in Exeter, N. H.

Miss Mary Coddington left $40,000 to the City Missions of New York, to build a boys' club house. A building in the Bowery will be erected and fitted up for that purpose.

Mrs. Godfrey, postmistress of Whitewater, Kan., single-handed, closed out an original-package house that had attempted to use a building under her charge. Her word was law.

The *Voice*, of New York, offers a prize of ten dollars for the best three bright and witty sayings, original with a child not over five years of age, which have never before been published.

Mrs. Sarah C. Little, superintendent of the Wisconsin Institute for the Blind, was elected vice-president of the National Association of Instructors of the Blind, at the annual meeting held at Jacksonville, Ill., last week.

Lady Alexandra Leveson Gower, the only daughter of the Duke of Sutherland, well known in the United States, began her probation, on the 10th inst., at one of the most important metropolitan hospitals in London, as a trained nurse.

The women of the Woman's Exchange and the New Century Club in Philadelphia have started a free registry office, where housekeepers and domestics may be brought together and a written contract made as to wages and other matters. The Exchange consults the interests of both sides. Women are allowed to register, who come from a good training school, who have eight months' good reference, and finally, who have never "lived out," but are to be taken as learners at low wages, with especial encouragement to American girls and women.

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The Swiss Federal Council has about decided to expel Mormons from the republic. Petitions in favor of the expulsion have been signed by tens of thousands of the working people, who cannot tolerate the Mormon doctrine. In several instances the Mormon missionaries have been subjected to personal violence. They have been making numerous converts.

Lunacy is rapidly increasing in England. Last year the Lunacy Commissioners had on their books the names of 84,304 insane persons. This year they began with 86,087, an increase of 1727. The great majority of the insane are found among the lower classes, 77,257 of the patients being helpless paupers.

New industries are springing up so rapidly in the South that it is frequently difficult to obtain labor.

Of all European workingmen, the Englishman has the shortest working day and the highest wages.

An English farm laborer will in ten hours do the work of two Russian laborers working sixteen hours.

Six American railroad companies pension their superannuated employes and also their permanently disabled people.

According to President Smith, of the flint glass workers, there has been a great development in that industry since 1880.

The servant girls at Fort Dodge, Kan., are threatening to strike for more pay and lighter work. The movement is organized.

By the Coal Mines Act of 1872 women and boys under ten years old are not allowed to work underground in Great Britain.

In Vienna and in Venice you may see women working as bricklayers' laborers and climbing with loads of mortar on their heads.

A lady of Bremen, Me., has a parrot and also a cat named Shag. She has taught the parrot to spell c-a-t, cat, d-o-g, dog, and a few such words, and the other day Polly electrified the household by spelling very loudly and plainly, "c-a-t," and then pronouncing it "Shag." Perhaps Polly can't think.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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LONELINESS.

To be alone? It is not that which sends
The sickening, hopeless ache, the stifled pain
Against my heart. But O, to know how vain
It is to mourn! When dull despondence blends
With all the hourly deeds of every day
And turns the labor, that erstwhile was sweet,
To bitter sadness. Each thing is replete
With some mute thoughts, and haunting memories prey
With sharp insistence on my mind.
To thus drag on, when all life's light is gone;
To miss the daily love, the dear cares;
To hear the dead voice in the moaning wind,
To be with others, yet to know the one
I need is gone; this, this is loneliness.
—*New York Commercial Advertiser.*

A MODEL MILL GIRL.

SKETCH OF THE CAREER OF LUCY LARCOM.

Side by side with our best-loved New England poets—Whittier, Longfellow, Lowell and Holmes—her name, hardly less a household word than theirs, is Lucy Larcom. Her poems are as truly the outgrowth and exponent of New England life as theirs, and they have as distinctive a flavor. What he has done for the farm and fisher's boat she has done for the loom and the needle. Where he has interpreted and idealized the life of manhood, she has had a woman's intuition to read, and a voice to tell, the more pathetic story of womanhood.

"Hannah, binding shoes," tells her homely, pathetic story, and all the world listens and is touched by its pathos. And her writings have, too, "a fire of faith" akin to Whittier, the most soulful of our poets. Nor is her life less earnest and inspiring than his own.

In that valuable and interesting book, "Our famous women," there is a sketch of Lucy Larcom, written by her friend, Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney. With such a subject and such an author the result could not be otherwise than charming, as it is. Mrs. Whitney's story of Lucy Larcom and her poems is full of meaning, too. From it we get many a hint of how the beautiful songs grew out of a lovelier life.

Lucy Larcom was born in Beverly, Mass., and lived there till she was ten years old. These ten years, her childlife proper, constituted an almost ideal childhood. Her home fronted a hill which she used to climb, thence looking seaward, and the voices of the sky and sea seemed even then whispering to her the lays she writes out for us.

When she was about seven years old her father died, and this loss involved subsequent changes in the family's life.

The Lowell mills had already begun their beneficent whir, and women of the highest character were wanted to take charge of the various boarding houses, not only, but to exercise a maternal care of the girls.

Mrs. Larcom, the mother of eight children, of whom the poet was the seventh, was such a one, and she moved thither.

It is a pleasant chapter in the history of New England life, though its pages were long ago written and sealed—that story of the Lowell mill and mill-girls; one we like to linger over, one that is told again and again by those who knew it or were a part of it.

Charles Dickens, in his "American notes," gives a chapter to Lowell, because, he said, he remembered it "as a thing by itself." As a visitor, an on-looker, outside all this cheerful industry, he describes the busy town, with its new, shining factories and stores, and the throngs of young women operatives, not one of whom, he said, so uniformly cheerful and modest was their demeanor, and so wholesome was the condition of their work, would he have removed—assuming the necessity that she should gain her daily bread by he labor of her own hands—if he had power. And he further describes the hospital, the savings bank, where not quite a thousand girls had on deposit at that time nearly one hundred thousand dollars, the boarding houses with a "joint-stock piano" in nearly every parlor, the libraries, and not least the Lowell Offering, made up entirely of the writings of girls employed in the mills, "whereof," he says, "I brought away from Lowell four hundred good, solid pages, which I have read from beginning to end."

As Mrs Whitney has pictured it, the homelife of the girls, especially their evenings, with books and work and talk, their friends and their Sabbaths, it seems like a bit from one of her own delightful books, a chapter out of "The other girls," or "Real folks." Yet it is a fact, or was, for all that.

Lucy Larcom, meanwhile, was going to school, and helping her busy mother "between-while." While she was yet a little girl, she began herself to work as a "little doffer," taking off the empty bobbins and putting on full ones. And in the years that followed, she shared, outwardly at least the life of the mill girls. He life was one with theirs, indeed, else, she could not have glorified it as she did in her "Idyls of work." She became, of course, a contributor to the Offering.

At this time she met Whittier, then editing a Free-Soil journal in Lowell, and a friendship, enduring until now, strong, high, helpful, responsive, sprung up between them.

Mrs Whitney says: "Afterward, when she had come to know and love the poet's sister, the three were much together in such intercourse as is rarely enjoyed." And she adds: "It is the pride and thankfulness of Lucy Larcom's life to have so known and been indebted to Whittier."

It is to Elizabeth Whittier, who is known through the devoted love of her brother, again and again finding expression in tender allusions, and known too by the poems he has edited in "Hazelblossoms," that Lucy Larcom dedicated her poems. And between the lines, as in the sentences themselves, one feels the influence that our poet must have felt, and the reverent love in which the memory lingers, still pulsing in the wistful verse.

When Miss Larcom was twenty she went with a married sister to Illinois and remained there some years, at first teaching a district school, then studying and afterward teaching in a seminary. Then, coming home to Beverly, first teaching a class of young ladies, then Wheaton female seminary in Norton, Mass., conducting classes in rhetoric, English literature, and composition, history, mental and moral science and botany.

Then worn with teaching, and after a partial rest, she became assistant editor, and afterward the leading editor of Our Young Folks. Since then, for a part of the time at least, she has lived sometimes with relatives and friends, and sometimes at Beverly by herself, her "dear home-corner of Massachusetts."

She seems to have been writing all along, from the time, when a child, she formed her little rhymes, and from the days of the Lowell Offering, and on through her Illinois life, till her songs come faster and freer in later years.

All her soul was stirred, and her pen was swift and strong and loyal to speak for Boston and Massachusetts and for loyal Womanhood in war times. Her latest book since the "Wild Roses of Cape Ann" is a complete edition of her poems, issued in the Household series, by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston. She has completed several volumes, "Breathings of the better life," "Roadside poems," "Hillside and seaside in poetry," and she has assisted Mr. Whittier in compiling three others: "Child-life in poetry," "Child-life in prose" and "Songs in three centuries."

She is the author of many a little song, full of heart-cheer and heavenly wisdom. She does not always get the credit of them, for like other verses, they are often copied without mention of the author, so the reader misses the double pleasure of knowing that the song he loves was written by the poet he reveres. One such I found once in a newspaper, and learned long afterward its author. It seems to me beautifully characteristic of her, and is entitled "Shared," and begins:

"I said it on the meadow-path—
I say it on the mountain-stairs—
The best that any mortal hath
Is that which every mortal shares."

It is an earnest, noble and womanly life, first of all, that the poems have grown out of. She knew well the lives of toiling women, at the spindle, in the household, in the schoolroom. She enters heartily into the life and joys of common ways and things.—*Cottage Hearth.*

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Birds That Dance.

In his "Pioneering in South Brazil" Mr. Brigg-Wither relates that one morning in the dense forest his attention was roused by the unwonted sound of a bird singing, songsters being rare in that district. His men, immediately they caught the sound, invited him to follow them, hinting that he would probably witness a very curious sight. Cautiously making their way through the dense undergrowth they finally came in sight of a small stony spot of ground at the end of a tiny glade, and on this spot, some on the stones and some on the shrubs, were assembled a number of little birds about the size of tomtits, with lovely blue plumage and red topknots.

One was perched quite still on a twig, singing merrily, while the others were keeping time with wings and feet in a kind of dance, and all twittering an accompaniment. He watched them for some time, and was satisfied they were having a ball and concert, and thoroughly enjoying themselves. They then became alarmed, and the performance abruptly terminated, the birds all going off in different directions. The natives told him that these little creatures were known as the "dancing birds."

Two peddlers met in front of a nine-story tenement house in New York. "How is business, Aaron?" "Very good, indeed. And how is it with you?" "A woman just called me from the top story of this tenement. I managed to get up with my pack, and found her with a baby in her arms. When she saw me she said to the infant: 'There he is now; if you're not good he'll carry you away in his pack.' She didn't buy anything. Business, Aaron, is very bad."

Early in the autumn the *Sun*, the *Times*, the *World* and other New York dailies are to begin the use of typesetting machines. It is also announced that the printer of the *Century Magazine* is to have his typesetting done by machinery. A syndicate of book publishers has also made arrangements to put fifty or a hundred typesetting machines into a co-operative office, where all the body matter of cheap publications issued in New York will be turned out.

An exchange says people go to watering places to escape all the comforts of a home.

Woman's Column.

Wyoming's Triumphal March.

At Cheyenne, Wyo., on Wednesday, July 23, the formal celebration of Wyoming's admission to Statehood was observed with imposing ceremonies. An immense parade, several miles long, consisting of the State militia, civic societies, trade displays, and the garrison of United States troops from Fort Russell, marched through the principal streets to the new Capitol Building. The exercises consisted of the presentation to the State of a magnificent flag by the women of Wyoming. The presentation speech was by Therese A. Jenkins, who reviewed the history of woman suffrage in the Territory, and predicted for the movement permanency and success in the future. The response was by Gov. Francis E. Warren. M. C. Brown, president of the constitutional convention which framed the constitution adopted by Wyoming, presented the women with a copy of the constitution. It was received by Amelia R. Post, Vice President of the National-American Woman Suffrage Association. The orator of the day was C. D. Clark, of Evanston. Telegrams and letters of congratulation were received from the Governors of Montana and Nebraska, and from the leaders of the woman suffrage movement in the East.

Senator Teller has introduced a bill giving a pension of $2,000 a year to Mrs. Jessie Benton Fremont.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Champney will contribute from abroad, to the next *Harper's Bazar* an article on "Country Life in England." The same issue will contain the second instalment of "Exercise for Women," by Emma Moffett Tyng, the subjects being "Bicycles and Tricycles."

The address of Frances E. Willard on "The Sanctity of the Home and the White Cross Movement in Education," before the National Educational Association, was published in full in the St. Paul *Pioneer Press*, July 10. It occupies nearly six columns, and is worthy of thoughtful reading. It was an eloquent plea for the evolution of pure, noble manhood and womanhood.

The capacity of women for university studies received a striking illustration the other day at Magill College, Canada, when three of the five medals were carried off by lady students. In the department of philosophy one of the ladies was placed first, while another stood second, being only a few marks lower. Morrin College, another Canadian seat of learning, has on its roll of B. A.'s a number of ladies, and the professors testify that these hold their own with students of the other sex. At Trinity University the degree M. A. was conferred on Miss H. E. Gregory, the first lady student to gain that distinction at that institution.

The world moves for women even among the most benighted. The Visa Nagar Banias, of India, have passed resolutions that a widow shall have her head shaved but once, after which she may allow her hair to grow and may also attend caste dinners. They have also resolved not to give their daughters in marriage before the age of ten, and twelve years has been fixed as the lowest limit for the consummation of a marriage. This is an improvement upon infant marriages to be consumated whenever the boy husband or his guardians chose, as well as upon the barbarous cruelties formerly practiced on widows.

A Sailor King.

George Wright, who arrived in San Francisco from the Caroline Islands, brings a queer story of the sudden rise of a sailor to distinction in the largest island of an archipelago seventy-five miles west of the Haweis, where Mr. Wright has a trading stores. "The sailor," said Mr. Wright, "is Carl Benjamin, and he has no less than nineteen wives and fifty-odd copper-colored children. He was wrecked in the schooner Bombazine off the Ladrone Islands nine years ago, and floated at sea on a raft for a couple of weeks before he struck land. If you will look at a map of the Pacific you will find lying midway between the Tropic of Cansor and the equator, 600 miles west of the Marshall group, thirteen dots. On some maps they are marked Thirteen Islands, well inhabited. That is all there is to point out their significance. It is on the biggest of these, called by the sailor Benjamin Island, after himself, that he has taken up his home. It is about ten by twenty miles in extant. Well inhabited means that there is quite a sprinkling of dark-skinned natives there, as well as many more who move two and fro in the archipelago with boats. They eat breadfruit, bananas, cocoanuts, and fish.

They don't work at all. Benjamin has got to be King. He has nothing at all to do but go swimming in the surf, talk the native gibberish, which he has learned, or loll under a palm tree. Sometimes he has wives fan him while he lazily smokes the Kaseba leaf, which grows plentifully there, and which, after one becomes used to it, is liked better than tobacco. Benjamin is capable of doing some work there, however. He carried three or four books with him on the raft, the last thing that you would have expected, and he has contrived to teach the natives English. Benjamin is an American of German or Jewish descent, and is a lover of books. The first thing he did was to select an intelligent native and teach him the alphabet.

The fellow learned rapidly, and soon began to teach it to others, and a number of them can now speak English, while the rising generation immediately around are gradually picking up a knowledge of the language. Benjamin is looked upon as a sage. The chiefs, of whom there are four, come to him for points, and of their own accord they have made him their ruler, the chiefs being a sort of Cabinet. Benjamin has picked out the handsomest women for wives, and they esteem it quite an honor. The King lives in the biggest bamboo house in the village of Ki, a straggling aggregation of native houses on a coral reef. His children are of all ages, and are a sprightly, lively lot.

Nobody bothers much with clothes in the South Pacific, still Benjamin wears a little something, and is gradually prevailing on the natives to do so, too. He keeps telling them that there is no civilization without some clothes. Benjamin is about 30 years old. He was from Newburyport, Mass., but says that he has no desire to return to America. He is the only white man, with one exception, for hundreds of miles around. He has taken to wearing a string of shells around his neck like the natives, and he sometimes imitates them and puts dots of blue paint, got from a native shrub, on his face. The permanent population of his island is given at 600 or 700. The island is indented with beautiful bays, and is dotted with trees and shrubs of a tropical growth covered with fragrant flowers. Benjamin Island is about 600 miles west of the Marshall group."

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A Chicago syndicate, including Armour, Morris, Swift, Iler and others, has bought 3000 acres just "over the line" in San Matteo county, and is to establish there packing houses and canning establishments. Butchertown, which has long prevented the growth of South San Francisco, will now be removed to this new purchase.

A recent lecturer stated that there is a powerful and important relation between music and health, which causes the reflection that alarming ill-health must prevail in some places remote from Boston.

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Newspapers and Magazines.

Where the newspaper offers to the young writer an advantage over the magazine is in its wider field and its larger capacity. Publishing thirty times agaiust the single issue of a magazine, the newspaper naturally absorbs more materiel and and a writer's chances correspondingly better. Then, too, subjects which are out of the range of the magazine fall directly within the scope of the newspaper. This is specially true of timely articles.

The magazines of today with their large circulations, and the necessary slower process of printing, are prepared so far in advance as to make it impossible for them to get close enough to timely happenings to make their discussion of them fresh and interesting. With the newspaper this is, of course, different, and it is precisely in its ability to treat of what is latest and freshest wherein lies its strength, and in these respects the field is necessarily broadened to the writer.

But, bear in mind, this advantage is only one of greater capacity, not of less requirement. Disappointment can be no more certain than when a manuscript is sent to a newspaper editor with the belief that he is less critical, or that his constituency is less exacting than is the case of the monthly magazine.

Marvellous Endurance.

The vast amount of labor performed by the heart in keeping all portions of the body supplied with blood is not generally known. It beats 100,000 times, and forces the blood at the rate of 168 miles a day, which is 3,000,000,000 times and 5,150,880 miles in a life time. No wonder there are so many heart failures. The first symptoms are shortness of breath when exercising, pain in the side or stomach, fluttering, choking in throat, oppression, then follow weak, hungry or smothering spells, swollen ankles, etc. Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure is the only reliable remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

The London *Times* had a good correspondent in Buenos Ayres. He was in the midst of the street fighting, and sent off a dispatch amid a shower of bullets. Both he and his journal are strong partisans of the revolution. The *Times* says that Argentine securities might rise if President Celman would resign.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla, by purifying and enriching the blood, improves the appetite, aids the assimilative process, strengthens the nerves, and invigorates the system. It is, therefore, the best and most thoroughly reliable alterative that can be found for old and young.

The tower of the Philadelphia City Hall is now 335 feet high, yet on top of that 8000 tons of iron and bronze are to be placed. There is to be a clock tower, the dials of which are to 27 feet in diameter, surmounted by a statue of William Penn 37 feet high, and there will be numerous statues.

If the trouble in Guatemala continues long, efforts will be made to raise the price of coffee on the Pacific coast. Seven-eighths of the coffee used in California comes from Central America, and Guatemala produces fully one-half of this. If the war is not speedily over this season's crop will be a failure.

A Los Angeles pickle factory recently bought eighty tons of cucumbers for one cent a pound.

Royal Baking Powder
The United States Official Investigation
Of Baking Powders, recently made, under authority of Congress, by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., furnishes the highest authoritative information as to which powder is the best. The Official Report
Shows the ROYAL to be a cream of tartar baking powder, superior to all others in strength and leavening power.

The Woburn Journal

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 5d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

INCREASE OF VALUATION.

The statistics furnished the JOURNAL last week by the City Assessors were full of encouragement. The net gain in taxable property during the year ending April 30, 1890, was $225,843. The gain in real estate, which is the best index to the condition of a town or city that can be found, was $330,529. To partially offset these figures was a loss of $104,696 on personal property, leaving the very handsome net gain above stated.

As remarked, the increase is on real estate where it will always be in a prosperous community, but the Assessors' footings would also have shown a gratifying state of things as to personal property returns for taxation but for some temporary suspensions of active operations among our chief industry, tanning and currying leather.

One of these preventatives of an increased personal property exhibit was the suspension of leather making by Mr. James Skinner, surviving partner of the late firm of James Skinner & Co., for the purpose of settling up the partnership affairs. This is one of the largest and most prosperous leather establishments in this city and its temporary withdrawal from the manufacturing, and having no stock or leather on hand on the 1st of May, produced considerable of a deficit in the returns of personal property for purposes of taxation. The factory is to be re-opened and set in motion at once by Mr. James Skinner who, it is understood, has bought the interest of Mr. John True, his former partner, in the business.

Another large establishment, that of Messrs. Bryant & King, whose product is calfskins, has been doing next to nothing during the last year owing to a continuously unfavorable market for their goods. Up to within a year or two the Assessors usually got handsome returns from this firm.

The factory of Eustace Cummings & Co. has not been employed to its full capacity for a year past and a loss has been here sustained to the city's personal property assessments.

Other concerns of less magnitude have helped to swell the deficit but they will all resume business under a full head of steam very soon and the public finances will be all the more prosperous for it.

But the valuation figures of the Assessors make a first-rate showing for Woburn, and when is added to them an increase of polls, increase of dwellings erected, a big increase of population, and a material reduction in the rate of taxation, all must admit that the future looks bright for our young and go-ahead city.

MORE CANDIDATES.

The rumor is current that Charles F. Spear, Esq., one of Woburn's bright young lawyers, who was a prominent candidate for the Republican nomination for Senator from this District last year, will try it again this fall with prospects brightened rather than dimmed by the lapse of time. He has many influential friends who will put in good work for him if he is in the race, or should conclude to enter it, and any opponents which might see fit to stand out against his nomination would have something more than boys' play to prevent it.

It is reported that a strong force of local Republican leaders are putting in good and effective work in behalf of the nomination of Capt. Ed. F. Wyer for the same position. It has been acknowledged for years that the captain is a power in politics (and not without good reason), and it is the feeling of his numerous personal friends that the party owes him a debt which ought to be paid. Besides having always been a hard, unselfish laborer for the welfare of the Republican organization, he has ever been loyal to its ticket and platform, and zealous for the advancement of its interests. He never sought office at the hands of his party and there is no certainty that he would accept one if tendered to him; but his friends think his services in years past are worthy of substantial recognition and are preparing to present his name at the Senatorial convention, provided the Captain's consent to it can be obtained.

We understand that both parties will insist that the nomination shall come to Woburn—the Republicans will, at any-rate. Fair play would seem to demand that this end of the District be accorded the privilege of naming the Senator this year. And it probably will be.

In connection with the subject it is proper to remark that the Democrats not only expect to renominate Mr. James Skinner but that they expect to elect him. He came within a very few votes of it last fall and his supporters pretend to believe that a fair amount of good, practical work will insure his triumphant success at the polls next November.

It is probable that other names, in due time, will be brought forward by both parties for support, and the contest for the Senatorship is likely to be quite a spirited one.

THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Tuesday was a great day in Boston. There were more people in the city than ever before on any public occasion.

Nearly 40,000 Veterans were in the grand parade, representing 43 States, and more than 250,000 strangers viewed the procession.

The parade started at 11.30 from Commonwealth Avenue and was nearly six hours in passing.

President Harrison headed the procession.

Hundreds of distinguished people in military and civil life were present to witness the magnificent scene.

The North Atlantic fleet was in the harbor and attracted the attention of thousands.

Veterans were present from Honolulu, Alaska, and other remote sections of this great country.

The weather was all that could have been desired.

Boston did the handsome thing by the 40,000 G. A. R. men present, and although the city on Tuesday was packed like herrings in a box there were no accidents.

All the railroads centering at the Hub were taxed to their utmost capacity, and all trains were behind time.

The city was magnificently decorated. The State House was resplendent in artistically arranged bunting. All public and hundreds of private buildings were gloriously arrayed.

The floral G. A. R. emblems in the Public Garden and the floral arches, all designed by Forester Dougue, were brilliant and beautiful.

Everything passed off in splendid shape, and everybody appeared to be perfectly satisfied with the grand affair and Boston's reception of the Vets.

THE ORIGINAL PACKAGE BILL.

Last Friday the conference committee agreed to report back to the House the Senate Original Package Bill instead of the one passed by the House, which insures the immediate success of the much needed measure. The following is the Senate bill, the one which the House conference agreed to, and the one, when enacted, that will settle Original Package rumsellers for good and all:

"That all fermented, distilled or other intoxicating liquors or liquids transported into any State or Territory, or remaining therein for use, consumption, sale or storage therein, shall, upon arrival in such State or Territory, be subject to the operation and effect of the laws of such State and Territory, enacted in the exercise of its police powers, to the same extent and in the same manner as though such liquids or liquors had been produced in said State or Territory, and shall not be exempt therefrom by reason of being introduced therein in original packages or otherwise."

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Some months ago a report was circulated that Attorney General Waterman of this State proposed to withdraw. It was an idle rumor, without any foundation. Mr. Waterman has never intended to retire, but will remain a candidate. He will have a strong support from the Western part of the State, and is not without friends in all sections.—*Boston Journal.*

About this time last year nothing on earth could be more certain, according to the statements of a few loud mouthed people, than that Attorney General Waterman was a dead cock in the pit—a goner, so to speak. His renomination, they said, was simply out of the question.

We noticed that Attorney General Waterman "made the riffles" all the same. He got the nomination without opposition and distanced all competitors at the polls.

Attorney General Waterman is a sound lawyer, a straight-forward man, a loyal Republican, and the best thing the party can do is to keep him right where he is. They know it and are going to do it—one more year, at least.

☞ The population of this (Middlesex) county, according to the census of 1890, is 427,642. In 1885 it was 357, 311. In 1880 it was 317,830. Since 1885 it has increased 70,331, and since 1880 it has increased 109,-810. It is the largest county in point of population in the State except Suffolk, and has only 45,960 less than it has. The population of the State is 2,104,586, of which Middlesex county contains nearly one-fifth. It will be seen that its increase of population was considerably larger from 1885 to 1890 than from 1880 to 1885.

☞ We learn from the Chicago *Evening Journal* that Adam Lieberknecht, Esq., of Henry county, Illinois, has been appointed Consul at Tampico, Mexico, a city on the Gulf of Mexico above Vera Cruz. Mr. Lieberknecht is a journalist of more than 30 years standing and since 1863 has been connected with one of the leading Republican papers of that State. If the President always makes as judicious appointments as he has in the case of the Tampico consulship he cannot justly be found fault with. Mr. Lieberknecht will please accept our congratulations.

☞ There was not a thing lacking in the account of the grand G. A. R. parade which was given by the Boston *Journal* on Wednesday morning. It was a well written, well arranged, and minute story of the entire affair, and for the purpose of being kept for future use there was no account in any of the Boston papers that surpassed, and few that equalled, it.

☞ The Boston *Evening Traveller* issued a souvenir number last Monday afternoon which went away ahead of the other Boston papers so far as our observation extended. They all did well in the line of pictures, but the *Traveller's* production was the most artistic and elaborate of any. It was a good number to preserve.

☞ President Harrison left Boston just before midnight Tuesday. Gov. Brackett and Staff escorted him to the N. Y. & N. E. RR. station at 11.30, and just before 12 he slipped off and hardly anybody knew it.

☞ Gov. Brackett represented Massachusetts in the opening of the G. A. R. Encampment last Tuesday in fine style. He proved himself an honor to the Executive Chair of the old Commonwealth.

☞ No man of the whole immense crowd was greeted more enthusiastically or had more honorable attention bestowed on him than General B. F. Butler.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. G. Maguire—Citation.
City of Woburn—Notice.
W. E. Cummings—To Let.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Dr. Miles Med. Co.—Medicine.
Royal Baking Powder Co.—Bak. Pow.

— Mr. Wilbur Wilson is at Asbury Grove.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery is still away on his vacation.

— Belle Rooney and Frank Phillips went to Leominster last week.

— Wilbur E. Cummings advertises a house "To Let." See card.

— There have been lots of G. A. R. blue coats in town this week.

— Mr. W. H. Crocker is the new Master of the Cummings School.

— Mr. Charles French and mother have returned from Asbury Grove.

— A nice good rain fell last Saturday and greatly refreshed the earth.

— Everybody said Post 33 made the finest appearance of any in the parade.

— Mrs. Morong is visiting Mrs. Simonds of Beacon street in this city.

— The next is Labor Day which falls on Sept. 1. It is a State holiday.

— Dr. Frank Graves is talked of for the Democratic candidate for Mayor.

— Mrs. Nancy E. Challis has returned from a nice visit among friends at Lynn.

— Mr. Mark Bancroft is visiting here from Minnesota. He is a G. A. R. man.

— Mr. Geo. Kimball is making excellent progress on the new Methodist Church.

— Yesterday was a hot one, but there was a fine breeze going part of the time.

— Mrs. E. A. Kendall's present address is Leominster, Mass., instead of Fitchburg.

— Boody Sherburne of New Hampshire has been visiting relatives and friends here.

— Mr. A. B. Dimmick and Mr. Charles F. Lyford will go to No. Lubeck, Me.

— Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor expect to visit friends at No. Berwick, Me., next week.

— Holdridge has sold a good many oil stoves this summer. He sells good ones at low prices.

— It is suspected that the Republicans would like Ald. Kenney for a candidate for Mayor.

— Mr. Alex. Grant, the merchant tailor, returned yesterday from a fine visit to Pictou, N. S.

— All the trains out from Boston were late last Tuesday night. And weren't they full though!

— J. G. Maguire, Esq., City Collector, and family will take their vacation at Salisbury, N. H.

— Miss Jennie Skinner has returned from the mountains after a month's rest refreshed and invigorated.

— Postmaster Reade will not be Mayor of Woburn next year if Dr. J. H. Conway can help it.

— Comrade John Connolly of Lincoln Post, Newark, N. J., has been visiting this city this week.

— It is reported that Carr Brothers of No. Woburn propose to move their shoe manufacturing to Lynn.

— Late rains have lent more of an emerald hue to the lawns about here than they wore a month ago.

— We have had lately about as much east wind as the ordinary human constitution could cleverly stand.

— Mr. P. W. Foley, formerly member of Post 33, now of Norway, Me., is stopping here for a few days.

— Charles F. Florence and Ralph D. Dyer were arrivals at the Turk's Head Inn, Rockport, last week.

— The G. A. R. boys have had the finest kind of weather for Encampment week and have duly appreciated it.

— The value of personal property in Woburn is considerably larger than in Malden according to population.

— The alarm from box 61 yesterday p. m. was for a fire on the roof of David Clancy's house, Centre street.

— Mrs. Jennie Greenleaf of No. Berwick is visiting Mrs. Charles Taylor and Mr. Marc. Littlefield this week.

— Mr. Abijah Thompson, the oldest salesman at the popular Hammond Clothing store, is taking his vacation.

— Many thousands of Woburn people went into Boston last Tuesday. Some saw the parade and some did'nt.

— Mr. Frederic A. Flint left here last Tuesday for a month's sojourn at his summer stamping grounds, Camden, Me.

— Frank Newcomb has returned and mounted the box of the U. S. Express wagon again. He has been up in Vermont.

— From May 1, 1889, to May 1, 1890, there were built in this city 72 houses. That isn't a bad showing by any means.

— Rev. Fr. McDonald of St. Charles Church attended the funeral of John Boyle O'Reilly at Charlestown last Wednesday.

— Mr. and Mrs. Church of Newport, Vt., are visiting in this city. The former is a Comrade of Baxter Post at that place.

— We looked in vain for the name of Mayor Johnson among those who attended the banquet of the Mayor's Club in Boston.

— Our rustic poet turns on steam this week and gives the reader of the JOURNAL a poetical treatise on berries and garden truck.

— Forest Hooper is doing a good deal of the plumbing business in this city. He is a thorough workman and employs only skilled hands.

— General Secretary Bailey of the Woburn Y. M. C. A. has declined a call to take charge of the Brockton Association as General Secretary.

— Chief of Police McIntosh and wife have gone to Nova Scotia where it is the hope of the JOURNAL they may pass a very agreeable vacation visit.

— Mr. J. P. Bailey, General Secretary Woburn Y. M. C. A., left for Asbury Grove yesterday morning where he and his family will remain two weeks.

— Rev. Mr. Parker, of the Unitarian Church, and family have gone up to Vermont to finish their vacation. The parson took in the big G. A. R. parade last Tuesday.

— An election of Alderman will be held in Ward 5, on Aug. 26, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Ald. Golden. It is a Democratic Ward and candidates will be plenty.

— Everett Haynes, who has been absent from Woburn about 8 years, is visiting his family here. He is a resident of Chicago where he has been in business for the last 5 years.

— Col. John M. B. Reid of Greenville, Illinois, who was Colonel of the 130th Illinois Infantry Regiment, is staying with friends in this city. Woburn was years ago his home.

— Herbert Richardson of Richardson Brothers, laundrymen, started last Tuesday on a Raymond excursion for New York, Pennsylvania, Canada, and will be away about two weeks.

— In the course of two or three weeks our esteemed townspeople who are away on vacation joys intent will be coming back to their homes again. The season is drawing to a close.

— The National Band gave a very fine concert on the Common last Wednesday evening. It was one of their best and was listened to with great pleasure by a big crowd of people.

— A good many out of town G. A. R. men have been seen in this city since Monday last. Some of them are here visiting friends as well as attending the National G. A. R. Encampment.

— Letter-carriers Ed. H. Callahan and J. F. Maguire and druggist Bernard Devlin will start to-morrow for Wolfsboro', N. H., on Lake Winnepisaukee, where they will remain two weeks.

— The Veterans of the 39th Mass. Regt., will hold their annual reunion in this city on Sept. 17 with Co. K., formerly known as the Woburn National Rangers. A refreshing season is anticipated.

— The Board of Aldermen are entitled to much praise for their appropriation of $200 towards defraying the expenses of the reunion of the 39th Mass. Inf. Ass's to be held in this city on Aug. 26.

— Lawyer Allen didn't parade quite as much as he expected to last Tuesday. Dr. Bartlett, his attending physician, could'nt get him over a severe attack of illness in season for the great march in Boston.

A woman who was buried at Oley, Pa., last week, was so large that in order to get the casket in and out of the house it was necessary to remove a portion of several door frames. She weighed 425 pounds.

— We thank Mr. Joseph Kelley for a copy of the Exeter (N. H.) *News-Letter*. Mr. Kelley has been a subscriber of that paper 55 years, and had the reading of it for three years previously—or since 1831.

— Mr. Joseph Johnson of Pleasant street, this city, carried the same old canteen to the Boston parade that he carried at the Battle of Bull Run in 1861. It attracted much attention and is a relic worth holding on to.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott swooped down on Hugh McCall's place, No. 18 Main street, last Saturday evening and secured a couple of barrels of the "stuff." McCall was arrested but his friends bailed him out.

The color line is drawn in Nova Scotia restaurants. A colored clergyman of Halifax has sued the proprietor of the railroad restaurant at Amherst, N. S., for refusing to allow him to sit down at the same table with white folks.

— All the Woburn school houses had their flags floating in the breeze last Tuesday. So also had the Liberty pole on the Common, Municipal Building, and other places. It was a day for a hearty display of patriotism all round the board.

— Mr. Owen McCafferty, an old gentleman and paralytic, fell on Main street last Wednesday evening and had to be taken to his home in a wagon. He served faithfully in the War of the Rebellion and draws a pension for wounds received.

— When a fellow is sorter all petered out from the hot weather the best thing he can do for his constitution and debilitated system is to take a bottle of Flanders Tonic. There is nothing like it to bolster up the nerve centres and keep them up.

— A heavy rain accompanied with thunder and lightning was a welcome visitor here last Sunday evening. The day had been, at times, sultry and uncomfortable, but the thunder storm cleared the atmosphere out finely and cooler weather followed it.

— Some of the Comrades entertained at Post 161 hall last Tuesday evening were: William R. Fowle of Chelmsford, John M. Waldron and L. W. McAllister of of Newbury, Vt., H. E. Renfree of Bradford, Vt., and Robert Ward of Reno Post, 4, N. Y.

— The Woburn G. A. R. are well satisfied with the election of Wheelock G. Veazey of Vermont for Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R. His election is an honor to New England as much as to the Green Mountain State for he was New England's candidate.

— Mr. S. R. Libby of Durham, Me., who served gallantly in the 20th Maine, from there detailed into the Signal Service, and served time in Libby, Andersonville and Belleisle Rebel prisons, and wife are visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nason.

— Rev. H. C. Townley, who was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Woburn some 20 years ago, will preach in that church on next Sunday forenoon and evening. There are a plenty of his old friends and parishioners here who will be glad to meet, see and hear him.

— The *Globe* says of the Woburn Democracy that it "is practically a unit." We can't imagine what kind of a "unit" it could be that the Democratic party in this city are like. There was never in the world so much heart-burning and family quarreling among them as there is at the present time. The Mayoralty campaign will develop the biggest intestine war among them that was ever seen, or else "all signs fail in a drouth." "A unit!" So's your grandmarm!

— Last Sunday was a great day for the street cars on both roads. Hundreds went by the East Middlesex to the beaches and horses had a tough time of it all around. The regular travel on both routes has increased a great deal within the last twelvemonth.

— J. Henry McMahon, a graduate of the JOURNAL and a very likely young man, is visiting at his home in this city. His last "sit" was at Kansas City where he picked type in a leading daily for a long time—for him, and where he will settle himself after his vacation.

— Last week Auctioneer E. J. Gregory and family; Mrs. J. H. Conway, wife of the Doctor; Mary Moore; Miss Gregory, Misses Annie, Ella, Ellard and Winnie Larkin—all went to Salisbury Beach for their summer outing. They were anticipating great pleasure.

— The Weston Lumber Company, of which Mr. J. B. McDonald of this city is President, had one of their mills at Groverton burned on Aug. 5. They were fully insured or nearly so. Mr. McDonald's friends may not know this as the newspapers made out the loss to be $40,000.

— "Over ninety different patterns of Chamber Sets" is the latest announcement from Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston. The number can scarcely be realized unless one visits these extensive warerooms, which contain the largest collection of miscellaneous furniture in this country.

— Mr. Thomas Eaton died at his home in Waltham last Monday. He was an old resident of that city. He was the father of Mr. John F. Eaton formerly of Woburn and of Mr. T. B. Eaton who established the Waltham *Tribune* a few years ago, and is now the owner and Editor of a daily at Taunton.

— A building at Walnut Hill station filled with hay was burned last Tuesday afternoon. An alarm was rung in from box 42 and the firemen responded, but the building and contents were totally consumed. The former was owned by the B. & M. RR. Co., and the latter by Charles P. Brown. No insurance.

— Among the Vets who have been in Woburn this week is A. B. Prince, a member of Farragutt Post, 125, of Lincoln, Nebraska. He was a Commissioned Officer on the Gunboat Nipsic in the Charleston blockade. Wishing to see active service he was transferred to the U. S. Monitor Nahant. He is a brother of Mrs. J. T. Freeman of Salem street.

— Comrade Jacob M. Ellis is doing the handsome thing by Comrades from Vermont and other places at his hospitable residence on Salem street. No Veterans ever have to go begging when Mr. J. M. Ellis is around, and for those who fought to preserve this glorious old Union of ours he has the warmest kind of a place in his heart.

— William Monahan, who lived on Conn street in this city, in response to the advice of his sons doing business there, started for Titusville, Pa., last Monday and when not far from No. Adams fell between the cars and was so badly injured that he died while being taken to the hospital. Members of his family reside here.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Mr. William S. Kellen of Sidney, Ohio, is visiting at the residence of Mr. Josiah Leathe. He is a brother of Mrs. Leathe, and has not been here for over 30 years. Having served in a Ohio Regiment in the Rebellion he came on to attend the National G. A. R. Encampment in Boston this week and to visit relatives and former friends at the same time.

— Post 33 entertained in royal style at G. A. R. Hall quite a number of visiting Comrades from Minnesota, Vermont and other sections last evening. There was feasting, music, postprandial oratory and other exceedingly pleasant exercises which the Comrades from abroad enjoyed to the full. It was one of the pleasantest seances Post 33 have ever held.

— There is a fair prospect for lower railroad fares between No. Woburn and Boston. Supt. Sanborn saw the justice of the position of the petitioners at a glance and the encouragement which they received from him was very gratifying. The change in Superintendents of the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine Railroad wasn't a bad thing for Woburn, by any means.

— No Post in the immense G. A. R. procession made a more attractive appearance than Burbank Post No. 33, of Woburn, and no one received more compliments. In their white trowsers, blue frocks, natty canes, and officers with new swords, equipments and badges, they looked as neat as a pin and were a conspicuous mark in the parade. No. 33 acquitted themselves handsomely.

— Mr. Fred Rogers of the First National Bank has been in the habit along back of running down to Newport, the ne plus ultra of fashionable watering places, of Saturday nights and spending Sunday there. Cashier Day's inclinations have run considerably in that direction too and between them both they manage to contribute quite a respectable sized mite to the vast accumulalation of wealth of that favorite spa during the run of the season.

— Mr. E. N. Blake returned from Bar Harbor on Sunday morning. He and his daughter enjoyed their visit at that very fashionable seaside resort—not so much the fashion there—but the sea views, cool breezes, and pleasing landscapes of Mt. Desert. A party of gentlemen stopping at the hotel where Mr. Blake and daughter were chartered a small steamer and took a long sail down the coast which was one of the pleasantest features of the visit. Nature and art together have made an exceedingly attractive watering place of Bar Harbor.

— Rev. Lyman Bartlett, Missionery in Smyrna, delivered a very interesting discourse in the lecture room of the First Congregational Church, this city, last Wednesday evening. He has been at Smyrna about five years and had previously served 17 years in Asia Minor, where he had spiritual charge of the district of country in which were located the "seven churches of Asia" founded by the Apostles. His manner and matter were very entertaining and instructive.

— It is currently reported that Mr. Lawrence Reade will be a candidate for Mayor this fall providing Mayor Johnson absolutely declines a re-election. Mr. Reade would make a good Mayor. He has the business ability, the push, the liberality which would make his administration of municipal affairs a great success. It is currently reported too that Mr. Thomas Salmon will be one of Mr. Reade's strongest and most active supporters. Mr. Salmon is a political power in this city.

— When Janitor John Connolly went into the lodging room of the city lock-up Wednesday morning to rouse Mr. John Rainor he found him dead. He went into the room in a sick, exhausted condition the afternoon before, but what time he died was not known. He was 64 years old, and his home was at Franklin Falls, N. H. His son came from that place on Thursday and took the remains of his father to his home. Medical Examiner March said he died from natural causes.

— The spacious addition to Mr. C. M. Munroe's store is nearly completed and everything is being settled into business order rapidly. The addition is about equal in square feet to the old store and when they come to be made one room of there can't be produced in Woburn better quarters to sell clothing and other goods of the kind at than it is. Naturally Mr. Munroe feels very much elated with his new store. Mr. Webster Woodman, salesman, is also pleased with the material increase of room to do business in.

— Mr. Charles March, son of Rev. Dr. March, came on from Washington last Saturday and is now visiting his father, and brother Dr. Daniel March at Winchester. He is employed in the Pension Bureau of the Department of the Interior, to which he went (without solicitation) from a responsible business situation in Chicago, and with which he is well pleased. Years ago he lived in Woburn and at one time did reporting for the JOURNAL. He expects to remain here and about here until the fore part of next week.

— The Massachusetts Horticultural Society will hold their annual exhibition of plants and flowers at Music Hall, Boston, on Aug. 19-22, beginning on Tuesday next and ending on the following Friday. Their published list of general and special prizes is a large one, and the exhibition is expected to be one of the best ever given by the Society. A great many enties have been made and contributions of rare plants and choice flowers and fruits have come from all sections of the country. The list contains many floral and vegetable products new to the public here. Mr. P. G. Hanson of this city is a member of the Committee on Vegetables.

— Hon. E. D. and Mrs. Hayden of Academy Hill returned last week from a two months trip into the extreme northwestern boundary of Uncle Sam's possessions which of course included Alaska and other semi-polar regions, with all of which they were interested and pleased. They spent consideral time in the National Park which, Mr. Hayden says, will be much more attractive a couple of years hence than now, although it is well worth a trip and visit at the present time. Mr. and Mrs. Hayden were well all the time of their absence and enjoyed their prospecting tour very much; but both were glad to get back home again and exchange hotel for home life and comforts.

— Mr. John P. Delaney is Superintendent of the big leather factory of Loring and Avery in Winchester, while a couple of years ago we could almost have sworn he was a farmer and the most successful cultivator of vegetables on the wild and raging Abberjona. (There were excellent reasons for that opinion). On yesterday morning we received a communication from Mr. Delaney with the contents of which we were delighted. That paragraph marked "V" just fitted into a very empty pocket-book of ours and gave a calm, contented tinge to our feelings which lasted all that day and a part of the next. We thank Mr. J. P. D. for his thoughtfulness, and this is a receipt for the same.

— Yesterday President John R. Carter, in behalf of the Woburn Y. M. C. A., presented to Mrs. Burgess, widow of the late Frank S. Burgess, a "Memorial Token," executed by the famous Burdett Brothers of Burdett's Business College in Boston, in the best style of which they are masters. At the top of the parchment is "Memorial Token," below which is a square space containing the name of the deceased, while on the four sides of the square are wrought the names of the Directors of the Association. Mr. Burgess was an honored member of the Woburn Y. M. C. A. and it was by official authority that the beautiful and appropriate "Token" was made and presented to Mrs. Burgess. It is believed that the Burdetts, who are experts in designing and executing pieces of this character, never did a finer stroke of pen work than the one under consideration.

— The wife and children of Rev. F. W. March of Syria, who are living for the present with Mrs. March's parents at Auburndale, came over yesterday and visited Rev. Dr. March at his home at Deacon G. R. Gage's on Montvale Ave. In the evening a reception, quite informal and neighborly, was given to Mrs. March in the parlors of the Gage residence which was attended by quite a number of friends of the families and people interested in foreign missionary work. Mrs. March and her children arrived from Syria a few weeks ago and look for the husband and father, who is Rev. Dr. March's son, to come over next fall. It is expected that the family will remain in this side of the world a year or so, and at the close of their visit Rev. Mr. March will resume missionary work in that distant land. The reception was a very pleasant affair.

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PENSION CLAIMS

Of Dependent Fathers and Mothers, Widows and Children, and Invalid Soldiers. Please call on

SPARROW HORTON, Justice of the Peace, Woburn Bookstore.

— At a meeting held last week the School Board accepted E. H. Lounsbury's resignation as Master of the Cummings school which put a period to that estimable gentleman's connection with the educational institutions of this city. The salary question was the rock on which the parties split and went apart. Master Lounsbury exacted a certain amount of increase of salary as a condition of his remaining longer at the head of the Cummings school. The Board offered to meet the gentleman part way and allow him an advance of a sum something less than his offer. To make a long story short, the two sides to the question did not come to terms, and result is, Mr. Lounsbury, a most capable and popular teacher with his pupils, their parents, and the Board, has stepped down and out of the Woburn school business. He will begin the study of Blackstone at an early day and diligently prosecute the study of the science until he becomes a firstclass lawyer.

The fashions of washing are many. Some nations pound the clothing; some dip them into boiling springs; woodsmen hang theirs in running brooks, while sailors tow their clothing behind sailing ships, after covering it with salt water soap. None of these methods are really effective. A cleanly and easy wash can best be had with Brussels soap, which, like DeWitt Talmage, is a foe to dirt.

G. A. R. Banquet.

After Post 161, G. A. R., returned from the great parade in Boston on Tuesday evening, in which they took part, a banquet was given at their hall in Savings Bank building, at which Dr. Charles F. Russell of Washington, D. C., formerly of Sharpsburg, Va., who is the personal guest of Dr. Frank W. Graves and Capt. John P. Crane, of this city, was the guest. It was a very pleasant affair, which everyone enjoyed, and was especially so to Dr. Russell.

Commander Pinkham presided at the tables, which were well supplied with an excellent supper by Caterer Patten of this city. After a protracted march over the Boston pavements with but small chance to refresh the inner man with the necessaries of life the viands of which the banquet was composed were keenly relished and the rapidity with which they disappeared was highly complimentary to the caterer.

After the meal there were speeches which helped round out the evening in good shape. The speakers were Capt. Ed. F. Wyer, Dr. Frank W. Graves, Major H. C. Hall, J. Fred. Leslie, J. H. Nason, George Fowle, Comrade Chapman of Hubbardston, Comrade Libby of Maine, who was a guest of Mr. Nason, and Dr. Russell.

Dr. Russell, the Post's guest for the evening, served gallantly in the Confederate army in Stuart's famous cavalry and did his best in some 30 or more pitched battles to beat the Yankees, but when the war was over and the South found they had got the worst of it the Doctor, like any other sensible man, accepted the situation and now rallies under the Stars and Stripes as loyally as any Northerner. That is evidence of good sense.

This is the Doctor's first visit to the North and he is highly pleased with all he has seen since coming to Boston and Woburn. Two or three years ago he entertained Dr. Graves and Capt. Crane at his home in the South, in return for which he is the guest of those gentlemen here.

Dr. Russell is an intelligent gentleman, a good talker, and an agreeable companion at a banquet.

If you are going west, don't fail to avail yourself of the low rates and comfortable passage offered by the Lake Superior Transit Co's steamers through the great lakes. Full information on application to J. A. Flanders, agent, 322 Washington street, Boston.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held Saturday evening, all the members being present. An election for an Alderman in Ward 5 was ordered to take place Tuesday, Aug. 26. The appropriation of $200 for the reunion of the 39th Massachusetts Infantry Association was passed, the same to be expended under the direction of the committee of that body. Chief Engineer Ferrin nominated C. F. Driscoll and Griffin Durgin as members of Hose 6, and William Blaisdell a member of Hose 2. Confirmed. Final action was taken on the relocation of the line of Montvale Avenue near Sherman Place.

"Don't Care to Eat."

It is with the greatest confidence that Hood's Sarsaparilla is recommended for loss of appetite, indigestion, sick headache, and similar troubles. This medicine gently tones the stomach, assists digestion, and makes one "real hungry." Persons in delicate health, after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a few days, find themselves longing for and eating the plainest food with unexpected relish.

Leather Prices Up.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—A new schedule of prices is to be issued by the Newark leather manufacturers today, increasing prices 10 per cent all round.

The manufacturers say the increase is made necessary by the advance in the duties on green hides and oils.—*Despatch.*

Leather making is enjoying a boom just now. The face of every Woburn manufacturer one meets is wreathed all over with smiles. They are happy.

WILBUR A. REYNOLDS, D. D. S.

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Near Boylston Street.

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Personal attention given to the sale of Real and Personal Estates in Woburn and vicinity.

Office: 393 Main St., Woburn.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Y. M. C. A.

BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

Tuesday evening, Aug. 19, the Directors will meet.

Have you invested? If not we have a few shares yet, which you can obtain.

Next Sunday afternoon at 4 the men's meeting. Every man in the city invited to be present.

The Young Men's Christian Association is a grand investment for business men. It is worth a great deal for them to know that the young men who are growing up behind their desks and counters, and upon whom responsibility and trust must needs be laid, are surrounded by good influences outside of business hours, that they are not necessarily exposed to temptations to gambling and dissipation. The young man who avails himself of the opportunities offered by the Young Men's Christian Association, who builds up his health, and develops his physical strength by judicious exercise in the gymnasium, and extends his mental equipment by attendance at the classes and lectures, is necessarily a better man, a more valuable man in dollars and cents, than he who dawdles his leisure time over a billiard table in an unwholesome saloon, or sits up all night to study the fitful fortunes of a poker deck. There is the possibility of magnificent manhood in the average young man who is turned loose in our cities, and it is to the interest of all, who are compelled to depend upon these young men, to facilitate in every way the full development of their physical and mental powers, and the growth of their moral nature.

A tramp who stole a box of Brussels soap concealed his identity by washing himself with a cake of it.

A correspondent of the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* tells how to keep bouquets fresh for several days: "In the first place I put a little salt, a tablespoonful or more, in the bottom of the vase. Then fill the vase with ice broken into pieces the size of a walnut. On this I put the bouquet, the same as you put the stems into a glass of water. I never put any water in the vase, however. Enough comes from the melting ice and salt."

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Aug. 9, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Miss Jennie W. Birmingham, 198 Blake St.
Miss Fannie A. Neville.
Miss Christine Parker.
Walter D. Richardson.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Boston Mail opens at 8, 8.30, 10.15 A. M., 1.15, 2, 4, 6.25, 8.05 P. M.
New York Mail opens at 8.00 A. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 8.45 A. M., and 4.30 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.08 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.15 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
Burlington, 10.00 A. M.
Winchester, 12.40 and 4.35 P. M.
North Woburn, 5.45 P. M.

Post Office opens at 6.40 A. M.
Closes at 8.00 P. M.
Saturdays at 8.30 P. M.

LAWRENCE READE, P. M.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

METHODIST—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. L. P. Cushman, D. D. Meeting of the Epworth League at 6 p. m. Usual meetings during the week.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach. Subject: "The Will and the Way." At 6 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. service of praise and preaching. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

Married.

In Woburn, Aug. 13, by Rev. Daniel March, Charles H. Story and Mary E. Edmands, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Aug. 12, Charles E. Wallace, aged 3 years, 21 days.

In this city, Aug. 11, Charles Fritchett, aged 7 months.

In this city, Aug. William A. Fallon, aged 7 years, 2 months, 6 days.

In Winchester, Aug. 12, Bessie Kennedy, aged 3 months, 10 days.

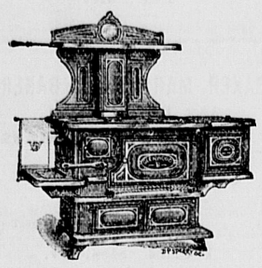
Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

Copeland & Bowser,

335 Main Street, WOBURN.



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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

The Death of Mr. O'Reilly.

The sudden death of Mr. John Boyle O'Reilly, the gifted editor of the *Pilot*, will be a painful surprise to the community, all the greater because Mr. O'Reilly's well known devotion to outdoor life and his rare physical vigor gave every outward promise that he would live beyond the allotted three score years and ten. The picturesque circumstances attending Mr. O'Reilly's coming to this country made him an interesting figure from the first, and it was not long before he demonstrated that he possessed talent of a high order. Besides his exquisite poetry, through which he is best known to the general public, his editorial work in connection with the *Pilot* has done much to give that journal the wide range of influence which it enjoys among the people of Mr. O'Reilly's race and faith in the towns and cities of New England. Mr. O'Reilly had the true poetic instinct. He knew how to touch the chords of humanity. He was unquestionably one of the most admired of the younger poets of America, and many of his songs hold a position in the popular heart from which the lapse of years will find it very difficult to displace them. His later poems suggested a ripening genius, and a capacity for the most serious kinds of work, with little or no abatement of the poet's youthful ardor. Mr. O'Reilly's sudden and untimely death is profoundly to be regretted.—*Boston Journal.*

Italy desires a new steamship line between Naples and London, and according to the prevalent European policy it proposes to establish one by means of an annual subsidy of $70,000. That is, this single Italian line is to receive a subsidy almost as large as the aggregate amount expended by our own great, rich and generous Government for its foreign mail service on all the vessels flying the American flag. Yet there are people who profess to wonder that even little Italy should be outstripping us in competition for the world's carrying trade.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

The Methodist church at Mayville, N. Y., is raising its debt of $600 by keeping a summer boarding house at Chautauqua. One member of the church had charge of the house during July, and another is in care of it during August. The waiters are the belles of Mayville, who have volunteered for the service. Two new ones come every week, and the others go home for a rest. Extra volunteers do the work on Sunday. The cook is the only paid servant. Even the provisions are contributed, and plenty of young men are around to do the "toting" and heavy work for nothing.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

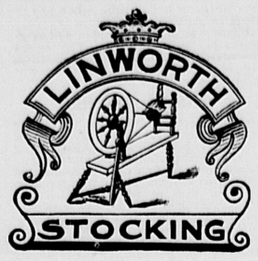
In answers to correspondents in an English paper for ladies, intending travelers to this country are warned not to try to wear out their old clothes while in America. "Ill-made gowns in the modes of a past season are not to be thought of in America, where women dress well. Not only do they buy good, suitable and fashionable clothes, but they understand exactly how to put them on, and make it a matter of consequence to do so well."

"Have you washed your feet?" You think this is a queer question to ask, but it is one that many Mammas have got in the habit of asking the boys and girls as "Have you washed your hands?"

And Why? Because it has been almost impossible to get Stockings that would'nt crock and fade.

But alas! for Pearline.

We have got a Line of Stock-



ings Worth much more than many so called "Fast Blacks," which will please the Mammas and the boys and girls as well, and not cost any more. Sizes to fit everybody from baby to grandmamma.

Pearline has its place but it will not have to be used to washout the stains left by the "LINWORTH."

C. Willard Smith

WINCHESTER.

West Medford decorated in fine style on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jessie and Eugene Walker are at Kennebunk, Me.

The Misses Quimby are taking their vacation at No. Conway.

Safford Cottage, Cottage City, is the present address of Miss Carrie Rounds.

Next month Deaconesses will be appointed by the Congregational Church.

Everybody left town last Tuesday to see the great G. A. R. parade in Boston.

The *Star* utters a wail over the lack of a bandstand and absence of band concerts.

Rev. Mr. Newton, pastor of the Congregational church, is taking his vacation.

People will be glad to hear that Deacon Luther Richardson is getting well again.

It was late when the last ones got home, and some of them were hungry and cross.

Look out for the adjourned town meeting. Some people are lotting on heaps of fun at it.

William A. Snow, Jr., Cadet in the U. S. Navy, has gone on a 2-year voyage to South America.

Mr. John Fitzgerald of Portville, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Patrick Nelson, in this town.

The *Star* tells those who don't know whether Gen. Corse, the Boston postmaster, lives here or not to come and see for themselves.

Fair Ipswich is the present abiding place of Mrs. George P. Brown and her daughter Grace. The genial Doctor holds the fort at home.

They do say that if a true story of how free mail delivery was secured for Winchester was told in detail it would make some people's eyes stick out.

A good many Winchester people who have been taking their summer outing are beginning to crawl back home tired and pretty well worn out with "resting."

Miss Marston, one of Winchester's most accomplished school teachers, is at Limington, York county, Me. It is a nice quiet old town to do summer resting in.

Mr. William Nelson, a prominent young man of this town and a member of Rumford Hose Co., No. 4, started from here yesterday afternoon for Denver, Colorado, where he intends to go into business for himself.

The pulpit of the Congregational Church will be filled as follows the rest of this month while pastor Newton is away on his vacation: 17, Rev. Dr. J. L. Jenkins of Pittsfield; 24, Rev. Charles H. Percival of Racine, Wis.; 31, Rev. C. B. Rice of Danvers.

Boston *Herald:* Messrs. Twombly & Sons, the well-known Boston florists, have, in decorating the Presidential suite, done so artistic and beautiful a piece of work as to give them an even stronger claim than before to the title of "Presidential decorators." It will be remembered that Mr. Twombly, Sr., has many times visited the White House and, done very beautiful work there. Hence, it was very appropriate that the house of which he is the head should be given the contract for decorating the beautiful apartments which President Harrison is to occupy during his coming visit to Boston.

Burlington.

Extensive repairs are being made on the East schoolhouse.

The church will be opened next Sunday for regular services.

Mr. G. L. Tebbetts and family are enjoying cottage at Bass Point.

Mr. Charles H. Walker displayed his flag Tuesday in honor of the G. A. R.

Thieves visited the hennery of Mr. Caleb Richardson one night last week and stole a number of fowls.

☞ It's economical—Brussels soap.

Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the 9th and 16th of August contain Official Polytheism in China, A Journey to the Capital of Tibet, and French Affairs, by Gabriel Monod, Among the Euganean Hills, by John Addington Symonds, Arthur Helps, An Idyl of Clods, Napoleon Described by his Valet, and Videcq, English Monastery, and Roman Life, A Chat about Jersey, and the Evolution of the Umbrella, Prterfamilias Americanus, and Ad Lydiam, A West Country Well, and Yet in the Long Years Liker must they Grow, The Foundering of the Dacca, with instalments of Eight Days, An Advance Sheet, and The Waterproof, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

There's a peculiar advertisement on our local page this week about "A Fast Black." On first glance we thought it was advertising some horse race, but when we found it was booming ladies' fast black hose at 5c. a pair, we realized that it was indeed an advertisement peculiar unto itself. Read it carefully.

A Brooklyn manufacturer paid a bill without a murmur the other day simply on account of the way it was worded. His engineer found that the hot water pump would not work and sent for a machinist. The latter bothered with it half a day and said it must come apart. This meant a stoppage of the factory for a long time. It was suggested that a neighboring engineer be sent for, as he was a sort of genius in the matter of machinery. He came, and after studying the pump a while he took a hammer and gave three sharp raps over the valve. "I reckon she'll go now," he quietly said, and putting on steam "she" did go. The next day, says the manufacturer, I received a bill from him for $25.50. The price amazed me, but when I had examined the items I drew a check at once. The bill read this way: "Messrs. Blank & Co., Dr. to John Smith. For fixing pump, fifty cents. For knowing how, $25." Had he charged me $25.50 for fixing the pump I should have considered it exorbitant. But fifty cents was reasonable, and I recognize the value of knowledge, so I paid and said nothing.

Jones—"Hello, Brown! See that man going down the street with his pockets bulging out like a balloon?" Brown—"Yes, who is he?" Jones—"Why, that's Jenkins, and that's money that his wife saved for him in economizing by using Brussels soap."

Gen. J. B. Weaver has been prevailed upon to accept the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Seventh Iowa District. There has been a severe drouth in the district and the farmers have been bothered by grasshoppers, and in view of these calamities Gen. Weaver has strong hopes that the district may go Democratic, though it is normally Republican. Weaver is an adept at attributing drouths and grasshoppers and hog cholera and such things to Republican protection.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

The German Government will erect a monument in memory of the German sailors who perished in the hurricne at Samoa.

The usual extensive forest fires are reported from California and the other Pacific Coast States. When will these destructive conflagrations be stopped?

The census gives Chicago a population of 1,098,576. This is 53,682 more than Philadelphia and makes Chicago the second city in population in the country.

The Catholic Club of New York is to have a Club house costing, with the land, $350,000. It will contain a library of 30,000 volumes. The club has 430 members.

Mr. Larkin G. Mason, a prominent third party leader of New Hampshire, signifies his desire and the desire of many of his party friends to support Governor Goodell if he is a candidate for re-election.

If France imposes upon grain which comes from this country higher duty than that which she collects from grain which comes from other countries she provokes a system of retaliatory duties of which she will become weary before we shall.

A monstrous brass casting was successfully run at a foundry in Pittston, Pa., the other day. It is a pump chamber weighing 6000 pounds. It took three men nearly a month to build the mold, and the material cost $1500.

A Linn county (Oregon) man bought a wild young pony for $20. He took him home, where he got out of the barnyard and ran for his life. The new owner got on a $100 horse and followed, catching the runaway, but crippling his horse and reducing his value to about $30.

A Coroner's inquest in Chicago revealed the fact that the supposed mother of the dead infant had imposed on her husband and had palmed off a child from an orphan asylum as their offspring. The husband was intensely angered and refused to be conciliated.

Judge—"Not only have you stolen your benefactor's cash box, but also carried off his dearest treasure, his only daughter!" Prisoner—"Allow me, your honor; nobody regrets it more than myself; the fact is, there was no taking the one without the other."

Having failed to impress his party friends with the power of his oratory, Congressman Enloe now proposes to see what his skill as a pugilist will do. Mr. Enloe has excellent precedents for believing that nobody is quite so much admired as a good bruiser by the Democratic party.

"They are not paying much attention to you, Uncle Pete," said the little girl at the party. "I guess they have forgot you're our relation." "Yes, child," answered Uncle Pete, crossing one leg over the other so as to hide a small patch on the under knee, "no; they seem to be remembering it right along."

The preparation which most closely resembles mother's milk is confessedly the best food for babes, and the preparation which is most grateful and nourishing to the delicate organism of the invalid or convalescent is destined to win the favor and confidence of the medical profession and the public. Mellin's Food has long since been found to meet these requirements.

PROFESSIONAL BOUNCERS.

They Ejected Two Loafers from a Theatre Without Creating a Panic.

"There came near being a riot at the theatre to-night," said a gentleman dropping into the Chicago club the other evening. "A man was annoying people seated near him, and they put him out. The house was crowded, and the row came near creating a panic. Women screamed, men jumped in and the play was temporarily stopped."

"It's a wonder there wasn't a panic," replied an old time first nighter who was present. "Nothing is more dangerous than any sort of commotion in a theatre. But I suppose this row was all caused by reason of the freshness of the men who went to eject the disturber. There's a right way and a wrong way to do such things. The audience needn't have been alarmed at all if it had been properly done. Do you remember Billy Emmett?"

"No, who was he?"

"Billy? Oh, he was the manager at one time of the old Academy and at another of the Olympic theatre. He's dead now, poor fellow! Well, Billy would have had the disturbing party out of that theatre without any trouble whatever. In fact, he'd have made it rather a diversion for the audience.

"You see Billy had a great reverence for women. He never would let a lady stand in his house. If he couldn't give her a seat he wouldn't sell her a ticket. He wouldn't tolerate a tough or a masher. If one ever made the slightest play in Billy's house out he went. No lady could be insulted or even coarsely treated where he was.

"But to come to the question of putting a man out. I remember once at the Olympic a gentleman came out to the box office window and complained to the treasurer that there were two men seated behind him and his wife who persisted in chewing tobacco and expectorating under the seat, much to the damage of the lady's dress. 'I have asked them to stop,' the gentleman continued, 'but they refuse to do so.'

"'What's that?' said Billy, who was in the office. 'Well, they will stop, sir, you can depend on that. They can't stay in my theatre at all. Not a minute. Just wait a second.'

"Billy rushed into the house, located the two loafers and came back to the door, where he summoned his two 'bouncers.' One of 'em, I remember, was a muscular fellow named Thurston. He was an ex-prize fighter and a corker. The other was an all round athlete. He put them on to the two men and gave them their cue.

"A few moments later the curtain fell on an act, and Billy, urbane and debonair, appeared in front of it.

"'Ladies and gentlemen,' he said, 'I regret to inform you that there are two loafers sitting right over there who have annoyed the lady in front of them by expectorating tobacco upon her dress. Now they are going to leave the house. They have declined to go, and are going to be put out. Keep your seats, please, and don't be excited.'

"As Billy finished Thurston and his assistant walked down the aisle, stepped into the row behind the two toughs, leaned over and told them to leave the theatre. Both the loafers were big, husky brutes and they refused.

"'We'll go if yer can put us out,' they said, and clutched the arms of their chairs. That was enough. Thurston and the other fellow just stooped over, reached under the chairs, gave one mighty heave and up came the whole aggregation—toughs, chairs and all—the screws pulled right loose from the wood. They carried the whole lot up the aisle, the toughs struggling in vain, out the door and shot the two men, chairs and all, into the center of Clark street with the force of a catapult. Everybody applauded and laughed and the show went on.

"That showed Billy Emmett's tact. If he had not explained to the audience there would have been danger of a free fight, a panic or what not. People always interfere in a row they don't understand and a crowded theatre where there are women is a mighty dangerous place to have one."—Chicago Mail.

Several Private Secretaries.

The private secretaries of Secretaries Blaine, Proctor and Noble are merely clerks, and do not have the swing that some of the others have. Louis A. Dent, who attends to the correspondence of Secretary Blaine, is a young man, a son of the late Gen. Josiah Dent, of this city. For many years Mr. Blaine had a private secretary who was one in fact. This was Mr. Thomas H. Sherman, who was the right hand of Mr. Blaine for many years. He is now consul general to Liverpool, having been appointed to that office by President Harrison.—Chatter.

Luck in Orchids.

The chance of finding a bit of superbum in a bundle of the ordinary kind lends peculiar excitement to a sale of these plants. Such luck first occurred to Mr. Bath in Stevens' auction rooms. He paid half a crown for a very weakly fragment, brought it round, flowered it and received a prize for good gardening in the shape of £72, cheerfully paid by Sir Trevor Lawrence for a plant unique at that time.—Longman's Magazine.

A Cultivated Ear.

Little Girl (during a thunder storm)—Mamma, do they have music in heaven?

"Yes, my dear."

Little Girl—Well, I guess Wagner must be leading the orchestra.—New York Weekly.

The *Post* describes Federal interference with elections as "an innovation." It is an innovation, then, which is twenty years old, as illustrated in the Federal Supervisors law, and we have the word of so good a Democrat as ex-Secretary Whitney for the statement that it has worked wonderfully well.

The New York *Evening Post* is at its old trick of quoting parts of sentences from the columns of Republican papers and applying them to different subjects from those in connection with which they were used. It is a favorite trick with the *Post*, but one which long ago forfeited its reputation as a fair disputant.

Fifteen millions of dollars is mentioned as the value of the art treasures accumulated in Hilford House by Sir Richard Wallace, and it is rumored that all this will go, under the will to the English nation.

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ELM TREE WORSHIPERS.

For Four Centuries the New Englanders Have Cultivated and Nurtured it.

The elm tree is dear to the heart of the New Englander. No other tree is associated in his mind with the idea of home. It forms the most remarkable feature of the domestic New England landscape, and in no part of the country is there a tree which occupies the same position in the affection of the people as the elm does in that of the inhabitants of New England.

The people who settled the shores of Massachusetts bay brought with them the remembrance of the elm trees, which were such an important and conspicuous feature in the country where they had been bred; and it is not surprising that they sought to reproduce in the new country something of the old by planting by their doors the most familiar of the English "roof trees." So the habit grew of setting an elm tree close by the home hewn out in the wilderness, and these house trees, planted by the early settlers of New England or by their descendants of the early generations, are the oldest and noblest trees which have been planted by man in North America.

The affection for the elm tree, thus early developed in the New England heart, often saved it when the land was being cleared for cultivation; and when roads were made and provided with trees, as they were more generally in New England a hundred years ago than they are now, the elm naturally was selected to shade the traveler from the burning sun of summer. The noble stem supporting the broad head of light and pendulous branches, the delicate spray, indescribably beautiful in winter, and the abundant foliage of summer make the American elm one of the most desirable roadside trees when placed in a suitable situation, and a fitting ornament to stand by the stateliest mansion or the humblest farm house.

The American elm will not live to a great age or develop all its beauty in every situation. It dreads drought and starves in poor soil; its home is on fertile intervales along streams and where plant food is never lacking. The elms which grew to such great size by the farm houses of New England owed their stature to the nourishment stolen from the neighboring garden or to the moisture drawn from the well which its branches shaded. Thus they grew to great size and lived out their span of life, which at best is not very great, for the elm is a fast growing tree and rarely lives during a longer period than two centuries or two centuries and a half. The most vigorous of them begin to show the first signs of decay before they have seen a century and a half go by, and an elm a hundred years old in perfect health is now difficult to find except on some exceptionally fertile river lands like those which border the upper Connecticut.

The elm is one of the best of trees to plant where the soil is deep and rich and where moisture is abundant and constant; it is one of the least desirable of all trees to set by the side of city streets, where plant food is always lacking and where moisture is quickly carried off by the artificial drainage of road bed and service pipes. Give it a fair chance and the American elm will hold its own against any tree in the world in its own peculiar light and graceful beauty; but unless all the conditions favor it there is no tree less satisfactory, and it should not be planted unless these conditions can be supplied.—Garden and Forest.

Normandy Butter Adulterated.

The British vice counsel at Caen in his last report says that, in spite of the special laws adopted very recently against the fraudulent practices of the butter dealers and merchants in largely introducing various fatty compounds to mix with the pure butter, this fraud has been and is still being carried on extensively, and the exporters have for some time past been introducing the hitherto excellent Normandy butter to the English market largely adulterated with the compounds. A syndicate of the butter merchants of northern France has been formed, and it has recently issued an appeal to all the honest butter merchants to endeavor to avert this disaster to the trade through the decrease of the exportation to foreign markets, attributable to the adulteration of the hitherto pure butter exported. The export of Normandy butter in 1882 to the English markets alone amounted to the value of 89,900,000f., while in the year 1887 it had fallen to 58,100,000f., and since the latter year there has been a still further decrease. The syndicate proposes, as a precautionary measure, that a new law shall be passed to oblige the makers of the compound to give it some coloring matter other than the hue of butter in its unadulterated natural state, so that it will then be impossible to mix it with the pure article without showing some trace of margarine. This adulteration of butter is extensively carried on in Caen.

New Use of Tinfoil.

A novel treatment of ingrowing toenails has been introduced in France. The medium employed is tinfoil, such as is used for enveloping chocolate and other food products. A single or double sheet of the tinfoil is introduced between the nail and the ulcerated tissues beneath by the aid of an instrument with a thin blade. The tinfoil is kept in place by wax, which is moulded over the parts. The beneficial effects produced are attributed to the chemical rather than to the mechanical action of the tinfoil.—Exchange.

Five generations of one family sat for their photographs in a single group at Springfield, Pa., a few days ago.

OUR GARDEN BERRIES.

Strawberries are the first comes ripe,
And truly are the best;
Their flavor is so very fine
They far excel the rest.
The juicy rasp comes next along,
And truly they are fine;
They may be used for common sauce
Or turned into good wine.
Of currants we have different kinds;
There's black and red and white;
But cherry currants are the best;
On them all do unite.
Gooseberries should not be forgot
For they are also good;
And they come of a noble race;
Their character has stood.
We need not to the market go,
Nor call on him who carries,
But we can to our garden go
And get a mess of berries.

July, 1890.

AN APPENDIX.

We now are using from the place
Some very fine potatoes,
And very soon we hope to pick
Some juicy ripe tomatoes.
Of peas and beans we've had enough,
And still we have them growing,
Though some of them are fully ripe
There's others only blowing.
Our corn is also growing fast,
And soon we shall be able
To get some sweet delicious ears
For food upon our table.
There's many other things we raise
We wish not here to mention;
To give a lengthy full report
It is not our intention.—"

The prune crop at Pomona, Cal., and vicinity is immense. Hundreds of trees are bending beneath a burden of ripening fruit.

City of Woburn.

To the Chief of Police, or either of his Assistants, or either of the Constables of the City of Woburn,

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required forthwith to notify and warn the inhabitants of **WARD FIVE**, qualified to vote as the law directs, to meet in

Hose House No. 4, Thorn Street,

On Tuesday, August 26, 1890,

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes on one ballot for One Alderman, to be chosen from and by the qualified voters in Ward Five.

The polls shall be opened at Seven o'clock, A. M., and shall close at Four o'clock, P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up an attested copy thereof at the place appointed for Ward meetings in said Ward, seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant and of your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said City, four days at least before the time of meeting as aforesaid.

Witness, EDWARD F. JOHNSON, Mayor of the City of Woburn, this ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.

A true copy. Attest:

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

THOMAS MULKEEN, Constable.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael Golden, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Patrick Golden, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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THE TEN LEPERS.

LESSON VII, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 17.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xvii, 11-19. Commit Verses, 15-17—Golden Text, Luke xvii, 17—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

11. "And it came to pass, as He went to Jerusalem." The time draws nigh for Him to be offered up, and "to Jerusalem" is His daily thought, for He Himself said, "It cannot be that a prophet perish out of Jerusalem" (chap. xiii, 33); "When the time was come that He should be received up He steadfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem;" "He went through the cities and villages, teaching and journeying toward Jerusalem;" "Behold, we go up to Jerusalem, and all things that are written by the prophets concerning the Son of Man shall be accomplished" (chap. ix, 51; xiii, 22; xviii, 31). At Jerusalem He was to finish the work which the Father had given him to do, and He was pressing on to finish that work. His grand and faithful follower, the apostle Paul, had the same spirit when he said concerning bonds and afflictions, "None of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy" (Acts xx, 24). We do not know just where our work shall end, nor when it shall be finished, so that the only safe way is to be always found doing unto Him, and with our might, what our hands find to do.

12. "And as He entered into a certain village, there met Him ten men that were lepers, which stood afar off." Utterly unclean, dwelling alone, without the camp (or village, or city), how sad was the condition of these poor men (Lev. xiii., 44-46). Afar off from human help, and sympathy, and friendship; living and yet dead to all the ordinary relationships of life. Consider the leprosy of Miriam, Naaman, Gehazi, Uzziah and the four men at the gate of Samaria (Num. xii; II Kings v, 7; xv, 5). Perhaps there is no more forcible representation of sin and the sinner in the whole Bible than that of the leper and his leprosy. Let the teacher who would, with the greatest profit, present this lesson study carefully Lev. xiii and xiv and read Mackintosh's notes on the same.

13. "And they lifted up their voices and said, Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" They made no profession; they made no promises; they knew they had nothing but leprosy, and as poor, unclean, cast out lepers they could only beg for mercy, and this they did. What a happy day it was for them when Jesus came their way. They had heard of Him; they heard of the healing of other lepers by His gracious powers. This was their opportunity, and they seize it. How wise they were. What a contrast to the man in our lesson who, like many today, believed in a larger hope—a possibility of salvation after death—and so after he died cried, "Father Abraham, have mercy on me!" How vain was his cry.

14. "Go shew yourselves unto the priests. And it came to pass that as they went, they were cleansed." Thus He spake unto them, not disregarding nor setting aside the law, for He came not to destroy but to fulfill the law, but told them to do as commanded in the law (Lev. xiii, 2; xiv, 2). They might have reasoned and argued and have said: Master, the priests cannot help us, the law cannot heal us; we do not need to find out whether we are lepers or not; we know we are; it is mercy we ask for from Thee, who alone canst heal us. But they did not argue, they obeyed and went; His word was sufficient; and as they went they were cleansed. Reasoning and arguing would have only hindered; obedience brought the blessing.

15. "And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God." As obediently he went at the Lord's command, he finds himself a new man as to his body; he is clean, he is whole, he is no longer a leper; no longer shall he be cut off from home and friends; that very day he becomes a part of the world again, with its pleasures and employments, instead of being an outcast. And what is now his first thought? Gratitude to the Lord who healed him. The goodness of God has led him to repentance (Rom. ii, 4), and with a loud voice he makes it known. His heart is full, and with his voice he utters its abundance. He seems to believe that Jesus is God, and he gives God the glory. He is neither afraid nor ashamed to make it known with a loud voice that God has wrought a great work on him.

16. "And fell down on his face at His feet, giving Him thanks: and he was a Samaritan." Here is humility, gratitude, reverence and worship. Here is the proper place for every penitent sinner—"on his face, at Jesus' feet." And the proper place for every saved sinner who is teachable is "at the feet of Jesus, hearing His word" (chap. x, 39). The fact that this man was a Samaritan reminds us of the statement that "The Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans" (John iv, 9). But that, no doubt, refers to self righteous, moral, clean Jews. When a Jew found himself a leper, he saw himself no better than a Samaritan leper; they were all in the same sad case, with nothing to boast of but their leprosy, nothing to make one think himself better than another. A deep conviction of sin is one of the grandest things to take away all pride, and makes us see that in God's sight all are sinners together.

17. "And Jesus answering said, Were there not ten cleansed? but where are the nine?" Is it possible that with returning health there came also old prejudices and Jewish pride of birth, and as they saw this poor Samaritan glorifying God did they despise him as they kept on their way to their priests? It certainly looks that way.

18. "There are not found that returned to give glory to God, save this stranger." He came unto His own, and His own received Him not, but as many as received Him to them gave He the right or privilege to become the sons of God (John i, 11, 12). Out of all the multitudes upon whom He conferred healing of the body we are not told how many or how few truly received Him and gave glory to God, but when we remember that only about 120 of all those gathered in Jerusalem at the passover waited together for the baptism of the Holy Ghost (Acts i, 15) we are compelled to think that not even one in ten of the multitudes He healed ever became His true disciples. And as we read of "this stranger" alone returning to glorify God, are we not reminded of the Roman centurion of whom Jesus said, "Verily, I say unto you, I have not found so great faith, no, not in Israel." And of the woman of Tyre and Sidon to whom He said, "O woman, great is thy faith" (Matt. viii, 10; xv, 28).

19. "And He said unto him, Arise, go thy way; thy faith hath made thee whole." Or, as in the margin of the R. V., "Thy faith hath saved thee." Happy man! He has now not only a clean body, but a clean, blood washed soul. Oh! how much the others missed by their ingratitude.

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THE KISSING HABIT.

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Kisses that leave a memory enduring through after years,
Embodying love and tenderness, unfettered by doubts and fears.
It is on her baby's kisses the heart of the mother lives,
Lavishing on its rosebud mouth the love she so freely gives;
Wasting a wealth of tenderness that only a mother knows,
The past and future united in the kisses she bestows.

What is more blissful, tell me, than the kisses that love has blessed,
The kiss of a youth and maiden, his lips upon her lips pressed?
When they kiss for their love's sake only, simply its sweets to taste
And waken their throbbing pulses, in the luxury of waste,
Till they'd barter the world and its riches, think all well lost, for this—
To know the passionate sweetness that is merged in a lover's kiss,
One kiss that is longer than twenty, twenty than one more brief,
Making their lives all sunshine—unshadowed by dread or grief.

What is more sacred, tell me, than the kisses so softly pressed
On the lips of an aged mother by those her heart loves best?
Her children gathered about her, to woman and manhood grown,
The kiss of filial affection, hers always, and hers alone.
A mother's love of a lifetime, its devotion she deems repaid
In kisses of reverence holy, on her trembling lips thus laid;
They brighten and cheer her pathway that leads to eternal peace,
And comfort the heart so faithful, till its throbbings forever cease.

Say not kisses are out of fashion or that they have been tabooed;
Take back the sweeping assertion and all that the words include.
The kisses of sister and mother, the kisses of lovers true,
The kisses of father and brother, think what they may mean to you.'
—F. H. Curtiss in Good Housekeeping.

Death to Insects.

Professor Lintner, New York state entomologist, has made a microscopic examination of the insect collections of a single electric light, and estimates that the debris which he inspected represented 33,000 insects. As many of the smaller forms of insect life probably constituted the larger portion of those attracted to destruction by the light, he believes that the average number of insects destroyed in a night by a single electric light is nearly 100,000.

The larger portion of Professor Lintner's specimen collection from one light consisted of minute gnats, midges, crane flies and similar small two winged insects. No mosquitoes were discovered among the victims, as they are not attracted to the lights. There were, however, large numbers of plant bugs, which are injurious to vegetation, particularly of one small species of a handsome green gassid, which feeds upon our grasses. A number of the moths and one of the leaf rollers which have made such havoc in our fruit trees were found, as well as other species of the same family. Professor Lintner in speaking of his examination said:

"I was sorry to see quite a number of the beautiful gauze wings among the heaps of the slain, as their larvæ are the aphis lions, which aid in keeping down phides or plant lice."

"The electric light," to quote Professor Lintner, "will undoubtedly prove an active agent in the reduction of insect pests, and also furnish entomologists with many rare specimens and with many species never before seen."
—Cor. New York Sun.

Memorial to Wendell Phillips.

The proposition to erect in this city a memorial hall of such a size and character as to appropriately indicate the extent of Boston's veneration for one of her most eminent citizens—Wendell Phillips—will undoubtedly call forth a quick and generous response. It is the intention to dedicate the hall in 1893. The building is to be essentially a "Cooper institute" for Boston, with memorial features that will make it stand to the period it commemorates as Pilgrim hall and Forefathers' monument to the first settlement of New England and as Faneuil hall and Bunker Hill monument to the revolutionary era.

The work of collecting the necessary money is in the hands of a legally corporated body, of which Gen. Benjamin F. Butler is president and Gov. J. Q. A. Brackett is treasurer, with a representative and efficient board of directors. There is already quite an amount assured toward the building and the advisory board having the matter in charge is now moving to secure the additional means, with particular and immediate reference to money for the land on which the building is to be erected.—Boston Herald.

Technical.

The technical speech of people in various trades and callings has an interest for others than dictionary makers. Even the most uninviting vocations have a language which attracts by virtue of its individuality. The freshest illustration of what I mean comes in this form: "Aren't you going to have a new dress for the ball?" was the inquiry addressed to the wife of an undertaker. "I can't afford it," was the dispirited reply; "you know it's between seasons." "What do you mean?" "Why, the pneumonia season is over, and the cholera infantum season hasn't begun."—Christian Union.

A Free Gift.

Mrs. Bibbs—See here! Why are you unloading all those shingles in front of my door? We haven't ordered any.

Driver—No, mum. They comes wid the compliments of the neighbors. You see, folks thinks from the way your boy acts that you can't afford to buy any.—New York Weekly.

Ask Your Friends About It.

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CURIOUS MAINE FISHING.

Nearly 200,000 Squirming Little Alewives Are Captured in a Day.

Damariscotta Mills, a small village about midway from the cities of Bath and Rockland, is one of the busiest places in Maine during the last of May and the first part of June. The cause of this unusual activity is the appearance of that migratory fish, the alewife.

I am informed that nowhere in the New England states are there as many of that kind of fish captured as here. There have been taken from the stream in one day upward of 200,000, and 150,000 in a day is not a rare catch.

This bony fish generally makes itself visible from May 1 to May 10 annually, and the run lasts about three weeks. There are three streams issuing out of the Damariscotta lake from a fall of sixty feet, and in these streams are arranged stout locks for the reception of the fish.

The fish come from the sea up the Damariscotta river, thence into a large bay, where on a bright sunny day millions of them may be seen "schooling," preparatory for making a run for the stream. Upon their arrival within the locks they are taken out of the water in dip nets and thrown into large square boxes—called traps—holding from 3,000 to 5,000, and then sold to the "smackers" for fifty cents a hundred, and carried by them in hods holding 200 to their carts to be transported to the smoke houses.

The hods are made from flour barrels by sawing off about one-third of the top and nailing two poles, one on each side, with cleats of board connecting to strengthen them. During a pleasant day, when there is a large run and a good many "countrymen," as the boys call them, are in, it is very amusing to watch the barefoot urchins follow up the hods to pick up the squirming fish as they flop off to the ground.

Two or three of these young Americas will be after one hod at a time, and the way they'll scramble to pick up the fallen fish will make the most sedate dyspeptic laugh, for they'll push, punch and fight like two dogs after a bone, stringing them on their fingers as fast as they gather them in. The young kids will stock more than 1,000 in this way some days, with the assistance of purloining a few from the traps and carts of the countrymen.

The smokers do not buy all of the fish, however; the surplus is sold to a Boothbay Harbor firm, which has a large salting and packing platform about 150 yards from the fishways.

Wooden aqueducts in which there is running water are erected, and connect the fishways with the packing establishment. The surplus fish are thrown into these aqueducts, and carried by the water to the packing platform, landing on a large wooden strainer, where they are salted and packed in barrels.

A barrel of salted alewives brings from $3.50 to $6 in the market, and the fish are, I am informed, shipped to Africa; also South America.

The smoking of the alewife is another process. As soon as they arrive at the smoke house the fish are placed in tubs holding 1,000, salted, and remain in that state usually three or four days, according to the temperature of the weather, after which they are washed and strung on sticks holding from 10 to 12 in number, and then hung on poles placed in the upper part of the house. Large holes are dug in the earth (there is no floor in the smoke house), around which large stones are placed, a fire is built out of logs and banked with sawdust, and the alewife is now prepared to receive its red coat in a few days.

When ready for market the first fish bring as high as $2 a hundred, but later in the season get down as low as 75 and 80 cents.—Cor. Boston Herald.

The Omnipotence of the Spoils System.

From the second election of Jackson, in 1832, down to the present time the doctrine that "public office is a party prize" has been the controling factor in the administration of the national government. The limited and imperfectly executed civil service act, so far as its effect on the great body of the common people is concerned, constitutes no exception. Every boy of 15 who hurrahed because his father voted for Jackson in 1832 had, if alive at the election in 1888, passed the age of threescore and ten. Every voter who cast a ballot in 1832 and lived to cast one in 1888 was then 77 or more years old. Even among this little band of aged men the administration of government upon any other plan was but a dim reminiscence of boyhood. Practically they were in the same condition as their younger fellow citizens.

The people of the United States, then, have no practical knowledge of any other method of administering government. The spoils system is like one of those customs which the common law declares equivalent to a statute, "a custom so old that the memory of man runneth not to the contrary." It is a part of the unwritten law, an unexpressed but understood provision of the constitution. It is interwoven with all their modes of political thought; it intermingles with all their motives of political action.—Walter M. Ferriss in Forum.

Salmon P. Chase's Industry.

No one can succeed without great labor. The question of men achieving prominent positions in the service of the country without hard work was the subject of a conversation engaged in by some old citizens of Columbus, and among the number was one who had served the state in the field and in the councils of the national congress. He maintained that no one could rise to eminence without putting to use all time at his command and employing himself as faithfully as if engaged in a profession or trade. He cited the case of Salmon P. Chase, and in his reference to this great man said the famous chief justice led a very simple and regular life. He was systematic and methodical in his habits. For many years it was his habit to rise at 6 o'clock in the summer and 7 o'clock in the winter.

Before he ate his breakfast he usually took a walk, returning home in time to meet his family at morning prayers. The breakfast hour was 8 o'clock, during which he conversed with his family and looked over the newspapers. At 9 o'clock he was ready for his private secretary in his library. Here he spent an hour in reading and dictating letters. At 10 o'clock he went to the Capitol and took his seat on the bench at 11 o'clock. Here he worked until 3 o'clock in the afternoon. After the adjournment he walked home and ate his lunch, which was nearly always crackers and tea. Then he worked on his opinions until 6 o'clock, when the big meal of the day was served. This meal was not like the one of the present day, but consisted of only three courses and dessert. After dinner he would amuse himself by some simple game of cards, but more often chess. At 8 o'clock he was at work again, which lasted far into the night.—Columbus (O.) Journal.

Eccentric Artemus Ward.

"I first met Artemus Ward in 1858," said J. Minor Griswold, the lecturer. "He was at that time city editor of The Cleveland Plaindealer. Ward was a long, lanky young man, with one eye and a hatchet face. He was then known as Charles Brown, but when he became famous he added an 'e' to his name. I think he was the most eccentric man I ever met, and his fear of death amounted to a monomania. He would get up in the night, disturbed by an awful fear of death, and wander around the house half clothed. I remember his knocking at my door at 3 o'clock one morning and asking if I thought that Shakespeare would have made a good city editor.

"Ward had a habit of guying everybody he met. Even his intimate friends were not safe from this habit. One evening we attended a country school exhibition together. The play was 'Pizarro.' In the course of the play one of the actors came upon the stage and exclaimed, 'How now, Gomez? On yonder hill we found an old Peruvian!'

"'He's right!' exclaimed Ward, leaning over toward me. 'I can recognize the old Peruvian by his bark.'

"On the way home Artemus wanted to drive the horse off the bank into the canal. He would have done so but for the fact that I grabbed the lines and prevented him from carrying out his design. He explained his action by saying that the horse was warm and needed cooling off."—New York Press.

Women as Talkers.

"Have you any idea how many words a person talks a minute?" said a stenographer. "There is so much individual difference," he went on, "that it is difficult to strike an average. But I should say that from 150 to 175 words per minute would be a fair average. A person who speaks 300 words a minute is talking very rapidly indeed. To give you some idea of the fearful rate of speed represented by 300 words in sixty seconds figure out how many columns of an ordinary newspaper would be needed to report an hour's talk with such a voluble speaker. You will find that such a talker, were the speech given in full, could fill from ten to twelve columns solid type. On an average, women talk faster than men. But there is little to commend in fast talking. If a person has anything worth saying, there is certainly time enough to say it well. It is a better art to be a good listener than a good talker. Silence and thought are inseparable. In business matters 'only fools and magpies prosper.'"—Detroit Free Press.

Betrayal.

The presence of children should serve to restrain any quarrelsomeness that parents may possess, and when it does not restrain it the parents generally have cause to regret their want of reserve.

A gentleman called at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Huffy, and their little daughter, 6 years old, answered the bell.

"Are you papa and mamma in?" he asked.

"Yes, but I'm afraid you can't see them," said the little girl.

"Why not?"

"Oh, they're having a scene upstairs!"—Exchange.

VAN FRESHLEIGH'S TALE OF WOE.

A Young and Innocent Girl Destroys All His Chances for Happiness.

The moment that Chappie Van Freshleigh entered the club rooms of the Society for the Promotion of Veracity you could see that something was the matter with him. The mustache, that pride of his life, the one goal in the wild whirl for fame he has managed to kick, was all wrinkled, and looked as if it hadn't been pressed for weeks. There was an ugly bag at his knees. In fact Chappie looked all broke up. He sat down, sullenly smoking cigarettes. He rang for a waiter, who brought him a bowl of hot water. Then he took his watch out and put the back of it into the hot water, and in a few moments a little round photograph was in the cuspidore and Chappie had taken a second photograph from his vest pocket, had gently licked the back, and had stuck it to the back of his watch. Then he went on smoking. Clarence De Peyster, who had been watching him, grew every minute more nervous. He placed his hand on Chappie's shoulder.

"What's mattah, dear boy?" he asked.

"Girl. Remember Miss Anita Peachblow. Pretty southern girl met on steamer. Howwid deceiver! Have a cigawette.

"'Member Miss Anita? Pretty little thing. Venus five foot high. Lips red as Pontet Canet. Built like a what-do-you-call-it, one of them things you blow to find out what time it is. Girl of my heart. Loved her passionately. So innocent, so unsophisticated, above the vulgar slang of the girl of the period. Became engaged. Take another cigawette. Just to see how she would like it took her to see ball game. Knew I'd be bothered all to death with questions, but wasn't prepared. Second inning, Buck at the bat. Hit a ball, rolled foul. Heard some one say, 'Rank.' Buck got first base. Some one called Buck a good boy. Buck chased for second. Got there—great slide. Somebody said, 'Yi, yi.'

"Buck ran for third. Great chorus of shouts. Some one said, 'Play ball,' and 'You've got to slide,' and then when ball went over third baseman's head same somebody yelled like mad, and I could feel the moisture from the tears of joy somebody was shedding. Buck came on to home. Third baseman picked up ball, threw it, catcher caught it. Umpire said out. Somebody yelled 'Rank!' again and helped cheer Buck when he kicked. All time girl at side seemed awfully quiet. Not a word. Looked round to ask if she was tired. Saw her down in front, yelling in voice of same somebody cheering Buck, howling 'Rank!' and offering to 'wipe the earth up with the umpire for a two cent postage stamp. Waving umbrella in air excited——. Exeunt delusions. Break off engagement. Howwid deceiver. Have a cigawette?"—New York Sun.

Baptizing and Branding Slaves.

We were seated on the veranda of the residence smoking when there arrived a Catholic priest and an assistant, who passed on to the inclosure. Shortly after came a wagon filled with clothing, and being curious to witness anything else connected with the negroes I followed. Inside the inclosure the negroes were drawn up in rows. Their brands were examined, and they were separated into lots representing each mark. The priest, assisted by his young man, passed along in front, the young man registering the name the priest had given each as they were baptized.

As the priest finished one lot they were at once furnished, the women with a sort of loose gown of coarse cotton cloth and the men with a long shirt and then sent off in different directions. Dinner being called we returned to the residence. After dinner I returned to the inclosure, but there was not a negro there, and visiting the fields with the proprietor I did not see one that I thought had made the voyage with us. Don S. B—— said that there were but twenty-five of the new arrivals on his plantation, the others having been delivered to the planters who had already contracted for them, paying $350 for each.—George Howe, M. D., in Scribner's.

Wrestling with Spelling.

Not long ago a citizen of Austin had a small house to rent, and he got a paint brush and a board and hung out a sign reading: "To Wrent." Everybody who passed by had a smile at the orthography; but it was three or four days before the owner ventured to ask of a butcher:

"Say, what on earth makes everybody grin at the sign?"

"Why, it's the spelling that gets 'em!"

It was explained that the word "Wrent" was not exactly in accordance with Webster's "latest," and the speller went away mumbling:

"Well, if they are so very particular about it I can change it." And he did. Within two hours there was a new sign reading: "Two Let."—New York Ledger.

Secretary Proctor takes his advice as to how to run the war department from army officers and civilian employes who have had years of experience. His private secretary is a young man in the department who was brought from Vermont and who is yet very new to public life.

Charles H. Fairbanks, a photographer of Adrian, Mich., is able to converse fluently in twenty languages, and yet he has difficulty at times in making it clear to the infant that he is not going to shoot its head off when about to take its picture.

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It is said that France was about to claim its pre-emption right to the Congo over Belgium, when King Leopold's action decided the Ministry to abandon any such claim, and thus avoid a cause of serious dispute in the future.

"Penelope," said the Boston mother, "tell me truly, did Charles kiss you last night?" "There was a slight labial juxtaposition as Charles took his leave, mother, but I assure you it was only momentary, and therefore innocuous."

When Feeling "Out of Sorts"

Is a common expression, indicating a slight derangement, usually of the nerves, though it is difficult, sometimes, to locate the exact seat of the complaint. It may be taken for granted, however, that the blood needs to be invigorated, and that a bottle or two of **Ayer's Sarsaparilla** would soon restore the system to its normal condition.

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"My wife has been in poor health for a long time. After having tried almost all the medicines prominently advertised, I bought Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which has proved its superiority to all others by producing a marvelous improvement in her health."—Lorenzo S. Ruggles, Auburn, Me.

"Last winter, in consequence of overwork, my system became very much disordered. I suffered from debility, loss of appetite, and indigestion; was nervous, troubled with

Sleeplessness,

lost flesh rapidly, and, before the winter was over, manifested every symptom of a decline. Early in May I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and seemed to improve from the first dose. I continued using this medicine, regularly, for nearly two months, at the end of which time my weight had increased over twenty pounds, and I was in perfect health."—William N. Bowker, Erie, Pa.

"Through the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla by the younger members of my family, I believe, and so do they, that their health has been improved. It has also made their complexions clearer through its effects on the blood. This is the simple truth, and it may gratify you to hear it. I have no hesitation in recommending Ayer's Sarsaparilla either in public or private."—Morris Phillips, Editor *The Home Journal*, New York City.

"About two years ago I was prostrated with nervous debility, so that I was hardly able to do anything. Nothing did me any good. Finally, I tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and was soon restored to health."—J. B. Mohn, Shiloh, Ohio.

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Discouraged.

I read Ayer's Almanac, and thought, if Ayer's Sarsaparilla helped others, it would me. I took it, and it did all that is claimed for it, and has permanently restored my health. I take every opportunity to tell those who are afflicted, of my cure."—James R. Tyng, Lithographer, 27 and 29 Ann st., New York.

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"Some time ago I found my system entirely run down. I had a feeling of constant fatigue and languor and very little ambition for any kind of effort. A friend advised me to

Try

Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which I did with the best results. It has done me more good than all other medicines I have ever used."—Frank Mellows, 162 Broadway, Chelsea, Mass.

"I have none but good words to speak regarding Ayer's Sarsaparilla. All during the winter I was languid, tired, and without any appetite, until I commenced the use of this remedy. I took three bottles, but did not think it was in the power of medicine to produce such a wonderful change, as

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saparilla has in my case."—Mrs. C. Johnson, 310 Hicks st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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"Hold It to His Nose."

An English medical man who was sent out to Bulgaria to look after the health of English workmen on a railway had occasion to take a few stitches in the eyelid of his horse. To secure quiet on the part of his dumb patient he proposed to administer chloroform, and called upon one of the engineers to assist him. The result of the experiment is told by the assistant:

"It was settled that we should take the horse into a shed thickly strewn with hay, and that I should administer the chloroform. This was quickly done, or rather commenced. The chloroform was poured on a thick cloth, and I held it to the horse's nose. At first he objected and tossed his head, but presently a contented look came over his face and he stood stock still.

"At this I said, 'It's all right, doctor; get ready, he will soon be off.' To which the doctor replied, 'I am rather astonished that he has not gone through the excited stage.'

"Just as he said this the horse gave a sudden plunge which knocked me over on my back in the hay, and then he commenced the most eccentric unhorse-like proceedings. He sat up on his tail and tried to reach the roof with his feet. Failing in this he jumped up and rushed into the corner, where he did his best again and again to run up the wall, tumbling over on his back at each attempt. Then he tried to put his head through between both his front and his hind legs, and so went head over heels forward.

"I bolted, but will it be believed that the unfeeling doctor held the door against me, and only answered to my entreaties to be let out, 'Hold it to his nose! hold it to his nose! Look sharp and hold it to his nose!" and when at last I succeeded in bursting the door open and making my escape I was greeted with contemptuous looks and words!

"A Rarey might have liked the situation. I am not a Rarey, and was very cautious how I went up to the beast, even after he had got over his flurry and stood stock still, looking very much astonished, as well he might."—Youth's Companion.

The Original Buffalo Bill.

There is probably no better known name throughout the entire length and breadth of this country than that of Buffalo Bill, and there are but few who do not know that William F. Cody is the bearer of the title. Mr. Cody, however, is not the original Buffalo Bill. There is nothing underhanded nor illegitimate in his bearing it. He is fully entitled to it, but, for all that, he comes by it second handed. The original Buffalo Bill is now living, an aged, wealthy, prominent and highly respected citizen and the president of a savings bank at Wichita, Kan. His name is William Matthewson. He is high up in the order of Oddfellows.

Years ago Mr. Matthewson was a bold frontiersman on the plains, engaged in hunting and trapping for a living. He supplied the forts in Kansas and Nebraska with buffalo, and his success in this work was so great that he was given the title of Buffalo Bill. During this time he engaged a boy to work for him, and the lad was so diligent and faithful that he remained in Matthewson's employ until the latter quit the business to settle down to a more quiet life. As a reward the employer turned over the hunting contracts to the employe, who then followed in his late master's footsteps. That he was successful, that he earned honor, fame and wealth for himself cannot be denied when it is told that his name is William F. Cody. With the business rights he was given the title his former employer had borne. The world knows he has kept it bright and that neither stain nor tarnish has touched it.—Chicago Herald.

The Winds of the Mediterranean.

The winds of this sea, though generally regular and periodical, have local characteristics which give rise to various names: "The Birazones of the southeast coast of Spain; the Vent de Bize, or Mistral, of the southern French coast; the Raffiche of Corsica and other mountainous islands; the Gregale of Sardinia and Malta; the Saffanto and Bora of the Adriatic; the Tramontana, generally over the Levant, and the Levanters and Sirocco of the whole Mediterranean." In strong contrast to the frequent blasts of the well known Sirocco are the calms of this deep sea, the bonaccia of the Italian mariner, which in the days before the advent of steam compelled a loitering and weary voyage.—J. N. Hallock in Christian at Work.

Value of Soapstone.

A writer in a London journal calls attention to the unappreciated uses and preservative qualities of soapstone, a material, he says, which possesses what may be regarded as extraordinary qualities in withstanding atmospheric influences, those, especially, which have so much to do with the corrosion of iron and steel, and from experiments made it is said that no other material is capable of taking hold of the fiber of iron and steel so readily and firmly as this. In China soapstone is largely used in preserving structures built of sandstone and other stones liable to crumble from the effect of atmosphere; and the covering with powdered soapstone in the form of paint, on some of the obelisks in that country, composed of stone liable to atmospheric deterioration, has been the means of preserving them intact for hundreds of years.

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A highly circumstantial story has been in circulation, describing how Congressman Morgan of Mississippi, in order to relieve himself from the ban under which the Farmers' Alliance places all lawyers, had had his license as a lawyer annulled. Mr. Morgan denied the whole story on Monday in the House, and it is rather pleasant to know that he had not been guilty of so abject a surrender.

The Democratic papers seem to be highly delighted with the courage of a raging Bourbon from Arkansas who, in the absence of Speaker Reed from the Chair, devoted himself to a tirade of abuse against him. It was a characteristic performance, gauging pretty accurately the character of Arkansas civilization and the standards of the Democratic party.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.05, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.44, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.05, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 6.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.22, 10.21, 11.24 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.51, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.35, *9.40, 10.10, 11.45, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.23, 8.50, 9.23, 9.50, 10.23, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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34	Junction Cambridge and Lexington Sts.
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The Woburn Journal

NEATLY TRAPPED.

A PRIMA DONNA'S ADVENTURE.

Madame Pauline Lucca usually resides in the Victoria Strasse, Berlin. Last spring, however, she occupied temporarily, at some distance outside the city, a country house consisting only of one spacious rambling story, surrounded by a verandah.

One night about 10 o'clock she was sitting there in a bedroom. Her chair was placed before her toilet table, which was lighted by a wax taper on each side of the glass. The two tapers were not sufficient to illuminate the room very brilliantly, and the farther end lay buried in a sort of semi-obscurity.

Madame Lucca was busy reading some letters concerning engagements, when suddenly she imagined she heard a noise. She looked round, but seeing nothing, concluded she had made a mistake, and resumed the perusal of the letters. She had forgotten the noise when she heard it again.

This time, instead of looking round, she happened, without moving her head, merely to raise her eyes to the glass. She beheld reflected in it the face of a man peering cautiously from out a cupboard behind her.

At first she fancied she was dreaming. She quietly looked again. No, it was no dream. There was a man, whom she now recognized as having been formerly in her service, whence he had been discharged for general bad behavior. She had also suspected him of purloining several objects which she had missed from time to time but not being certain on that point, she had kept her suspicions to herself. Yes, there he was, there could be no mistake.

Madame Lucca's first impulse was to start up and give the alarm. But there was not another habitation within a mile or two, and she recollected that the only person besides herself in the house was her maid, who, though a very good girl and extremely attached to her mistress, was by no means celebrated for her nerve. The other servants, including the gardener and coachman, had been granted permission to attend a friend's wedding, some few miles off, and were not to return until the next day.

It flashed across her mind that the man who, as she knew, had been loitering about the neighborhood for two or three days, had learned that she would be alone, and meant to rob the house, and perhaps murder her, if his project of robbery could not be executed without the perpetration of the greater crime.

What was to be done? Again she glanced toward the mirror. The eyes were still there, glaring on her through the gloom. All at once she remembered that a revolver belonging to her husband, the Baron von Rhaden, ought to be lying on a shelf in the dining-room, but she was not sure. "If it is there, and I could only get it," she thought, "I should not mind!" While she was reflecting, a knock was heard on the door of the room. She saw the dark man instantly draw back into the cupboard and close it after him. She felt relieved that those two horrible eyes were taken off her; they seemed to pierce her like daggers.

"Come in," she said. Her maid entered.

"I thought you had gone to bed," observed Madame Lucca, in a tone of unconcern.

"I was going, please your ladyship—but I—I thougot you might perhaps want something."

"I told you I would be my own lady's maid to-night. No, the only thing I want is to stretch my limbs a little, for they are cramped from long sitting."

Speaking thus, Madame Lucca arose with an air of admirably acted indifference and took a turn or two across the room, passing close to the cupboard as she did so. She afterward declared she thought she could hear the man breathe in his place. He, on his part, might have heard her heart beat when, on looking at the keyhole, she found that the key had been removed. She was foiled in her plan, which had been to lock him in. Still her presence of mind did not desert her.

"Ah, dear me!" she said, yawning. "I feel very sleepy."

"Sleepy, your ladyship! I wish I did," replied the maid. "I don't feel sleepy. I am too frightened."

"Frightened! What are you frightened of, you foolish girl? Nonsense!" replied Madame Lucca.

"O! begging your ladyship's pardon it is not nousense, and that's just it. How can you be sure that some villain, some good-for-nothing fellow, hearing that you and I are alone in the house, may not murder us in our beds? But he shan't murder me in mine; for, with your ladyship's permission, I will sit up all night in your ladyship's easy chair."

Madame Pauline Lucca glanced at the cupboard.

Her blood ran cold. She dared not give her maid the slightest hint of the real state of matters; she felt the girl would go into a fit then and there, and thus bring on a crisis. Scarcely knowing what she was doing, Madame Lucca replied at random:

"Murder us? What for?"

"What for, your ladyship? Why, for your money—for your jewels, to be sure; nearly everybody knows you have plenty of them." The girl must have been unconsciously sharpening, so to speak, the knife by which she and her mistress were doomed to die.

"What absurdity!" said Madame Lucca, with a forced laugh. As she spoke her eyes wandered from the key-hole of the dreaded cupboard to that of the adjoining room. In the latter there was a key. Her face flushed, and a smile, as it were, of proud inspiration lighted up though only for a second.

"Jewels?" she replied. "Why, every one with a particle of sense must know that I would not take them about with me as a rule. They, of course, are generally safe under lock and key at Berlin. It is a strange thing, though that today is an exception. I expected the Countess Von Wartenstein to call, and I brought down all the jewels presented to me at my last visit to St. Petersburg, to show her."

"Your ladyship did! Oh, but supposing a thief——"

"Well, if a thief did know it he might easily make his fortune," she observed, interrupting her companion.

"By murdering us, and running off with the jewels."

Madame Lucca glanced at the cupboard; then raising her voice, she continued:

"Oh! there would be no necessity for murder. The door which leads from that room to the garden is unlocked; I forgot to lock it. A thief would merely have to walk in from the garden, and take my jewel-case from the table near the window. He might make his escape richer by 60,000 or 70,000 thalers, and never be detected. That's better than murdering people, is it not?"

"Oh, yes—your ladyship. And he might get over to England or America."

"Nothing easier," replied Madame Lucca. "However that reminds me, may as well lock the door leading into the garden. Run to the dining-room. You'll find the key on the table. Do not be long."

"No, your ladyship, I will not. Trust me for that."

"Editha! Editha!" cried Madame Lucca, an instant afterwards, "I have made a mistake. The key is on the baron's study table. Pshaw! she does not hear me," she continued, speaking aloud. "I must go and get it myself."

With these words she left the room. No sooner had she done so than the door of the cupboard cautiously opened. A man put his head out and glanced round. Perceiving no one, he darted into the adjoining chamber. The next instant the door was shut and locked behind him. But not by him. By Madame Lucca. When she left the room she did not proceed two paces; she stood outside listening. As she was in the darkness, she could, without being visible herself, see all that was passing in her bed chamber. She beheld the stranger leave his hiding place and dart into the adjoining room. She glided after him with the steathiness of a tigress and the courage of a heroine. The reader knows what followed.

"Caught!" she cried, running across the room with the key in her hand.

"I can't find any—" began Editha, entering the chamber. But Madame Lucca, pushing her on one side, disappeared. Editha looked after her with mute astonishment, and remained as though rooted to the spot, till her mistress re-entered, revolver in hand.

"Oh! your ladyship, what's that?" inquired her maid, with a strong presentiment that all was not right.

"The Baron's revolver, thank goodness!" replied Madame Lucca.

"Why thank goodness, your ladyship?" inquired the maid.

Madame Lucca pointed to the door. Some one on the other side was turning the handle. Editha turned deadly pale, and dropped the lamp she was carrying. Presently there was a knocking, and a voice exclaimed:

"Open the door directly, or—"

The rest was inaudible. Editha's screams drowned all else. Madame Lucca waited until the girl's first stock of breath was exhausted, and her second not yet arrived; she then said with comic severity:

"Editha, if you are not quiet, I will begin by shooting you."

Editha thought apparently, that her mistress was in earnest, for the poor girl immediately rammed a large portion of the nearest towel into her mouth and restricted herself to swaying to and fro and sobbing violently. The knocking recommenced, but the door was massive and immovable.

"My friend," cried Madame Lucca, in a loud voice, "you are caged. The garden door is fastened as tightly as this one, and the window is secured. Do not attempt to open the latter, for I am going into the garden, and the instant that I see you trying to escape, you are a dead man."

Flinging open the door which led to the verandah, she went out, followed by Editha, who, in her despair had succeeded in pushing more of the towel into her mouth. The noise of a bolt being drawn was heard.

"Stand aside, my friend!" said Madame Lucca, "or you are a dead man."

A sharp report followed, accompanied by the sound of crashing wood and splintered glass.

"There! that is one barrel out of six. That is merely to show that I am armed. You had better remain quiet."

The visitor also was seemingly of this opinion, for he did not renew the attempt.

When the servants returned next morning they found Madame Lucca quietly reading under the verandah before the window. They were rather surprised, however, on perceiving that she had a six-barrelled revolver in her hand, and Editha with what appeared to be the end of a towel sticking out of her mouth. A few words explained the whole affair, and in about an hour afterwards the would-be-thief, who, as it was proved, would have been ready to turn assassin as well, was safely at the nearest police station.

"Talk of generalship," said my friend, as he concluded the story, "was not the stratagem of the jewels, by which Madame Lucca lured the thief in the room destined to be his dungeon, a magnificent idea? Moltke himself never did anything to beat that."—*Chatter.*

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Edison is a count, a millionaire and the most famous living inventor. His present wealth, which amounts to many millions, is as nothing compared to what it will be in the next few years, but he still works away in his laboratory, and comes forward to meet you in just such a suit of clothes as he wore twenty years ago. As compared with Edson's dingy little shop of twenty years ago, out at Menlo Park, in which he used to eat his bread and cheese seated on an old packing-box, talking over the work in hand with his two or three workmen, the present surroundings are fabulously luxurious. Everything shows unbounded means, which may be the case when we remember that his famous laboratory costs $200,000 a year to maintain. But the master mind is still the same. When he works it means work for his men. In the old days at Menlo Park it was no uncommon thing for him to remain at the bench for forty-eight hours at a stretch, sending one of the boys for crackers and cheese when he felt hungry, and not giving up until his assistants had actually fallen asleep standing up. To-day he is just as interested.—*Pittsburg Dispatch.*

Hold It To The Light.

The man who tells you confidentially just what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's Balsam to the light and look through it; notice the bright, clear look; then compare with other remedies. Price 50c. and $1.

Chief of Police Crowley of San Francisco, who has been at the head of the Police Department for eighteen years, says the Chinese there commit more crimes in proportion to their number than any other race, and are the most difficult of detection. They have no regard for the obligations of an oath and are becoming more vicious and immoral every year.

The birth rate in England and Wales has been decreasing ever since 1876. The last quarterly report shows no diminution, the rate being only about four per 1000 above the French average.

Few children can be induced to take physic without a struggle, and no wonder—most drugs are extremely nauseating. Ayer's Pills, on the contrary, being sugar-coated, are eagerly swallowed by the little ones, and are, therefore, the favorite family medicine.

Fashionable entertainment have been enormously extravagant in London this season. Several have cost between $30.000 and $40,000. The flowers for a bachelor party cost $5,000.

MUNROE'S
Clothing Store.

Bargains in SUMMER CLOTHING, including Alpaca and Seersucker Coats and Vests, Flannel Sacks, Cheviot and Flannel Shirts, Tennis Caps, Bicycle Hose and Supporters, Belts, Athletic Shirts, Summer Underwear, Hosiery, Neckwear, Straw Hats, &c.
Also, a new line of White Shirts with short bosoms, all sizes for stout men.

LARGE STOCK. LOWEST PRICES.

C. M. MUNROE,
423 MAIN STREET, WOBURN.
Woburn Laundry Agency.

A Mutual Company is one in which every dollar of assets, however acquired, is the property of the Policy-holders. Advantage claimed for

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

It is the only combined purely Mutual, All-cash company in the United States.
ASSETS $136,401,328.00.
Copies of the Twenty-year Distribution Policy, together with your contract with the company, will be furnished on application to the agent.

WEBSTER WOODMAN, Agent, 423 Main St., Woburn, Mass.

A Good Custom Dying Out.

The excellent custom of having the children and young people of our church to commit portions of Scripture and hymns to memory seems to have utterly died out. It is true they are asked for the golden text at Sabbath school, but even that is rarely ever thoroughly committed. It is more often read from the lesson paper. Some people discourage the practice, claiming that the child should not be filled with what it cannot understand and digest, etc. This is certainly a mistake. We fully believe the custom of having children commit portions of the Bible, and choice hymns of the church, to be wholesome mental discipline, as well as spiritually profitable. The youthful mind, stored with living truth so tersely expressed in the English Bible, has a storehouse of comfort to draw from in time of need.

These verses are the weapons of the Holy Spirit to combat Satan. Should misfortune or sickness overtake an individual whose mind is stored with precious truth, how comforting to have such to meditate upon, when perhaps his strength will not allow a friend to read to him! A man is frequently in situations where he has no reading, no one to converse with him, nothing but his own thoughts. How happy if, like David, he can have the truth of God to meditate upon in the watches of the night.—*New York Evangelist.*

They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Buss drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart.

The French and Italian artillery maneuvres this year took place near the boundary of the two countries, in Savoy. The officers met and fraternized, but as they had no leave to depart from their respective countries they set up a long table, one-half in France and the other half in Italy, with a red cord on the dividing line, and had a jolly good time and good dinner.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 30 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

A census taker at Danbury, Ct., encountered the wife of an Irish hod-carrier, who tried to conceal her husband's humble occupation by stating that he was an "ascender and descender."

"While We Have Time."

Once there was a man who had been made a minister, and he wanted to go as a missionary to some far off country, that he might teach poor heathen people all about the Lord Jesus Christ.

He was not very strong, and his friends were afraid he might soon die in the heathen land, which was hot and unhealthy, so they tried to persuade him to say at home.

He asked his physician how long he thought he might live in India.

"Perhaps," said the doctor, "you may live seven years."

"Then I will go," said he, "for in seven years, by God's help, I may do much work for him."

So he went, and, as he knew that his time must be short, he tried to spend every moment of it in serving God.

Even before he sailed away for India his friends used to call him "the man who never lost an hour," because he was so careful not to waste any of his precious time; but now he felt it to be still more precious.

In those seven years he did a great work for god indeed.

He preached to the poor heathen people and taught them about the Lord Jesus; and he wrote the prayer book and the new testament in their language so that they could read and understand it.—*Young Christian Soldier.*

"The great majority of people," writes President Eliot in his *Century* article, "even in the worst American towns and cities, live comfortably and hopefully." This is not new nor a startling truth, but it is a good deal of an acknowledgment to proceed from an avowed free trader. If President Eliot doesn't look out, somebody will be accusing him of treason to the Democratic party.

The camphor tree flourishes at Tampa, Fla., and its cultivation is said to be more profitable than any other business in the State. Camphor oil can be distilled at any season of the year, and the tree is not affected by heat or cold. It grows very rapidly. The process of distillation is very simple.

A new department store to be erected in Chicago will have a front of 190 feet on State street, 350 on Adams and 190 on Dearborn, will be sixteen stories high and will cost $3,000,000. It will be constructed of steel. The ground rental of the location is $154,000 per annum.

"Say, Bronson, lend me a fiver, will you?" "Why do you use slang, my dear fellow? Why do you say 'fiver?' Isn't the word nickel good enough for you?"

The Natural Bridge of Virginia has not been sold to Northern capitalists, as reported. It is held in trust for the benefit of the family of the Col. H. C. Parsons.

Both Better and Cheaper.

The Royal Baking Powder, as an actual fact, is the most economical in use of any made, because of its greatly superior strength.

Both the United States and Canadian Governments in the reports of their investigation of baking powders have published this fact officially.

The other baking powders known in this vicinity are shown by chemical tests to contain from 20 to 80 per cent. less leavening-gas than the Royal. So the Royal, even should it cost more than the others, would be much the cheaper.

In addition to this the superior flavor, sweetness, wholesomeness and delicacy of the food raised by Royal Baking Powder would make any difference in cost insignificant.

When the Royal makes finer and more wholesome food at a less cost, which every housekeeper familiar with it will affirm, why not discard altogether the old-fashioned methods of soda and sour milk, or home-made mixture of cream of tartar and soda, and use it exclusively?

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 1890

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

IT DIDN'T PAY.

The Peabody Press, like many other papers that have tried it, finds that a semi-weekly does not pay and will come out this week as an eight page weekly.—*Newton Graphic.*

To halve a good weekly, or to divide it up into six or seven daily parts and give it out to the public in instalments, cheapens it in public estimation and in reality, and in nine cases out of ten proves a disastrous operation for the publisher.

It is confidently predicted by the wisest in such matters that the Weekly is to be the coming newspaper. It stands higher and is considered more valuable now than 15 years ago, and it is rapidly regaining its old place in the good graces of the more enlightened classes.

To the sensational and unreliable character of the metropolitan daily and lack of literary and mechanical merit of their country imitators is largely due the change of sentiment in favor of the bright, well conducted, Weekly. The Weekly possesses more character, a more stable air, is more reliable as to the correctness of its news and views, and is also, when at its best, a more respectable appearing paper than the hastily and ofttimes carelessly made up city daily, and many fold more so than the daily productions which a very few country publishers are forever hankering after until the bautlings compass their financial ruin—and it is mainly because this is thus that men who think are firm in the conviction that the Weekly is destined to supplant, in the near future, the daily and become the principal public newsmonger as well as the true representative, if not the maker, of public opinion among the better and more intelligent classes of people everywhere.

HURRY UP, GENTLEMEN.

There are two important measures now pending before Congress which the Republicans want to see passed, and that too without any unnecessary delay. They are getting tired of waiting for that body to make a final move and put through the two measures referred to, namely, the Tariff and the Federal Election bills and unless some action to the purpose is taken at once members may hear something not to their advantage before a great while.

There is nothing to hinder the bills going through with a rush if the Republicans in Congress have only a mind to say so. The Democracy can't block their progress and the fact of their being held back is inexplicable on any other hypothesis than that a considerable member of Republicans of both branches do not want to have them passed.

It is by no means certain that either the Tariff or Election bill will be enacted this session, and quite certain that only one of them can be, at the best. This is not what the Republican members have been promising us all along, but within a week a change has come over the spirit of their dreams and they are not entirely sure that any thing at all can be done towards mending the tariff laws, or giving the country a wholesome satute on Federal Elections. There seems to be too many conflicting interests among the Republicans to render it any where near certain that the two bills named, or either one of them, will ever come to a vote.

THE 5TH DISTRICT.

Gen. Banks will be a candidate for re-election, while there is a general feeling among the Republicans of the District that a younger and more active man is necessary in order to save the District. But they are not agreed on any one, and it will be a hard thing to throw the General over. Yet many believe that his nomination means defeat. If he is re-nominated, whether elected or not, it will mean Gov. Brackett in 1892. If some one else is chosen this year, it will be either Mr. Hayden of Woburn or Col. Tower of Lexington.—*Boston Record.*

There are many prominent men in every town and city in the District who would like to be able to procure Mr. Hayden's consent to be returned to Congress, but the JOURNAL is able to say on the best of authority that he is "out of politics" permanently, and would not under any circumstances accept of the nomination this fall.

A TERRIBLE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

In another column of the JOURNAL may be found an abridged account of the frightful railroad accident which occurred near Quincy on the Old Colony last Tuesday afternoon in which 22 persons lost their lives and thirty more were injured. It was more fatal in its results than any that has happened in the vicinity of Boston since the Bussey Bridge one.

☞ It is with much surprise and equal pleasure that we learn from the North Anson (Me.) *Advocate* of the nomination of Hon. and ex-Rev. Joseph O. Barrett for Lieut. Governor of Minnesota by the Farmers Alliance of that State. As he had previously received a nomination for the same office from the Prohibition Party it looks as if our old schoolmate and fellow-townsman might possibly make connections and secure the seat; and if he should do so nobody would rejoice more heartily over his good fortune than the Editor of the JOURNAL. Barrett was cut out for leadership in parties, political and religious, made up of things uncommon, unique, bizarre, and not overly practical, and the unsolicited situation in which he finds himself out there in Minnesota must have enough of instability, impracticability, and "rainbow chasing" in it to fill his soul plum full of peace and joy and rest. We rather hope Hon. J. O. B. will be elected even if it should be at the expense of a defeat to our own political friends and messmates, for men of his integrity and ability are not put forward for high places in State councils any too often, and besides, Barrett is a worthy gentleman all the way up and down and would do honor to the exalted position for which he is stumping the State.

☞ The comparatively youthful but very vigorous Somerville *Citizen* is rapidly lengthening the gap between itself and its neighbor the Somerville *Journal*, and bids fair very soon to get so far ahead as to be entirely out of sight of it. About all that keeps the *Journal* afloat anyway is its alleged funny column which for laughter-provoking qualities is as doleful a failure as it is easy to concieve of. We are right glad to see the *Citizen* forge ahead and prosper as it has been doing for the last couple of years.

☞ The admirable oration delivered by Samuel W. McCall, Esq., at the great Winchester celebration last 4th of July has been issued in pamphlet form, a copy of which found its way to this office last Tuesday. The sender will please accept our thanks.

☞ We have lately received from the Home Market Club several valuable documents on the tariff question, including speeches by McKinley, Rice and Lawrence.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

F. B. Hiller—Cemetery.
J. G. Maguire—Tax List.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
E. E. Thompson—Probate.
C. I. Hood & Co.—Sarsaparilla.
Royal B. Powder Co.—Baking Powder.

— Mr. Francis A. Buckman is at home again.

— George Barker went to Delaware for his vacation.

— Miss Lucy Woodside's sub. is Miss Cora Lewis.

— Monday was a delicious day in point of weather.

— Mr. Warren N. Blake has gone on a visit to Pittston.

— Edward V. Pinkham has been visiting old friends here.

— Mrs. Fred E. Soles went down to Provincetown last week.

— Mrs. H. B. Clewley visited Marblehead Neck last week.

— Adian Bancroft of Ohio was visiting friends here last week.

— Mr. Alvah Buckman and wife got back from the beach last week.

— Rev. H. C. Townley will preach at the Baptist Church next Sunday.

— W. S. Fetridge has gone to Portville, N. Y. He has a good job there.

— Mrs. Hannah Bellows of Sterling Junction has been staying with friends here.

— Eugene Poole has entered the employ of a large Boston business house.

— Mrs. Maria R. Bickford of the Highlands and her mother are at Saratoga.

— Mr. E. G. Clough expects to close up his Marblehead Neck outing this week.

— Mrs. E. F. Johnson was a guest at the Monument Beach House a few days since.

— It is rumored that Labor Day will be allowed to go by here without a celebration.

— Mr. Edward F. Bryant of Illinois is in this city.

— The Sweetser fire was caused by a defective flue.

— How many people are drowned, accidentally or designedly, in Horn Pond every year!

— Capt. Nigel d'Oyle of San Jose, Cal., and wife are visiting the Goddards in this city.

— Mr. D. A. Duncan and wife of Jersey City are visiting Mr. John Duncan on Canal street.

— Officer McDermott is in charge of Police Station No. 1 during the absence of Chief McIntosh.

— Walter D. Richardson and wife of Oil City have been enjoying the society of friends here.

— Chief of Police McIntosh and lady are expected to arrive home from the Provinces tomorrow.

— The Editor of the *Daily Enterprise* of Marlboro made the JOURNAL office a call last Tuesday.

— Leon F. Parkhurst and James A. Ordway went to Asbury Park, N. J., for a visit a few days ago.

— Clarence H. Leathe is enjoying his vacation—and we would tell where only he skips about so.

— Capt. W. H. Mathews, one of Uncle Samuel's trusted servants, and wife are away on vacation.

— Miss Mamie Moore, daughter of Mr. Tom Moore, is having a delightful time at Salisbury, N. H.

— Last Tuesday morning Clarence T. Pierce left here for a trip to the White Mts. Lake George, etc.

— Auctioneer Gregory has returned from his vacation and is ready to resume business at the old stand.

— Mrs. William Hill and her daughter Avis have returned from their summer home near Gloucester.

— At this hour (4 P. M., Aug. 21) City Treasurer's condition is considered considerably more hopeful.

— Mss. Robert Duncan and Mrs. William Patterson were recently registered at the Flood Cottage, Nahant.

— Master Raymond W. Aldrich and Gladys F. Aldrich were guests at the St. Cloud, Hull, a few days ago.

— According to the measurement of Mr. Elijah Wyman 1 inch of rain fell Tuesday night and Wednesday morning.

— Mr. Sullivan Simonds was 88 years old last June and has few if any seniors in this city. He is hale and hearty.

— Harry Hartwell is expected home from Nutting's Pond in Billerica, where he has been camping out, tomorrow.

— Lieut. William J. Brown is wearing the U. S. uniform and delivering mail this week in place of one of the regulars.

— A communication from "Fair Play" concerning the Winchester postoffice will appear in these columns in due time.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade attended the National Association of Cemetery Commissioners held in Boston last Tuesday.

— The family of Mr. E. J. Gregory will remain a week or two longer at Salisbury, N. H. They like there very much.

— Fred Bartlett, Fred Winn and Harry Marion (Burlington) have returned from their camping expedition in Billerica.

— The Duncan Leather Mf'g Co. have sunk a well for a water supply and will not use the city water—so the *Globe* says.

— Mr. J. Henry Symonds and family and Mr. William P. Symonds and family are at Duxbury on Massachusetts Bay.

— Miss E. Gertrude Lang who is spending her vacation at North Conway, N. H., is expected home this week Saturday.

— The Fair of the Boston Mechanic Charitable Association to be held through Oct. and Nov. will be one of the best ever held.

— Miss Mabel A. Norris of Academy Hill will enjoy the scenes on and about Salisbury Beach for the next two or three weeks.

— Leather manufacturing is looking up smartly in this city. The bosses have all they can do and are getting good prices for leather.

— Mr. A. A. Fowle, Managing Editor of the Boston *Globe*, and family are living with Mrs. Munn on Pleasant street just at present.

— Mrs. Lockard has returned to her home in Michigan after a visit of six weeks with her father, Mr. B. B. Brown, and friends in this city.

— Mr. E. A. Lounsbury, ex-Master of the Cummings School, will probably enter Harvard Law School at an early day. Law is to be his profession.

— At 2 o'clock, Wednesday next, Aug. 27, Auctioneer Gregory will sell the household furniture of Matthew Henchy, at No. 14 Sturgess street.

— It is pleasant to see Mr. Walter Wyman on the streets again after a long illness. For a man 85 years old Mr. Wyman is very smart and active.

— Miss Lottie Wyman, Assistant City Treasurer, has returned from a pleasant visit at Antrim, N. H., and is at her post in Municipal Building once more.

— It is reported that the Johnston Electric Company at the old Sun Company building are having more orders for their electric Train Signal than they can fill.

— Sparrow Horton represents some of the best insurance companies in the country. It would be a good plan to give him a call when looking after fire insurance.

— The Republicans of this city will hold caucuses in the several wards to choose delegates to the State and other conventions on Wednesday evening, Sept. 10, next.

— Lightning struck and totally used up a 50-year old apple tree on the Richardson place corner of Main and Ash street during the heavy storm on Tuesday night.

— J. Grafton Murdock is with the boys at Sebago Lake, Me., and a right good time they are having. Wobegon Camp is a jolly home and the boys are first class cooks.

— The Republican who would poll as many votes and make as good Mayor as any man in his party is E. E. Thompson, Esq., President of the Common Council.

— Mrs. Dr. Sheppard, formerly Mrs. Eckley Stearns, of Plainfield, N. J., has been visiting Mrs. William M. Rand and Charles E. Cooper in this city the past week.

— Judge Converse will resume the "judicial ermine" on Sept. 1. Judge Littlefield of Winchester is presiding at the Fourth Middlesex District Court in the mean time.

— From 9, p. m. Sunday to 8, a. m. Monday there occurred a very refreshing rain. It began with a brisk thunder storm after an intensely hot day. Monday was cooler.

— Col. W. T. and Mr. Samuel A. Grammer entertained relatives by the name of Grammer and others during G. A. R. week. Some of them were from as far away as Illinois.

— Dr. Frank Graves would, on no account, go into a fight for the Mayoralty nomination, and it is very doubtful indeed if he would accept the honor under any circumstances.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave a most excellent open-air concert on the Common last Wednesday evening. They will give another and the last of the season on the evening of Sept. 3.

— John G. Maguire, Esq., went to Lewiston, Me., last Wednesday in response to a business summons. He will return to-morrow to Salisbury, N. H., where his family are now stopping.

— The family of Mr. F. B. Dodge, the jeweler, are still at the Sea Shore House, Old Orchard, and expect to remain there a couple of weeks longer. Mr. Dodge will go down again next Sunday.

— Mr. Cyrus H. Mentzer of Lexington street entertained in the most hospitable manner during the Encampment week George Allen of Northboro, formerly a member of Co. C., 24th Mass. Volunteers.

— Mr. A. C. Wheeler of Colfax, Iowa, and his sister Mrs. Rufus R. Whitten, met for the first time in 40 years last week. Mr. Wheeler went West in 1850, and went to war in the 67th Indiana Inft.

— One car on the East Middlesex goes straight to the Soldiers Home in Chelsea each trip. This is a nice, handy arrangement for which Supt. Wentworth is entitled to the thanks of the Woburn people.

— Comrade James F. Lillie of Orwell, Vt., who served in the War of the Rebellion in Co. H. 5th Vermont Regiment, was an esteemed guest of Mr. John Duncan at his residence on Canal street last week.

— The Red Men will hold a picnic at Shady Side Grove, Haggett's Pond, Andover, on Sept. 1, Labor Day. It will be a union one composed of several neighboring Councils in which the Woburn one is included.

— Dr. H. E. Chase, Woburn's popular dentist, has leased the appartments owned and formerly occupied by Dr. Dodge at 391 Main street and will remove his dental office to that place about September 1.

— Mr. William P. Symonds, reporter on *The Cabinet*, Boston, who recently married Miss Simonson, an estimable young lady formerly of Woburn, has gone to housekeeping in a pleasant residence in the Highlands.

— Mrs. Maria Welch of Cleveland, Ohio, one of the persons injured in the great Quincy railroad accident last Tuesday afternoon, was before her marriage Miss Oliphant and lived here in Woburn. Her son James was also hurt.

— Hall & Jaquith, proprietors of the Main street grain mill and feed establishment, have arranged to employ electricity for a motor to run their machinery with. They are doing a big business which is all the time increasing.

— Rev. A. B. Whitney, Pastor of the So. St. Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Indiana, has been visiting his uncle, L. L. Whitney, in this city during the past week. He was a member of the 11th Mass. Battery during the late Rebellion.

— The first prize dance of the Blue Clyde Association will be given this evening at Armory Hall. E. F. Haggerty is to be Floor Manager; W. H. Reddy, Assistant; J. H. Conway, Edward Harvey, M. Costello and H. McDermott, Aids.

— Mr. David F. Moreland, City Clerk, was offered a unanimous reelection to the office of National Grand Master of the National Assembly of Leather Workers at the convention in Boston last week, but respectfully declined the honor.

— There was a meeting of the Park Commissioners last Monday evening at which Hon. E. D. Hayden was elected Chairman and Joseph F. DeLorica was elected Secretary. The next meeting of the Board will be held on the evening of Aug. 27.

— A great deal of furniture in city houses nowadays is made in combination; two or three different articles being united in one piece of furniture. The best place to see Combination Furniture is at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— There is no public thing in this city that is more highly enjoyed every hour in the day than those seats on the Common. Loungers use them, so do people waiting for the street cars, and others who are making short stops among us, by all of whom they are duly appreciated.

— Hon. John Cummings raised, so it is reported, 8,800 bushels of potatoes on 22 acres of land this season, which is 400 bushels to the acre. We do not know whether that is a large, a small, or just about a middling yield, but in the aggregate 8,800 bushels make a big heap of murphies.

— An article concerning the Cemetery in Wilmington signed by a Committee of Arrangements, of which France B. Hiller is one, is one that should excite interest outside as well as inside of that town. It is a step in the right direction, but that circular speaks for itself. Read it.

— The Knights of Labor expect to hold their annual picnic at Oak Island to-morrow. A big time is anticipated. The annual picnic of the Knights is always a gay and happy affair, and if the weather should be all right that of tomorrow will be no exception. Great preparations are on foot for it.

— A day or two ago we recieved a newspaper from L. Thompson, Esq., published in British Columbia, which gave a list of the excursionists with which Mr. Thompson is traveling over that vast northwestern region, and also announced that the party were all well and very happy. Thanks.

— A heavy thunder storm occurred late Tuesday night which gave an extraordinary exhibition of lightning followed by big crashes of thunder. There was a smart rain at 8 o'clock the evening before, and from the hour of the midnight storm to breakfast time there was a brisk and steady downpour.

— The Foresters of this city went to Nantasket in strong force last Wednesday for their annual picnic. Fine weather was vouchsafed them and a day of genuine pleasure was spent by them. All sorts of athletic sports were indulged in, the dinner was a fine one, and everything passed off in the very best manner.

— Mr. Frank Dodge and wife have got back from their European tour and have settled down to every-day life again. They had a pleasant voyage each way and a delightful visit on the other side. Mr. Dodge went over cheifly on business for his father-in-law, Capt. John P. Crane, one of our principal leather manufacturers.

— As late as Wednesday last Capt. John P. Crane was seen escorting his guest, Dr. Charles Russell of Washington, D. C., around on our streets and introducing him to our citizens. Dr. Russell is highly pleased with his first visit to the North and especially with the courtesies extended to him by his hosts Capt. Crane and Dr. Graves.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Mr. Cyrus Lamb is the boss carpenter who is changing, enlarging, and revamping Mr. C. M. Munroe's store, and he is making a good job of it. Lamb understands the use of carpenter tools as well as the next man, and what speaks mighty well for his skill and industry is that he is never without a job. He will give Munroe a very fine store when it is done.

— Errors have been made in stating the date on which the reunion of the old 39th is to be held in this city. The true date so Mr. Abijah Thompson informs a JOURNAL reporter, is Sept. 24, 1890. Co. K., of which Mr. Thompson was a member, will do the honors of the occasion and furnish the necessaries for one of the very best reunions the Regiment has ever held.

— Mr. O. F. Bryant of Salem St. returned from his Western trip not many days ago. It is fair to presume that he visited and had a good time with his son Edward at Pullman, below Chicago, while away. We have not as yet heard him express his ideas concerning the West, but being an eminently sensible gentleman it would be natural to expect that he thinks very well indeed of it.

— Speaking of what the JOURNAL said about rushing into local politics this early in the season the Winchester *Star* says: "But then the JOURNAL and the *Star* have made most judicious selections, for we consider Mayor Johnson and J. Henry Norcross two of the brightest lights in this section. Business and ability is the happy combination that has made these two gentlemen so popular."

— Dr. Charles H. and Mrs. Winn (nee Reade) are expected home to-morrow and will immediately set up housekeeping in a home in Winchester which Mr. L. Reade, the bride's father, is now furnishing for them. At last accounts they were at Saratoga having come there from principal Canadian cities and a visit in the Catskills, and were to take in Newport, thence to Winchester, their future home.

— About the finest programme of exercises for an entertainment or anything of that sort was the one issued by the George G. Meade G. A. R. Post of Lexington for the entertainment of visiting comrades during the National Encampment, for a copy of which we were indebted to Librarian Cutter of this city. In design and execution it was about as near perfect as anything of the kind could be.

— City Treasurer John C. Buck was taken very ill with inflammation of the bowels early on last Sunday morning and on Monday his case became so alarming that a consultation of physicians was held, from which very little encouragement was derived by his family. He was considered almost hopelessly sick, but on Tuesday he was better although not out of danger and the last news from him was more favorable still for his speedy recovery.

— At a special meeting of the Woburn School Committee, last Friday evening, W. H. Crocker was elected Principal of the Cummings School in place of E. H. Lounsbury, resigned. Ling's system of physical training was adopted for the Misses of the High School, who will receive one hour's training a week, and there is to be a lecture each week to the teachers by the instructor. The salary for this instructor was placed at $250 per annum.

— A few days ago Librarian Cutter received a photographic view of a great Alaska glacier from Mr. Leonard Thompson who was privileged to get a sight of the monster the other day. A piece of solid ice 120 feet high, 500 feet deep under water, 1 1-4 miles wide on the watar edge, and extending back as far as human vision could reach, and how much farther nobody knows—a chunk of ice like that we should think would rejoice the heart of any well-regulated dealer to look at.

— Mr. Chester R. Smith, salesman and advertising manager of the C. Willard Smith's dry goods establishment, went to Lubec, Maine, some days ago for a fortnight's vacation and is supposed to be at the present time trying to emerge from a State of Maine fog in which it is surmised he has been wandering about ever since he made land at L. When he gets out he may be interested to learn that the store is prospering, and the people in it are as bright and lively as ever.

— Frye, the upholsterer, brought up from the New Hampshire home occupied by his mother before her death a year ago, an old fashioned bellows which had been in the family over 60 years and is at the present time as good as new. The bellows was a necessary household utensil in the old days of fireplaces, wood fires, and absence of stoves, and one of them always hung up just over the shovel and tongs in every well arranged family chimney corner. Frye feels quite proud over the ancient piece of furniture.

— Mrs. E. C. Colman, Mistress of fair "Woodside," very wisely concludes that she wants no blistering beaches or laborous mountain climbing in her vacation so long as she can have the pure air, the sweet water, the invigorating sunshine, the quiet and calm repose of her own charming home. On these home comforts and delights Mistress Colman has grown to be a healthy, hardy, happy matron, hence no beaches, nor New Hampshire lanes and pastures, nor "forest aisles," nor even granite hills, in hers, if you please, but "Woodside" every blessed day in the week, year in and year out, and always.

— The house of Mr. Charles A. Sweetser on New Boston street was seriously damaged by fire about 9 o'clock last Saturday evening. The fire started in a store-room in the rear of the main structure and was supposed to have originated from a flatiron-holder that had been wrapped up and put away with fire in it. A strong smell of smoke aroused Mr. Sweetser soon after he went to bed, and when the cause of it was discovered by him the flames, which finally did much damage, had gained a good deal of headway. There was an insurance on the house which was damaged about $1,000, but none on the furniture, a portion of which was saved.

— A colony of the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers was instituted here last week by Supreme Governor Moses P. Brown and suite, and the following officers were elected: Ex-governor, Eliot L. Packard; Governor, Lawrence Reade; Lieutenant-Governor, Thomas J. Fox; Secretary, Charles K. Conn; Collector, Edward J. Gregory; Treasurer, Thomas F. McCormick; Chaplain, William H. Henchy; Sergeant-at-arms, Timothy Calnan; Sentinel, Inner Gate, John J. Callahan; Sentinel, Outer Gate, William H. Jones. The name selected was Abajona, and the number of the colony is 131. The next meeting will be subject to call by the officers.

— As to seaside resorts Mrs. E. C. Cottle is as competent a judge as there can be found anywhere. She has just returned from Kennebunkport where she took her summer outing and Mr. Cottle says it would be a difficult undertaking to convince his wife that there is another spot on the coast equal to it for comfort and pleasure. Kennebunkport is a quaint old place—more so before the ravages of a disastrous fire there a few years ago than now—quiet, retired, breezy, fine ocean views, fat clams, and the annual resort of several famous authors and many of the best people that travel. Mrs. Cottle pronounces it nice, therefore we say Mrs. Cottle is a good judge of seaside resorts.

— Oliver Green & Co. of 164 Tremont street, Boston, are among the leading piano dealers in New England. Mr. O. Green was not long since a resident of Woburn (as also was Mr. Joseph R. Green, his son, who has been connected with the business four or five years) and of course it is gratifying to the old friends to hear his business success mentioned. The house, which is well known all over the country, deal only in the very best instruments made. Their storerooms contain only the products of well known and universally approved manufacturies. Besides these, the Greens sell pianos at fair prices and deal honorably by everybody. This statement of facts accounts for their excellent business success.

— The Hartwell Family Association will hold their 7th annual reunion in the Town Hall at Concord (Mass.) on Thursday, Aug. 28, instant. The first settlement of the family was at Concord and it was near the home of the pioneer Hartwell that the first family reunion was held six years ago and the Association formed. The exercises of the 7th meeting will include the banquet (of course), addresses, historical sketches, poems, genealogies, music, etc., and unless something unforseen turns up to prevent it this will be the largest and most interesting gathering of the family that has been held. Mr. Frederic A. Hartwell of this city, who is an offshoot of the parent tree, and wife and children will attend this 7th reunion.

— Frank A. Hosmer of Great Barrington has been elected President of Oahu College, the principal educational institution of Honolulu, and has accepted the position. Mr. Hosmer is about 35 years old, a graduate of Amherst College and was for many years Principal of the Great Barrington High School, becoming well known as an educator of marked ability. He resigned the Principalship of the school to become editor of the Berkshire *Courier*, but has for some time been preparing to again engage in educational work. He is a member of the Great Barrington School Committee. Mr. Hosmer is a brother of Miss Marion Hosmer of this city and a nephew of E. E. and other Thompsons of the same family, and is well and favorably known by many people in Woburn who will be glad to learn of his good fortune.

— Miss Bell Menard, a prominent member of Woburn's Pedagogical Corps, and a young lady of fine intellectual gifts and acquirments, can be reached personally, or by letter, now and for a week hence, at Wood Lawn House, Fryeburg, Me., a spot which has a history, and not only that but possesses charms of scenery unsurpassed by any other anywhere in beautiful New England. Not many days ago she left these parts with a party of Boston friends for Portland, No. Conway, Mt. Washington, thence to the banks of the Saco and Fryeburg aforesaid. The three weeks immediatly prior to her flitting away to the Mountains our schoolmarm spent in the delightful task of sampling boiled clams at Beachmont and sporting in the cool and invigorating surf there, and in enjoying such other delights as are only to be found on the sands and in the breakers of Chelsea Beach and "along shore." But the tale of the "wild waves" began to grow just the least bit monotonous to her so away went Miss Belle to the Mountains where, we suspect, she is enjoying things highly, and dreading the day when she must resume the birch rod and labors of the little Commonwealth (or is it a Monarchy?) over which she daily presides during about 40 weeks in the year here in staid, old Woburn.

— The State Inspector having decided that Woburn school houses must be remodelled for sanitary reasons an expense of $25,000, some say, will be necessary to complete the changes. It is better ventilation that the health of the children demand, so the Inspector says, and therefore better ventilation it must be. It was well the discovery was made before all the children in Woburn were in their graves—poor things! How they have managed to exist all these years without ventilation is a conundrum. It is the greatest wonder in the world that there are any children left in this city to tell the sorrowful tale. But an expenditure of $25,000 for ventilation will straighten them out, if there is any straighten out left in them. Innocent weaklings! how they must have suffered, especially those who are members of those unfortunate families who have to sleep every night 6 in a room 8x10 in dimensions, and come out every morning as chipper and gay as larks, no matter now hot the night may have been or morning is. Yes, indeed! It is pitiful to contemplate the condition of the rising generation. But they are all going to have some of the new kind of ventilation as soon as it can be got. It comes high, but Woburn must have it. There is no ventilation going that is any too good for Woburn school houses, and the only question worth considering is, "how can it be got here the quickest?"—*not* what it is going to cost—for how can we expect our children to survive any longer without some of the latest improved?

— Last Monday Hon. John Cummings placed in the care of Librarian Cutter, to be held on exhibition pro bono publico at the Public Library, specimens of the very destructive, much dreaded, and recently imported enemy to fruit and foliage, the Gypsy Moth, for the extermination of which the General Court made an appropriation and provided for a Commission. The specimens left by Mr. Cummings include the moth in its various stages of existence—the grub, the caterpillar, the perfected butterfly, or moth—a brief examination of which will tell the observer at once whether he has seen the "animal" at or near his home or not, and having the knowledge may enable him to prevent as much damage as would otherwise be done. It was for the sole purpose of instructing the people as to what the Gypsy Moth really is, and thus affording the means of guarding against its ravages, that Mr. Cummings went to the trouble to procure the collection which he left on exhibition at the Library, and which he asks the people to examine. If owners of orchards, ornamental trees, choice shrubbery, etc. will come to the Library and examine these "Gypsys," which Mr. Cutter will take pleasure in showing, it is more than probable that much damage by the destructive insect might be prevented. The Moth is at work at Medford (where first discovered), Malden, Arlington and elsewhere in that section, and there is no reason why it should not put in an appearance here. Mr. Cummings deserves the thanks of this community for having done so much to guard against their ravages in this vicinity.

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Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Ward and City Committee.

The Republican Ward and City Committee of this city met last Monday evening. Capt. Edwin F. Wyer was elected Chairman and Fred J. Brown, Secretary.

Revised by-laws were adopted, a Finance Committee of one from each Ward Committee was chosen, and the Secretary instructed to issue a call for caucuses in all the wards, to be held Wednesday evening, Sept. 10, to choose delegates to the different conventions.

Ward committees were instructed to fill vacancies in their numbers and report their action to the Secretary.

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A CARD.

We hereby return sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindly aid and sympathy extended to us last Saturday night at and after the fire at our house, and also to the firemen for their hearty efforts to save our property.

C. A. SWEETSER,
ABBIE W. SWEETSER.

After all, the best way to know the real merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, is to try it yourself. Be sure to get Hood's.

Settle It Right Here.

Some people have a system, and through it are enabled to avoid many vexations in this world. When they see a good thing which must needs enter into their daily life, they adopt it, and ever after cling to it. All desire that which is best, yet cheapest, and many a good housewife, by settling on Brussels soap, for household use, finds her every need supplied in this direction. Brussels soap has as yet no successful competitor. It's economical.

Woburn Co-operative Bank.

There has lately sprung up a livelier interest in the business of this institution and the demands for its funds are much more numerous than they have been for some time past. At the last meeting there was a spirited contest over the sale of shares, so we are informed by Secretary Whitcher, and indeed the premiums at which they were sold clearly demonstrated the fact of increased interest and demand. Since the last meeting one application at least for shares has been received from Boston, and previously other out of town parties wanted to become purchasers.

At the meeting of the officers of the bank last week $2,600 was sold—$1,800 at a premium per share of 15 cents; and $800 at a premium of 5 cents. As to amount this was regarded as a very satisfactory sale, and as to the premiums paid it was gratifying. Nearly all this money was wanted for building purposes, although not all of it was for building in this city. There was a sharp demand and brisk bidding for it.

The next meeting will be held on Sept. 11, and on Oct. 1, the 8th series of shares will be issued limited to 100.

The Bank has been admirably managed from the beginning and has proved of great benefit to those people, especially young men, who have been trying to make for their families and themselves comfortable homes. The terms on which the money of the bank is bought are cheap and easy, and while its shares are good for investment purely, the real benefits of the institution are secured chiefly by the comparatively poor.

In planning your vacation don't forget that a trip through the great lakes, enabling you to visit Niagara en route, is inexpensive, compared with a few weeks in the country. Special rates on application to J. A. Flanders, agent, 322 Washington street, Boston.

Suicide of a Young Woman.

Mary Darmody, a domestic in the employ of Mrs. Charles Lamb in Winchester, aged about 32 years, committed suicide by drowning in Horn Pond, nearly opposite the residence of Mr. James McDonald on Canal street, some time last Sunday night or early Monday morning. She had intended to commit the deed on the Thursday previously and wrote a note to that effect, but for some reason or other failed to carry out her design. On Sunday afternoon she came to visit her aunt, Mrs. Michael Bowe, on Buckman street this city, and when the time arrived in the evening to return home it rained so hard that she concluded to remain all night at her aunt's. Before 10 o'clock she retired to sleep on a lounge, and that was the last she was seen alive by any of the family. Finding she had left, Mrs. Bowe made search for her and found her clothes, a wallet with money in it, the note above mentioned, etc., under the lounge on which it was supposed she slept. Alarmed at her discovery Mrs. Bowe's family sent out word and the missing girl was searched for in the Pond, in which she proposed to end her life and elsewhere. At 11 o'clock Monday forenoon Officer McDermott found the body of the unfortunate girl only a short distance from the shore at a point nearly opposite the McDonald residence aforesaid.

No doubt Miss Darmody was induced to commit suicide from homesickness. She came from her home in Ireland to this place last May and had been low spirited and melancholly ever since she arrived, although she had many near relatives living here, the Darmodys of Commingsville being among them. The letter stated that her troubles were great and no doubt they unbalanced her mind and led to taking her own life. It was a sad case.

Y. M. C. A.

The 4 o'clock meeting next Sunday will be in the charge of our No. Woburn friends.

Next Saturday evening there will be a prayer meeting for men in the parlor at 8 o'clock.

The 4 o'clock meeting last Sunday was conducted by one of our own members and was well attended.

Quite a number of our members and friends are enjoying life at the Y. M. C. A. summer encampment at No. Labec, Maine.

The Board of Directors held their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday evening. There will be an adjourned meeting the 2nd of Sept.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Boston Mail opens at 8, 8.30, 10.15 A. M., 1.15, 2, 4, 6.25, 8.05 P. M.
New York Mail opens at 8.00 A. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 8.45 A. M., and 4.30 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.08 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.15 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
Burlington, 10.00 A. M.
Winchester, 12.40 and 4.15 P. M.
North Woburn, 5.45 P. M.

Post Office opens at 6.40 A. M.
Closes at 8.00 P. M.
Saturdays at 8.30 P. M.

Lawrence Reade, P. M.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach. Subject: "The Safe Shield." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST—Preaching Sunday Aug. 24, at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m. by Rev. Chas. E. Libby, D. D., Pres. Rust University, Holly Springs, Miss. Subject a. m. "Our Advocate." 3 p. m. "Our Educational Work in the South." Meeting of the Epworth League at 6 p. m. Usual Meetings during the week.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Aug. 13, John Rayner of Franklin, N. H., aged 63 years.
In this city, Aug. 15, Euphemia S. Waters, aged 78 years, 10 months, 5 days.
In this city, Aug. 14, Holly V. Jackson, aged 2 months, 16 days.
In this city, Aug. 18, Frank W. Erickson, aged 3 days.
In this city, Aug. 18, Elizabeth D. Winn, aged 81 years, 7 months.
In this city, Aug. 18, Mary Darmody, aged 32 years.
In Lexington, Aug. 18, Emma B. Flint, aged 31 years, 8 months.
In Burlington, Aug. 14, Samuel S. Shedd, aged 63 years.
In Portville, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1890, Mrs. Wallace McDonald, formerly of Woburn, aged 26 years, 4 months, 21 days.
The funeral will take place here this, Friday, afternoon at Baptist Vestry.
In Bushkill, Pennsylvania, August 9, Henry Wells, formerly of Woburn, aged 63 years and 3 months.

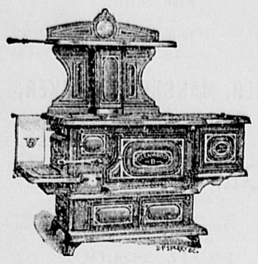
Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

Copeland & Bowser,

335 Main Street, WOBURN.



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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

Frightful Railroad Accident.

A railroad accident took place at Quincy, on the Old Colony Railroad, at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, by which 10 persons were instantly killed, 12 died within a short time at the Quincy Hospital, and 30 or more were hurt, the nature of the injuries varying from fatal to mere cuts or bruises.

According to the best information obtainable, workmen engaged in repairing the roadbed near President's Bridge, about one eighth of a mile north of Quincy station, in a deep cut and at the end of a sharp curve, had neglected to properly protect themselves by flags, and fled from their work at the whistle of a train approaching round the curve, and either had not time, or else forgot, to remove a "track jack," an instrument 3 or 4 feet in height, used in the repairs. The train was the express from Woods Holl, due in Boston at 1.10 P. M. Its engine struck the jack and was derailed and thrown upon its side against the cut. Three cars passed the engine, but the fourth left the rails, its truck was forced through the floor, one end was torn to pieces, and the car overturned upon the engine. To the damage of the crushing of the car was added the horror of escaping steam from the engine, and most of the killed were actually scalded to death. Eleven bodies were removed from this car alone. The three rear cars remained on the rails. Their occupants were nothing worse than scared and slightly shaken up. Surgeons and ambulances were at once summoned from Boston, the people of the vicinity hastened to render aid and the work of the removal of the dead and wounded from the wreck was at once begun, the injured being nearly all cared for at the Quincy Hospital. Preparations were made for their reception at the Boston City and Massachusetts General Hospitals, but their accommodations were not needed.—*Boston Journal, 20th.*

Every home-keeper in New England should read with care the advertisement of "Mason's Fruit Jars" on our local page this week. It seems too good to be true, but it's the story of a reliable house which always fulfills its agreements. If you live within 100 miles of Boston you can more than save your carfare by purchasing your supplies of them.

Montvale.

On the evening of August 14 the Republicans of this Ward held a caucus to nominate a candidate for Alderman to be supported at the polls on August 26, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Alderman Golden. It was held in Kendall's Hall at Button End and was well attended.

William T. Kendall was selected as the candidate by a vote of 11 out of 19 ballots cast, and the choice fell on a worthy man. So meritorious a gentleman is Mr. Kendall and so popular is he in this part of the city that it is believed the Democrats will make no nomination, and that all hands will turn in and give him the unanimous vote of the Ward.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

The Advance Movement.

The leather market continues to strengthen under the favorable influences resulting from curtailed production. After a long depression the tanners are again afforded an opportunity to profit by their industry. So far, fortunately, the advance movement has been gradual and logical and entirely free from speculation. For several years the leather traffic has been in the main unremunerative. Such a condition from the very nature of things could not endure. It is misleading to characterize the present state of the market by the unauthorized word "boom." The great leather industry is simply emerging from a serious period of over-production and assuming its rightful position. Many tanneries were wiped out, and the output of numerous others was greatly diminished during the era of burdensome stocks and low prices. The trade is now healthful and vigorous. Stocks are small and the receipts barely suffice to meet the requirements of consumers. The advances already secured are quite enough to seriously affect the cost of all manufactured articles of which leather is a component part. It is many years since the market presented such a generally promising complexion.—*Shoe and Leather Review.*

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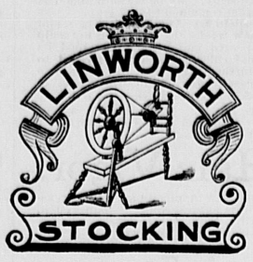
Articles known to medical science are used in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every ingredient is carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained. The medicine is prepared under the supervision of thoroughly competent pharmacists, and every step in the process of manufacture is carefully watched with a view to securing in Hood's Sarsaparilla the best possible result.

"Have you washed your feet?" You think this is a queer question to ask, but it is one that many Mammas have got in the habit of asking the boys and girls as "Have you washed your hands?"

And Why? Because it has been almost impossible to get Stockings that would'nt crock and fade.

But alas! for Pearline.

We have got a Line of Stock-



ings Worth much more than many so called "Fast Blacks," which will please the Mammas and the boys and girls as well, and not cost any more. Sizes to fit everybody from baby to grandmamma.

Pearline has its place but it will not have to be used to wash-out the stains left by the "LINWORTH."

C. Willard Smith

Burlington.

Dr. C. E. Estabrook of London, England, has been in town this week.

Rev. C. H. Washburn preached at the church last Sunday. He has been enjoying a vacation.

The officers of the Agricultural Society held a special meeting Tuesday evening. It was voted to hold the annual fair Wednesday, October 1. A pamphlet containing the constitution and by-laws of the Society and the rules and regulations of the next fair has been printed and copies will be distributed among residents of the town. The society will hold a meeting next Tuesday evening.

Mr. S. S. Shedd, who died at his home in Burlington, Aug. 14, was born in this town and was among our best known residents. He had filled several important town offices, having served on the Board of Selectmen and on the School Committee. He was always faithful in the discharge of the trusts committed to him and performed his duties to the satisfaction of his townsmen. During the last months of his life he was called aside from active work and confined to his home by the wasting agonies of an incurable disease, but all his sufferings were endured with patient resignation. He was always glad to see his friends, pleased to receive flowers or other little tributes of their sympathy, and especially glad to see his pastor who often came to comfort him with views of "things unseen." So, through the dark clouds of suffering and death he was led to see the light which is invisible. Mr. Shedd's funeral was held at the church Sunday afternoon. The floral tributes were especially beautiful. The services were conducted by Rev. C. H. Washburn.

In this great and glorious land of freedom murder, suicide and arson are within reach of even the poorest and most humble citizen. So is that best and most economical of all soaps, called Brussels.

To all Persons Interested in Improving and Beautifying the Cemetery of Wilmington.

LET NOT THE DEAD BE FORGOTTEN.

"For in our turn, we too shall lie in the quiet grave until the judgment."

Regretting the low state of the fertility of our Cemetery and the lack of interest shown by people generally in its improvement, and in order to awaken that interest, Mrs. Dr. Henry Miller proposes to give a grand entertainment to all those who will assist her towards this object.

To all those who will contribute stable dressing, or its equivalent in money (to be used in the purchase of the same), the conditions are: That any person who own lots, or have relatives and friends lying in the Wilmington Cemetery, who will contribute one load of dressing, will receive two tickets, or if they contribute two loads, will receive five tickets to an Entertainment consisting of Music, Singing, Refreshments, etc., to be given in the Town Hall, on Friday Evening, Sept. 5, 1890. All contributions in dressing, or money must be forwarded to Mr. Edward Nichols, on or before August 25, from whom all parties will receive a check for the same.

N. B.—For the accommodation of friends and contributors who reside out of town, or are far from Wilmington Centre, contributions of Money can be sent, or given to the undermentioned gentlemen of the Committee, who have interested themselves in this worthy undertaking.

H. Allen Sheldon,
John T. Wilds,
Mrs. A. S. Wilds,
Mrs. E. S. Eames,
Mrs. S. A. Parker,
A. B. Pearson,
E. M. Nichols,
C. Hudson,
Mrs. Hudson,
Committee of Arrangements.
France B. Hiller, M. D.

Wilmington, Aug. 11, '90.

If "cleanliness is next to Godliness," the surest way to attain it is b(u)y Brussels soap.

Woburn Record of Deaths.

His Honor Mayor Johnson will accept our thanks for a copy of Part Two of "Woburn's Records of Births, Deaths and Marriages." It is a most valuable book and one that must have caused deep research on the part of His Honor. This volume gives a complete record, or as near complete as it will ever be possible, of the deaths that have occurred in Woburn from 1640 to 1873, alphabetically and chronologically arranged. Mr. Johnson in his preface calls attention to the fact that "We spend large sums of money to perpetuate in polished marble the lineage and virtues of a departed friend: yet it is only a question of time when this single record will become obliterated and forever lost. How important it is then to have those memories duplicated by being spread on the printed sheet, thus making a record and the only record which can defy the 'tooth of time.'"—*Winchester Star.*

"Mellin's Food and I are old friends, it having fulfilled all the conditions demanded of it at my hands," is the testimony of a well-known physician.

From the Other Side.

A lady friend kindly consents to the appearance of the following interesting letters from the pen of an ex-journalist to appear in the columns of the Woburn Journal. —*Ed.*

London, Aug. 3, '90.

Today I took a trip to New—yes, to the famous New Gardens. Went by boat, returned by Four-in-Hand. While the Gardens do not surpass Central Park in natural and picturesque beauty yet they are attractive and interesting. But the crowd! Coney Island not to be compared. And everything orderly, albeit Sunday, and this with every Public Bar (called "Pubs" here) in full go.

Yesterday we went to the justly famous Zoo Gardens. They are interesting to a degree. Space will not permit only a meagre description even had I the power to give it. But one who has the slightest sentiment for nature would enthuse.

But Friday was our Red-Letter-Day. Why? I found an intelligent guide. A former attache of the American Legation and an old newspaper man withal. And I went at his invitation, which means he was interested and not a mere automaton.

First, we went through The Temple and rested in the chambers formerly occupied by the late Judah P. Benjamin, whose record as an American in England is unsurpassed. The Savage Club, the house where Gerrick lived, the Book Stalls, the veritable "Old Curiosity Shop," the house where "David Copperfield" was written, the hotel where "Nellie" stopped on her return. We rested at "Ye Old Cheshire Cheese," the rendesvoux of Johnson, Coolidge, Bosworth, Goldsmith, *et als.*, and I sat in the veritable and favorite seat of Johnson's. The place is unchanged, and I hope it will so remain. In my most egotistic hour I never can begin to express the pleasant sensations of the day.

However fresh the memory, however warm the impulse, however ardent the admiration, however strong the desire, ink could never properly tell the joy one has when so near such old, old friends. In this case realization is better than anticipation.

But is it?

I'm not clear. I'm not sure but I'd prefer the day for the future rather than feel it is an actual past. I may go again and often but the *first* visit is gone!

It is said: "When good Americans die they go to Paris." I amend: All lovers of English classics should visit London. If death then comes—well, they are better prepared. Lotta did a clever thing while here by having for her Drop Curtain in "Little Nell" an accurate and artistic picture of "The Old Curosity Shop."

Did I tell you I had been associating with Kings, Queens, and Knaves—per a sixpence to Madam Tussuad? Interesting? Very. Artistic? Rather. Realistic? In objectional cases too much so. Washington, Adams, Clay, Arnold, Webster, are not there. And Grant has forgotten his cigar. And Lincoln is handsome. And Garfield wears his hair *a la* pompadour. And O'Connell has a pudgy face. And Blaine, Cleveland, Curran, and Burke, are absent. Voltaire amazes you. You consult again your catalogue and are in despair if not in doubt. And when Mrs. May Crick steps out of her niche you are sure somebody has erred.

But altogether your day is agreeable and you've seen nothing so grossly bad as to disturb your sleep and so—

Good Night,

J. F. B.

ANOTHER.

Hotel Victoria, Northumberland Ave., London, W. C., August 6, 1890.

With charity I have tried to discover a reason for the existence of the London Edition of the *New York Herald.* No reason is discoverable except vanity and an inordinate desire to affront the American Colony, and, indeed, Americans *en transit.* It publishes no American news. It goes out of its way to pick up disagreeable items and when hard pushed probably manufactures them. It elevated a stick to the disaster at South Lawrence, and half a stick to the severe storm about Boston and Providence, and two lines to the brave woman who saved a train of lives; but columns to abusing Blaine and the American Government. In politics it is Tory, which means it toadies to the "powers that be" regardless of right or wrong. But, happily, it has no influence, a Lombard Street broker told me. And Americans deny it. A member of the American Legation put it about right when he said: "the *Herald* is not half as bad as it used to be because it is only half its size." Bennett has money and he seems to take pleasure in spending it to inflict his compariots.

This brings me to say the American Government is nearer in touch with the people than any government in the World. While Italy is dubious of the Pope's powers, and Germany is making faces at Bismarck (but captures Heligoland as a pastime), and France is quarrelling with its ministry and thinks it can be a Republic and preserve titles (which is impossible), and Belgium in doubt about Leopold, and England fighting its House of Lords, and just passed through the Police Strike, the Postmen's Strike, the Militia Strike, not to mention numerous strikes of the wage earning class, America goes merrily on attending to business at the old stand.

Enclosed find clippings which give some idea of how things are here. Even patient, humble Jack seems to be dissatisfied.

By the way, if you wish news you must read the Editorials. It would seem as if the English paper had no *news Editor* for you never find any news (except local) in the news columns. The English idea of a newspaper is unique, to say the least. The *Pall Mall* is the brightest paper, while the *Star* is the newsiest. Editorially all, except the *Herald*, are strong and, from observations, are as fearless and outspoken as those in America. And this fact covers many lapses.

You will notice from this clipping the Prince of Wales has offended some titled brutes (or brutes willing to be titled), but the P. of H. is indifferent to the attacks and does as he as a man and a gentleman considers proper. Results, apparently, do not disturb him.

I opine the House of Lords will be abolished unless the Queen abdicates in favor of her oldest son; which she ought to do. In this opinion I am supported by every "peasant" with whom I have talked. By this means the House of Lords may be maintained as an *irresponsible body* but not *hereditary.* Fancy Lord Dunlo representing anything but his own imbecility! He did not secure a divorce from his Concert-hall singing wife, and all the common people of England rejoice.

Home Rule!

Ah, yes, Home Rule will come when the Irish members of Parliament will argue rather than abuse. The Irish, stinging under past and present wrongs, are led to intemperate speeches. They are hardly blamable but it is not the winning game. Placate, conciliate! Make a friend of an enemy! Don't butt your head against a stone wall! The English cannot be driven but they can be coaxed. And this applies to every white-faced being. Sugar will catch more flies than vinegar! Parnell made the hit in his recent speech on the Estimates Bill. He was conciliatory. He sees Home Rule in the near future but he wishes a representation in the Imperial Parliament; hence he wishes the I. P., to delegate the powers. I think he is right. The Irish have the Gladstonites, partly the Radicals, the Conservatives, with them, and diplomacy will win the trick. May Robert Emmett's epitaph be written before 1890 dies!

To pass through a kitchen and imagine you have had a meal is not only unsatisfying but ridiculous.

I've merely given my impressions from a two month's observation.—J. F. B.

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Winchester.

There was a very fine rain here Sunday night.

Selectmen's meetings have been temporarily suspended.

Letter Carrier Walter Plummer is spending his vacation in N. H.

J. M. Marshall and family are at Cotuit and having a good time.

Mrs. Daniel March, Jr., was a guest at Pigeon Cove House last week.

Mr. David Fullam was registered at the Samoset House, Plymouth, lately.

L. C. and F. L. Patten have been staying at the Nanepashmet, Marblehead Neck.

The Common looks better than it did before the late application of the lawnmower to it.

Mr. W. S. Walbridge's brother-in-law, S. B. Libby of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Redfern and Miss H. E. McLellan were at Hyannisport a few days ago.

General and Mrs. J. M. Corse were among the distinguished arrivals at Bar Harbor a short time ago.

The people at the Highlands have been enjoying some private picnics this summer. They are a jolly crowd.

The Y. P. S. C. E. have sent a great many flowers to Boston sick beds this summer and thus done a great deal of good.

The funeral of Mr. E. P. Johnson, wife and son, who were killed in the Quincy railroad accident last Tuesday, took place here on Thursday. Mr. Johnson was a native of this town.

General Sherman visited General and Mrs. Corse here during Eucampment week. You remember it was General Sherman ordered Gen. Corse to "Hold the Fort for I am Coming."

Mrs. Dr. Hiller is having a good deal of work done to her lot in Wildwood Cemetery. The magnificent family mausoleum is in this Cemetery, or is to be when completed. It is the rarest thing of the kind in America.

Miss Lavinia Farnham celebrated her 84th birthday last Saturday at Sunnyside, Winchester, at the residence of her nephew, Mr. George H. Gilbert. Miss Farnham has hosts of warm friends and was the recipient of many beautiful and costly gifts.

Mrs. T. P. Wilson and Master Price are enjoying themselves at Locke's Mills, Me. While at this place last summer Mrs. Wilson did some very clever writing for more papers than one. We hope to hear from her through the columns of the *Star* this season.

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On Monday, Aug. 25, there will be presented at the always popular and well-patronized Grand Opera House in Boston, Proctor and Mansfield, Proprietors and Managers, "My Jack" by a company of the first quality of dramatic talent especially selected for the presentation of his powerfully realistic play. It will be found to be one of the most attractive entertainments offered by any Boston theatre for years. Matinees will be given at 2 o'clock on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

The firm of Moore & Morris is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Richard Morris withdrawing from the firm.

THOMAS MOORE,
RICHARD MORRIS.

The undersigned will continue the Retail Grocery business at the old stand, Nos. 451 and 453 Main street, where the books of the late firm may be found for settlement, and all persons indebted to said firm are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims against it will please present the same for settlement.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael Golden, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

(GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Patrick Golden, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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Collector's Sale

—OF—

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

Woburn, Mass., August 20, 1890.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1889, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **Saturday, September 27, A. D. 1890,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1889, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

Annie M. Downey.—About one-half acre of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Buck street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Buck street; southerly by a private way; westerly by land of City of Woburn, and northerly by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs, by land of J. C. Hodge heirs, and by land of Owen Conlon. Tax of 1889, $26 66

Mary Duffy.—About 5,100 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Lake Avenue; westerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; northerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; and easterly by land of Patrick E. Tenney. Tax of 1889, $35 26

Bridget Granfield.—About five-eighths of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Ash street in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by land of Hugh Keating and Samuel Hasty; northerly by land now or formerly of Hugh O'Riley; easterly by Brook street; southerly by said Ash street. Tax of 1889, $35 26

Thomas Ryan.—About nine-sixteenths of an acre with buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Warren street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by land of Norris; westerly by land of John Maxwell; southerly partly by land of Gawin R. Gage and land of Nathan Morse, Trustee; easterly by said Warren street. Tax of 1889, 46 44

Heirs of Charles Upton.—About 9,175 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Beacon street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Beacon street; southerly by land of Smith; westerly by other land of said heirs of Charles Upton; northerly by land now or formerly of Albert A. Ferrin. Tax of 1889, $17 20

Samuel D. Ward.—About 5,400 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on southerly side of Porter street, and being Lot No. 21 on plan of land of Thomas Richardson, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Porter street; easterly by land of one Colley; southerly by land of Gallagher and McGowan; westerly by land of John O'Brien. Tax of 1889, $28 38

Josie V. Colby.—About 11,041 square feet of land and buildings situated on southerly side of Montvale Avenue in said Woburn, bounded as follows:—Northerly by said Montvale Avenue, southerly, easterly and westerly by land now or formerly of Samuel Jemnson. Tax of 1889, $22 36

Adeline Cutler.—About three-eighths of an acre of land and buildings thereon, situated on southerly side of Fowle street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Fowle street; easterly by a private way known as Sonrel street; southerly and westerly by land of Kimball. Tax of 1889, $63 64

Francis J. Maguire.—About 5,545 square feet of land on northerly side of Conn street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Conn street; easterly by land of one Wall; westerly by land of one Wall; westerly by land of Jennings, being lot No. 13 on plan of land of R. B. Richardson and Hannah M. Parker. Tax of 1889, $6 02

Daniel Ryan Heirs.—About 5-16 of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Bedford street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Bedford street; westerly by Elijah street; northerly by land of Roger Mullen and easterly by land of one Bowen. Balance of Tax of 1889, $3 00

Charles H. Welch.—About 2 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Washington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Easterly by said Washington street; northerly by Cedar street; westerly by other land of Welch, and southerly by Salem street. Tax of 1889, $34 40

Charles H. Welch.—About 3 acres of mowing land situated on the easterly side of Cedar street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Cedar street; southerly by Salem street; easterly by other land of Welch. Tax of 1889, $7 74

Charles H. Welch.—About 14 acres of land situated on northerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land now or formerly of Sherman Converse; westerly by land of Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, and land of one Quinn; southerly by land of Quinn and by said Salem street; easterly by land of Quinn, and by land now or formerly of Kinsman and Dearborn. Tax of 1889, $9 46

Daniel Mullen Heirs.—About 10,766 square feet of land and building thereon, situated on the southerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Salem street; easterly by land of Fox; southerly by land of Dow; westerly by land of Eastern Middlesex Street Railway. Tax of 1889, $49 02

Mary E. McDermott.—About 18,554 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly and westerly by land now or formerly of Lacky McDermott; easterly by a private way; southerly by land of Elizabeth Kenney. Tax of 1889, $6 88

Martin Connolly.—About 7,576 square feet of land, being lot number 73 on plan of lands owned by Bryant & King, situate on northerly side of a private way leading westerly out of Arlington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Michael Graham and John Foley; easterly by land of Fitzpatrick; southerly by said private way; westerly by lot No. 72 on said plan. Tax of 1889, $1 04

Ann McHugh.—About 1 acre of land with buildings thereon, situated at the junction of Carter street and Arlington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Carter street; easterly by Arlington street; southerly by land of Daniel Harkins and Fitzpatrick, and westerly by land of Harkman. Tax of 1889, $15 48

Patrick Cady.—About 3,500 square feet of land, being lot number 20 on plan of lands owned by Bryant & King, situated on southerly side of Bryant street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by lot number 22 on said plan; westerly by lot number 19 on said plan; easterly by lot number 21 on said plan, and northerly by said Bryant street. Tax of 1889, $5 00

Joseph G. Daly.—About 6,000 square feet of land with buildings there on, situated on easterly side of Shields street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Shields street; northerly by land of one Martin; easterly by land of Catherine Welch, and southerly by land of Patrick Daly. $18 96

NON-RESIDENTS.

Jane C. Butman.—About 3 acres of land situated on the southerly side of Hudson street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Hudson street, about 496 feet; westerly by Canal St. about 357.6 feet; southerly by land of E. W. Hudson, about 508.8 feet; easterly by other land of said Jane C. Butman, about 215 feet; same premises described in deed recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1230, Page 435. Tax of 1889, $111 80

Jane C. Butman, Ellen T. Leonard and Clara W. Frye.—About 6¼ acres of land situated on the southerly side of Lake Avenue, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Lake Avenue; easterly by land of Boston Ice Company; southerly by the town line of the town of Winchester; westerly by land now or formerly of Thomas J. Pierce and land of Boston Ice Company. Tax of 1889, $25 80

Jane C. Butman, Ellen T. Leonard and Clara W. Frye.—About 7-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Lawrence street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Lawrence street, and land of Lizzie M. Atwood; northerly by land of Edward W. Hudson; southerly and westerly by other land of said Butman, Leonard and Frye. Tax of 1889, $36 12

Jane C. Butman, Ellen T. Leonard and Clara W. Frye.—About 4¼ acres of land situated on the easterly side of Canal street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Canal street; southerly by land of E. W. Hudson; easterly by land of Boyd, and by other land of said Butman, Leonard and Frye, and northerly by land of Harlow, Hudson, and Parker. Tax of 1889, $202 28

William E. Carter.—One building taxed as real estate, situated on land of Ruth M. Leathe, on northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in said Woburn, known as the Woburn Skating Academy. Tax of 1889, $103 20

Abbie A. Turner.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 32 and 33, section B, Block 33, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 35

Catherine Huban.—About 5,300 square feet of land, being lots numbered 17 and 18, section B, Block 25, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 52

Peter J. Griffin.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 3 and and 6, section B, Block 36, on a plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 43

Arthur H. Gannett.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 8 and 9, section B, Block 3, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 35

Charles E. Farnsworth.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 30 and 31, section B, Block 33, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, Book of Plans No 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 35

John O'Donnell.—About 2,400 square feet of land, being lot numbered 3, section B, Block 12, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 17

Elizabeth C. Davis.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 34 and 35, section B, Block 34, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 35

Hannah Driscoll.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 22 and 23, section B, Block 2, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 17

Timothy Callahan.—About 2,450 square feet of land, being lot number 54, section B, Block 4, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1889, 17

R. R. Rand.—About 18,200 square feet of land, being lot number 6 on Aver plan of Emerson lands, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 5, Plan 23, situated on the easterly side of Nashua street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Nashua street; easterly by land of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation; northerly by lot number 5 on said plan, and southerly by lot number 7 on said plan. Tax of 1889, $5 16

Edwin M. White.—About 2 acres of land situated in said Woburn, near the "Measures Place" known as the "Buck Meadow Lot," and being the same premises described in deed of the Trustees of Tufts College et al, to said Edwin M. White, dated November 1, 1884, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1685, Page 376. Tax of 1889, $1 72

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

City of Woburn.

To the Chief of Police, or either of his Assistants, or either of the Constables of the City of Woburn.

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required forthwith to notify and warn the inhabitants of **WARD FIVE,** qualified to vote as the law directs, to meet in

Hose House No. 4, Thorn Street,

On Tuesday, August 26, 1890,

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes on one ballot for One Alderman, to be chosen from and by the qualified voters in Ward Five.

The polls shall be opened at Seven o'clock, A. M., and shall close at Four o'clock, P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up an attested copy thereof at the place appointed for Ward meetings in said Ward, seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant and of your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said City, four days at least before the time of meeting as aforesaid.

Witness, Edward F. Johnson, Mayor of the City of Woburn, this ninth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen.

A true copy. Attest:

Thomas Mulkeen, Constable. David F. Moreland, City Clerk.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Everett A. Thompson, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

EDWARD E. THOMPSON, Adm.

Woburn, June 25, 1890.

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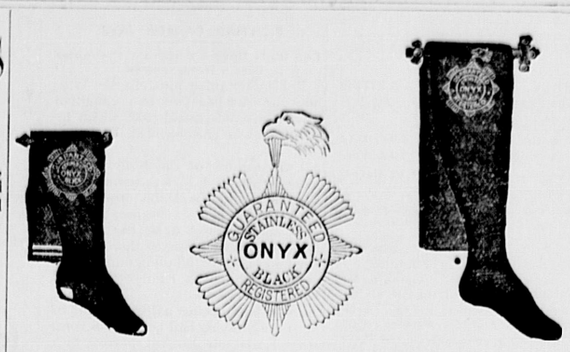

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PREVAILING PRAYER.

LESSON VIII, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 24.

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1. "*And He spake a parable unto them to this end, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint.*" The Kingdom of God and the coming of the Son of Man in power and glory, and the cross as the only way to the Kingdom, were the topics constantly in the mind and on the lips of the Lord Jesus. All the miracles of healing were foreshadowings of the health that shall be when the Kingdom comes, and His discourses were full of the righteousness of the Kingdom.

2. "*There was in a city a judge, which feared not God, neither regarded man.*" The eyes of the Lord which run to and fro through the whole earth (II Chron. xvi, 9; Jer. xxxii, 19; Zech. iv, 10) had seen many such. He sees many such today both in high and low places among men.

3. "*And there was a widow in that city; and she came unto him, saying, Avenge me of mine adversary.*" Many are the widows and fatherless that in this world are poor and oppressed, and yet God sees and cares for each one, though He may not always seem to. See His special relation to such in Deut. x, 17, 18; Ps. lxviii, 5. In Jas. i, 27, we learn that part of pure and undefiled religion before God is to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction.

4. "*And he would not for a while: but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man.*"

5. "*Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.*" No regard for God or man, and no desire to do justly for this oppressed and persecuted widow, but simply through desire for his own personal comfort, he will finally attend to her. Let us ask ourselves if there is any of this spirit in us. When we see it even in the disciples we have cause to fear for ourselves (Matt. xv, 23). Am I doing good works simply from a sense of duty, or to quiet my conscience? Do I help the poor just to get rid of them? Is my comfort the main thing?

6. "*And the Lord said, Hear what the unjust judge saith.*" What a contradiction there is in these two words "unjust judge" when we remember that it is written, "He that ruleth over men, must be just, ruling in the fear of God"

7. "*And shall not God avenge His own elect which cry day and night unto Him, though He bear long with them?*" The word "elect" in Scripture refers sometimes to the believing remnant of Israel (Isa. lxv, 9, 22); sometimes to the church gathered out of Jews and Gentiles (Rom. viii, 33; Col. iii, 12), and sometimes to Christ Himself (Isa. xlii, 1). Inasmuch as in the Gospels Christ is dealing only with Israel (Matt. x, 5, 6; xv, 24), with but a hint here and there of the church (Matt. xvi, 18; John x, 16). He must refer here to the elect of Israel as in Matt. xxiv, 22.

8. "*I tell you that He will avenge them speedily.*" When Jesus came in His humiliation as a servant to suffer and die, He read from the prophecy of Isaiah concerning the acceptable year of the Lord; and He closed the Book. When He comes again to Israel it will be to fulfill the next sentences, which He did not read that day.

"*Nevertheless, when the Son of Man cometh, shall He find faith on the earth?*" The time when the Son of Man shall come in power, and great glory (Matt. xxiv, 30; xxvi, 64) is the time when He will avenge speedily; and this question implies that at that time the faithful remnant in Israel will be very few in number. In fact He tells us in Matt. xxiv, 21, 22, that the tribulation of those days just before His return shall be so great that it shall be shortened for the elect's sake.

9. "*And He spake this parable unto certain which trusted in themselves that they were righteous and despised others.*" We shall now learn who constitute the true elect, and whether they are the elect remnant of Israel or the elect church, the same spirit is necessary in each.

10. "*Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee and the other a publican.*" Outwardly the two are alike in this, that they both go to the temple, and they both go to pray.

11. "*The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself.*" He trusted in himself (vss. 9) and prayed with himself. It was self all the way through with him, and in his own eyes he was A No. 1. He knew nothing of Paul's motto, "Not I, but Christ."

"*God I thank thee that I am not as other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican.*" The man did not think that his prayer would be reported and handed down to posterity as a specimen of self righteousness, any more than we think that we must give account of our words. But let one of man's latest inventions, the phonograph, remind us how easily God can record all our words and even our thoughts.

12. "*I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.*" The law of Moses required but one fast in the year (Lev. xxiii, 27-29). During the seventy years' captivity, however, they had four yearly fasts (Zech. viii, 19), but this man with his two a week was away ahead of all requirements; he was very religious. And then he gave a tenth of all to religious purposes, and according to Mal. iii, 10, that was the right thing to do. He does look like a good man. But observe, he only prayed with himself; he did not ask for a single thing.

13. "*And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner.*" Here is a man despised by others; like the lepers of the last lesson he is an outcast; he stands afar off as if confessing his great distance from God, morally; he has not one good thing to say about himself; he is a sinner and he knows it, and he feels it, and that is his plea, and on that ground he asks for mercy. His "be merciful" has in it the idea of mercy through atonement. It is like saying, "Be propitious," "Make reconciliation." He recognizes the need of a sacrifice for his sin. He thinks of the mercy seat sprinkled with the blood of atonement. He is one of the truly penitent, bringing the sacrifice of a broken spirit, a broken and a contrite heart (Ps. li, 17), and he looks for forgiveness through the bloodshedding of a substitute. If he does not see all this the Lord sees it in his "God be merciful to me a sinner."

14. "*I tell you this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other.*" The Pharisee's goodness was in God's sight only as filthy rags (Isa. lxiv, 6), for it came from a sinful, deceitful and desperately wicked heart (Jer. xvii, 9); and a corrupt tree cannot bring forth good fruit.

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Peter B. Sweeney is trying to get New York to undertake improvements along the Banks of the Hudson similar to those in London beside the Thames. He wants a grand driveway extending several miles to be created.

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FIGHTING CANADA JAYS.

Two Birds Have a Desperate Encounter Over a Dead Sparrow.

In his Cambridge museum Mr. William Brewster has two live Canadian jays (Perisoreus canadensis) which he caught while encamped at Umbagog lake, Me.

I will call one of the birds Jack, a name by which he is locally known in the lake region, and the other Bob. Both are now kept in one large, roomy cage and appeared to be the best of friends, possibly owing to there having been no cause for a falling out, but recently they had a regular "set to," which I witnessed.

Both birds being naturally fond of flesh and having had none for several days I shot an English sparrow with which to feed them. Cutting off the wings, feet, head and tail, and removing the feathers, I approached the cage with the body in my fingers. Immediately Jack came to the wire bars to receive my present, which he undoubtedly believed was meant entirely and solely for him. He grasped it in his claws, and hopping to a perch began tearing off pieces of flesh and swallowing them with apparent relish and in great haste, while Bob looked on, evidently astonished at Jack's appetite and wondering whether enough would be left to "swear by" when his turn came. Jack was at last forced to rest from his greedy efforts, and when the lull came Bob, who had been watching from the corner of his eye, made a dash at his companion and the food fell to the bottom of the cage.

Bob was there, however, evidently intending to make the most of the situation, but Jack could not stand by and see Bob thus enjoying himself without making some effort in his own behalf, for like the dog in the manger he did not intend to let Bob have it all, even though he could not eat it himself. So he "jumped on him" and fastened his claws as firmly in Bob's back as he had previously done in the body of the sparrow, and began pecking him in the top of the head. At first no attention was paid to this annoyance beyond an occasional shake or flutter of the wings, either made to dislodge his enemy or else to regain his balance or keep from falling over backward, but Jack pecked viciously, occasionally turning his head to one side after taking a good hold, as if endeavoring to tear out a piece between Bob's ears, and this, too, every time just as the latter raised his head to swallow. At last Bob could not stand this any longer.

The tremendous pecks received in the back of the head, and more than all the griping pains in the small of his back where Jack's claws were planted, caused him to forget his appetite and raised his "dander," and turning partially over on the right side he caught Jack a "left hander." This wrung from his victim a cry of pain and landed him sprawling on the bottom of the cage, where he tipped over the dish of drinking water, which soaked them both. Neither would let go his hold, but kept clawing, pecking, scratching, rolling over and over, all the while uttering loud, discordant notes, which plainly indicated they were not only furious but under great stress of pain.

At length, fearing the birds might in their anger destroy one another, thus ending the whole affair with a tragedy, I took the cage down from where it was hanging in order to separate them; but only with considerable difficulty could this be accomplished, it being actually necessary to pull them apart. They finally resumed their accustomed places on the perch, while the "bone of contention" lay upon the floor.

Both birds, with soiled and dripping plumage, were pitiful looking objects. Jack, who had the best of the fight up to receiving the left hander, appeared in the better condition of the two, but looked as though the food so hastily swallowed had become slightly displaced. As for Bob he seemed to feel the abuse and shameful treatment keenly, hung his head, and half closing one eye, as though that member had been injured, refused to be comforted. —Forest and Stream.

They Were Live Princesses.

A short time ago an amusing incident occurred at Freiburg, in Germany. Two ladies were standing in front of a shop window, examining the wares exhibited for sale, when the owner of the establishment, impatient at their not entering his premises, told them sharply that they had been there long enough and requested them to move on. The ladies walked away without a word of remonstrance. Half an hour later a footman in court livery called at the shop and asked the ill mannered tradesman, on behalf of the Hereditary Grand Duchess of Baden, how much she owed him for having looked in at his shop window. The man's feelings on receiving the message can be more easily imagined than described.—London Telegraph.

Practical Education.

An admirable provision has been made by the magistracy of Breslau, which will tend in more ways than one to the improvement of the pupils in the public schools. A botanical school garden has been instituted for the regular supply of plants to the schools of the place and for enabling teachers to make observations on the spot with their pupils.—Exchange.

Sisterly Sympathy.

Ethel—Well, whatever the spiteful things say about me they can't say I'm old.

Maud—No, dear, the worst they can say is that you look old.—Epoch.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

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LITTLE WRECKS.

I saw a dainty violet
In bloom upon the hill,
Close by the bubbling streamlet
That turned the village mill.
One day a naughty urchin
Came wandering 'long that way,
And plucked the dainty violet
And dropped it on the clay.
The plant that bore the blossom
Died for its stolen child,
The leaves in sadness bent their heads,
The restless stream grew mild;
But what is that to you or me?
Such little griefs must always be.

I knew a little maiden,
Who was so kind and true,
But sorrow met and claimed her,
And how, I'll tell to you.
I know you'll call her foolish,
And say she might have known;
But let me tell you, reader,
The blossom bud was gone;
And now I think my story
I scarcely need to tell.
For if a maiden's heart can heal
Flowers can rebloom as well.
But what is that to you or me?
Such trifling griefs must always be.

And what is it to this great world
If we are grave or gay?
It will not vanish when we're gone,
Or tarry when we stay;
Our easy sail will doubtless cease
And ill winds drive ashore
And leave us there a stranded wreck—
It cannot harm us more.
The violets by the bubbling stream,
The maiden in her prime,
They both return unto their dust—
Likewise my idle rhyme.
But what is that to you or me?
Such trifling wrecks must always be.
—Lillie Binkley in American.

Reflex Nerve Action.

Why is it that upon taking an imprudently large mouthful of ice cream one is apt to feel a sensation of violent pain in the temple? The ice cream, when such a big mouthful of it is incautiously swallowed, produces a chilling effect upon the nerves of the larynx, or "voice box," and of the pharynx, in the throat. The sensation shoots back to the center of those nerves in the brain, but there it finds a side connection with the great facial nerve that starts from in front of the ear and extends its branches over the side of the face.

One branch of this facial nerve extending across the temple is a nerve of sensation, while the other branches are nerves of motion, governing chiefly the play of the mouth. The pain from the chill is side tracked along the nerve branch that traverses the temple, and the feeling is likely to be quite agonizing in that locality for a moment or so, very likely involving the eyeball sympathetically. This feeling of a sensation in one nerve when another nerve is attacked is what is called "reflex action."—Washington Star.

The Editor of Punch.

The most important and popular citizen of Ramsgate, England, is Mr. Francis C. Burnand, the editor of Punch. He has a fine roomy old house, with a splendid lawn in front, on the great cliff to the west of the town. From his windows he can see the white breakers on the Goodwin Sands. Mr. Burnand spents part of nearly every week of the year in his seaside house. He leads a regular, quiet country life, riding for one hour in the morning. As is known, Mr. Burnand has a large family. Both his daughters and sons are pictures of robust health. Close to Mr. Burnand's house are the monastery and the chapel of the Benedictines. The chapel is one of the elder Pugin's masterpieces. Mr. Burnand and his family are among the regular worshipers. The eager friendship the celebrated editor of Punch always shows for Ramsgate has made the townspeople look up to him as a benefactor, and he and his family are much esteemed accordingly.—Toronto Globe.

Boiling Water Not a Guarantee of Purity.

It is the custom to believe that the most impure water will be rendered pure by boiling, and that an absolute safeguard against the danger of water containing disease germs is thus afforded. While it is true that boiling will kill the germs of disease, yet the fact has been pointed out by the very highest authority that while boiling kills the germs of a particular disease, it yet, in reality, renders the water more impure than it was before, because by the very death of these germs dead organic matter is allowed to remain in the water, which is shortly polluted by putrefaction. Hence, while boiling is a most excellent precaution against the occurrence of typhoid fever or similar diseases, it must be borne in mind that the water is not necessarily purified, but that simply the power to produce a specific disease is removed.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

European Pottery in Africa.

A strange discovery was made at one of the towns on the upper Niger by Commander Davoust and his comrades. They found a piece of evidently very old European pottery. It was fixed upn the summit of a mosque, and the Mohammedan natives told the travelers that it had been given to them near the beginning of this century by a white man who was going down the river. From all the information the travelers collected they could reach no other conclusion than that the donor of this little vase was Mungo Park, the pioneer of African exploration in the past hundred years.—Exchange.

A Most Wonderful Baby.

In 1721 there was born at Lubeck, Germany, one of the most remarkable characters ever known in the history of the world, or, perhaps, that will ever be known in all times to come, little Christian Henry Heinecken, who could pronounce every word contained in the German language when but 9½ months old. When 1 year of age he knew all the leading events in the world's history and was as familiar with Pentateuch as most modern professors are supposed to be with their first text book. At 14 months he could give a complete history of every book in both the Old and New Testament; at 2 years 6 months he could answer any question in geography and ancient history. He could hold conversation with the learned savants in German, French, Latin and Dutch when ending the third year of his life, which terminated a few months later by his death in 1725, in the fourth year of his age.

In the few short weeks allotted to him, little Henry was baby, boy, youth, man and gray beard; learning more in that short time than many of the world's greatest personages have been able to learn in the years of a long life. Just a little while before his death he was called before the king of Denmark, who showed the little prodigy every mark of respect. Returning to his native city he set about studying the religions and learning to write, which, added to his other acquirements, was too much for his delicate health, resulting in his death as above mentioned.—St. Louis Republic.

Civilization of the Peruvians.

In architecture the Peruvians reached a high state of perfection, and the remains of one of their works of art, at Lake Titicaca, are truly wonderful. Their temples were covered with extensive bas reliefs, representing, as it is supposed, certain astronomical figures. They were skilled in making stone implements, but very few arrow heads have been found, which leads to the supposition that they made very little use of bows and arrows, and that their chief weapon of defense was the sling. Besides this, they used war clubs and javelins.

The country abounds in extensive copper mines, and the inhabitants were evidently well acquainted with certain metals, their agricultural implements being chiefly of bronze. They were also skillful gold and silver smiths, and excelled in the manufacture of all kinds of pottery, while the art of spinning and weaving was also not unknown to them.

The tombs that have been found in Peru are very numerous and remarkably well preserved. This is due to their belief in the immortality of man and the superstition that unless all his members were kept together, he would not be resurrected.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Ribbons Instead of Sleeve Links.

Apropos of the things men wear, you must drop your sleeve links and substitute for them a very narrow ribbon, which is tied in a stiff little bow through the two button holes.

This is le dernier cri in Paris, and no end of surmises come up as to how the fashion arose. Most fashions have their birth from accidents, and it is fair to conclude that Alphonse, in a spirit of gallantry, gave his sleeve links to Therese, Elise or Marie, and that she, returning the compliment, drew the pretty little ribbon from her lingerie and fastened together, in a feminine fashion, the cuffs that were linkless.—Philadelphia Times.

The Value of Kangaroo Skins.

Up to 1869 kangaroos were killed and eaten in Australia, and their hides were cut into shoestrings. But an Englishman named Brown in that year discovered the remarkable character of the leather and brought several thousand skins to this country.

He tried to sell the hides to tanners, but they were shy of the novelty, and he had to sell them at a sacrifice to a bookbinder. The bookbinder made triangular corner pieces in ledgers and commercial books out of the skins, and so ascertained the good quality of the leather. It was in this way that the large leather factories were first attracted to kangaroo hide.—Nature.

Determined to Succeed.

Wadley—You have had a good deal of trouble getting Miss Goldust to accept you, haven't you?

Dudely—Yes; but my last scheme can't fail to succeed. I sent her two photographs of myself, and you know two negatives always make an affirmative.—America.

A Sordid Soul.

Jinks—Of all mean, grasping men I think Minks is the worst. I don't believe he ever gets his thoughts off of dollars and cents.

Blinks—What has he been doing?

Jinks—He's been asking me for a paltry $10 I borrowed of him some years ago.—New York Weekly.

Shirt for an Ensign.

When Sultan Saladin died he commanded that no ceremony should be used but this: A priest was to carry his shirt on a lance and say, "Saladin, the conqueror of the east, carries nothing with him of all his wealth and greatness save a shirt for his shroud and ensign."—Dry Goods Chronicle.

Frank Criticism.

Fuzzle—I say, old fellow, how do yer like me suit? Bought it at Bangs' misfit parlors. Great shape, isn't it?

Muzzle—It's the most successful case of misfit I ever saw.—Clothier and Furnisher.

CHINA'S GREAT WALL.

A Missionary Describes the Structure That Was Built 1,000 Years Ago.

The Rev. William P. Sprague, of Kalgan, North China, writes as follows to The Missionary Herald:

If any one doubts the existence of China's great wall let him come with me to Kalgan and see for himself the identical wall built by the first Emperor Chin, in 200 B. C.

Take a steamer across the Pacific to Tientsin, then a native boat up the Pei Ho river three days, then pack saddle or mule litter five days more, through mountains and plains to Kalgan. Before you reach the city you see a dark line along the hill tops just beyond the town, and by the time you enter our compound you see the wall stretching away over the mountains as far as the eye can reach, both east and west, with towers on all the prominent elevations. As we pay it a visit for closer inspection you find it a windrow or ridge of reddish brown porphyry rock broken, not cut, into irregular blocks. These are so well fitted to each other that the outer surface is tolerably smooth and has somewhat the appearance of crazy patchwork.

It is about 10 feet broad at the base and 15 feet high, the sides sloping to a sharp ridge, like a steep house roof. You may follow this wall eastward to the sea and westward to the Kansuh, the northwestern province, and so doing you will have traversed the entire northern frontier of China, 1,500 miles. Though you find several hundred miles of adobe sun dried mud wall, yet other hundreds of miles are of good brick and higher than at Kalgan. By the time you have traced its length you will be willing to concede not only that China has a great wall, but also that the ruler who could conquer so vast a country, drive out the invading Tartars and build a fortification 1,500 miles long to keep them out was worthy to be called the first emperor and to give his name (China) to the country.

If any one laughs at the folly of spending so much labor on such a useless defense let him remember that it was a defense only against horseback riders, armed with nothing but bows and arrows. A few guards on the watch towers could, with their signal fires on the mountain tops, easily rouse the villagers far and near to the defense of their homes. And this well accomplished its purpose for over a thousand years, when the great Ghenghis Khan, with his brave Mongol followers, broke his way through.

This section of the great wall becomes for half a mile the city wall of Kalgan. A beautiful temple is built on this wall to celebrate Ghenghis Khan's victorious passage.

This two thousand year old wall is little known to the world at large, because there is another wall much oftener visited and described by visitors from the western world. It is near Peking, and a far more imposing structure. This is only an inner arm of the great wall, but 500 miles long and not so old by 700 years. It is built of cut granite and good brick, and is 30 feet wide at its base, 25 feet wide at the top and 30 feet high. It is a fine sight as it winds over the highest mountain tops.

How Rothschild Got Rich.

The late Baron Charles Rothschild was one day asked by a friend whom he had taken with him on 'change at his request to tell him the secret of getting rich by speculations on the bourse, as the same people always did business with each other, and it was therefore natural to suppose that the profits and losses would be equalized in the long run.

"Just count the number of gentlemen who are now making the biggest noise," said the baron.

"There are fourteen of them."

"Very good; we will come and count them again in a fortnight."

They did so, and this time there were only eleven.

"You see," said Rothschild, "the three that are missing have been swallowed up by the rest."

"Then how must you go about it if you want to speculate successfully?" inquired the inexperienced stranger.

"As when you are taking a Russian vapor bath—quick in and quick out again—Schorer's Familienblatt.

A Diamond Shortcake.

A wealthy jeweler of this city, while dining in a restaurant, emphasized a remark by striking the table with his fists. A valuable diamond he wore on his finger disappeared with the blow, and though the place was carefully searched the stone could not be found. Soon after the hunt had been abandoned a customer named Spencer was served with a piece of strawberry shortcake, and as he passed his knife through it it struck something hard. With a jocular remark to the waiter in attendance the obstruction was removed, and proved to be the lost diamond. It was returned to the owner. —Providence Journal.

After the Shower.

"Why are these thunder storms like the letter S?" asked Bessie of her brother.

"I see no resemblance unless it be that they make our milk sour," replied Jack, who had "heard it before."—American Grocer.

A writer in an English magazine gives the particulars of forty-two royal marriages, and shows that in each and every case policy and not love brought about the match. No prince or princess has any right to fall in love. They have enough good things without it.

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A Forecast of Pacific Commerce.

The newer west, if it can have no interior water traffic, will nevertheless have—indeed already has—a commercial position of vast importance. Years since a great Russian publicist, Alexander Herven, wrote of the Pacific ocean as destined to be the New World's Mediterranean. It was pointed out that nearly one-half of the globe's inhabitants were on the Asian side thereof, and were therefore its commercial tributaries. The American shores of the Pacific are to be first considered in all forecasts of commercial progress and power. The people who are making Puget sound alive with their activities are surely bound to grasp the traffic of the North Pacific. The men of the Oregon and California coast are not likely to be limited in their industrial ambitions. One of their "captains" holds the Sandwich Islands in his hands, and Samoa will yet, despite the triple protectorate, fall easily under American control—not necessarily governmental, however.

No matter what action British or Canadian statesmen may take, and however vast the sums they expend, it will soon be seen in our national councils that the newer west will demand, and that its growing business activity will compel, the absorption not only of the whole coast from Washington to Alaska, but of at least the northwestern portion of the Dominion. British Columbia and all the rest east of Winnipeg will ere long be looking toward a continental union. The same law of physical unity which has been considered as immediately affecting the newer west and its internal polity must control in the extension of our republic to the northwest. The peninsular of Lower California will finally follow the same directive impulse.—Col. Richard J. Hinton in Forum.

An Easy Victim of Swindlers.

Strangers should be wary of the intimate approaches of a class of smooth tongued swindlers who always infest the river passenger precincts. In Caroline street, a quiet little thoroughfare a short block from the Catskill steamboat pier, No. 33, North river, Wasi Lohi, a Hungarian farm workman of Stockport, N. Y., was drawn into conversation the other day with a well dressed elderly man, who asked where he was going. The Hungarian, who speaks fair English, answered that he was on his way to Stockport to resume work after a visit to the city.

"Stockport?" said the other with an emphasis of delight and surprise. "Why myself and family all go there this evening, too—on the boat now—just sent my things aboard."

At this moment a young man came up, and with a dramatic heaving of his chest and vigorous wiping of his forehead, as if he had been working with a rush, said, "Trunks and everything put on the boat, sir; I'll take my pay now, please."

"Certainly," said the presumed employer, "take whatever it is out of this," handing him a twenty dollar bill.

The young man could not change it; the Hungarian was asked to do this. He supplied two fives and a ten out of his purse of $21. The young man went away as soon as he was paid. Then the old man said he must go and look after his goods and family. And after promising to see Lohi on the steamer went away at a quick pace. It then occurred to the possessor of the twenty dollar bill to see if it was a good one. He showed it to a reporter. It was merely a Confederate note. The man gave way to tears, oaths and other paroxysms of rage and loss.—New York Tribune.

Composes Waltzes, but Never Dances.

Herr Eduard Strauss gave the following interview to a reporter of The Cincinnati Times-Star: "Do you waltz, Herr Strauss?" "Nein! Nein!" The waltz king doesn't waltz. "Any of your remarkable family ever waltz?" "Nein, nein. None valz." None of the Strauss family from Johann, the elder, down have waltzed. "Why don't you learn to waltz, Herr Strauss?" "I do not see how people can go to balls and valz and valz, and sweat so. I would not do it. I don't like it. I no valz. No." The waltz king doesn't like the idea of sweating and winding himself for a little dizzying whirling and the fun there may be in it. This was Herr Eduard Strauss, the conductor of the great Strauss orchestra. He laughed heartily when the reporter asked him if he waltzed. "You are the first one in America to ask me that question. I play so much valz music that people must think I valz. But no, no."

Woman's Column.

Several lady Sunday School Superintendents are winning laurels in Maine, while three sisters are making successful supervisors of day schools. One lady superintendent closed her career with a surplus of $30 in the treasury.

Miss Andrea Hofer, a girl of 20, is editor of the McGregor (Ia.) *News*. She carries on the paper herself, doing all the editorial and nearly half of the mechanical work. She has worked in the office since she was 10 years old, and has graduated out of every department. Her helpers, a boy and a girl, both younger and herself, set the correspondence and clippings. The editorials, notes, reviews, etc., Miss Hofer sets in type as she thinks them out, her time being too precious to write them.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* says that the item going the rounds of the press to the effect that Mrs. Christine Terhune Herrick, "Marion Harland's daughter," is the principal "reader" at the *Century* office, is not true. The *Advertiser* says the mistake was easily made, as the principal "reader" at the *Century* office is a Mrs. Herrick. Mrs. Sophie B. Herrick, who is no relation of Marion Harland's, but who is an exceedingly clever woman, and what is more, a scientific woman of unusual attainments.

Mrs. Alice Shaw, the American belle sifflleuse, as she is called, first discovered her remarkable facility in whistling in attempting to teach a favorite bird to improve its voice. A southern friend presented Mrs. Shaw with a brilliant specimen of the far famed mocking bird, which now and again had curious periods of utter silence. To awaken her little pet from its strange lethargy and almost moping quietude, Mrs. Shaw would whistle by its cage for hours until it was a toss up in the end which could elicit the clearer note, the lady or the bird. From this incessant practice Mrs. Shaw's whistling assumed a firm and sustained form.—*Paris and American Register.*

The servants and mistresses of Vienna have to manage their affairs under the superintendence of the police. The latter keep a "servants' book," in which each girl's dismissal and re-engagements are recorded, together with copies of character given by each employer. This character has to contain the three words, "treu, fleissig, sittsam," honest, industrious and well conducted. A mistress may leave out any of these three words if she finds cause, but few venture to do so. The day after she has dismissed a servant with defective character she receives a summons to the police station, where she has to swear on the crucifix that the girl is either not honest, industrious or virtuous. She is rigorously cross-examined, and if the girl insists with her denial, the visits to the police are repeated over and over again. A written character in Vienna, therefore, means nothing, and misstresses resort to other means of getting information.

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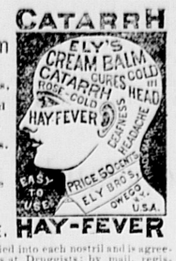

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.50, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.30, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.30, *6.16, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.40, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.00, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.50, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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In Cheyenne's early days the sheriff was one of the most important personages in the country. In fact, he still holds a conspicuous position in most cities of the vigorous, impetuous West.

Some years ago Sheriff Black of Cheyenne was much annoyed by the persistence and determination of sundry suitors for the hand of his fair daughter, Miss Helen.

As is always the case in the mining districts, the male population far outnumbered the gentler sex, and Miss Helen, who was a handsome brunette, would have been a belle among far severer critics than the youths of Cheyenne.

She had graduated in St. Louis, and besides being a gifted musician, was a devout worshipper of nature, and fond of out-door exercises.

Almost any fine evening in summer, a passer-by might hear her rich mezzo voice accompanying her guitar to some ringing "Ballad of the plains."

Unconscious was she of the fact that the melody floated out from the shadows of the cottonwood trees, and mingled with the broad, effulgent moonlight, and that many a luckless youth dated a hopeless love from the first evening when he had dropped in to help the sheriff and the old servant in making an audience.

Miss Helen cared little for the admiration of men, but accepted it as a matter of course, having been brought up among them. She enjoyed herself in a fashion of her own, with her books, guitar, sketch-book and her spirited horse, Wildfire.

Two of her lovers, however, seemed to gain more favor than the rest. In fact, popular opinion was puzzled as to which would win.

One of these was a tall, athletic young Westener, who was as bright and invigorating of presence as the air he breathed, and in whose clear, blue eyes not a shadow of deceit was visible. Handsome, for true, but so sturdy and independent that he impressed one as a young giant.

He was an ardent geologist, could analyze a "find" as well as an expert loved his mountains and worshipped—Miss Helen.

But with all his devotion Joe was a descreet young fellow, and held his curly head up in defiance of mankind in general and his rival in particular, and he had never let the fair Helen feel too sure of her conquest.

The aforesaid rival was a wealthy young mine-owner from Chicago—all that is conveyed by the term, "a polished gentleman!" He had laughed heartily when, on departing for his new home, his Chicago friends had jokingly predicted that he would lose his heart to some western beauty. But here he was, eager to lay his fate and fortune at the feet of the sheriff's queenly daughter.

One bright breezy day in September, Helen cantered off soon after dinner with her sketching materials, ostensibly to make some sketches of the autumn scenery, but really to commune with Nature, the only mother she had ever known, and to decide what she should give on the morrow to her wealthy lover, who that day had asked her to be his wife. She had told him that she must read her own heart before she could answer, and he hoped for a favorable reply.

Joe had been offended by one of her hasty speeches the week before. They were talking about Russell, and she had asserted somewhat warmly that she knew of no one whose society she preferred. As soon as the impulsive words were spoken she repented, but Joe rode away with a look in his blue eyes that had haunted her ever since. Somehow, Joe's haughty head, flung back like a stag at bay, kept looming up before her mental vision, when duty demanded that she be thinking of Russell and his flattering offer.

The hours wore on, and so preoccupied was she that she did not observe the heavy clouds that were rolling black and massive down the mountain sides.

Suddenly a large drop splashed in her face, and she looked about her in alarm. A heavy equinoctial storm seemed almost upon her.

Wildfire sprang forward at the touch of the whip, and literally flew in the direction of the house.

The great clouds came rolling over the hills like giant ogres clad in mist. Thunder and sharp, vivid lightning followed, and then the deluge!

Wildfire dashed on until they came to the creek, and then the girl drew back in dismay!

The creek was a foaming torrent and she could not see the bridge!

Suddenly, she heard a man's voice shouting to her, and in a few minutes Joe, on his tough little mustang, was beside her. He wore a buffalo overcoat and threw a large cloak of her own about her shoulders. She did not wait to ask how he happened to come for her. She forgot that he was angry and hurt. She reached out her firm, white hand and caught Joe's extended fingers, and side by side the two horses were urged across the bridge.

They galloped home in silence, and when they reached there and Helen stepped into the friendly shelter of the broad veranda, she noted the fact that Joe led both horses to the stable and put them up.

Half an hour later, Joe, arrayed in Judge Black's dressing-gown and slippers (articles brought by Miss Helen from the East), was explaining to the rosy, demure young mistress of the house that her father had been suddenly called to the next town and might not return before early morning.

"He asked me to keep a sort of look-out over the place, and when I rode over to ask you to invite me to tea and found you gone, I hastened after you," he said.

This speech over, an embarrassed silence followed. It was broken by Joe, who looked straight at his hostess and said:

"If I am intruding, Miss Nellie, why, just the word and I'll go."

Helen assured him, in a constrained sort of way, that she was glad of company, and went out to prepare the little supper herself, for in those days servants were rare in the West.

After supper, in an awkward pause of the conversation, Joe took up a little case from the table and began examining its contents—a bright, new pair of hand-cuffs.

They were a new kind, just from the East, and Helen began explaining the spring-lock, which opened with a skeleton key.

Somehow, one of the bands was on Joe's wrist, as she slipped the other bright circlet over her firm white hand, when lo! the lock snapped and they were locked together.

Helen blushed crimson and commenced searching for the key in nervous haste. But no key was to be found.

Suddenly the truth dawned upon her. The key was in her father's pocket, and he was on the other side of Crow Creek, which was now a foaming torrent and dangerous to cross in the storm and darkness.

She tried to smile and treat the matter lightly, but it was just the ghost of a smile, and it was a very doleful voice that said:

"I am afraid, Mr. Gordon, that we must break the lock. Father has the key."

Joe felt tempted to indulge in a hearty laugh over their queer situation, but a glance at the distressed face across the table sobered his mirth. A great throb of sorrow came over him. If she loved him, she would not care so much.

He gazed at the shining fetters on her wrists so long and so earnestly that Helen lifted her eyes wonderingly, but dropped them again.

What woman ever failed to read the story that she saw in the honest blue depths of her humble young giant's eyes.

Her confusion encouraged Joe, but there was almost a tremor in his voice as he laid his great brown hand over her fettered one and said softly:

"Nell, if you only loved me I would believe that it was fate that bound us together. I would take it as an omen that fate would grant me my dearest wish. But, Nellie, I dare not hope."

The girl looked up slowly into her lover's eyes, looked steadily, though she still saw that look in them:

"Joe," she said "it is fate."

The cool and cultured Mr. Russell would have marveled had he seen "that queenly girl" sobbing for very joy on Joe Gordon's shoulder, and perhaps he would have marveled still more had he known that at that moment the thought of him and his millions did not once enter her mind.

When the judge returned in the gray of the morning he found an interesting picture.

The lamp still burned in the corner and the fire was smouldering away. On the broad lounge by the fire-place sat Helen and her lover. She had fallen asleep from sheer weariness, and Joe sat like a statue lest he might disturb the fair sleeper whose cheek was so near his own.

The old gentleman's face was a study. When the truth dawned upon him he flung himself into the nearest chair and laughed until he waked the echoes—likewise Miss Helen.

She was at first bewildered by her novel position, but soon remembered the true situation and relapsed into silence, leaving Joe to tell the story.

"And now, Judge," concluded he, "you may loose these fetters with the understanding that they will soon be replaced by more enduring ones. I must not let my prisoner escape."

Helen's father had always liked young Gordon, and his blessing was forthcoming.

The announcement of the approaching nuptials gave Mr. Russell a conclusive answer, and he settled up his affairs in short order and returned East.

The old judge used to tell with great gusto how Gordon won his perverse daughter and how gracefully she wore her fetters after she was won.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

The Only Pure Baking Powder.

(From Hall's Journal of Health.)

We feel it our duty to state that of a number of different kinds of Baking Powder purchased in a neighboring city for examination, the only one we found made of Pure Grape Cream of Tartar, and that did not contain any Alum, Acid Phosphates, or Ammonia, and that was absolutely free from adulterations, was

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The voracity of the silkworm is great, consuming as it does in its life of thirty-five days sixty thousand times its primitive weight.

Woman's Column.

Anna Ella Carroll.

The Century Magazine, during its exhaustive studies of our Civil War, and of "the men who fought and planned our battles," has been brought face to face with the singular historic fact that some of the most important and successful planning of the war was done by a woman. The testimony being indubitable, the *Century*, as a faithful historian, could not ignore a matter of such importance, and in its August number presents the facts of the case, summarized in an open letter.

This brings fairly before the public an important and deeply interesting chapter of American history, hitherto not generally known. It shows how our shrewd and earnest President Lincoln availed himself of a woman's genius, at the time of our great national peril, by enlisting as a confidential adviser a Southern lady whose birth and education had been eminently fitted to develop a strategic genius of the highest order. Miss Anna Ella Carroll not only planned the Tennessee campaign, but also suggested other important and successful movements.

Our Civil War would probably have been brought to a more speedy conclusion had Miss Carroll's sagacious assistance been still further utilized. But enough was actually accomplished by her to determine the result of the war, and to prove that, "in the gravest matters," it is well to "consult the women." It seemed well to the Germans in the time of Tacitus, it was well in our Civil War, it will be well in all our future perplexities, to double the wisdom of our national counsels by availing ourselves of the highest talent vouchsafed by the Almighty to His daughters as well as His sons.

It is to be hoped that the National Woman's Relief Corps will take measures for continued and increased effort in behalf of the claims of Anna Ella Carroll. The corps has presented petitions to Congress, and contributed toward her support, but it should now bring its full influence to bear on Congress to secure the passage of the long-deferred act of justice the government owes this aged and feeble woman.—*Woman's Journal.*

Miss Mattie Shaw lately passed the State examination in Pharmacy at Lansing, Mich., graduating at the head of a class of 104 students, 100 young men and four young women. Out of 3,000 pharmacists who have passed their examination in the State, only twenty have had over ninety per cent, as she did. Miss Mattie Shaw is a niece of Rev. Anna Shaw.

Rev. Mary L. Moreland, Congregational pastor at Wyanet, Ill., lately officiated at the marriage of Rev. Frank G. Brainard, pastor of the church at Gridley, to Miss Effie Carter, of Wyanet. While theologians are discussing what women may or may not do in the church, women ministers are going right ahead, preaching, marrying, burying, and discharging all the pastorial duties.

Mary Davies Steele contributes to the *Woman's Cycle* of July 24th a sketch of Elizabeth Elstob, who was a student at Oxford in the seventeenth century. She was the first woman to study the Saxon language and literature. She was an accomplished linguist, a good antiquarian and theologian, and wrote an Anglo-Saxon grammar and several other books, which were highly commended.

The tax-payers of Shelbyville, Ky., are to vote upon issuing bonds for water-works; that is, the men tax-payers. The Shelby *News* remarks of this case of taxation without representation:

"It does not look just or right to debar women property owners from voting on the water-works proposition simply because they are not men. When a property qualification is required to settle any question, every one, irrespective of sex, should be granted the privilege of a voice in the matter."

Michigan University has honored itself by conferring the degree of Ph. D. upon Mrs. Lucinda H. Stone, of Kalamazoo. Mrs. Stone stands at the head of wise and excellent women whose fine intellectual attainments put them in the first rank as scholars. She has been an educator for more than fifty years, and travelled nearly the world over, taking classes of young ladies with her. She has given hundreds of lectures on literary and scientific subjects, and as a linguist she has few superiors.

The law of Georgia permits married women to have the same property rights as their husbands. There has been a married woman's property clause in the constitution since just after the war, but its meaning has never been exactly settled. There was no doubt that any property which had belonged to a woman before marriage, or which came to her by gift or inheritance afterward, was hers, to control or dispose of as she pleased; but whether after marriage women could buy property, make contracts, and do business in their own right, was the question. The Supreme Court of the State says they can, thus putting women on a level with men before the law in this respect.—*Springfield Republican.*

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Literary Notices.

The best for the ladies, one only needs to look at the September number of PETERSON to decide that it is best magazine for ladies. The fashions are always accurate and novel, and the varied departments are kept up to the highest standard. Lovers of good literature will always find ample gratification for their tastes in the fiction, poetry and miscellaneous articles. This number has an illustrated article on Bamboo furniture, full of useful suggestions and artistic designs, and a paper on the preservation of Autumn leaves will delight all flower lovers. Two serials are running, as unlike as they are original and interesting, and the short stories are all worthy of commendation. "Things Worth Knowing" is for the benefit of housekeepers this month, and Dr. Abram Livezy has an article on children's diseases which every mother ought to read. Terms, Two dollars a year. Address, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

In taking up the September WIDE AWAKE, both the juveniles and the elders will turn at once to Mr. Ward's Andover serial; the chapters in this issue ought to be read in every college in the land. C. E. Garland has a capital story in this number, The Last Baseball of the Season. Preston Lee Otis gives Rijane. My Friend, Ah Ging, a San Francisco story by G. Adams, will interest the boys. The Quest of the Whipping-Boy ends in this number. Four Fire-Buckets is a good lesson for officious little girls. An amusing Tragedy in Three Scenes, entitled She did not go to Cooking-School, by Miss Pollok will be sure to be in demand for entertainments. There are several unusually fine illustrated papers in the number: Helen's Tower, Capturing a Sea-Cow, by Dr. Hard; and An Obscure Hero, by Edith M. Degen. Mrs. White's Business paper for young women, Mrs. Claflin's Margaret-Patty Letter on street car behavior, Mrs. Humphrey's charming article about The English Cowslip, Mrs. Leonowen's anecdote paper about The Little Hohenzollerns, with its beautiful picture, Helen North's unique directions for Summer Evening Diversions—the Cobweb Party will be popular—Miss McLeod's dramatic Acadian tale, and the original anecdotes and short talks in Men and Things complete the prose miscellany. The poems are by Mrs. Thomas Sargent Perry, Mrs. Clara Doty Bates and Ellen V. Talbot; the number includes also a beautiful Motion Song, words and music both by Mrs. Ormiston Chant, and an amusing Puk-Wudjie chapter, The Cone Dance. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston, Mass.

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A curious fact is noticed in connection with the formation of barnacles on ships' bottoms. In the majority of cases there is a much heavier growth of grass and barnacles on one side than on the other, and in numerous instances one side will be almost free from marine growths, while the other is as foul as possible.

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and medicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of other's state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

General Greely, Chief of the United States Signal Service, is perfecting arrangements through the Secretary of State whereby the earliest information practicable will be obtained regarding West India cyclones. Auxiliary stations of observation will be established at St. Thomas, Kingston and Santiago de Cuba, whence two observations daily during the hurricane season will be obtained by telegraph.

What Does It Mean?

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According to the Cologne *Gazette*, the German doctor Alanus, notorious for his advocacy of vegetarian diet, has become a pervert, and has returned to a mixed diet of flesh and vegetable food. He owns that one fact overturned all his theoretical preaching, that after having been a vegetarian for a number of years he suddenly observed that his arteries began to show signs of degeneration.

Is It Safe

To neglect yourself if troubled with any disease of the kidneys? No, it is dangerous; and if you are so afflicted, attend to yourself now. Do not wait, but use Sulphur Bitters at once. They cured me when I was given up to die by several physicians. —Jonathan Ham, Boston.

The companion of Sirius has moved in so near the large star that during the last two years the Lick telescope is the only one that has been able to secure any observations. According to the measures of Mr. Burnham, made last April, the distance of the companion is now just a little over four seconds, and its position angle is almost exactly zero.

"Some years ago Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cured me of asthma after the best medical skill had failed to give me relief. A few weeks since, being again troubled with the disease, I was promptly relieved by the same remedy."—F. S. Hassler, Editor *Argus*, Table Rock, Nebr.

The Prince of Wales, Albert Edward, recently ordered an Axminister carpet made in one solid piece, with twenty-seven irregular projections. The manufacturer who received the order was in despair, but succeeded so well that when it was laid it fitted like the traditional "paper on the wall."

A new substitute for sulphate of quinine has been found by M. Valude in the bark of the panbotano, a luguminous tree of Mexico. Either the alcoholic tincture or a preparation obtained by marceration has remarkable effect in fever cases.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

CAPTAIN EDWIN F. WYER.

The friends of this gentleman are indignant over what they claim was an unwarranted attack on him last week, and they propose to emphasize their resentment by redoubled efforts in behalf of his nomination for the State Senate this fall. If, they say, the apparent origin of the attack had been the real one no attention whatever would have been paid to it; but they have no doubt it was inspired by men of character and influence in this community for the purpose of injuring Capt. Wyer's prospects for the Senate and enhancing those of some other candidates. In this light the injudicious attack is likely to prove a boomerang of dangerous proportions.

Why? In the first place, as to Capt. Wyer's private character everybody knows it is above reproach and any attempt to misrepresent him on that score will be sure to react disadvantageously to those who make the charges.

Secondly, the list of Capt. Wyer's personal and political friends embraces the names of very many of the most prominent gentlemen of Woburn, besides a host of leading Republicans in the State, and especially in this Senatorial District. Esteeming him highly, the effect of such assaults will be to intensify the feeling of these friends in favor of the Captain and induce them to work all the harder for his nomination.

Capt. Wyer fought in the War to put down the Rebellion. He was a good soldier and has a warm place under his waistcoat for the G. A. R. and the members of that grand fraternal organization. He does not make a boast of his Army life, or proclaim his love for the G. A. R. from the housetops. But he is held in high regard by the Veterans. They know him and appreciate his sterling qualities, and so whenever there is a gathering of comrades, a campfire or anything of that kind here or in this vicinity, Capt. Ed. Wyer is generally invited in to take a hand with "the boys." They all like him; they remember that he was a brave soldier, and when they are asked to lend a helping hand to put their friend into the State Senate they are ready to respond cordially and promptly. Especially will the opponents of Capt. Wyer's candidacy find this to be true of the G. A. R. men if such unjust and uncalled-for attacks as were made last week are to be the weapons of future warfare.

Now, the above are some of the reasons given by Capt. Wyer's friends why the charges recently made against him will prove a boomerang. Already they have aroused the indignation of his personal and political friends and also of the G. A. R. men, and these are becoming consolidated for a more vigorous and united pull in his favor. No better method to promote Capt. Wyer's candidacy could have been adopted than to assail him as the opponents to his Senatorial designs did last week.

Capt. Wyer is a man of strong convictions, pronounced opinions, and independence of speech and action. He is what is called a positive man. Naturally, then, he would have enemies, but they are enemies to his methods rather than to his principles. Everyone knows he is a man of the strictest personal and political integrity, that he is concientious in the discharge of public and private duties, and although he may some times clothe his arguments in strong language he commands universal respect and the confidence of his fellowmen.

The inference to be drawn from what the *Globe* reporter said about this matter in last Wednesday evening's edition of that paper was that Mayor Johnson was at the bottom of the attack on Capt. Wyer. It is perfectly safe to deny this, for, in the first place, Mayor Johnson is not that kind of a man; and in the second place, he is too astute a manager to attempt to build up his own cause on the ruins of his opponent. Furthermore, we have only the vaguest kind of a rumor as authority for saying he is, or will be, a candidate for the Senate this fall. Should he conclude to enter the race he would have many strong supporters, if over zealous friends do not drive them all from him before convention day.

But if this unjust attack on Capt. Wyer should result in the loss to Woburn of the Senator altogether some people might see reasons therein for regret at their course. And right here is where the JOURNAL's interest centres—we want the Senator to be taken from Woburn.

THE FIFTH DISTRICT.

Congressional matters in this District are beginning to get lively. With the general impression in the air that Hon. N. P. Banks will not be in the race this fall candidates are popping up all over the District, but more especially in Somerville and Cambridge.

By referring to an editorial extract from the Arlington *Advocate* published in this paper today it will be seen that Editor Parker has no doubt at all but that General Banks has got to the end of his political rope, or very near it, and that nobody hardly seems to be in favor of running him again. In this it is more than likely Editor Parker may be in the right, but it is a question whether he is quite so near the mark when he names Comrade James A. Fox of Cambridge as the General's successor.

There has just been organized a strong move in favor of ex-Mayor Mark F. Burns of Somerville for General Banks's shoes, which move is headed by ex-Congressman Bowman and engineered by many shrewd politicians. Bowman's endorsement the JOURNAL regards as a big thing for Burns. Somerville politicians too have the reputation of always getting there when they set out for it, and there is no sort of doubt but that they are in dead earnest about putting Burns through by daylight this time.

Fox is a very nice man indeed. He has served as Mayor of Cambridge several terms and gave great satisfaction. If it were not that his candidature savors so strongly of the perennial his chances for the nomination might perhaps be better than they are. But Fox is to be boomed as well as Burns, and it is by no means improbable that Tower's friends of Lexington may yet be heard from and with that gentleman's very long and very plethoric purse there is no telling what he may not be able to accomplish in the way of getting to Congress.

It is fair to presume that there will be a plenty of candidates in the field, but it is by no means easy to tell who the man to fill Gen. Banks's place in the House is going to be.

☞ The *Garden and Forest* of date Aug. 13, 1890, contains quite an elaborate article under the head of "White Park, Concord, N. H," in which the writer describes with considerable minuteness that handsome "breathing place" at the Capital of the Granite State. As it is true too that the paper contains much valuable information concerning parks, the location, laying out and cost of them; and it is rumored that the Park Commissioners of Woburn are considering measures intended to supply this city with one or a series of them, we propose to print the substance of the above article in next week's JOURNAL, believing it will please those people who are interested in such things.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

M. F. D.—Wanted.
Horace Dodd—Wanted.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
A. P. Ordway & Co.—Bitters.
Mrs. Jennings—Intelligence Office.
Royal Bak. Pow. Co.—Baking Powder.

— Yesterday the weather was simply perfect.

— Cross street is to have a new railroad station.

— Munroe's new store is completed, and it is a daisy.

— Mrs. and Susie Edgecomb are visiting at Hanover, N. H.

— F. D. Whitcomb has taken the Douglass House at Sharon.

— Bear in mind the grand Leeds's Merrimac River excursion.

— A very capable woman wants work. See her card in this paper.

— Hot as blases again Wednesday after a powerful rain through the preceding night.

— It rained a little through the day Tuesday, but not enough to do any good or hurt.

— Mrs. McCrillis of Denver, Col., has been visiting her old friends and neighbors here.

— Miss Lena Thayer of Taunton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Newcomb of this city.

— Mr. Huntington Porter of the Boston Custom House is enjoying his vacation here at home.

— Mr. J. M. Gerrish and wife have gone on a visit to Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana, and other regions.

— Mr. and Mrs. Faulke when last heard from were enjoying life at the Dunlap, Marblehead Neck.

— Lillie Leslie of No. Woburn has got back from her visit to the Mountains. She was gone six weeks.

— Mr. Fred. Stanley, of the grocery firm of Fitz & Stanley, and wife were at Manchester-by-the-Sea last week.

— H. P. Davis and C. G. and A. Mabel Aspenwall were a Sunset Pavillion, No. Conway, a few days since.

— It came off hot again last Tuesday after several days of cool, fall-like weather. It was a debilitating sort of a day.

— Webster Woodman is the local representative of the Mutual Life Ins. Co. of N. Y., one of the strongest in America.

— The summer wanderers are coming back to the home roost. Autumn is approaching and the pilgrims are returning.

— Next Monday is Labor Day and will be quite generally observed as a holiday. Picnics will be the order of the day here.

— Attention is called to the change in Mr. Willard Smith's advertisement and the low prices at which he offers to sell goods.

— Last Monday evening about 6.30 box 63 was rung in for a fire in Murray's currying shop on Union street. Damage slight.

— Mr. Thomas Salmon spent a very enjoyable season away Down East last week. He reports his vacation as a very pleasant one.

— The Republican caucuses of this city will be held on the evening of Sept. 10, for the choice of delegates to the various conventions.

— Mrs. Eveline and Miss Emma F. Hovey have been enjoying a three weeks vacation at Old Orchard, the queen of seaside resorts.

— The Concert by the National Band on the Common last Wednesday evening was excellent, and an immense crowd were out to enjoy it.

— Mr. A. V. Haynes and family went down to Point of Pines for a bit of an outing last week. Mr. H. said it was all the vacation *he* wanted.

— Thomas J. White, the groceryman, and his wife and Mrs. Maxwell, the milliner, went down to the coast of Maine the other day for recreation.

— Miss Mary Agnew and Misses Mary and Annie Crosby expect to start to-morrow for a trip and brief visit to Randolph where they have many friends who want to see them.

— A meeting of the Woburn Equal Suffrage will be held at Mrs. J. K. Murdock's, cor. Montvale Avenue and Fairmount street, on next Monday evening, Sept. 1, at 7.30.

— Judge Converse and wife, Martin Hayward and wife, Mrs. John H. Hovey and Mrs. D. H. Richards, have returned from a delightful trip at Newport and Cottage City.

— Miss Mary Richardson, daughter of Mr. James C. Richardson and sister of Rev. Ernest Richardson, a Professor at Princeton, expects to return to Atlanta, Ga., in a few days to resume her duties as Librarian of the principal seat of learning in that State.

— The Mr. Johnson who was killed in the Quincy railroad accident and was buried at Winchester, his former home, last week, was a cousin of Mr. Harris Johnson of this city.

— The Woburn Democracy were never in a worse tangle than at the present time. If the Republicans will only keep their eye on the pitcher they can elect both Representatives.

— Dr. Seth W. Kelley and his father, Dr. Kelley, have returned from a delightful trip to St. John, N. B., up the St. John River to Fredericton, and all about there. Both gentlemen enjoyed it in the highest degree.

— The Innitou Canoe Club will hold their annual float and parade on Horn Pond on the evening of Sept. 1. Last year the affair was a fine one, and many hundreds of people highly enjoyed it.

— Chief McIntosh and Mrs. McIntosh returned from Nova Scotia last Saturday evening and reported all well and happy. The Chief and his wife enjoyed the trip and visit Down East very much.

— The Orangemen of this city have arranged to accept the pastor's invitation and attend divine services at the M. E. church in a body next Sunday. It is believed that there will be about two hundred of them.

— Last Saturday morning while answering the alarm of fire from Box 53, it being very dark, Mr. Charles Newcomb collided with a post on the sidewalk at Central Square and hurt his knee quite badly.

— Rev. Earnest Richardson, son of Mr. James C. Richardson of this city, preached in the Congregational lecture room last Sunday evening. His discourse was listened to with much interest by the audience.

— James McGowan got 1st prize at the Blue Clyde Association dance in Armory Hall last Friday night, and William Shields of Malden took the 2nd. Miss Mary Stewart of Somerville was awarded a handsome fan.

— There has been a big advance in the price of beef in the last week—not less than three cents a pound on best cuts of steaks and choice roasts. What is the poor Editor coming to? But the bulk of them are vegetarians already.

— William Sawyer, who has been quite ill at his home in this city, is getting better. He was a member of the Kearsage House Orchestra at North Conway. He is a fine musician and can handle the clarinet equal to the best of them.

— Fire Commissioner Tobin of Boston won the *Globe's* 1000-dollar sword offered to the most popular G. A. R. man, for which he received over 1,400,000 votes. Peter McGoff of this city got 3514, and Capt J. L. Pinkham, Commander of G. A. R. Post 161, got 2554.

— Mr. Peter Kenney, whose health is not real robust, is going to spend a week or fortnight at the beach. Or, he may go to the Mountains. Editor Kenney talks of taking a cottage down somewhere by the shore, and if he does his father, Mr. P. Kenney, will probably help occupy it.

— Mr. A. S. Hayward has returned from a visit away down on the Kennebec which he enjoyed. He was at Augusta some days, went up to Waterville, through Sidney, and all along through a beautiful country familiar to him in his younger days and still remembered with pleasure.

— Lorenzo Winship died at his home at Cummingsville last Sunday morning. He was a tanner and currier and worked in the John Cummings establishment many years. He was a man well esteemed by his fellow citizens, by whom he will be mourned. He left a widow and one son.

— Subscriptions to the building fund of the Scandinavian Evangelical Free Church house of worship are coming in splendidly. Mr. Rosenquist, who is canvassing the city for them, is perfectly delighted with the liberality shown towards the church by our people. It is a good cause.

— Mrs. Mary Jennings, proprietor of the well known and popular Intelligence Office in College Block, this city, has a card in the JOURNAL this week to which we call attention. Mrs. Jennings's office is a principal resort for girls wanting employment and people seeking the best and most reliable girls.

— A building on Fowle street owned by Daniel McMurray, and occupied by Peter J. Meehan and Mr. Henson, was seriously damaged by fire early last Saturday morning. The loss to Meehan's tea store was total and the insurance on all was $800, while there was none on Henson's shoe establishment.

— Thomas H. Hill, Esq., has returned to Tennessee much sooner than he expected to do. His land company are building up a fine, prosperous town at Sequachee, and Thomas is just now engaged in doing a good deal of booming and considerable hustling. His family expect to follow the Esquire one of these days.

— It is said that more than half the Furniture trade of Boston is done by the one house of Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, who have three buildings of seven stories each, with nearly six acres of combined floor space. A walk through their warerooms consumes nearly an hour, but the visitor is amply repaid.

— Mrs. Tracy W. Nichols, of Malta Avenue, left this morning with her two children for a two week's visit with friends at Boston and vicinity. Misses Lulu Parker and Grace Nichols of Woburn, Mass., who have been her guests for the past week, returned with her.—*Ballston Spa (N. Y.) Daily News, 22.*

— We acknowledge ourselves indebted to E. F. Johnson, Esq., the compiler of them, for a copy of "Woburn Record of Births from 1640 to 1873" handsomely bound; and Records of Deaths during the same period. The latter contains epitaphs and gravestone inscriptions found in the old churchyards here which make a quaint and interesting appendix to the volume. Mr. Johnson has been highly complimented on all hands for the manner in which he has done this important work. The record of Marriages will come in due time. Thanks.

— The Sons and Daughters of Maine will have a meeting at 7.30 o'clock tomorrow evening to see about holding a picnic in the near future. A full attendance of the Pine Tree Club and all natives of Maine in Woburn is earnestly desired, for the time, place and other particulars respecting the picnic will be settled by the meeting.

— Capt. Amos Savage of the 39th Ill. Infantry and wife, Capt. Theron Farr of the 5th N. H. and wife, Private Samuel Jones of the 46th Mass. and wife, Private Daniel C. Fletcher of the 46th N. Y., were handsomely entertained at the hospitable residence of Mr. D. H. Richards, 25 Fairmount street, during encampment week.

— Professor F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Lewis Music School of this city, and family are summering at Lake Massabesic near Manchester, N. H., where they are making the very most of life. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis worked hard in the schoolroom through the spring and early summer and richly deserve a quiet, restful vacation season.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— After pulling peacefully and successfully together for 16 years the firm of Moore & Morris have dissolved by the retirement of Mr. Morris. Mr. Moore will continue the business at the old stand and settle up the affairs of the firm. The house have done a large business and made money, and no doubt Mr. Moore will continue a prosperous trade.

— It is reported that Rev. C. H. Washburn, pastor of the Congregational church at No. Woburn, has been tendered a flattering call to become pastor of the Congregational church at Falmouth, this State. We shouldn't think the No. Woburn and Burlington churches would be quite willing to part with him for he has been a faithful preacher and pastor to them.

— Dr. Ephraim Cutter of New York, formerly of Woburn, brother of Librarian Cutter, is at present resting in Holland and will sail for home Sept. 3d on the "Maasdam." He read before the late great Berlin International Medical Congress of 6000 Doctors five papers, and was one of the three hundred (representing all nations in attendance) presented to the German Court.

— Lawyer Titus has returned from a tarry of three weeks at his old home in the Pine Tree State and his family are expected back in a few days. The N. Y. *Sun's* savage attack on Lawyer Titus and his Dakota Land Co. didn't use him up worth a cent, and not only so, but the Co's business is better than ever and its stock has appreciated nearly 100 percent since the *Sun's* onslaught.

— All the trains out from Boston were late Tuesday night. And weren't they full though!—WOBURN JOURNAL. What else is to be expected on a Woburn train?—*Winchester Star.* It was afterwards learned that they were all Winchester fellows. If it were not for the lawlessness of Winchester and Stoneham—principally Winchester—the Woburn District Court would have to shut up shop for lack of business.

— Peter Maguire, who was Pat Tenney's bottling team driver, died very suddenly last Tuesday. He had an attack of bowel complaint and some time in the forenoon went into a drugstore and took a decoction of which rum was the chief ingredient. He then proceeded up Main street when, in a very short time, he became stiff and insensible, in which condition he was taken home, where he died in a very minutes. It was a singular case and ought to be investigated.

— On the night of July 31 the Central Square station was entered, and a small amount of money and 800 tickets stolen. Last Monday afternoon Special Officer Abbott, assisted by Patrolmen Houghton and Hickey of station 3 in Boston locked up Albert E. Perry, 23 years old, and Joseph B. Perry, 22 years old, both living at 1 Leveret Avenue, Boston, and Philip P. Ryan, 25 years old, of 72 Brighton street, charged with the offence. About 750 of the missing tickets were recovered.

— City Treasurer John C. Buck has had some quite serious backsets since our last issue, but he is now considered out of danger and on the road to a speedy and complete recovery. Peritonitis is a bad thing to have and Mr. Buck has had it in its most dangerous form, but a good constitution, firstrate medical skill, and the best of professional nursing, as well as the most careful of home attentions, have enabled him to pull through in good shape, for which his many friends feel that they have reason to be very glad. The JOURNAL hopes to see Mr. Buck on the streets again very soon.

— Mr. Daniel Sutherland died at his home in this city last Sunday evening aged 79 years. He was a native of Maine and had lived in Woburn for the last 35 years respected by all who knew him. A year or two ago he had a paralytic shock from which he never fully recovered but has continued to gradually fail from that time to his death. For 12 or 14 years he was a faithful employee of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Company as machinist, but of late years he has been engaged in no regular business. He had many good friends here who will sincerely regret his death. He left a widow, two sons and a daughter to mourn his loss.

— It is expected that the fall business will begin to show symptoms of revival in the course of 3 or 4 weeks, and perhaps sooner. Our chief dry goods men, Copeland, Cummings and Smith, entertain the opinion that we are going to have a good trade this season and they will in due time stock up accordingly. These establishments with other lines of trade secure more and more traffic each succeeding year from Winchester, Stoneham, Wilmington, and neighboring places, and if big stocks, in great variety, and less than Boston dry goods prices, can still farther increase the business from outside the city, Smith, Cummings and Copeland will fetch it here this fall certain.

— Last Friday a very pleasant affair took place at Clan McKinnon hall in this city and one that will not be soon forgotten by the active participants in it. It was in the nature of an adieu and bon voyage to fellow Clansman Mr. McDonald, who is soon to visit his native hearth in Old Scotland, and also a demonstration of the esteem in which he is held by Clan McKinnon. The demonstration assumed the form of a presentation of a very fine watch to Clansman McDonald, which was a great and pleasing surprise to him. The presentation speech, brief and to the point, was made by Clansman Hugh Murray, and was feelingly responded to by the happy recipient. An elegant banquet was provided by the good ladies which all highly enjoyed. Then followed dancing, music, games, and a general good time.

— Lewis Music School will be removed to a more convenient location before the Fall Term opens. The office will be located in Dow's Building directly over the Postoffice, in Room 3, and will be open for business, Saturday evening, September 6, at 8 o'clock. This change becomes necessary in order to accommodate the increased patronage, which the old location was not adapted for. The Fall term will begin Thursday, September 11. Young ladies and gentlemen who contemplate availing themselves of the rare advantages which this popular school affords to secure a thorough musical education should not allow the above facts to drop out of their minds, especially if it is their aim to enter the classes on the first day of the Fall term. The prospect is fine for the largest attendance next term that this excellent Music School ever enjoyed.

— Dr. W. A. Reynolds, lately a very successful dentist of this city but now of Boston, visited here last Tuesday it being the first time since his return from Europe, for which country he sailed on the 8th of last month with a gay party of ladies and gentlemen from Roston and vicinity. He had a delightful trip through many parts of Great Britain, France and other popular routes and resorts of peregrinating Americans, many pictures of the charming scenes of which, thanks to his trusty "Kodak," he was enabled to fetch back with him. The voyage and foreign travel were "a joy forever" to the Doctor all the time he was away, and now having got safely back he has settled down in his handsome suite of dental rooms at 180 Tremont street where he will be pleased to meet all his old Woburn friends and patrons and as many new ones as may honor him with calls.

— Between 11 and 12 o'clock last Saturday night an attempt was made to burglarize the residence of Mrs. J. H. Cummings on Main street which would have been successful had not some of the inmates heard the racket in season and taken measures to prevent it. Mrs. Cummings aroused her daughter and son-in law and when the latter spoke to a passerby about going for a policeman the would-be burglar, who had prepared some of the windows for an easy entrance, fled. There were marks all around of his presence, but he got nothing. Neither would he have been rewarded for his labor and trouble if he had got into the house and ransacked it from cellar to garret, for Mrs. Cummings took the precaution some time ago to deposit her silverware, jewelry, etc., in Safety Deposit vaults which thieves cannot break through. The family keep nothing in their house which would pay a burglar to make the least effort to get hold of.

— The Woburn Corps of the Salvation Army will hold a special meeting at their Barracks on the corner of Main street and Montvale Avenue next Thursday evening, Sept. 4, to which the public are cordially invited. There will be a parade at 7.30 for which extra instrumental music will be provided, the additional pieces coming chiefly from Boston. It is to be a Jubilee meeting, over which Major W. Brewer of Boston, whose command extends over all New England, will preside, and accompanying him here will be several other prominent officers in the Army. During the evening Major Brewer will present a set of Army colors to the Woburn Corps and will also commission a number of its officers during the meeting. Several instrumental performers will be present from abroad so that the music will be of the best quality. The public will be accorded a courteous reception by those who are to conduct the services and have charge of the meeting.

— If the electric road goes through to Brockton, one can go over all of this part of Eastern Massachusetts by street railroads. The circuit from Boston through Charlestown to Malden, Melrose, Stoneham, Woburn, Winchester, Medford, and so back to Boston, is a long and interesting excursion in an open car on a warm day or evening.—*Boston Transcript.*—Or, if one does not wish to go direct from Medford to Boston over Winter Hill he can continue on to Malden, take an East Middlesex car there, proceed, amid delightful scenery, to Revere Beach, or halt just this side of the Beach, take a Lynn and Boston car, go to Lynn, thence to beautiful Swampscott, quaint old Marblehead, Salem, Peabody, Danvers, and all up and down the coast. He can return to Lynn, proceed straight on to Boston in the same car, or go to Malden by the Saugus route, and from Malden to Everett, Chelsea, East Boston, and the Hub. From the Hub he can radiate all over Eastern Massachusetts by street railsoads, and it is as pleasant a mode of travel as one can imagine.

— In the great East Side coaching event at North Conway last Tuesday, which was one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that has ever taken place in the White Mountains, Miss Alice Champney, daughter of the eminent painter, Ben Champney, of this city and No. Conway, was one of the dozen charming young society belles who filled the Bellevue House coach drawn by six beautiful white horses and trimmed to represent a French equipage. Golden Rod, America's National Flower, was employed to imitate the gilt of the carriage, and the hubs and spokes of the wheels were wreathed in immortelles and Golden Rod. The background was pure white. The ladies wore sailor hats, a variety of appropriate costumes, and carried parasols. They were Miss M. P. Benson, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss E. V. Boynton, New York; Miss A. E. Sawtelle, Washington, D. C.; Miss Alice Champney, No. Conway (Woburn); Miss K. A. Deering, Washington, D. C.; Miss T. Irving, Washington, D. C.; Miss K. P. Benson, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss E. W. Benson, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Clarkson, Buffalo, N. Y.; Miss Mabel Miller, New Haven, Conn.; E. S. Munroe, Englewood, N. Y.

— The No. Woburn people petitioned the Railroad Company for a 100-mile Boston ticket for $12.50—$1 more than the Woburn Centre 100-mile one costs. The season ticket holders were willing to surrender their books provided the Company would accede to the wishes of the petitioners. General Passenger Agent D. J. Flanders was interviewed on the subject by a committee chosen by the No. Woburn people for the purpose consisting of Alderman Andrew R. Linscott, Benjamin F. Kimball, E. A. Pierce and W. W. Cummings, from whom they received the most encouraging assurances. Mr. Flanders agreed with the petitioners that a commutation ticket for No. Woburn at a reasonable price was desirable on all accounts, and he thought with them that $12.50 for 100 rides would be just about the fair thing. He assured the committee that he would recommend such a ticket to the Company, and there is no doubt but that it will be issued at an early day. Our people have learned that, in dealing with the Railroad Company, as in most other affairs of life, "easy blows kill the devil," and are beginning to appreciate and act on the principle of that other wise old saw, "more flies can be caught with molasses than with vinegar," and they are coining money out of their new ideas. The railroad people want to do right by their patrons everywhere and are trying to accommodate everybody at the lowest cash price. They all feel friendly towards Woburn, and if Woburn will treat them well they will treat Woburn well.

The world is made of solidity and fluidity. There are "solid" men and women, "solid" banks and institutions, "solid" hills and mountains, and "solid" merchandise. Then there are thin and vapory men and women, watered stocks and "wishy-washy" goods, which are blown away by the breath of public opinion. Of all the solid, substantial combinations of economy and effectiveness, Brussels soap stands in the front rank in all well regulated communities.

Glad to Get Home Again.

Rev. M. F. McDonnell of St. Charles Church in this city after an absence of several months during which he wandered nearly all over the northern part of this country, returned a week or two ago in the very best health and spirits. It would seem from the following extracts taken from his last Sunday's sermon that Fr. McDonnell is very glad indeed to be with his parishioners once more:

"*My Dear Friends and Brethren:*—You do not know how glad I am to behold your pleasing countenances once more. I reciprocate your kindly feelings.

Since leaving you I have improved in health and spirits as you can all testify. I have traveled many miles—about 6,000—and have seen many places of interest; among others, Montreal, the most Christian city on the Continent; Ottawa, the Capital of Canada; Quebec, the most ancient; and Toronto the most modern and like our American cities. I visited Buffalo and Niagara Falls; then Chicago, destined to be one of the foremost cities of the world; St. Paul and Minneapolis, the two rivals, yet each making gigantic progress; next, Winnipeg, the famed city of the Northwest, and Port Arthur; then Duluth and West Superior, the newest and most wonderful cities I have seen.

In every place I have met very dear friends, yet Woburn is the place I love best because it is my home; and is this not natural, as it is where I have spent so many happy and pleasant years—the best of my life; where I have so many true, substantial friends; where I have been treated with such uniform kindness by all classes of the community since my coming amongst you? I sincerely hope that the cordial feeling may last forever. In my heart shall these sentiments and feelings be treasured up as long as life remains.

I have come to remain and to labor amongst you."

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

There was a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen last Tuesday evening. An order was passed to widen Main street, near the junction of Fowle street. The committee on new Armory reported a recommendation for a committee to purchase a site for an Armory. Accepted and adopted. Ordered that an electric light be located at the corner of Montvale avenue and Maple street. Ordered that the Woburn Electric Light Company be requested to allow the steam fire alarm gong to be placed at their works. An invitation was received for the Board to attend the banquet at the reunion of the 39th Massachusetts Infantry Association, Sept. 24. Accepted. The returns from the special election were received. Adjourned.

Interesting Figures.

The City Assessors are about through with their hard, long job of listing the property and laying the taxes on it for 1890. They have been dilligent in season and out of season, and have finished their task in good time. The following figures will no doubt interest many people in this city and some out of it.

The tax is as follows:

Personal,	$26,512 65
Real,	120,641 85
Polls,	7,808 00
Total,	$154,722 50

There are 3743 male and 164 female polls, 867 horses, 440 cows, 352 swine, 2223½ houses, 7651 acres.

Leathe—Jones.

Mr. Edward C. Leathe of 138 Canal street, and Miss Carrie J. Jones, both of this city, were united in the silken bands of matrimony on last Monday, Aug. 25. The wedding was strictly a private affair, the attendents and witnesses thereto being confined almost entirely to the family circles of the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Leathe will be "At Home," No. 138 Canal street, this city, on each Thursday evening during the month of September, when those of their many good friends who call on them will receive a warm welcome. The JOURNAL wishes the newly married and very happy pair a long, cheerful and prosperous life journey together.

Boston Theatres.

On next Monday Dion Boucicault's famous play "The Flying Scud" will be produced at the Grand Opera House in the brilliant style for which that favorite theatre is noted. In performing this grand piece there are at times 100 people on the stage, and the scenery is simply superb. There will be a Labor Day matinee at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon, and regular matinees on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

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Woburn's Heaviest Taxpayers, 1890.

The following is a complete list of persons who pay a tax of $150 and upwards this year. The rate is $16.40 on $1.000.

P. Elverton Bancroft,	$183 50
O. Bacon estate,	178 29
Mary L. Beggs,	193 30
E. Gerry Barker,	280 03
Baeder, Adamson & Co.,	1,426 01
C. J. Bishop & Co.,	201 30
Eben N. Blake,	843 93
Daniel W. Bond,	202 89
Elizabeth Bryant,	183 15
Jacob Brown,	338 61
Beggs & Cobb,	387 75
Maria R. Bickford,	435 60
G. A. Bean, trustee,	153 60
W. E. Cummings,	205 84
Charles Cummings,	356 75
John Cummings,	633 60
John Cummings & Co.,	1,230 90
Cummings & Chute,	271 17
J. O. Cummings,	270 96
E. Cummings,	999 91
E. C. Colman,	333 90
A. A. Clement,	213 20
Ann Connolly,	285 53
Lucy J. Carswell,	160 05
Dexter Carter,	303 07
T. B. Coolidge,	230 82
Lydia G. Choate,	579 16
John Clough heirs,	235 96
D. G. Converse,	412 86
John P. Crane,	626 12
Carter & Nichols,	270 60
E. C. Cottle & Son,	536 61
M. P. C. Cummings,	440 14
F. K. Cragin heirs,	157 16
Catherine Carton,	166 92
Amos Cummings,	210 23
Celende T. Dow,	2,110 52
S. Dow & Co.,	1,439 63
E. A. Dow,	204 95
A. A. Dow,	739 18
A. A. & E. A. Dow,	330 30
Duncan Leather Co.,	393 60
G. S. Dodge,	233 00
Jacob M. Ellis,	210 06
Ellen T. Ellis,	253 28
Martin Ellis,	219 80
East Middlesex RR.,	156 75
Susan K. Ellis,	154 77
A. Eaton heirs,	206 66
William Ellard,	284 82
First National Bank,	544 50
John G. Flagg,	221 45
Luke W. Fowle,	393 83
Warren P. Fox,	374 91
B. Frank Flagg,	514 99
J. T. Freeman,	170 30
W. Frost heirs,	167 48
S. T. Greenough,	294 44
G. R. Gage,	430 20
Ware B. Gay,	245 85
C. Greenwood, (his residence to wife),	257 34
W. T. Grammer,	275 90
R. M. Gage heirs,	212 85
P. J. Goodrich,	178 54
F. W. Graves,	184 33
C. R. Griffith,	586 38
D. D. Hart heirs,	801 83
C. C. B. Hayes,	160 05
Mary A. Hayward,	150 15
S. Holden heirs,	334 12
E. W. Hudson,	1,215 61
James Houston,	546 15
J. W. Hammond,	257 75
John M. Harlow,	955 70
F. A. Hartwell,	228 05
E. D. Hayden,	531 65
E. D. Hayden, trustee,	1,153 30
G. H. Hutchings,	177 80
Ruth R. Hart,	176 57
John Johnson,	325 72
Johnson & Barker,	321 75
G. F. Jones,	650 45
Emily E. Jones,	176 55
C. H. Jaquith,	159 17
C. A. Jones,	174 08
Joseph Kelley,	717 11
E. P. Kelley heirs,	163 36
Kenney & Murphy,	264 00
C. Littlefield heirs,	300 30
C. Leonard,	154 62
G. J. Munroe,	258 99
Harris Munroe,	386 79
J. B. McDonald,	1,239 51
Maloney Brothers,	174 90
Methodist Society,	191 73
H. D. Murray,	271 11
W. M. Miller,	261 05
J. K. Murdock,	419 10
Merrimack Chem. Co.	1,868 63
B. H. Nichols.	233 00
Charles Nichols,	189 28
New England L. A. Co.	1,695 86
S. J. Ordway,	188 15
F. C. Parker,	204 48
E. L. Pierce,	352 69
J. H. Parker,	163 90
Adaline Place,	343 20
Griffin Place,	223 10
J. H. Park,	223 10
W. R. Putnam,	333 74
Plympton heirs,	281 33
R. J. W. Phinney,	165 48
C. Porter heirs,	200 48
E. F. and M. S. Pollard,	169 95
E. G. Place,	221 93
D. Richardson heirs,	179 52
Russell Counter Company,	561 00
J. F. Ramsdell,	398 42
Richardson Brothers,	340 40
D. H. Richards estate,	181 50
Thomas Salmon,	402 17
E. L. Shaw & Co.,	1,336 50
E. O. Soles estate,	317 38
Mary L. Shaw,	259 05
G. A. Simonds,	224 15
J. Skinner & Co.,	399 10
James Skingsley,	741 68
E. Stearns heirs,	179 03
H. Smith estate,	151 80
C. W. Smith,	160 40
S. L. Spear,	150 15
Jonathan Thompson,	257 75
J. S. True estate,	178 78
Jonathan Tidd,	165 26
P. E. Tenney,	232 18
L. Thompson,	305 18
E. E. Thompson,	280 51
E. Trull heirs,	421 99
M. M. Tidd,	160 40
Unitarian Parish,	254 93
Winn & Lane,	381 15
Woburn Electric Light Co.,	775 50
Woburn Lyceum Hall Ass'n.,	490 73
Woburn Five-Cent Sav. Bank,	924 00
Woburn A. & M. Association,	475 36
Woburn Gas Light Company,	759 00
A. S. Wood,	176 90
S. A. Wood,	165 00
J. R. Wood,	150 22
H. Whitford,	162 05
Warren Academy,	280 50
Woodrough & Clemson,	186 45
M. D. Whittemore,	166 65
Abigail Winn,	200 47
Abigail M. Winn,	771 05
W. S. York,	170 30

NON RESIDENTS.

H. C. Buck, et al,	202 13
Boston & Maine railroad,	3,231 79
Boston Ice Company,	655 88
J. C. Butman,	283 31
E. E. Butman et al,	255 09
G. B. Clapp,	268 95
A. H. Cowdry,	270 60
Sumner Flagg,	193 71
W. H. Ireland,	444 67
Theophilus King,	368 00
S. H. Leathe,	767 25
T. J. Pierce estate,	227 70
E. Reardon,	225 23
Tufts College,	1,028 72
Tufts College and Boston University,	259 05
W. D. Warren heirs,	214 50
Morrill Wyman,	239

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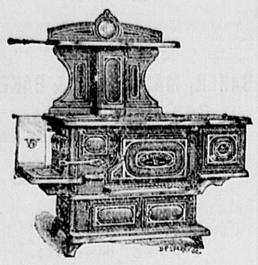

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[For the Woburn Journal.]

San Francisco.

San Francisco was settled in 1768 by Spanish Soldiers and Missionaries, and was first called "Yerba Buena," meaning "Good Herb," the name of a plant that grew abundantly here and was highly prized for its healing virtues. In 1846, when the Stars and Stripes were first unfurled in California, and the Territory claimed by and declared to be under the protection of the United States by the gallant young "Path-Finder" John C. Fremont, the name was changed to San Francisco. In 1847 the first census was taken and the city was found to contain a population of 459. The discovery of gold a year later wonderfully quickened its growth and in 1852, four years afterwards, the population had increased to 35,000; the present census it is estimated will give the city a population of at least half a million. Should the rate remain constant San Francisco will become one of the first cities of the country.

San Francisco of the present day is an exceedingly well built city. The streets are mostly marked by steep ascents, are broad, well paved and bordered by handsome buildings. California street, the "Beacon street" of San Francisco, has some of the finest residences in the country, conspicuous among which are those of Col. C. F. Crocker and Senator Staniford, the Railroad kings of the Pacific coast. Among the most noteworthy buildings in the business portion of the city is the Palace Hotel, built at a cost of $5,000,000. It occupies an entire block, is 9 stories high, contains 850 rooms and accommodations for 1200 guests. Also worthy of note is Odd Fellows Temple on Market street erected at a cost of nearly half a million of dollars. The fraternity numbers over 30,000 in California, and the beautiful building is but characteristic of the prosperity enjoyed by it throughout the entire State. Here are the offices of the Grand Lodge officers. In the building are also headquarters of several other secret societies. Should any of the Woburn Brethren chance to visit San Francisco I would cordially recommend them to call on Grand Secretary Lyons, who as a true Odd Fellow and always deems it a pleasure to extend the right hand of fellowship to visiting brothers in a manner that makes you at once feel at home.

The Masons are now building a magnificent Temple, which when completed is destined to eclipse anything of the kind in the country. This Order is very strong on the Pacific coast, particularly in San Francisco, where, just at the present time, the craft are making extensive preparations to receive and entertain the Eastern representatives of that branch of the Order known as the "Mystic Shrine," who are now en route for California via Washington and Oregon.

For many years in a commercial and manufacturing way, the Pacific coast, through San Francisco, paid heavy tribute to the marts of the East. This however decreased as the country developed and business of every kind gradually settled down to a solid foundation and within the past few years has dwindled to almost nothing in comparison to its former magnitude. Now, boots, shoes and clothing of San Francisco manufacture, which seems to be preferable to both merchant and consumer, are to be found in every town on the coast from Vancouver to Lower California, while some of the largest importing and jobbing houses in the country are located at San Francisco. A larger percent of the insurance business, Fire, Life and Accident, is written by California companies.

The magnitude of some of the financial transactions (the legitimate ones, I mean) would, at first, cause the conservative Eastern capitalist to turn pale and tremble. Most of the banks do a very heavy business and are capitaled accordingly. The leading institutions of the kind on the coast are the First National and the Nevada Bank both of San Francisco. The latter has a paid up capital of $3,000,000 and a surplus of as much more.

The shipping of San Francisco is very extensive, and, as in Boston, ships flying the flags of all Nations may be seen at all times in the Harbor.

The street car system is unexcelled. Over 50 miles of Cable Road are in operation traversing all parts of the city climbing the steep hills, affording the residents of the hilly sections easy and cheap communication with the business parts. A trip over these lines affords the finest views that can be obtained of the city. Notwithstanding the assertion of Bro. E. D. Newton that San Francisco is the wickedest city in the world there are many beautiful churches of almost every denomination, evidently well attended, and presided over by some of the most eminent theologians in the country.

San Francisco is rarely fortunate in the delightful drives and beautiful views that abound in the vicinity. The drive to the Cliff House and Seal Rock is by most preferred. The city is left behind at Bush street and for 5 miles the way lies coastward over an admirable road between low grass covered hills. When one reaches the Cliff and stands upon the broad low piazza of the Hotel, a beautiful panorama is spread out before him. Northward is the Golden Gate through which ships of many a distant port are sailing in and out; southward we see the beach where the waves are ever breaking and weaving their fringe of foam; while westward the Pacific Ocean bares its broad bosom to the horizon for many miles. It is delightful to linger here, and if we wish a contrast to the sea and sky it is close at hand in the strange scenes that are being constantly enacted upon the "Seal Rocks," where the seals gather and gambol for hours together affording a tireless entertainment.

A visit to San Francisco would hardly be complete without an inspection of that portion of the city occupied by the Chinese. It is easily visited being situated in the heart of the city with a distinct population of about 50,000 natives of the Celestial Empire. Here all the characteristics of Chinese life may be observed as well as in Canton or Pekin. Of a population of 50,000 only 3000 are women and a few hundred children. There are therefore few families among them, and they live mostly in tenement houses where they herd together in a manner unconducive to cleanliness or comfort. Many things about this peculiar people are strange and even offensive, but they steadily win their way to the favor of practical men who want good workmen and know where to find them. The first and most familiar recommendation is that they are cheap, but their employers also assert that they are respectful, patient, quick to learn, and not given to drunkenness. There is little in "Chinatown" from an exterior view to remind one of their presence, from the fact that the buildings have not been bought or built by them. They are therefore just what the landlords make them. A Chinese "Joss House," or church, is indeed a curiosity to a civilized man. I visited one of these places of worship in company (not custody) of a friendly policeman, (whose friendship by the way cost me a big American dollar). Ascending several flights of dark and dismal stairs we come to the Temple where the gods await their worshippers. Here the scene changes and we seem to have been borne to the Celestial Kingdom and be in one of the Temples of the Flowery Land. The decorations appropriate to the place are dimly seen, and the odor of burning incense fills the air (which by the way is very refreshing reminding me of a "Woburn tannery"). Against the wall in front of us is a high platform or altar, upon which are placed the images or other objects of adoration. Before them hangs a large glass lantern in which a light is always kept burning. A large bell and drum is often called into requisition to keep the gods awake and make certain ceremonies impressive. The principle gods worshipped are the gods of War, Medicine and Wealth, "but the greatest of these is Wealth." The Chinese mode of worship is very informal. They do not remove their hats, interrupt conversation or take their pipes from their mouths. If they have anything to offer they simply place it upon the altar, bow low, and retire.—No. 7534.

July 30, 1890.

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(For the Woburn Journal.)

Mount Moosilauke.

The earth is crammed with heaven,
And every common bush afire with God.
—*Mrs. Browning.*

To tread thy steeps, O Moosilauke! is like climbing the heights to heaven.—*Higginson.*

The isolation of Moosilauke makes it the grandest of view points. It is situated chiefly in Benton, a little distance across the line from Warren, and the traveller when going northwest on the White Mountain Division of the B. & L. RR. will see on the right this grand, bald peak. How the eyes linger upon it until the beholder is impressed with the inexpressible grandeur of its loveliness. We recall Whittier's description of this peak as he watched its "nameless slide-scarred crest" while descending into the valley of the Connecticut. In every imaginable way it has a grandeur peculiarly its own. Washington, the crowned king of America's Switzerland, holds its kingship unsurpassed, but Moosilauke towers above the neighboring peaks like a sentinel on duty since creation's dawn:—its lone majesty, and the glories of its sunset surpass description. With an altitude of 4, 811 feet it is the highest peak of the White Mountain group west of Mount Lafayette.

The name Moosilauke is of Indian origin and is derived from two Indian words signifying "a bald place;"—the appropriateness of its title is readily seen. A trip to the summit and its broad plateau can be easily made from the picturesque, mountain-locked village of Warren. Starting in the early morning, the mountain breeze fills us with the joy of expectation, and the buckboard leads the flow of conversation to the extravagances of W. H. H. Murray in his related experiences with the same kind of vehicle. We have a most careful guide holding the reins, and with "Black Dan" and roan "Robert" we pass along the beautiful road to Breezy Point and reach the favorably known Moosilauke House, at the base of the mountain, mid-way upon the stage road from Warren to the Summit. We pass the toll-gate and begin the ascent—Robert and Dan look upward, so do we. In the grass by the rugged path we see the Alpine daisies and mountain cranberry leaves; we pass them unpicked, feeling assured "they are better farther on."

It is in some natures to appreciate success by the measure of their efforts to attain: a flower that would be tossed away in disdain at the foot of the mountain is a most precious treasure when plucked after the toil of climbing; and thus it was with us. The ruggedness increases and the picture upon which we gaze hushes our voices and we drink in its glory; mountain, stream and lake, all pass before us in the sparkling glow of the summer loveliness. "O world thou art wonderfully fair!" Our brave horses are weary and we talk of "Black Beauty" and "Ginger," and put this down as one of the hard days for Robert and Dan. We pass the "Bridal path" winding among the foliage of every shade of green; soon we are in sight of the Bald Plateau, but how far away it seems! What a lonely majesty it presents to us, looking upward! The broad patches of Alpine daisies now look like drifts of snow, and the delicate green mosses between open to us a sight altogether new. If the coloring matter in the cells of the tiny green that grows about these daisies could be red, as in the tiny plants upon the surface of the snow upon some of the Old World peaks, we could behold what travellers consider so phenomenal, "red snow;" but we see rare beauty in the tiny white petals of these quivering gems that cover the plateau of Moosilauke.

We reach the Summit and rain from a cloud into which we stretch our hands patters down upon our heads. In the valleys below the sun shines in summer glory, and in a moment we are bathed in sunlight from a cloudless sky. Such are thy changes, grand old Moosilauke! We would like to abide with thee through cloud and sun; we would tabernacle here above the world, and forget amid thy glory the common things of life. Here, the Tip Top House, kept in cozy, homelike comfort, by Miss S. F. Woodworth, and owned by Mr. John F. Thayer, affords every needed luxury. The view is indescribable. Mt. Washington lifts its kingly head in the distance, showing all its surrounding peaks; Lake Winnipesaukee seems indeed to reflect the smile of the "Great Spirit," and the "Long Rever" of New England we see winding its silvery way through busy marts to the Sound and the Sea and now the peaks of the Adirondacks.

The day is all too short, the sun is sinking 'mid pencilings of gold and crimson, behind the scene of glory, and we must begin our descent of five miles to the base. But Moosilauke, in memory, we'll take thee with us, we shall never part, thy companionship will keep us strong amid the clouds that crowd upon us in life's moments spent upon the plains of duty.

Our buckboard equals any of Mr. Murray's among the Adirondacks, our horses are faithful as Anna Sewell's, and "Amid sunset and evening's glow, and after that the moon," we reach Warren, a happy grateful company and "we lift up our eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh our aid."—J. E. S.

Woburn, August 18, 1890.

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East Woburn.

Mr. William T. Kendall was elected Alderman to represent this Ward (5) in the city government in place of Alderman Golden, deceased, without opposition. The Democrats had no candidate and did no pasting. Mr. Kendall is a very likely man and will make a useful member of the Aldermanic Board.

One evening last week the good people of Ward 5 assembled in Hibernian Hall to welcome back to his home ex-Councilman William McDonough who by press of circumstances over which he had no control had been spending the spring and summer at East Cambridge and gave him a grand reception. It was such a greeting as any man might well be proud of and to say that Mr. Mc was a proud and happy man would be drawing it milder than dove's milk. More than 100 gentlemen participated in the grand welcome and while things were going on swimmingly at the Hall the ladies had taken possession of the McDonough residence and were making free with the kitchen, diningroom and their appendages. The assembly was called to order at the Hall when Mr. William Johnson, in behalf of a committee previously chosen for the purpose, and in behalf of the good and true citizens of East Woburn, presented to Mr. McDonough, in a very neat and appropriate speech, a handsome and costly gold watch in token of the high esteem in which he is held by his neighbors and fellow-townsmen and to show their great regards for him. The ex-Councilman accepted the present in fitting words, and after an interchange of fraternal greetings and welcomes the meeting repaired to Mr. Mc's house where was awaiting them a sumptuous repast which the kind ladies had prepared. It was a fine time all round.

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Burlington.

The fall term of the schools begins Sept. 2.

The Agricultural Society met Tuesday evening. Arrangements for the Cattle Show are being perfected. A long list of attractions are promised for Oct. 1. Lovers of athletic sports should remember the date as well as farmers and those interested in agriculture.

The Republicans of this town are notified to meet in caucuses at the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, at 7 o'clock, p. m., on Saturday, Sept. 6, to select delegates to the State, Congressional, Senatorial and other conventions. A prompt and full attendance is desired.

He:—"My dear, if a husband went as a prize with every cake of Brussels soap, what a demand there would be for it by the ladies." She:—"Oh, they don't give away such cheap prizes with such good soap."

Every father and mother whose children wear shoes should read Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom's advertisement on our local page this week. They are doing a very large business all over New England from their shoe department, which has been secured by selling genuine goods at very low prices.

Is This True?

The press reports state that at a recent fire in Woburn, Mass., both the chief and assistant were absent. This was by no means unexpected, as that city unwisely undertook to run its fire department on methods used by large departments having permanently employed chiefs, and, instead of appointing a chief and two assistants, they appointed a chief and one assistant, both call, and the chief employed during the day out of town. —*Firemen's Herald, N. Y.*

This great hue and cry about the Woburn Fire Department which the papers have been so busy over for months past is bosh from the drop of the hat. The above matter is susceptible of an explanation that could not help but satisfy the most obstinate opponent of the way we run our fire affairs, but it is not worth the time and trouble to make it.

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WINCHESTER.

Theodore C. Hurd and family have got home.

Mrs. M. B. Childs has been down to Swampscott.

Miss Hannah Sullivan is visiting relatives at Haverhill.

Mrs. P. A. and Herburt Nickerson have been visiting Harwich.

The Y. M. C. A. had an excursion down the Harbor yesterday.

Mr. Nourse, the real estate man, is doing a large business this summer.

Mr. Daniel Donovan of Boston is the guest of Mr. Patrick Nelson of this town.

Mr. James T. Littlefield and wife were at the Arlington, Nantasket, the other day.

Mr. James Burns and family have returned home after a week's outing at Oak Island.

A. H. Jameson and Mrs. J. Jameson were at the Monument Beach House last week.

The West Side syndicate are going to put big money into real estate here. Twombly will get considerable of it.

Harry N. and Miss Grace Brown had the best kind of a time at Young's, Nantasket, one pleasant day last week.

Mrs. Henry W. Smalley and Charles Jones found Harwich about as agreeable as anything on the coast on a hot day.

Rev. C. H. Perceval of Racine, Wis., preached an acceptable discourse in the Congregational Church last Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Cutler, Mrs. C. E. Folsom enjoyed views of the mountains from the porches of the Sunset Pavilion at North Conway, recently.

Franklin Gurney who was killed in the Quincy disaster, used to live in this town and had a life insurance in the Aberjona Council, R. A., of $3,000.

Last week Mrs. N. S. Skillings and son, Mrs. H. P. Ayer, and Sidney Snow were registered for a clambake at the principal hotel on Lynn Beach.

Mr. Frank H. Peabody, the popular fruit dealer of this town, and Miss Mary Donovan were united in marriage Tuesday evening, Aug. 19. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. F. O'Brine, pastor of St. Mary's Church. The young couple were well known in this town and were remembered with many handsome presents.

The Johnson family, consisting of Mr. Edward P. Johnson, his wife and son, who were victims of last Tuesday's accident at Quincy, took place at half past 2 Thursday afternoon at the Congregational Church at Winchester. Mr. Johnson's pastor, the Rev. George W. Gallagher of Montpelier, conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Edwin Robinson of Winchester. Music was furnished by the Mendelssohn Quartette of Boston. Rev. Mr. Robinson read the Scriptures and offered prayer, followed by an address by Rev. Mr. Gallagher, in which he paid a touching tribute to the deceased. He spoke of the great loss the community sustained in the sudden taking away of this family, and stated that this terrible accident would teach valuable lessons to railroad managers throughout the country, for this accident would not have occurred had careful men been employed. It is the duty of every company to employ only such men in these very responsible positions. The choir rendered several beautiful selections during the services, and at their close the remains of the devoted family were taken to Wildwood Cemetery in Winchester. The services at the church were largely attended. The floral offerings were beautiful, among them being a tribute from Mr. Lord, Johnson's former partner in Boston. There was a handsome tribute from Mr. Johnson's present partner in Montepelier, and from others of the family's numerous friends. The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers: Messrs. G. P. Brown, J. Houston, J. Russell, T. Shepard, A. Ayer, W. F. Foster, A. E. Whitney, S. G. Pierce, J. W. Rice and H. Lunt. The services were conducted by Messrs. Winn & Kelley.

For State Senator.

In connection with the Republican nomination for State Senator from this District the name of only one person has struck our ear, and that was Edward F. Johnson, present Mayor of this city. It is understood that Mr. Johnson will not consent to run for a third term of the Mayoralty and his friends think strongly of presenting his name in the Sentorial convention, if he will allow it.—[WOBURN JOURNAL.] The convention would make no mistake should it nominate Mayor Johnson for Senator. He is one of the brainiest young men in the State—just such a man as the Republican party and the Legislature are badly in need of. This is a glorious opportunity for the young Republicans of that District, and they ought to make a great effort and nominate him. There need not be fear of his election.—*Winchester Star.*

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Collector's Sale

—OF—

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., August 20, 1890.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1889, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **Saturday, September 27, A. D. 1890,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1889, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

ANNIE M. DOWNEY.—About one-half acre of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Buck street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Buck street; southerly by a private way; westerly by land of City of Woburn, and northerly by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs, by land of J. C. Hodge heirs, and by land of Owen Conlon.
Tax of 1889, $26 66

MARY DUFFY.—About 5,100 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Lake Avenue; westerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; northerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; and easterly by land of Patrick E. Tenney.
Tax of 1889, $35 26

BRIDGET GRANFIELD.—About five-eighths of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Ash street in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by land of Hugh Keating and Samuel Hasty; northerly by land now or formerly of Hugh O'Riley; easterly by Brook street; southerly by said Ash street.
Tax of 1889, $35 26

THOMAS RYAN.—About nine-sixteenths of an acre with buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Warren street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Norris; westerly by land of John Maxwell; southerly partly by land of Gawin R. Gage and land of Nathan Morse, Trustee; easterly by said Warren street.
Tax of 1889, 46 44

HEIRS OF CHARLES UPTON.—About 9,175 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Beacon street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Beacon street; southerly by land of Smith; westerly by other land of said heirs of Charles Upton; northerly by land now or formerly of Albert A. Ferrin.
Tax of 1889, $17 20

JOSIE V. COLBY.—About 11,641 square feet of land and buildings situated on southerly side of Montvale Avenue in said Woburn, bounded as follows:—Northerly by said Montvale Avenue; southerly, easterly and westerly by land now or formerly of Samuel Jennison.
Tax of 1889, $22 36

ADELINE CUTLER.—About three-eights of an acre of land and buildings thereon, situated on southerly side of Fowle street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Fowle street; easterly by a private way known as Sourel street; southerly and westerly by land of Kimball.
Tax of 1889, $63 64

FRANCIS J. MAGUIRE.—About 5,545 square feet of land on northerly side of Conn street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Conn street; easterly by land of one Hanson; northerly by land of one Wall; westerly by land of Jennings, being lot No. 13 on plan of land of R. B. Richardson and Hannah M. Parker.
Tax of 1889, $6 02

DANIEL RYAN HEIRS.—About 5-16 of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Bedford street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Bedford street; westerly by Elijah street; northerly by land of Roger Mullen and easterly by land of one Bowen.
Balance of Tax of 1889, $3 00

CHARLES H. WELCH.—About 2 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Washington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Easterly by said Washington street; northerly by Cedar street; westerly by other land of Welch, and southerly by Salem street.
Tax of 1889, $34 40

CHARLES H. WELCH.—About 3 acres of mowing land situated on the easterly side of Cedar street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Cedar street; southerly by Salem street; easterly by other land of Welch.
Tax of 1889, $7 74

CHARLES H. WELCH.—About 14 acres of land situated on northerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land now or formerly of Sherman Converse; westerly by land of Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, and land of one Quinn; southerly by land of Quinn and by said Salem street; easterly by land of Quinn, and by land now or formerly of Kinsman and Dearborn.
Tax of 1889, $9 46

DANIEL MULLEN HEIRS.—About 10,766 square feet of land and building thereon, situated on the southerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Salem street; easterly by land of Foss; southerly by land of Dow; westerly by land of Eastern Middlesex Street Railway.
Tax of 1889, $49 02

MARY E. MCDERMOTT.—About 18,554 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly and westerly by land now or formerly of Lacky McDermott; easterly by a private way; southerly by land of Elizabeth Kenney.
Tax of 1889, $6 88

MARTIN CONNOLLY.—About 7,576 square feet of land, being lot number 73 on plan of lands owned by Bryant & King, situate on northerly side of a private way leading westerly out of Arlington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Michael Graham and John Foley; easterly by land of Fitzpatrick; southerly by said private way; westerly by lot No. 72 on said plan.
Tax of 1889, $1 04

ANN MCHUGH.—About ⅛ acre of land with buildings thereon, situated at the junction of Carter street and Arlington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Carter street; easterly by Arlington street; southerly by land of Daniel Harkins and Fitzpatrick, and westerly by land of Hardiman.
Tax of 1889, $15 48

PATRICK CADY.—About 3,500 square feet of land, being lot number 20 on plan of lands owned by Bryant & King, situated on southerly side of Bryant street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by lot number 22 on said plan; westerly by lot number 19 on said plan; easterly by lot number 21 on said plan, and northerly by said Bryant street.
Tax of 1889, $3 00

JOSEPH G. DALY.—About 6,000 square feet of land with buildings there on, situated on easterly side of Shields street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Shields street; northerly by land of one Martin; easterly by land of Catherine Welch, and southerly by land of Patrick Daly.
Tax of 1889, $18 06

NON-RESIDENTS.

JANE C. BUTMAN.—About 3 acres of land situated on the southerly side of Hudson street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Hudson street, about 496 feet; westerly by Canal St., about 357.6 feet; southerly by land of E. W. Hudson, about 508.8 feet; easterly by other land of said Jane C. Butman, about 213 feet; same premises described in deed recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1230, Page 495.
Tax of 1889, $111 80

JANE C. BUTMAN, ELLEN T. LEONARD AND CLARA W. FRYE.—About 6½ acres of land situated on the southerly side of Lake Avenue, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Lake Avenue; easterly by land of Boston Ice Company; southerly by the town line of the town of Winchester; westerly by land now or formerly of Thomas J. Pierce and land of Boston Ice Company.
Tax of 1889, $25 80

JANE C. BUTMAN, ELLEN T. LEONARD AND CLARA W. FRYE.—About 7-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Lawrence street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Lawrence street, and land of Lizzie M. Atwood; northerly by land of Edward W. Hudson; southerly and westerly by other land of said Butman, Leonard and Frye.
Tax of 1889, $36 12

JANE C. BUTMAN, ELLEN T. LEONARD AND CLARA W. FRYE.—About 4½ acres of land situated on the easterly side of Canal street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Canal street; southerly by land of E. W. Hudson; easterly by land of Boyd, and by other land of said Butman, Leonard and Frye, and northerly by land of Harlow, Hudson, and Parker.
Tax of 1889, $202 28

WILLIAM E. CARTER.—One building taxed as real estate, situated on land of Ruth M. Leathe, on northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in said Woburn, known as the Woburn Skating Academy.
Tax of 1889, $103 20

ABBIE A. TURNER.—About 4,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 32 and 33, section B, Block 35, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

CATHERINE HURAN.—About 5,300 square feet of land, being lots numbered 17 and 18, section B, Block 25, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 52

PETER J. GRIFFIN.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 5 and and 6, section B, Block 36, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 43

ARTHUR H. GANNETT.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 8 and 9, section B, Block 3, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

CHARLES E. FARNSWORTH.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 39 and 31, section B, Block 35, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, Book of Plans No 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

JOHN O'DONNELL.—About 2,400 square feet of land, being lot numbered 3, section B, Block 12, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 17

ELIZABETH C. DAVIS.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 34 and 35, section B, Block 34, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

HANNAH DRISCOLL.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 22 and 23, section B, Block 2, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

TIMOTHY CALLAHAN.—About 2,450 square feet of land, being lot number 34, section B, Block 4, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 17

R. R. RAND.—About 18,200 square feet of land, being lot number 6 on Ayer plan of Emerson lands, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 5, Plan 23, situated on the easterly side of Nashua street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Nashua street; easterly by land of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation; northerly by lot number 5 on said plan, and southerly by lot number 7 on said plan.
Tax of 1889, $5 16

EDWIN M. WHITE.—About 2 acres of land situated in said Woburn, near the "Measures Place" known as the "Buck Meadow Lot," and being the same premises described in deed of the Trustees of Tufts College et al, to said Edwin M. White, dated November 1, 1884, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1685, Page 576.
Tax of 1889, $1 72

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael Golden, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Patrick Golden, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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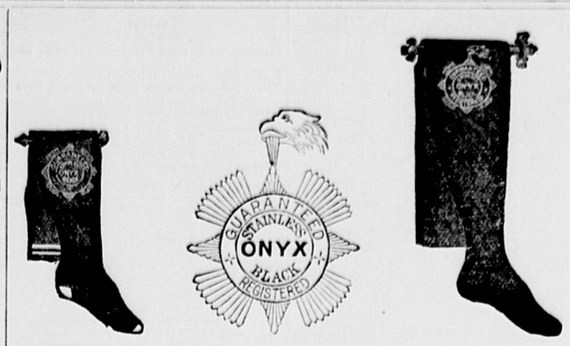

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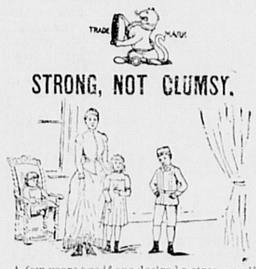

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ENTERING THE KINGDOM.

LESSON IX, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 31.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xviii, 15-30. Commit Verses, 15-17—Golden Text, Luke xviii, 17—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

15. "*And they brought unto Him also infants, that He would touch them: but when His disciples saw it, they rebuked them.*" The two incidents of this lesson—the little children, and the rich young ruler—are recorded also in Matt. xix, and Mark x. According to Mark and Luke the request was that He should touch them, but according to Matthew He was asked to put His hands on them and pray.

16. "*But Jesus called them unto Him, and said, Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the Kingdom of God.*" Mark adds that He was much displeased. Is there a possibility that we displease Him by not being more interested in bringing the little children unto Him? Surely here is great encouragement for the teachers of the infant classes. But in what sense can it be said that "of such is the Kingdom?" It cannot be their innocence, for all are born sinners, children of wrath (Rom. v, 12; Eph. ii, 3), and we go astray as soon as we be born. But see how empty, helpless and dependent an infant is; it has nothing, needs everything; and when we see that that is our condition before God, and come in our helplessness to Him, we shall be accepted of Him, and become children of the Kingdom. As to the safety of little infants who die before they come to the knowledge of good and evil, see Deut. i, 39, and remember that God knows how to make the precious blood of Christ avail for them. The streets of the city shall be full of them (Zech. viii, 5).

17. "*Verily I say unto you, Whosoever shall not receive the Kingdom as a little child, shall in no wise enter therein.*" What, then, shall become of such as will not accept the humiliating truth that "in them dwelleth no good thing," and that "by the deeds of the law (our very best doings) no flesh can be justified in His sight" (Rom. vii, 18; iii, 20), who persist in thinking that if they do as near right as they can God will not cast them out?

18. "*And a certain ruler asked Him, saying, Good Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?*" Mark says that he came running and kneeled to Him. Here is great earnestness, and in an all important matter. Here is humility also. He has none of the proud, self righteous spirit of the Pharisee in our last lesson; but we shall also see that He has neither the deep conviction of sin of the publican, nor the empty condition of the little child.

19. "*And Jesus said unto him, Why callest thou me good? None is good, save one, that is God.*" Jesus knew just how much he meant by "good," and would awaken him to think. His question may have had this meaning, If you believe that I am God, and therefore do you thus address me? When we address God in prayer it is well to use only such titles as we understand the significance of, otherwise we are saying meaningless words, as far as we are concerned.

20. "*Thou knowest the commandments.*"

21. "*And he said, All these have I kept from my youth up.*" He, no doubt, thought he had. He was righteous in his own eyes.

22. "*Now when Jesus heard these things He said unto him, Yet lackest thou one thing.*" Mark says that beholding him He loved him. There must have been something specially sincere about him that commended him to Jesus, who read his heart. A lovely character no doubt he was, moral, amiable and earnest. But what availed it all if the one essential thing was lacking?

"*Sell all that thou hast and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in Heaven; and come, follow me.*"

23. "*And when he heard this he was very sorrowful, for he was very rich.*" Mark says that he went away grieved. He would not follow Jesus at such a price. The cross was too heavy. His own wealth was more real to him than treasure in heaven. It seems strange to the natural man and unreasonable, but it is the law of the Master for His followers, that to give away is to keep forever, and to keep for one's self is to lose forever.

24. "*And when Jesus saw that he was very sorrowful, He said, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the Kingdom of God.*" Riches in themselves are not sinful, but it is hard to have them and not be entangled by them. If we could gratefully enjoy and use for the glory of God the things of this world all would be well; but when the good gifts of God take the place of God in the heart then all is wrong.

25. "*For it is easier for a camel to go through a needle's eye than for a rich man to enter into the Kingdom of God.*" It is said that the small gate for the foot passengers might possibly be entered by a camel, if unloaded, but for a loaded camel to pass through it would be an utter impossibility.

26. "*And they that heard it said, Who then can be saved?*" Perhaps they did not notice that Jesus spoke only of such as, like this man, clung to their riches. In I Cor. i, 26, the Spirit does not say, "Not any wise, or mighty, or noble," but "Not many wise, not many mighty, not many noble are called," and some one has said, "Thank God for the letter M." When we look about us and see the race for wealth, may we not well ask "Who can be saved?" But it is better to look within, or rather ask the Lord to look within us, for His eyes are sharper than ours, and see if there is any idol in our heart that is either keeping us from being saved or, if saved, that is keeping us from being wholly His for His service.

27. "*And He said, The things which are impossible with men are possible with God.*" Or, according to Mark, "With God all things are possible," and "All things are possible to him that believeth" (Mark x, 27; ix, 23). "Ah, Lord God, behold Thou hast made the Heaven and the earth by Thy great power and stretched out arm, and there is nothing too hard for Thee" (Jer. xxxii, 17). His name is Wonderful (Isa. ix, 6; Judg. xiii, 18, R. V.), and He delights to do wondrously. The Hebrew word for "too hard" and "wonderful" in these passages is the same.

28. "*Then Peter said, Lo we have left all and followed Thee.*" According to Matt. xix, 27, he asks, "What shall we have therefore?" It seemed to Peter that he and the other disciples had done, in their measure, what Jesus had asked the rich ruler to do. But they were not rich; they had only forsaken boats, and nets, and occupation, and home, and friends; yet it was their all.

29, 30. "*Manifold more in this present time, and in the world to come Life Everlasting.*" Mark says, "An hundred fold now in this time," but adds, "with persecutions." Matthew adds that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man shall sit in the throne of His glory, they also shall sit on twelve thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel (Mark x, 30; Matt. xix, 28).

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WHY!

Dear heart, why should this coldness come between,
After Love clasped our hands?
Why should we always moan "It might have been,"
Thinking of golden bands?

Was it your fault or mine? I do not know,
Sweet, you could never dream
How I have prayed for light to solve my woe,
Yet never once a beam.

For once I seemed to hold you by some charm;
Was it too small to last?
What was the subtle cause that did the harm,
After our love lit past?

The incense from a lifeless rose you wore
Faint floated through the room,
And stealing to my tortured heart it bore
Symbol of withered bloom.

Why did you come into my life to steal
Its peace, and then to go?
What have I done, this sorrow sword to feel?
Dear God, why is it so?

—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Young Author's Good Fortune.

The experience of Mr. F. Eaton, the winner of The Youth's Companion prize of $1,000 for the best story for girls in the recent competition, is a striking illustration of the successes that are occasionally won at a bound by wholly unknown writers of fiction. His prize story, "Way Out 'n the Prary Kentry," which appeared in the memorial day issue of The Companion, was the second short story he ever wrote and the first one that he ever submitted to a publisher. Mr. Eaton is 33 years of age, married and a lawyer by vocation. He enjoys a lucrative practice at Olean, N. Y., the place of his birth, and is now serving his seventh term as city attorney.

In his fifteenth year Mr. Eaton received a severe gunshot wound while hunting pigeons, which deprived him of the end of one finger and filled an arm with bird shot. At the age of 19 he conceived the idea that a farmer's life would perhaps restore his health, and accordingly he went to Skaneateles, N. Y., "hired out" to a farmer, and officiated as a farm hand for six months. There seemed to be so little money in the farming business, however, that he resigned, and in 1877 began the study of law at Olean. The pecuniary rewards of a law student are not usually great, and to swell his income Mr. Eaton went to Clermont, Pa., and taught school among the miners for a time, keeping bachelor's hall in a little cabin. In 1880 he was admitted to the bar. Mr. Eaton has always been an omnivorous reader, and a great admirer of Nathaniel Hawthorne.—Current Literature.

Avenged His Mother's Death.

A 17-year-old boy, whose mother had suffered death and worse at the hands of Hermanezillo Chavez, a notorious bandit, has been the means of bringing Chavez to his end. Chavez had maltreated, robbed and killed the woman. The boy, when he heard the manner of his mother's death, threw down the implements with which he was working on a coffee plantation, seized his machete and declared he would never do another day's work until his mother was avenged, and disappeared.

Ten days afterward he came to police headquarters, and said he had discovered the rendezvous of Chavez and his accomplices on an abandoned ranch a few miles out from the city. He led the troops to the place in the dead of night. The bandits, finding themselves trapped, surrendered without a shot. Chavez was tried, convicted and shot. —Costa Rica Cor. Philadelphia Record.

Antiquity of the Zither.

The zither is no child of these later days. Quite the reverse. The ancient Egyptians had an instrument which they called a kinnor, and which in all essential points was the prototype of the zither. This was some three thousand years ago, and from that time down to the present there has always been an instrument in the hands of one of the leading nations of the world that was in most respects identical with the zither. In the time of David and Solomon the zither was played in the great temple of Jerusalem, and the ancient Greeks valued their kithara very highly, and the names of Terpander of Lesbes and of Aristonikos of Chios have come down to us as those of virtuosi on this zither like instrument.—American Art Journal.

A Curious Anæsthetic.

A curious anæsthetic used by the Chinese has recently been made known by Dr. U. Lambuth in his third annual report of the Soochow hospital. It is obtained by placing a frog in a jar of flour and irritating it by prodding it. Under these circumstances it exudes a liquid which forms a paste with the flour. This paste dissolved in water has well marked anæsthetic properties. After the finger has been immersed in the liquid for a few minutes it can be cut to the bone without any pain being felt.—St. Louis Republic.

A Heiress' Fortune.

A gentleman waiting to have his portrait taken had handed to him an album of photographs. Hardly had he opened the book when he shrieked and fell insensible to the floor. The album contained a photograph of his daughter, whom he had lost sight of for twenty-one years. She was traced and found to be earning a precarious livelihood by teaching music. She is now sole heiress to a fortune of several millions.—London Tit-Bits.

He Had Been a Boarder.

Sportsman—Why do you suppose the stork is all neck, legs and wings?

Naturalist—Probably that he may be utilized for boarding house chicken fricassee."—Harper's Bazar.

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Then there are certain minute plants, some of them quite microscopic, which grow in wayside pools, and which move continually in whorls or spirals, without any moving influence in the water. In the myriad forms of this minute life the erudition of the profoundest men of science is required to determine whether they are animal or vegetable in their nature. And then who knows whether the scientists are quite right? The moral of the whole matter is that life in the two forms is identical. But what have you said when you have said that? Does the fact of the identity prove that there is spirit in matter, or that animal, human intelligence is merely a phase of matter? You pay the money of your education and take your choice of the two horns of the dilemma.—Boston Transcript.

Bible Significance of Stones.

The Jews, it will be possibly remembered by many, had a tradition that when, on the day of atonement, the high priest asked of the Almighty forgiveness for the sins of the whole nation, if they were forgiven, the stones in the Urim and Thummim shone most brightly; if the contrary, they became black. The breast plate of the high priest contained twelve stones, each one of which represented the tribes of Israel.

Coming down to a later time, there were certain stones which symbolized the twelve apostles. Peter is represented by the jasper or garnet, Andrew by the sapphire, James by the chalcedony, John by the emerald, Philip by the sardonyx, Bartholomew by the cornelian, Matthew by the chrysolite, Thomas by the beryl, Thaddeus by the chrysoprase, James the lesser by the topaz, Simeon by the jacinth and Matthias by the amethyst. It is scarcely probable that these humble men of Galilee, followers of the meek Nazarene, knew of the existence of this symbolism, but it shows in what valued estimation they were held by those who had been led by their teachings.

It is not to be wondered at, since these stones were used by divine authority to beautify and adorn the office of the high priesthood, that something of their virtue should be held to belong to the holy men who taught such beautiful truths to humanity.—Sally Joy White.

Discovery Near Beyrout.

A correspondent writes to us: "An English lady resident in Syria reports the following interesting discovery in the neighborhood of Beyrout. In a village about one hour's ride from the great French road between Beyrout and Damascus was found a bedstead made of gold and silver and inlaid with precious stones. An inscription upon it in English characters states that it belonged to Eleanor, queen of England. The bedstead was discovered in a little recess dug out for the purpose within a natural cave, and must have been placed there for security when Edward I left the east in 1272. The Turkish government has taken possession of the treasure trove, though the prevailing opinion in the district seems to be that it should remain the property of the man on whose land it was found. It would be interesting to know what the Turks propose to do with it. But if the inscription calls Eleanor queen of England the words cannot have been placed upon it before Edward left Syria, as he did not hear of his father's death until he reached Italy. There can, however, be little doubt that the bedstead has been buried in the earth for the last six centuries."—London News.

How Sims Reeves Was Found.

Sims Reeves, the great English tenor, was discovered by accident. When Macready was manager of Drury Lane theatre he brought out, among other revivals, Dryden's "King Arthur," with all Purcell's music. During the rehearsals the musical director was in despair of being able to find any one who could do justice to the solos in "Come, if You Dare." James Anderson, the tragedian, who was a member of the company, had noticed the voice of a young chorus singer and suggested him as a solution of the difficulty. He was laughed at by Cooke. Macready, however, becoming impressed by Anderson's persistency, desired Cooke to try the young man alone. In less than twenty minutes Cooke returned in raptures of delight. Reeves made a great hit and was nightly encored in his magnificent solos.—London Graphic.

A JACKAL TEMPLE.

A Feast Spread and Homage Done to the Animals by Hindoos.

Between six and seven thousand feet above the level of the sea in the lower range of the Himalayas, to the north of Bareilly, lie the lovely lake and lively hill station of Naini Tal. Besides the usual floating population of visitors there is in this earthly paradise a large military depot, or hail sanitarium, where officers and soldiers whose health has suffered in the hot plains of Oude and Rohilkund are sent up for a change of air. One winter day, having been ordered to march a party down to Bareilly, and after encamping for the day I started out to shoot francolin and hares, which are very plentiful in the neighborhood. Before I started my servant, an intelligent Hindoo of higher caste than usual, begged me to return before sunset, as there was a curious "Tamasha," the general expression in India for any show or spectacle, to be seen near camp.

Half an hour before sunset I returned and asked my servant what the "Tamasha" was. "It is a forest temple, sahib," was the answer. It sounded quaint, so I decided, though rather tired, to go and see. A guide was at hand, and off I started, calling to some of the soldiers to come, too, and cautioning them to be silent and do nothing to offend the natives in any way. After crossing two or three fields we came to a great hedge of bamboos, about 100 yards long and very dense. A narrow and tortuous path pierced this wall, which was about twenty yards thick, and then we found ourselves in an oblong quadrangle of high bamboos, at one end of which stood a little Hindoo temple.

It was a simple, clay built, white-washed building, the tall peaked roof of straw being supported on a few old and massive beams, whose projecting ends were quaintly carved. A flight of six or seven broken stone steps led up to the temple, in front of which hung on a little cross bar a beautiful old bronze bell.

On either side of the building a little row of very simply constructed cells or cubicles occupied part of the longer sides of the quadrangle. Before each cell sat a priest, naked, save the waistcloth and sacred Brahman string, and busy with the cooking of chupatties, of a singularly thick and coarse kind.

The setting sun struck shafts of light through the delicate foliage of the topmost bamboo. The priests sat silent and stolid before their fires and cakes, as if ignorant of our presence. Then, as the last rays of the sunset died off the feathers of the mighty hedge round us, there issued from the temple a man of extreme age, clad in white robes, and closely shaven as to his face and head. It was the chief priest, and he began to toll the bell. Very sweet and sonorous was its note. The whole glade rang with the sound, the bamboo feathers seemed to toss in sympathy, and the now dusky thickets caught up and repeated the solemn toesin.

Then all the priests arose, as if for vespers, and moved solemnly and in dead silence round the quadrangle, bearing with them their huge chupatties, which they broke up and deposited on stones and old tree trunks and on the steps of the temple. What could it all mean? Just then a rustling sound and a startled exclamation from a soldier behind me made me look down. A jackal, big and plump, brushed past my leg, with an upward curl of his lips and an upward look of surprise and resentment in the red bronze, gleaming eyes! Simultaneously from every lane and passage in the darkling thicket came other jackals, singly and in pairs and even a whole litter together, and filled the space before the temple.

Soon the feast was spread and the head priest ceased to toll the bell, and then every jackal, on a wave of the arm and a shout from the chief priest, trotted, without rivalry or snarling or confusion, to what was evidently his allotted place and feast, seized the cake in his jaws, turned and disappeared through the wood. There was no fondling of the wild animals, no sign of worship of them, no ceremonial, nothing but this silent, business like almonry.

The rite was over, the priestly office performed, and one by one the soldiers moved back to camp. In vain did I tee and question the priests as to the meaning of this bounty. "It had always been so," was the answer—the best argument and the most complete raison d'etre for anything in the east.—London Graphic.

Stanley's Austrian Admirer.

One day an Austrian enthusiast called and sent in a polite note asking Stanley to fix a time when he might bring forty of his compatriots with him, all anxious for the opportunity of shaking him by the hand. This astute gentleman accompanied his request by a very handsomely mounted cigar case as a souvenir. This elegant little present obtained for the persevering stranger a brief interview for himself, but the hand shaking of his forty friends could not possibly be entertained.—Edward Marston in Scribner's.

COUNTERFEITER PETE M'CARTNEY

One of the Most Successful Crooks in the History of Crime.

The cleverest thief that ever I had any thing to do with while connected with the secret service department of the United States treasury department, said Maj. Thomas E. Lonergan, was Pete McCartney. He was born and raised in southern Illinois, and could not boast any education. Yet he was in every sense a picturesque figure in criminal annals. He was the only man I ever met who educated himself so as to be able to do everything connected with counterfeiting. He could engrave a plate, make his own inks and paper and print the complete note. McCartney had been arrested many times prior to my arrest of him, and had always managed to escape.

I captured him at Venice, Ills., on Bloody island, the famous old dueling ground of that section of the country, which was a little north of East St. Louis. This was in the fall of 1871. I took McCartney to Springfield and turned him over to United States Marshal Routt, who was afterward governor of Colorado. McCartney was charged with counterfeiting United States money and committed to jail in default of $500,000 bail. Negotiations were entered into by the treasury department that McCartney should turn up certain plates for counterfeiting notes, and that in return his bail should be reduced to $25,000. The agreement was carried out on both sides. McCartney gave up the plates and $80,000 in counterfeit money. He had to go to Decatur, Ills., where he had buried it, to dig it up.

During the time that this notorious counterfeiter was out on bail he was arrested in St. Louis, and was seriously shot in the fracas that followed the attempt to arrest him. While in jail on crutches he broke out and left, taking with him four other counterfeiters who were confined at the same time. A few weeks subsequently he was again arrested in Texas. A big reward had been offered for his capture. The sheriff who arrested him telegraphed for the United States officials to come and take possession of him. To make his escape impossible this sheriff and his posse camped out all night with McCartney, but he got away before morning. He was again arrested shortly after this by another Texas sheriff.

To secure him effectually this time this official manacled McCartney's arms and legs and started for Austin. When the train reached Austin McCartney had made his escape. During the war he was arrested on some charge in Indiana and taken to Washington heavily ironed, hand and foot. He escaped from custody by throwing himself out of the car window as the Pennsylvania train was passing Horseshoe Bend. This is the most dangerous point on the whole road. He dislocated his shoulder, but suffered no other injury. Finally he was captured in Indiana, convicted and sent to the penitentiary at Michigan City. He is an old man now, but in his best days was one of the most slippery fellows that I ever heard of.—Chicago Post.

An Easy Place.

A lad once stepped into our office in search of a situation. He was asked:

"Are you not now employed?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then why do you wish to change?"

"Oh, I want an easier place."

We had not a place for him. No one wants a boy or man who is seeking an easy place; yet just here is the difficulty with thousands. They want easy work and are afraid of earning more than their wages.

Will the boys let us advise them? Go in for the hard places. Bend yourselves to the task of showing how much you can do. Make yourself serviceable to your employer at whatever cost of your own personal ease, and if you do this he will soon find that he cannot spare you, and when you have learned how to do work you may be set to teach others, and so when the easy places are to be had they will be yours. Life is toilsome at best to most of us, but the easy places are at the end, not at the beginning, of life's course.—Christian at Work.

Photographing Leaves at Night.

"I was walking along Union square, New York, one evening, and a photographer attracted my attention by placing his camera almost in front of me. I stopped and asked him what he was doing there at night with a photographic outfit, and he surprised me by saying: 'Do you see those shadows there on the pavement? The electric light paints them on the asphalt, and I take photographs of them for a big wall paper company. They thus get the exact shape of the leaf of every kind of tree, and the engravers have nature right under their eyes. Nothing could be so perfect as the leaves which are made by our firm. In the daytime I photograph flowers and grasses for designs in the factory, but at night, you see, the electric light gives me the perfect form of the leaves.'"—Cor. Boston Herald.

A Successful Lawyer.

Mr. Bourke Cockran is said to be outdoing the performance of the late Roscoe Conkling in making money from law practice. Some persons put his earnings in the last three years at half a million dollars. Those who do not admire him suggest that this is earning a living by the sweat of a man's mouth; but we can tell them that no one gets rich in New York nowadays without talent or one of its equivalents.—Julian Ralph in Chatter.

The breath of a chronic catarrh patient is often so offensive that he becomes an object of disgust. After a time ulceration sets in, the spong bones are attacked and frequently entirely destroyed. A constant source of discomfort is the dripping of the purulent secretions into the throat, sometimes producing ineeterate bronchitis, which in its turn has been the exciting cause of pulmonary disease. The brilliant results which have attended its use for years past properly designate Ely's Cream Balm as by far the best and only cure.

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"About six weeks ago I was taken with a **very severe cold**, which settled on my lungs. I tried home remedies, but obtained no relief. My family physician directed me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which I did. I took it according to directions, and in three days I found great relief. I am satisfied that it saved my life."—Jos. H. Turner, Drewryville, Va.

"Two years ago I suffered from a severe attack of

Bronchitis.

The physician attending me became fearful that the disease would terminate in pneumonia. After trying various remedies, without benefit, he finally prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which relieved me at once."—E. Colton, Logansport, Ind.

"I have been subject to bad colds all my life, but last February I got the most **severe cold** from which I ever suffered. When other things failed to give relief, I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and in a brief time I was completely cured."—Chas. Kearful, St. Joseph, Mo.

"From an experience of over thirty years in the sale of proprietary medicines, I feel justified in recommending Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. One of the best recommendations of the Pectoral is the enduring quality of its popularity."—R. S. Drake, M. D., Belief, Kans.

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"I was recently troubled with a dry **cough** which seemed to be caused by an irritation in the throat. My physician prescribed for it; but no relief was obtained. My attention being called to Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, I resolved to try it, and in one day after beginning its use I could see a change for the better. By the time I had used it a week, my cough disappeared."—H. W. Denny, 553 Franklin square, Worcester, Mass.

"Over a year ago I contracted a severe cold. A **cough** rapidly developed, which became so serious that my friends advised a change of climate. A relative urged me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. This medicine gave me immediate relief, and finally cured me."—Alex. S. Nadow, Springfield, Mass.

"Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has cured a disease of the throat from which I suffered for two or three years. I was afflicted with

A Hacking Cough,

which threatened to result in a serious lung trouble. My father, having successfully used the Cherry Pectoral for a violent cough, advised me to try it. After I had used two bottles of this preparation, the cough left me, and I have since been perfectly well."—F. L. Asbury, Pleasant Retreat, Ga.

"I have been 'railroading' for a number of years—constantly exposed to cold and heat—and have never found any medicine to give me such speedy relief from **colds and coughs** as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral."—B. L. Doolittle, 31 Wilson st., Atlanta, Ga.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for thirty years and have always found it the best remedy for **croup**, to which complaint my children have been subject."—Capt. U. Carley, Brooklyn, N. Y.

"When a child, I had a severe attack of **pneumonia**, which left me with a deep-seated cough, until about five years ago, when I took a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and soon recovered my health."—J. H. Smith, Farmington, La.

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Failures in Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and in health. A weak heart is often an unsuspected cause of failure in life. If the blood does not circulate properly in the lungs, there is shortness of breath, asthma, etc.; in the brain, dizziness, headache, etc.; in the stomach, wind, pain, indigestion, faint spells, etc.; in the liver, torpidity, congestion, etc. Paine in the left side, shoulder and stomach is caused by heart strain. For all these maladies Dr. Miles' New Cure for the heart and lungs is the best remedy. Sold by Charles H. Bass.

A metal has been produced that will melt at a temperature of 150 degrees. It is an alloy of lead, tin, bismuth and cadmium, and in weight, hardness and color resembles type metal. It melts so easily that, placed on a comparatively cool part of the stove with a piece of paper under it, it will melt without the paper being scorched.

Blood Poison

is very liable to follow contact of the hands or face with what is known as poison ivy, especially in hot weather or if the body is perspiring freely. The trouble may subside for a time, only to appear in aggravated form when opportunity offers. The great purifying powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla thoroughly eradicate every trace of poison from the blood, as the cures it has accomplished conclusively show. It also cures scrofula, salt rheum and all other affections arising from impure or poisoned blood.

The cars on the Jungfrau Railway, in Switzerland, have movable flaps, which may be expanded by the guard until they nearly touch the tunnel lining. In this way the car becomes a kind of piston, acting in the tunnel as a cylinder, and the air acts as an automatic brake to check the speed of the descending car.

Nobody Knows

What I suffered for years with those terrible racking sick headaches. Life was only a torment to me; if you are so troubled, I would advise you to use Sulphur Bitters, for they cured me.—Clara Belle.

The use of the electro-magnet for indicating the presence of submerged torpedoes or lost anchors has been suggested. The magnet, in connection with a delicate strain dynamometer is lowered into the water and excited by a battery. The metal will attract the magnet and the dynamometer will reveal the fact.

That tired feeling now so often heard of, is entirely overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives mental and bodily strength.

The dog-house of Colonel North, the South American nitrate king, at London, is a perfect canine palace, filled with costly animals. The best dog cost $5250. There is a dressing-room and a cloak-room filled with dogs' coats, and fresh shoulders of mutton make the dogs' daily dinner.

Leading authorities seem to agree that while electricity is an unquestioned success as a substitute for horses in street car propulsion, its use instead of steam locomotives on ordinary railroads must be postponed at least until many more improvements have been made in electric engineering.

The danger of infection from impure water is said to be only slightly reduced by filtration through sand. Bacteria passes through this medium at all times but in larger numbers just after the filter has been cleaned and again after it has been used for some time.

A German named Lilienthal, after experimenting for twenty-three years with artificial wings, has succeeded in raising himself, weighing 160 pounds, with the aid of a counter weight lifting eighty pounds. How to raise the other eighty pounds is still beyond him.

Sheet iron is rolled so thin at the Pittsburg (Penn.) mills that 12,000 sheets are required to make a single inch of thickness. Light shines as readily through one of these sheets as it does through ordinary tissue paper.

Dr. Luys says that seeing through a closed door is possible to a hypnotized person. The optic nerve acquires such power that a man has been known to read a newspaper with his eyes bandaged and to distinguish the color of glass balls through a wooden screen.

The first lucifer match was made in 1829.

Envelopes were first used in 1839.

Telescopes were invented in 1590.

A barrel of rice weighs 600 pounds.

A Chicago Judge has discovered a law which forbids firemen to enter a burning building.

Guttenburg, the inventor of printing is said to have had a lawsuit over his trademark.

The present national colors of the United States were not adopted by Congress until 1777.

France has half as many people as the United States, but her national debt is twice as great as ours.

Cannon cast for the British Government are now fitted with a devise by which the guns can be aimed at night.

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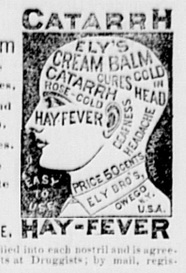

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.25, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.55, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.25, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.20 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.40, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1890.

Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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32	Junction Burlington and Lexington Sts.
34	Junction Cambridge and Lexington Sts.
35	Cor. Willow and Bedford Sts. (Cummingsville)
38	Cor. Winn and Bedford Streets.
42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
43	Montvale Ave, opp. Vernon Street.
45	Salem Street, Walnut Hill.
46	Central Street, opp. School-house (Montvale.)
51	Cor. Green and Mt. Pleasant Sts.
53	Fowle Street near Highland Station.
56	Main Street, opp. Joseph Buck's
57	Conn Street, Bryant & King's Factory.
62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
63	Junction Montvale Ave. and Union Street.
65	High Street, McDonald's Lumber Yard.
67	Cor. Main and Kilby Streets.
68	Main Street opp. Catholic Church.
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The Woburn Journal

AN OUTLAW.

The surrender of Kirby Smith let loose upon the southwest a horde of dangerous men, and by the time the government had established its departments and military posts hundreds of the late rebel soldiery were little better than outlaws. The strong hand of the military authorities soon downed the majority, but there were others who preferred to die in the woods or swamps rather than return to ways of peace. When they had been given a reasonable time to come in, and when it was seen that they openly defied the power of the government, they were outlawed and a price set upon the heads of the leaders. Moreover, small detachments of soldiers hunted them down, and army scouts went out in pairs and had many a stirring adventure. While these outlaws were ex-rebels most of them had been guerrillas in the war, robbing both friend and foe and the regular rebel soldier who had made a regular surrender had no sympathy with them.

In September, 1866, word came into Helena that an outlaw named Bill Traver had taken up his retreat in the woods a few miles below and on the Mississippi shore of the river. Indeed, the word came to us direct from him and was brought by a colored man. Not being able to write, he had to send a verbal message, and it was to the effect that he hated the government, had killed fifty Yankees during the war, and now defied the military force to capture him. William Bastrop and myself, both being on duty as scouts, were detailed to investigate. The order detailing us meant this:

"You are hereby granted ten days leave of absence to kill Bill Traver, outlaw, or to be killed yourselves."

The negro disappeared after delivering his message, and we waited two days before making a move. We were then set across the river in a skiff at night and left to pursue our plans. Traver would be expecting us to approach his retreat in front and by boat, while we proposed to go in by the back door, if at all. He might be in the woods and he might not, although the negro was honest in telling his story. We doubted if any human being could live in the woods at that season on account of the torment of the insects. We had in mind an old cabin in a clearing two miles back of the river. A squad of fifteen of us had once captured five outlaws in this cabin, and in the fight two more had been killed. For this reason no one would occupy the cabin, not even a negro squatter. Whether Traver would be affected by a like superstition we did not know, but proposed to find out. We each had a Winchester and a revolver, with a pack of provisions, and an hour before daylight we were in hiding close to the cabin. When day broke we saw that the door—there was but one—was shut, and that an old coffee sack had been nailed over the only window. These were evidences that the house was occupied by some one, and from our ambush behind a log, and only pistol shot away, we kept a closer watch.

It was about 8 o'clock in the morning when a colored man came out of the cabin and built a fire on the ground and began to cook breakfast. We could smell the frying bacon and catch the odor of the coffee, and we felt sure that Traver or some other white man was inside. It took the man about half an hour to prepare the meal, and during this interval we made up our minds that we had never seen him before. When he had everything ready he went to the door and called, and five minutes later Traver appeared. There was no mistaking him, as he tallied point for point with the description given us. He was a ragged, dirty, desperate looking fellow, and he was evidently in bad humor. He kicked the negro aside and sat down to his breakfast, and for ten minutes he kept up a continued growling and cursing. The negro retired to a log ten feet away, and while he made no reply to the abuse heaped upon him, he did not seem much disturbed by it.

There was no doubt that Traver was well armed. Had he not considered himself perfectly safe he would not have stirred outdoors without a weapon. While he had been outlawed, and while we knew him to be a robber and murderer, we could not kill him off hand. Either one of us could have sent a bullet into his head from our ambush, and we knew that he would shoot us down like dogs if he had the chance. We finally decided to flank him right and left, and hope to get so near the cabin as to cut off his retreat to it when we called upon him to surrender. I passed to the right and Bastrop to the left. He had the best cover. When I had accomplished half the distance the negro suddenly rose up, alarmed by the breaking of a twig, saw me, and uttered a whoop. Bastrop rose up and demanded a surrender, while I fired on the outlaw. In an instant both men were in the cabin with the door shut, and our game was blocked. We dropped to the ground, and five minutes later one passing by could not have told that there was a human being within twenty miles of the spot.

After a quarter of an hour of the deepest silence we moved back until we came together. We had caged our man, and the negro was evidently a bad one as well. We had the advantage of being able to command the only exit from the house, but there was no telling what sort of a dodge Traver would be up to as an offset. We decided to guard the door and window for the day at least, feeling certain that the outlaws had no supply of water in the cabin. That day seemed long enough to make a full week. We were tormented by mosquitoes, had only hardtack to satisfy our hunger, and our thirst was quenched with water unfit for an ox to drink. We were constantly expecting to see the men open the door and spring for cover, only a few feet away, and the situation was a constant tax on the nerves. Noon came, mid afternoon came, the sun went down, and not the slightest move had been made by our enemies. Had we not seen them rush into the cabin and shut the door we should have said that the place was untenanted. Traver, though a desperate man, had too much sense to expose himself to our fire by daylight. He knew that there were at least two of us, and perhaps he feared that we numbered five or six. He had only to wait until night came to get a more even show.

As the sun went down and the darkness settled upon the wood we crept nearer the house, and when we finally got settled it was at the roots of a tree not over twenty feet from the door and directly opposite. While the night was a fairly dark one the door could not be opened without our hearing and seeing. It was our idea that along about midnight it would be suddenly flung open and the men would leap out to the right and left, and therefore neither of us slept. Indeed sleep, with the myriads of mosquitoes swarming around us, would have been impossible. There were times when it seemed as if we would be eaten alive and when we had to lay down our guns and make a fight for it. At about 1 o'clock there was a pounding on the door of the cabin and the thick voice of the negro called out:

"Hey, you white men out dar!"

We did not answer until he had called several times and he then announced:

'Mars Traver ar' dead an' I want to surrender."

"When did he die?" I asked. "Jes' 'bout an hour ago. One o' you shot him dis mawnin' an' he's been bleedin' all day."

I had fired upon him and I felt quite certain that I had hit him, and so this statement seemed very reasonable. After consulting for a bit we called to him to throw open the door and come out, but he answered:

"Ize done afeared you'll shoot me down."

"But we promise not to fire if you do not seek to escape."

"What's de time o' night?"

"About 1 o'clock."

"Den I'll wait 'till dayli_ht afore I cum out. Den you kin all see dat I want to surrender, an' go up to Helena and jine my wife. I didn't dun want to be heah, but Marse Traver made me cum?"

This plan suited us just as well, and everything went along quietly until day was just breaking, when Bastrop suddenly roused up and whispered:

"What infernal fools we are! Don't you smell the rat?"

"No."

"I'll bet a hundred to one that the nigger was giving us taffy. They have dug out under the logs on the back side while we were waiting here."

It struck me that this was the dodge he had played, and leaving my comrade to watch the door I made a circuit to approach the cabin in the rear. The first thing I saw was a pile of fresh dirt close to the logs, and this was proof that the outlaws had escaped. The talk of the negro was a part of the plan to throw us off our guard, and he had probably gone with Traver. My first thought was to advance to the cabin and settle the question, but as I was about to leave my cover I heard a noise inside which satisfied me that at least one of the pair was still there. If so, he would shoot me as soon as I exposed myself, as there was no chinking between the logs on the back side of the hut. After a few minutes' reflection I felt that I had sifted the plan. Traver had left by the hole, not for the purpose of running away, but to circle around to our rear and then creep up and shoot us.

It had now come to be broad day, and I moved swiftly to get back to Bastrop. I had to make a considerable circuit, and as I approached the spot, dodging from tree to tree, I heard the report of a rifle, followed by a ringing war whoop. Next instant I saw the outlaw before me, holding a smoking rifle in his hands, and I took a snap shot and dropped him in his tracks. Next moment another rifle cracked, and I heard a yell from the negro, followed by a call from Bastrop. I advanced to find him sitting on the ground with the blood flowing from his head, and at first I thought he had a fatal wound. An investigation, however, revealed the fact that he had had a narrow escape. The bullet fired at him by the outlaw had raked his scalp and knocked him down, but he had jumped up just as the negro flung the door open to come out, having a rifle in his hands. Bastrop had fired upon him and sent a bullet into his shoulder, and the fellow was rolling around on the earth and howling like a wolf with pain and fear. Traver was stone dead. The bullet had struck him in the head, and he fell in a heap. He had a Winchester, two revolvers and two knives, and there was such a look of ferocity in his face that we had to turn away from it.

The negro was also well armed, but the wound had taken all the fight out of him. He had been with Traver for three months, and admitted to having had a hand in several serious crimes during that period. We took him to Helena, where he suffered amputation of the wounded arm and died soon after.—*New York Sun.*

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This tract of about twenty-five acres has been presented to the city of Concord, and is called White Park for the donor. A Commission of well known citizens has been placed in charge of the work of fitting the ground for the use and enjoyment of the people.

The Commission intends to make the park a place of quiet resort for people who cannot take the time or who have not the strength to go often to find refreshment in the open country. No carriages are to be admitted. No elaborate gardening will be admitted, not only because it is costly, but also because it would be incongruous. She will set aside and preserve, for the enjoyment of all orderly townspeople, a typical, strikingly beautiful, and very easily accessible bit of New England landscape. Would that every American city and town might thus save for its citizens some characteristic portion of its neighboring country! We should then possess public places which would exhibit something more refreshing than a monotony of clipped grass and scattered flower-beds.

The plan adopted by the Commission provides for the enhancement of the natural beauty of the park by spreading water in the lowland where nature made a marsh, by making grassy glades in two or three hollow parts where nature grew Alders and Birches, by planting a thicket of Mountain Laurel here and opening a vista to the Merrimac there; and then the plan leads paths in such directions and by such routes as will best display the beauty of the place while injuring it least. In the opinion of the Concord Commission a path, far from being a chief beauty of a park, is only an instrument by means of which it is possible for large numbers of people to pass through the midst of beautiful landscape without seriously injuring it.

The variety of limited scenery which White Park will present when it is finished is great. Just within the main gate (at the end of the plan on the left) will be a level of greensward bounded on three sides by rising banks, from which hang thick woods of deciduous trees. At one end the banks draw close together, and here is a deeply shaded dell, from the head of which a path climbs by steps to the street. Two other paths lead up from the green by little hollows in the skirting bank to a plateau where Pitch Pines stand in open order, and the ground is carpeted with their needles. A steep-sided, curved and densely wooded ridge in turn bounds this plateau, and beyond it, and nestled in the curve at its base, is a tiny pond, fed by strong springs, and overhung by tall White Pines. Its waters overflow, by way of a steep and stony channel, into a much larger pond, with shores but little raised above the water, which occupies the southern third of a long level through which a slow brook meanders. The shore of this pond, and all the flat land near the brook, is scatteringly wooded with large deciduous trees. Paths reach little beaches on the shore at several points. Beyond the head of the pond a path leads to a "shelter" on a knoll in the midst of deep woods, and thence by a sharp ascent to a high point on the very edge of the park, whence a pretty view will be had of the pond at one's feet and the Merrimac Valley beyond, with the State-house dome in the middle distance and near the middle of the picture. All things considered, Concord is in a fair way to possess one of the most charming small parks in America.

Real landscape art is nothing if it is not broad, simple and conservative of natural beauty. It is elaborate and gardenesque only in special circumstances. Its old name of "landscape-gardening" must be discarded at once if the definition in the new Century Dictionary is correct. Landscape art does not consist in arranging trees, shrubs, borders, lawns, ponds, bridges, fountains, paths or any other things "so as to produce a picturesque effect." It is rather the fitting of landscape to human use and enjoyment in such manner as may be most appropriate and most beautiful in any given spot or region. When this is generally understood by the public and practiced by the profession, parks and country-seats will be so designed as to be not only well arranged and beautiful, but beautiful in some distinctive and characteristic way, as is White Park at Concord

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Nobody Knows

What I suffered for years with those terrible racking sick headaches. Life was only a torment to me; if you are so troubled, I would advise you to use Sulphur Bitters, for they cured me.—Clara Belle.

Russia's estrangement from the Triple Alliance has grown so marked in the last few weeks that it is now decided that the Archduke Charles Louis, heir to the Austrian throne, will not visit the Czar, as had been announced, and the German Kaiser will say as little and get away as speedily as possible.

The long rains in France have ruined the wheat harvest, and the farmers are greatly depressed. Fancy prices are paid for the left over grain of last year.

The most valuable metal in the world is said to be gallium, which is worth $3250 an ounce. Calcium brings $1800 a pound, and cerium $1920 per pound. Gold is worth $240 a pound.

The Portsmouth *Penny Post* repeats the report that Congressman Nute of the First New Hampshire District is dissatisfied with life in Washington and will not seek a reelection.

Under the most intense chemical rays of the spectrum ants are thrown into most violent perturbation, while they go quietly about their business under the color rays.

A soldier who had borrowed a bugle belonging to a musician suffering from tuberculosis became himself a victim to this fatal disease.

The frozen meat trade of New Zealand has developed remarkably. More than 1,000,000 carcasses are now sent yearly to England.

Chicago has a female engineer. For a year and a half Miss Annie De Barr has had charge of the engine and machinery at a laundry in that city.

17 PER CENT. HIGHER.

Royal Baking Powder the Greatest in Strength and Purest in Quality.

From the Retail Grocers' Advocate, N. Y.

TO THE RETAIL GROCERS' ASSOCIATION, NEW YORK:

I have, at your request, obtained in open market samples of six brands of baking powder, and have submitted them to chemical examination. The object desired was to ascertain the total gas-producing power of each sample, under conditions approximating as nearly as possible those existing during the process of baking. The results given below are the average of four different estimations:

NAME.	CUBIC IN. GAS. PER OZ. POWDER.
Royal	136.05
Cleveland's	119.92
Price's	109.27
Horsford's	102.64
Congress	95.86

The Royal is a perfectly pure and wholesome baking powder, and being such, and of higher strength, as shown above, it follows that it is the superior baking powder.

C. W. PARSONS, PH. D.,
Prof. of Chemistry, New-York College of Pharmacy.

From the New England Grocer.

The *New England Grocer* (Boston), after publication of the results of numerous analytical tests of the baking powders of the market, made at its request and for the information of its readers, by Prof. Bennett F. Davenport, Massachusetts State Analyst, and others, says editorially:

"No one can criticise the quality of the Royal Baking Powder. A baking powder which has been before the public for so many years with increasing favor, and which has won such unqualified and impartial endorsements, must be of the highest merits, both as to wholesomeness and mechanical usefulness.

"The Royal Baking Powder Company could not have gained and held the position which it now occupies—the largest producer of baking powder in the world—had it not been for the genuineness, the superlative merit of its article."

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, SEPT. 5, 1890.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The Republican voters of this city will meet in caucus on Wednesday evening, Sept. 10, for the purpose of choosing delegates to attend the State and other conventions, etc.

It is important that there should be a full attendance.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican State Convention to nominate candidates for State officers will be held in Boston on Sept. 17.

THE SENATORSHIP.

Conferences have been held by leading Republicans of this city since the last issue of the JOURNAL which will end in a settlement of the State Senator question in a manner perfectly satisfactory to everybody concerned and for the best interests of the party. The amicable adjustment of the matter will put a stop to the war which has been so long and bitterly waged between the Young and Old Republicans and bring about harmony and peace in the ranks.

The gentlemen who have been instrumental in accomplishing this are entitled to much credit for their good offices for the Republican party of this city and for the marked success which has rewarded their efforts at reconciliation between the warring factions. They are staunch personal friends of both Mayor Johnston and Capt. Wyer, are Republicans who have the best interests of the party at heart, and their good work in settling this vexed Senatorial question so satisfactorily will not be allowed very soon to pass out of the recollection of their political associates.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE.

One of the Republican candidates, or more properly speaking, aspirants, for Secretary of State is Willard Howland, Esq., and it is reasonable to suppose that the people of Woburn will take a lively interest in his canvass. The reason why this is probable is because Mr. Howland once lived here and went out from here to get an education. Many of our people remember him well.

He made his way in life single-handed and alone, and by industry, perseverance, and temperance, united to a good brain, he has risen to eminence as a Boston lawyer. He occupies an enviable stand in the front ranks of the legal profession

Mr. Howland is as well qualified for a proper discharge of the duties of the important office of Secretary of State as any man in the Commonwealth probably, and it is gratifying to know that his chances for the nomination are brighter than those of any one who has been named as his opponant.

GEN. BANKS'S PROSPECTS LOOK BRIGHTER.

It cannot be winked out of sight that General Banks has a great deal of able backing in this District, nor that scores and hundreds of active and determined political workers are doing all that lies in their power to compass his re-election.

The smart contest that is going on between the Fox and Burns parties strengthens Gen. Bank's chances for another nomination, and everyone of these chances is being improved for all it is worth.

Gen. Banks has given out word that he is in the field. His friends say he hasn't been out of it. And now if the Fox and Burns people will only keep on fighting the old General can reasonably count on one more term in Congress at least.

☞ If he should be a candidate again it is quite likely the opposition to the re-election of Charlie A. Jones, Esq., for Representative to the Legislature will not amount to very much this fall. He made a good record last winter.

There will doubtless be quite a fight to prevent the re-election of David F. Morsland, Esq., but it will be made by factions in his own political party rather than by the Republicans who, it is not to be presemed, will resort to any extraordinary means to defeat him.

☞ With the compliments of David T. Day we have received numbers 8 and 10 of the "Census Bulletin" of date Aug. 8 and 22, which contain "Mines and Mining—Slate," and "Mines and Mining—Quicksilver." Mr. Day, who has the supervision of this branch of statistics connected with the Census, will please accept our thanks for the favors.

☞ The Fair of the Mass. Charitable Mechanic Association will begin on Oct. 1, and continue to Nov. 30. Extraordinary efforts will be put forth to make it the best the Association have ever held.

☞ The most comical thing we have seen of late in journalism was the nomition by the Boston *Democrat* of George Fred Williams for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.—*Waltham Free Press.*

We should say as much!

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

M. Shedd—Citation.
M. L. Bancroft—Music.
C. M. Munroe—Clothing.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Five Cents Sav. Bank—Officers.
Evans & Dean—Dressmaking.
Miss Whittemore—Ashley Hall.
W. K.—"Complete Combustion."
F. H. Lewis—Lewis Music School.
Popular Dry Goods Co.—Dry Goods.
Royal Baking Powder Co.—Baking Powder.

— Local politics are going to be awful hot here this fall.

— Capt. W. H. Mathews and wife have returned.

— Miss P. T. Curtis enjoyed her outing at Hull.

— Read advertisement of "Complete Combustion" in this paper.

— Mayor Johnston is expected to return from a trip up North to-day.

— Mr. F. A. Flint is expected home from Camden, Me., to-day or to-morrow.

— Mrs. Ellen Crehan of St. Louis has been enjoying a visit among friends here.

— The Street Commissioner has a gang of men macadamizing Main street.

— Walter Poole of North Woburn is visiting the poets' paradise, North Conway.

— We have been blessed with considerable typical September weather this week.

— The Woburn Brass Band played for the great Labor parade in Boston last Monday.

— Richard Morris and wife were guests at the Belmont, Old Orchard, a few days ago.

— A few days ago Richard Hawkes was seriously burned at the Merrimac Chemical Works.

— The sessions of the Unitarian Sunday School will be resumed Sunday Sept. 7, at 12 M.

— Prior's auctioneer sign is about the neatest thing of the kind we have seen this summer.

— Mrs. James Walker of Church Ave. has gone to Lewiston, Me., to visit her daughter.

— Auditor Blodgett will please accept thanks for a copy of his Financial Statement for August.

— Mrs. and Miss Margeret Falcke took a great deal of solid comfort at Marblehead Neck last week.

— A wedding is imminent among the Woburn journalists. The happy event will come off very soon.

— Business is starting in again after vacation. For proof see the advertising columns of the JOURNAL.

— Editor Kenney of the *Globe* and family are at the Arlington, Nantasket. Mr. Peter Kenney is also there.

— Edward Caldwell, the enterprising furniture manufacturer and dealer, has been cooling off down in Maine.

— Holdridge is doing a good business in hardware, tinware, stoves (especially oil) farming tools, etc.

— Friend Warren Teel of Davenport, Iowa, will please accept our thanks for files of Western newspapers.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave a splended concert to a big audience on the Common last Wednesday evening.

— We publish a list officers, trustees, etc., of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, which is required by law.

— With the close of this day ends the reign of the Dog Star for 1890. Its sway has not been oppressive this year.

— The Republican caucuses to select delegates to the various conventions will be held on Wednesday evening, Sept. 10.

— The name of Miss E. F. Davis graced the hotel register of the popular Sea Shore House, Old Orchard, recently.

— The public schools in this city will resume business next Monday, which don't suit some of the youngsters very well.

— The Fiske at Old Orchard was the tavern at which I. W. Ingerson and Chauncy B. Conn put up a few days ago.

— Police Officers made a descent on the residence of W. C. Perrigo last Sunday for liquor a quantity of which they seized.

— Attention is called to the card of Miss Evans and Miss Dean in this paper. They are skilled dressmakers and cutters.

— There are men in this city who say Mr. Thomas Salmon will be our next Mayor and are not afraid to risk money on it.

— Officer McDermott will be the next and last member of the Police force to take a vacation. He will go in a few days.

— Mr. E. A. Tufts, an estimable citizen of the West Side, went to Providence, R. I., last Saturday on a vacation visit.

— Judge Converse resumed his duties on the Bench of the Fourth District Court last Tuesday—perhaps it was Monday.

— Agents wishing positions see advertisement of the New York Life Ins. Co., 1st National Bank Building. Salaries guaranteed.

— C. E. Smith's professional carriage commands much public attention. It is a beauty, and the painting on it cannot well be excelled.

— Rev. Daniel D. Winn, pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city, occupied the pulpit there last Sunday for the first time since his vacation.

— The Democratic City Committee are trying to heal up some of the breaches in the Democratic party here. They are not making much headway.

— Miss Maggie McKay, senior type-picker in the JOURNAL office, is taking her vacation this week, and the proprietor is boss of the shop once more.

— Mr. John I. Munroe, real estate broker and agent, has sold the Flagg property on Vernon street for Dr. J. M. Harlow to W. C. Foster of Somerville.

— Gentle Reader, please read Miss Whittemore's notice concerning Ashley Hall, which is destined to become a celebrated Boarding School. More anon.

— Messrs. B. A. Tripp and C. E. Tripp of this city attended the banquet of the New England Undertakers Association in Boston last Wednesday evening.

— Mr. George Beggs, member of the Common Council, and family have been to the Isles of Shoals, one of the most delightful and popular resorts on the coast.

— Rev. W. S. Barnes, the old and highly revered pastor of the Unitarian Church, now of Montreal, has been visiting his old friends and former flock here.

— The list of tax-payers foolishly printed by the local papers every year are never more than approximately correct. Absolute accuracy is out of the question.

— The weather last Sunday was delicious. There was no excuse for people staying away from church or nodding over the hymn-books after getting there.

— A little daughter of Mr. Guinney fell from a hammock on Buckman street last Sunday and dislocated one of its arms. Dr. Kelley was called in and set the limb.

— Auctioneer Gregory has had recently placed in his hands, for sale, about $25,000 worth of real estate, situated in and immediately adjoining the centre of the city.

— The following Woburn people sampled the excellent fare at the Sea Shore House, Old Orchard, last week: F. F. Hopkins, Frank B. Dodge, F. H. Davis, G. M. Bancroft.

— Officer Thomas Mulkeen enjoyed the major part of his annual outing at Providence, as usual. Thomas and the Capital of R. I. seem to have a strong affinity for each other.

— The National Band played for O'Connell Assembly of Charlestown in the Boston Labor Parade last Monday, and in the afternoon played for a Military parade at Stoneham.

— Mr. Chester Smith is all carried away with Lubec, Maine, and adjacent coast, and means to boom it next summer for all there is out. He enjoyed his visit down there very much.

— The small folks of the Congregational Sunday School picnicked on the residence grounds of Organist Clarke in the edge of Reading last Wednesday. They went over in barges.

— The City Council Committee on Buildings have awarded the contract for heating and ventilating apparatus for the Union street school building to the Magee Furnace Co. for $1,390.

— The Aquidneck House, Newport, entertained a gay party recently composed of Judge P. L. Converse, Mrs. Converse, Mrs. E. B. Blanchard, Bertha Stevens and Mrs. R. Bullard.

— J. B. McDonald has gone down to Blue Hill Bay, a beautiful place on the coast of Maine, where his family have been staying for some weeks and enjoying themselves very much indeed.

— The Orangemen made a fine appearance in going and returning from the M. E. Church last Sunday where by invitation they listened to a sermon by Rev. Hugh Montgomery, the pastor.

— Frank Burns, 10 years old, had his left leg badly smashed by being run over by a freight car on which he was riding at Montvale last Friday. He was sent to the Mass. Gen. Hospital.

— Col. A. L. Richardson went down to Newport last Saturday to witness the great coaching tourney. Three men on one of the coaches represented $215,000,000. They were the Vanderbilts.

— Rev. C. H. Parker, pastor of the Unitarian church, and family have returned, and the parson will preach his first post-vacation sermon next Sunday. The family are all well and happy.

— At their request we intend to investigate the complaints of the Salvation Army in this city of ill treatment by hoodlums and lack of police protection, and report in the next issue of the JOURNAL.

— John I. Munroe is a live, wide-awake, successful dealer in real estate Yesterday he sold two more residence lots at Montvale Park to Joseph S. Hill of Watertown. Montvale Park is booming.

— Mr. E. J. Gregory, the popular auctioneer, is always ready to respond to calls from any of the neighboring towns. He is a first class, honorable appriser and an A. 1 crier of sales. Office 396 Main street.

— Rev. Dr. March and Dea. G. R. Gage went to Boston yesterday afternoon to bid adieu to about 25 ladies and gentlemen who are about to sail for benighted regions on the Eastern Continent to become missionaries there.

— Mr. Samuel W. Mendum, Assistant Principal of the High School, has returned from a 2 months trip to Germany. He accompanied his father whose health is not good. Mr. Mendum is an excellent German scholar.

— Singer & Brown, a well-known firm of carpenters and joiners of this city, have been awarded the contract to build the new schoolhouse at the Highlands. They bear the reputation of being square and firstclass workmen.

— The inquest held on the burning of the Fowle street store occupied by Meehan Brothers and others last Saturday by Judge Littlefield of the District Court was adjourned, after hearing considerable evidence, until to-morrow.

— Every lover of music should try and visit once a year the warerooms of Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston, and see the varied collection of Music Cabinets, Music Chairs, Music Racks and Piano Stools which they have for sale.

— John G. Maguire and family returned from a delightful visit to Salisbury, N. H., last Monday. Madame M. and the boys were handsomely browned up, while the 'Squire looked as though he had just got back from a fishing voyage.

— We are glad to be able to say that City Treasurer Buck is nearly as good as new again. For several days he was very sick, but managed to weather the cape and pull through in good shape. It will not be long before he will be seen at his post of duty once more.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Parker and Mr. and Mrs. T. Marvin Parker —most excellent and exemplary people, by the way—have gone to Parlin Pond, Somerset county, Maine, which is their favorite early autumn resort. They take a great deal of comfort down there.

— The National Band will give their last concert of the season on the Common next Wednesday evening, Sept. 10. They will play the Hunting Scene by request with several other selections. They will hold a dance in Lyceum Hall after the concert on the Common.

— The joint picnic of the Woburn and Stoneham Red Men and Daughters of Pocahontas in Andover last Monday was a most fortunate arrangement and affair. The day was delightfully spent in all sorts of games, eating, social pleasures, dancing, etc. and nothing could have been pleasanter.

— A well-written article concerning the fares on the East Middlesex Street Railroad by Mr. F. T. Robinson of Melrose is necessarily omitted from these columns this week. Mr. Robinson writes in a temperate vein and there's sense in what he says. The article will appear next week.

— The members of Co. G, 5th Regt. who went to Framingham last week to participate in the Regimental target shoot were: Sergts. James Durward, Jr., and George F. Hanson; and privates W. F. Fowle, J. W. Blake, G. H. Nason, A. W. Nason, A. McCarthy, George H. Perkins.

— It is expected that the fall tournament of the Woburn Lawn Tennis Club will be held about the 13th of this month. The arrangements are in the hands of a competent committee consisting of George H. Taylor, H. B. Clewley, and Joseph Parker, Jr. It is expected to be a big tennis event.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— We find a goodly number of our bright young people are daily attending the Burdett Business College. There is no institution of the kind that offers such opportunities for ambitious students and according to the responsible positions some of their past scholars are holding which the college obtained for them we believe it to be the school to attend.

— At the annual meeting of the stockholders of Woburn Lyceum Hall Association held at 3.30 p. m. Sept. 2, the following Directors were elected for the current year: President, Joseph W. Hammond; Clerk and Treasurer, Winthrop Hammond; Auditor, John Johnson; Gawin R. Gage, Phineas G. Hanson, R. J. W. Phinney, Charles A. Burdette.

— Next week's JOURNAL will contain a very interesting article on the "Historic Houses of Burlington," written for *The Young Idea* by Martha Sewell Curtis, one of the most accomplished writers in this State. Besides being entertaining the article is a valuable contribution to local history and as such it is worthy of being carefully preserved.

— Why is it that so few American girls apply to our home merchants for situations as saleswomen? It has been a mystery to us for some time. Our merchants pay good wages and are almost constantly obliged to employ new help. Some of them want additional saleswomen. And yet no American girls make application for such situations. Wonder what the reason is?

— Miss Belle Menard, teacher, has returned from her trip into Northern Maine, through the White Mountains, etc. and no lark was ever gayer than she. The visit among the "Oxford Bears" was delightful in an especial manner—and indeed, in the way of bracing air and charming scenery there is no spot in New England that surpasses the upper Saco. Well, the dear schoolmarms are flocking back to their homes.

— The Waltham *Free Press* says the best way it knows of to keep people out of a place and help it to go to seed is to be all the time running out against it, belittleing it, and growling about its "outs," and damning it generally. We can inform the *F. P.* that it has a journalistic neighbor who would in this way ruin the best town in America, if it had any influence. There are just such people and things in Woburn, too.

— Miss M. L. Bancroft is so well and favorably known as a teacher of pianoforte not only here but in Boston and the neighborhood that anything which we might wish to say about her and her musical accomplishments would be superfluous. She has taught several years with marked success and has always given great satisfaction as a teacher. She will resume teaching next Monday, of which the public will please take notice.

— Comer's Commercial College in Boston is making extensive preparations for its Golden Wedding celebration and to make it a memorable one from a business standpoint. We have received a publication issued as an aid to this end which is a fine thing every way. Comers is a celebrated and very successful business college, the graduates from which are favorably regarded by business men. See advertisement of Comer's in this paper.

— We call especial attention to the display advertisement of "The People's Dry Goods Company" of Maynard this State, published in the JOURNAL this week. The season of the year is approaching when people must be looking for the kind of goods sold by this Company, and there is the best reason for the belief that nowhere in the State can better goods be bought at better prices than at this big and prosperous Maynard establishment. Read the Ad.

— E. E. Thompson, Esq., Treasurer of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank and President of the Board of Common Council, and wife will leave here next Monday for a visit to the West. Their objective point will be St. Paul and Minneapolis where they have relatives and friends with whom they will tarry for two or three weeks. Councilman Thompson has visited those cities and country about there three or four times before this, but the last time he was there was several years ago and naturally he would like to see what growth and advancement they have made in that period. In consideration of the hard work he has done during the last year or so, and his industry and fidelity, the Trustees of the Savings Bank cheerfully voted him a month's leave of absence or go the other night, and it is that particular month that he and Mrs. Thompson are going to devote to visiting and carefully looking over the great and mighty Upper Mississippi region.

— There was but very little going on in this city on Labor Day. Nearly all the people left for one point of pleasure or another, many to Boston, scores to the Beaches, rafts to groves, etc. There were two or three society picnics here. The Hibernians held theirs at Baldwin's Grove; the Red Men and Daughters of Pocahontas went to Andover; and there were some other lesser affairs. The annual Float of the Innitou Canoe Club on Horn Pond in the evening, a brilliant and successful affair, closed the day.

— The death of Rev. Franklin Keyes, which occured at an early hour last Tuesday morning after a lingering illness, removes another landmark from this community. He was some over 71 years old and a long resident of Woburn where his upright character commanded the respect of everybody. For a considerable number of years he was engaged in evangelistic work and accomplished much good. It is said he left a fortune of about $50,000, and only a few relatives here to share it. He will be missed from this community.

— It is expected that the new and elaborate "History of Middlesex County" will be forthcoming in a few weeks. About 100 pages of it, written by Librarian William R. Cutter and Mayor E. F. Johnson, will be devoted to Woburn, and the same will be embellished by steel engraved portraits of quite a number of her past and present citizens of eminence. This part of the work will possess much interest for our people and doubtless the History will enjoy considerable of a sale here, albeit, it costs $25. The accuracy of the Woburn instalment to its pages may be relied on.

— Mr. F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Music School of this city, will open his institution for fall business on Sept. 6. For full particulars the reader is referred to his card in this issue of the JOURNAL. We are informed on good authority that the School's prospect for patronage this season is far better than it ever was before. Every well-wisher of Woburn will be glad to know this, for Prof. Lewis has worked hard early and late and put a great deal of money and valuable time into building up the School and at last it is a complete success and an honor to our city. It is an educational institution of which we have a right to feel proud, therefore the flattering outlook for this fall's business will be gratifying to everybody.

— The way we found out that our old friend Levi C. Teel of Cambridge street had commenced harvesting was by discovering strange human footprints all around our kitchen door the other morning and following them down into the cellar where it was found that somebody (the owner of the tracks, evidently) had deposited vegetables enough to run a firstclass hotel all winter nearly. It was not all in the tracks around the kitchen door either that the conclusion that uncle Levi had began to gather in his harvests was reached nor the great variety of them, but the quality of the products found in the cellar had more to do in determining the matter than anything else. But it was all right, and Uncle Levi is a kind neighbor and friend all the same.

— Dr. George S. Dodge and family have gone to Acton, this State, at which place they will make their future home. The family have resided many years here and have therefore a large number of friends and acquaintances to separate themselves from in going to their new place of abode, all of whom, we doubt not, will regret to lose the companionship of the Doctor, Mrs. Dodge, and "Ray." They have occupied an influential standing in the church and social circles for a long time and in both spheres have won a great many staunch and warm friends. All these people the family go away from with deep regrets; long-standing associations will be rooted up by the Doctor and his family's going away to a new home elsewhere. That the future of the family may be prosperous and happy is the wish of all good Woburn people.

— Leeds's grand excursion down the beautiful Merrimac River will come off on Saturday, Sept. 13, a fact which should be borne in mind. To secure a special train from this city to Lawrence a sufficient number of tickets for the excursion must be sold by Friday night, Sept. 12, which is another fact that ought not to be forgotten. The true way is to go at once and secure tickets at Leeds's drugstore. Savings Bank block, for they only cost $1.50 for the whole round trip. That is remarkably cheap. The purchaser gets a ride on the steam cars, a most delightful trip down the Merrimac, time for dinner and a nice stroll around on the Beach, and get back home at 8.30 in the evening. The train will leave here at 7.45 a. m. Conductor Leeds has made all arrangements for the dinner on the Beach, so that if the weather is good, as it is morally certain of being, this excursion is going to be the pleasantest affair of the whole summer. Please don't forget that, to insure a special train, a sufficent number of tickets must be sold by Friday evening, Sept. 12.

— Contractor Ellis of Woburn has a large gang of men at work laying the foundation for the new iron bridge which is to cross the Boston & Maine railroad from Mt. Avenue to Summer streets, Malden. The bridge is being built to accommodate the public in connection with the new railroad station which is soon to be built. The foundation will require 200 loads of granite. —*Boston Paper.* Contractor Ellis is doing an immense amount of stonework all around the country. There is the Somerville railroad bridge for instance—it is one of the finest and most massive pieces of work anywhere to be found. The stone-masonry of that last beautiful railroad depot in Somerville cannot be excelled for strength and finish. Mr. Ellis has contracts for stonework and grading on an upper Vermont railroad, and he is doing a great deal of foundation work for buildings in this city and vicinity. He enjoys the best kind of a reputation for excellence of work, and the upshot of it is he is wanted wherever the best kind of jobs are in contemplation. Mr. Ellis employs a great number of men and horses and not only does a large amount of business, but its volume is continually increasing.

A Prosperous Clothing House.

For over a dozen years past Mr. Charles M. Munroe has carried on the clothing and gentlemen's furnishings business in the Methodist Block, Main street, this city, most prosperously. Marked success has resulted from his manner of doing business. His promptness in meeting all demands for the best and newest things in the wares in his line, his uniform low prices, and constant courtesy towards the public, have been rewarded by a generous patronage which has grown larger and larger each succeeding year until now no establishment in the country can boast of a better or more numerous class of regular customers than Mr. Munroe's store enjoys.

With a thorough knowledge of his business—a shrewd buyer, as well as competent and popular as a salesman; with a plenty of capital to take good care of his "discounts"; with an admirable location; and a determination to make headway; Mr. Munroe's trade has increased to such proportions that the old store-room became too contracted, and more floor, shelf and counter space was absolutely necessary for the convenience of himself, his salesmen, and his customers.

By a recent addition to the rear the capacity of Mr. Munroe's store has been doubled and the change has increased its convenience and pleasantness even more than the room. It is now one of the most commodious, handiest and best arranged salesrooms in the city. It is light, neat, pleasant; the largely increased space gives better facilities for showing off the goods, as well as accommodations to customers; and the whole interior arrangements please everyone who goes in and sees them.

With more room and better facilities for doing business Mr. Munroe is adding to his lines of trade and increasing the size of those heretofore carried. The store and contents are complete in every way. Mr. Munroe is bound to lead in the clothing business in Woburn, and with Mr. Webster Woodman as head salesman, and other competent employees to help handle the largest and best stocks brought into the city, he is sure to succeed.

In soap, as in every other article of merchandise, the profits are largest on the inferior articles, and it is but human nature for the groceryman to put these latter out whenever he can. A good and economical housekeeper, knowing this, does not content himself with ordering up "some soap," but she says: "Mr. Allspice, put me up half dozen of Brussels soap, and if you have not got it—get it. I don't care for other than Brussels. It's economical."

The Float of the Innitou Club.

The verdict rendered by popular acclaim was that it was the best yet.

A more favorable evening could by no possibility have been provided for the occasion, and everybody enjoyed it. Commodore Arthur C. Wyer was in command, and his efforts to make the affair a success were efficiently seconded by the other officers and men of the Club.

There were no fitful winds to ruffle the surface of the fair pond or disturb the myriad of Chinese lanterns and other lights, while the darkness was fully dispelled by torches and glims profusely scattered over the enchanting scene. Hundreds and hundreds of people were present as spectators. They lined the grassy banks that sloped down to the water, enlivened the groves, and contributed by their presence to the general fund of pleasure.

Fine music by the Woburn Brass Band, which was stationed on the island opposite Mr. Hudson's, lent a charm to the evening's delightful entertainment and was fully appreciated by all.

The canoes of the Club were gaily decked with Chinese lanterns whose variegated rays, skimming over the tranquil waters and illuminating the crowds of attending craft, lighting up the shores and the people on them, gave the scene the appearance of fairy land. The float was a great success. The orders of the Commodore were obeyed with alacrity and precision; there were no serious hitches in carrying out the plans; no annoying "waits;" but everything ran as smooth as clock-work and gave the Club as well as the spectators great pleasure.

The very large attendance must have been exceedingly gratifying to the Club. It proved that their efforts to oblege the people the year before had been duly appreciated and that the public were more than satisfied with the exhibition. The enthusiasm over the brilliant spectacle when the canoes moved in line over the placid bosom of the pond or performed evolutions which brought the lights into situations of rare beauty, found expression in hearty and prolonged cheers from the shores which were echoed and re-echoed all along the line. The masses were delighted. The business was gotten under way at a very seasonable hour and the maneuvers succeeded each other with gratifying speed.

It was nearly 10 o'clock before the end of the brilliant exhibition was reached. All through it the great audience were regaled with the best of music by the band on the island, which greatly enhanced the pleasure of the affair. Everything was satisfactory from start to finish, and the Innitou boys may congratulate themselves on the signal success of their annual float for 1890.

It is poor economy to live on turkey one week and pig's rump and cabbage the next. This rule also applies to the use of soaps, of which Brussels is the best and most economical.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

A regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last Tuesday evening. The State Aid Committee reported leave to withdraw on applications of Robert Clarke and Mrs. Dorinda Hadley for State aid. Accepted. Burrill Putney was granted $6 a month and Patrick O'Donnell $4 a month State aid. William T. Kendall was declared elected Alderman from Ward 5, and a certificate was ordered to issue. An order was introduced and referred transferring $250 from abatements and overlayings to the department of printing.

Take Some Pepsin.

What can the matter be with our usually amiable brother over in Woburn? We fear it is a bad case of bilious colic. This is the way he sails into the prime joker of our county:—*Cambridge Cronicle.*

And then the *Cronicle* works in our little item respecting the "prime joker" of the Somerville *Journal* (save the mark!) just as innocently as though its prefatory lines did not contain a sting twice as sharp as ours was. The *Chronicle* understands the art of whipping somebody over somebody's else's shoulders as well as the most expert of veterans.

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(For the Woburn Journal.)

Candidate Willard Howland.

There is one part of the present political contest in which the Republicans of Woburn have an especially personal interest. The question of who shall be the choice of the State Convention for the office of Secretary of the Commonwealth is one that appeals to the local pride of all our citizens;—for even our Democratic voters may be excused for temporarily forgetting party interests in the broader sympathy that has been aroused by the distinguished candidacy of Willard Howland for the third civil position of dignity and importance in the State of Massachusetts.

There are comparatively few among the older residants of the city who do not remember the time, some twenty years ago, when Mr. Howland, then a young man just making his serious start in life, was a familiar and promising member of the community. There are fewer still of those who were, with him, pupils in our public schools who did not learn to take a friendly interest in his aspirations and wish him well when, almost in his maturer boyhood, the responsibilities of a broadening career made it necessary that he should change his place of residence.

Since then we have watched him grow, unaided by social or moneyed advantages, into the respected and influential dignity of public prominence. We felt something of natural pride in his legal success as an advocate at the bar. We grieved over the vexatious injury to his eyesight, brought on by the ambitious demands of overstudy; but we redoubled our admiration when, with invincible fortitude, he ignored this physical obstacle and won for himself an acknowledged leadership in the State Legislature. And we welcomed with satisfaction his recently announced candidacy for yet higher service, knowing that he had always exceeded rather than disappointed the general expectation.

All this we did because we felt that he was still one of us. Chelsea has reason to claim him as her own, with honorable loyalty; but Woburn, who gave him to her, has an equal right to share in the reflected brilliancy of his development.

Mr. Howland is still a young man. He is identified with that newer and more aggressive generation of statesmen upon whom the Republican party must rely for the preservation and active application of its principles in the State and Nation. It is to be regretted, from a purely selfish and partisan standpoint, that our older leaders have not learned this lesson of honoring those who must soon fall heir to their public influence. It would be the blindness of obstinacy to deny that because of this, in part at least, the Democrats have been able to reduce the Republican majority of the State to a dangerously narrow margin. The placing of such men as Howland, Pillsbury and Major Gould upon our next ticket would be an encouraging sign. It would be a proper endorsement of Governor Brackett's victory a year ago.

For all these reasons, then, it should be seen to that delegates are chosen at our city caucuses who will vote for Willard Howland for Secretary of State in the coming convention. We owe it to him, we owe it to ourselves that we shall not fail him in this emergency.

Loyalty, like every other virtue, has its proper origin at home.

A WOBURN REPUBLICAN.

A western editor lost ten subscribers by saying: "Many of our readers require an effective soap, and Brussels is just the thing they have needed for a long time."

The Gigantic Production at the Boston Theatre.

For more than a generation the Boston has stood acknowledged the Most Magnificent Dramatic Temple on this Continent, and the triumphs achieved on its stage are without parallel in the history of American theatres. Mr. Tompkins, determined to sustain the prestige won by "The Exiles," "Michael Strogoff," "Youth," "Julius," "Run of Luck," and other great productions identified with his personal management, has for nearly a year been preparing the Romantic Spectacular Play, The Soudan, giving to the details the closest attention, and securing every aid to perfection which experience and taste could suggest or unlimited expenditure secure. Every scene is new, and every detail perfect. Hundreds of uniforms and accoutrements, worn by soldiers in the Soudan campaigns, were purchased direct from the Bureau of Equipments of the British Army, and Costumes and Appointments were made to order in London. Mr. Henry Neville, the foremost English actor of the day, has been secured for the role of the hero, which he originally created at Drury Lane Theatre, London, and the company of favorites which includes S. E. Springer, Frank Losee, Nestor Lennon, Lawrence Eddinger, Dan Collyer, Harry Hawk, Harry Rose, Ed. Lawrence, A. W. Rumble, John J. Geary, Russell Hunting, H. A. Wallace, Robert Mackay, W. H. Gilbert, Geo. J. Farren, Sylvie Warren, John Lyons, Louise Balfe, Eleanor Moretti, Kate Oesterle, Mrs. W. G. Jones, Jeannie Harrold, Emma Rose, Kate Murray, Master Walter Lewis, and the phenomenal boy actor, Master Wallie Eddinger, assure the most adequate support. Several hundred people will take part in the action, and the stage pictures for magnitude, realism and effectiveness will surpass any ever seen in America. In the scene at Trafalgar Square nearly 500 people will appear at one time, a number which no other stage in America can accommodate. The return of the soldiers from the war, cavalry, artillery, infantry, camel corps, with horses, military bands, drum and fife corps, Scottish pipers, and the welcome given them by relations and friends, will be beyond question the most magnificent display ever made in any theatre in this Country. The Soudan will be presented for the first time in America at the Boston Theatre, Monday evening, Sept. 15th, 1890, and will be repeated every evening and on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons till further notice.

Being Received with Great Favor.

The candidacy of Willard Howland for the Republican nomination as Secretary of the Commonwealth is being received with great favor in all parts of the State. That it should be so is a marked tribute to his character and ability. He is a young man who has been before the public but a short time, still he has so impressed his associates of the House with his wisdom and practical judgment that they are with one accord supporting him for that position on the State ticket. A young man of such talent and personal popularity could not but lend strength to the Republican cause this fall if he should be nominated. His selection would be a recognition of the younger element of the party and would impart new zeal to their efforts for its success. Give us Mr. Howland of Chelsea for candidate for Secretary of the Commonwealth and no mistake will be made.—*Somerville Citizen.*

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Literary Notices.

OUR LITTLE ONES for September is a beauty. The illustrations are numerous and as pretty as pictures can be made. They represent woods, fields, domestic animals, children in great numbers, and other things. We never saw a handsomer number of OUR LITTLE ONES, which is published by The Russell Publishing Co., Boston.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Boston Mail opens at 8, 8.30, 10.15 A. M., 1.15, 2, 4, 6.25, 8.05 P. M.
New York Mail opens at 8.00 A. M.
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Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.08 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.15 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: By whom shall Jacob arise?

METHODIST—Holy Communion at 10.30 a. m. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting. Friday evening Class meeting.

BAPTIST.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Getting rid of Sin. Communion at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 6 p. m. Missionary Concert at 7 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "Consecration." Communion Service at 2.30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly concert. Mission reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evening.

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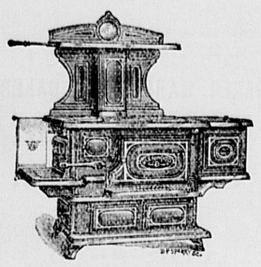

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Boston Theatres.

The attraction at the Globe Theatre this week is Prof. Herrmann's new Transatlantiques. A special Matinee was given on Labor Day and standing room was at a premium. This will be the only appearance of this famous organization in Boston this season and our readers should take advantage of the few remaining performances—this Friday evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. Commencing next Monday, Sept. 8, the great marine spectacle, The Bottom of the Sea, will be produced. This is undoubtedly the most magnificent play ever seen on a Boston stage. The Globe Theatre is one of the most convenient and coolest in the city. The Globe closes in time for suburbanites to catch any and all of the late trains.

"The Flying Scud," Dion Baucicault's comedy-drama is drawing immense houses at the Grand Opera House this week. The piece has a very interesting story, with serious and humorous periods well blended, and many stirring and novel situations. The best of the former is the sensational scene on Epsom Downs with its realistic racing by three fleet horses. The picture is true to the life and certain to create a furor whenever presented. Among the other special features is the dance of a dozen pretty jockeys dressed in the conventional costume. The company contains many competent players, chief among them being Mr. Robert McWade, who did some clever acting as Nat Gosling, an old jockey. The heavy and romantic roles were, in general, in the hands of capable performs, and the entertainment as a whole was decidedly satisfying. The usual matinee on Saturday will be given. The Grand Opera is one of the most popular places of amusements in Boston and the prices for desirable seats are very moderate.

There is a short business sermon on our local page this week that will interest everyone. The firm who preaches it have chosen a good text, written a strong sermon, with a striking illustration. The furnishing of Groceries is a large item in every home, and here is a chance to save money on them.

Burlington.

Mr. C. S. Butters, a well known member of the City Government of Somerville, has been spending the season with his family at the Butters homestead in Burlington, where he has made many improvements. During the summer the families of Mr. G. W. Butters of East Cambridge and Mr. John E. Bull of Carlisle have also passed some time at the old home. On Labor Day, as a pleasant ending to the season, they held a family gathering and picnic underneath a famous oak tree—the largest in this vicinity—on the Butters land at Wood Hill. The party comprised Mr. C. S. Butters and family, Mrs. O. S. Butters, Mr. G. W. Butters and family, Mr. John E. Bull and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Butters, Mrs. Mary E. Butters, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Green, Rev. C. H. Washburn, Mrs. Samuel Sewall and Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis. A bountiful collation was spread beneath the oak and abundant justice was done to it by the company who agreed that there were good cooks in the family. Each person present then guessed the circumference of the oak, the respective guesses being written to prevent mistakes. The tree being measured, was found to have a girth of fourteen and one-half feet. This measurement was guessed exactly by one lady of the party while another stood at the end of the list with a guess of twenty-two feet. After a pleasant afternoon of sociability the party separated, a number finishing the season of enjoyment with a ride through the shady roads of the town.

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Unless It Is Mistaken.

Unless the Cambridge *Chronicle* is mistaken Gen. Banks is out of the Congressional contest. We fear the wish is father to the thought, for the General certainly has nothing else in view, and so long as he lives he will continue in an attitude of acceptance. The question is not as to the General but as to his friends. If they are out of it he is, and it is a matter of very little moment to him. The Fifth District should have a vigorous Representative in Congress, one who can command the attention of the country like Lodge, Cogswell, or Greenhalge. There are men enough in the towns and cities comprising it to meet this requirement and the Republicans should not allow the present opportunity to slip. Gen. Banks was elected two years ago by a very narrow margin and should he be defeated this year (in case he is nominated), it would reinforce the Democratic wing in Congress at a time when such an event would be most unfortunate.—*Lynn Item.*

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WINCHESTER.

Mrs. Emma L. Pratt and her daughter are visiting at Sing Sing, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Childs are having a very fine time at Swampscott.

James Houston and family are in the Highlands of the Hudson, the Rhine of America.

Mrs. Sanderson and her son and Miss Chaloner have been at the White Mountains lately.

E. P. Johnson and Henry Stone united with the Congregational Church here on July 4, 1858 and were buried at the same hour on the same day last week.

Rev. Dr. Rankin, President of Howard University, Washington, D. C., with Mrs. Rankin, have been for a week enjoying the hospitality of Geo. H. Gilbert, Esq., Sunnyside. Dr. Rankin and family are spending the summer at the White Mountains.

During last week or so Winchester people have been found scattered around the country somewhat in this style:—A. M. Jameson, Monument Beach; George L. and John L. Beals, Provincetown; Mrs. D. H. Barnes and Miss W. F. Barnes, Sea Shore House, Old Orchard; E. K. and Mrs. William Boynton, Swampscott; Elsie S. Sargent, Dennis; Mr. and Mrs. Webster Childs, Swampscott. The whereabouts of many others—haven't they all been given in the columns of the JOURNAL?

Mr. Frederick H. Page, who has been editor of the *Boston Daily Advertiser* since January, 1889, will soon retire from that position to enter the Andover Theological Seminary. Although not yet thirty he has been in journalism nearly a dozen years, and has risen to the top of his profession. The *Advertiser* has been highly successful during his editorship, and its owners are very reluctant to part with his services, but Mr. Page is simply carrying out a long cherished intention of entering the ministry.—*Star.*

Tuesday, about midnight, several young men belonging in this town, and under the influence of liquor, gave a most disgraceful exhibition of horse-racing. The noise made by them and beating of the horses awakened people living on Pleasant street and the West Side, who are outspoken in condemnation of the cruelty the animals experienced at the hands of these irresponsible young men who, it is said, are known to the police.—*Star.* Where are our police officers that they don't put a stop to such disgraceful proceedings?

Frank Sheridan, aged 15, son of Thomas Sheridan of this town, was drowned in Winter Pond last Tuesday afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock. He and another boy named George Huntress were in bathing when young Sheridan, who was but a short distance from the shore, was suddenly seized with cramps and drowned. His body was recovered about two hours afterwards. His funeral took place from St. Mary's Church yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and was largely attended by friends and relatives. The pall bearers were six altar boys of St. Mary's Church, namely: Henry Lyons, John O'Connor, Daniel Daly, George Raymond, John Donohue and John Sheehan. The interment was at Calvery Cemetary, Montvale.

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Life Is Too Serious.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Woburn JOURNAL, seems to think that the alleged funny column of the Somerville *Journal* is all that keeps it alive, and intimates that the *Citizen* of that city will soon distance it. Somehow or other the fact seems to have become impressed upon our dull intellect that the *Journal* is a bang up newspaper, although life is so serious to us that we never read its jokes—*Peabody Press.*

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The Congressional Outlook.

The meeting at the Revere house, last Wednesday evening, of the friends of Hon. James A. Fox, was an exceedingly hearty and enthusiastic gathering, and the presence and earnest cooperation of many of the active party workers promise well for the nomination of this gentleman next month.

There is still a certain amount of sympathetic feeling existing for General Banks that will probably give him the votes of the Waltham delegates, although we fail to find, even among the friends of that gentleman, a single person who pretends to claim that at present the Fifth District is properly represented in Congress.

Ex-Mayor Burns will doubtless receive on the first ballot in the convention the complimentary vote of the delegates from two of the Somerville wards, but beyond that Mr. Burns has little strength, and it is very certain that he will be actively opposed by all members of the G. A. R., with whom he is particularly unpopular.

The executive committee of the Fox campaign are active and experienced workers, and they will present the claims of their candidate in the caucuses, and make an earnest effort to send a solid delegation of twenty-nine Fox men to the convention.

We believe Hon. James A. Fox will be nominated as the Republican candidate for Congress, and if he be nominated he will surely be elected, and the Fifth District will then have a representative fitted in every respect to stand and work with Henry Cabot Lodge, Frederick T. Greenhalge and General Cogswell.—*Cambridge Tribune.*

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Woburn, August 30, 1890.

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MRS. F. S. BURGESS AND FAMILY.

City of Woburn.

Collector's Sale

—OF—

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., August 20, 1890.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1889, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **Saturday, September 27, A. D. 1890,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1889, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

ANNIE M. DOWNEY.—About one-half acre of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Buck street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Buck street; southerly by a private way; westerly by land of City of Woburn, and northerly by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs, by land of J. C. Hodge heirs, and by land of Owen Coulon.
Tax of 1889, $26 66

MARY DUFFY.—About 5,100 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Lake Avenue; westerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; northerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; and easterly by land of Patrick E. Tenney.
Tax of 1889, $35 26

BRIDGET GRANFIELD.—About five-eighths of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Ash street in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by land of Hugh Keating and Samuel Hasty; northerly by land now or formerly of Hugh O'Riley; easterly by Brook street; southerly by said Ash street.
Tax of 1889, $35 26

THOMAS RYAN.—About nine-sixteenths of an acre with buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Warren street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Norris; westerly by land of John Maxwell; southerly partly by land of Gawin R. Gage and land of Nathan Morse, Trustee; easterly by said Warren street.
Tax of 1889, 46 44

HEIRS OF CHARLES UPTON.—About 9,175 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Beacon street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Beacon street; southerly by land of Smith; westerly by other land of said heirs of Charles Upton; northerly by land now or formerly of Albert A. Ferrin.
Tax of 1889, $17 20

ADELINE CUTLER.—About three-eighths of an acre of land and buildings thereon, situated on southerly side of Fowle street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Fowle street; easterly by a private way known as Sonrel street; southerly and westerly by land of Kimball.
Tax of 1889, $63 64

FRANCIS J. MAGUIRE.—About 5,545 square feet of land on northerly side of Conn street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Conn street; easterly by land of one Hanson; northerly by land of one Wall; westerly by land of Jennings, being lot No. 13 on plan of land of R. B. Richardson and Hannah M. Parker.
Tax of 1889, $6 02

CHARLES H. WELCH.—About 2 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Washington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Easterly by said Washington street; northerly by Cedar street; westerly by other land of Welch, and southerly by Salem street.
Tax of 1889, $34 40

CHARLES H. WELCH.—About 3 acres of mowing land situated on the easterly side of Cedar street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Cedar street; southerly by Salem street; easterly by other land of Welch.
Tax of 1889, $7 74

CHARLES H. WELCH.—About 14 acres of land situated on northerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land now or formerly of Sherman Converse; westerly by land of Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, and land of one Quinn; southerly by land of Quinn and by said Salem street; easterly by land of Quinn, and by land now or formerly of Kinsman and Dearborn.
Tax of 1889, $9 46

DANIEL MULLEN HEIRS.—About 10,766 square feet of land and building thereon, situated on the southerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Salem street; easterly by land of Foss; southerly by land of Dow; westerly by land of Eastern Middlesex Street Railway.
Tax of 1889, $49 02

MARY E. MCDERMOTT.—About 18,554 square feet of land and buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly and westerly by land now or formerly of Lucky McDermott; easterly by a private way; southerly by land of Elizabeth Kenney.
Tax of 1889, $6 88

MARTIN CONNOLLY.—About 7,576 square feet of land, being lot number 73 on plan of lands owned by Bryant & King, situate on northerly side of a private way leading westerly out of Arlington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Michael Graham and John Foley; easterly by land of Fitzpatrick; southerly by said private way; westerly by lot No. 72 on said plan.
Tax of 1889, $1 04

ANN MCHUGH.—About ¼ acre of land with buildings thereon, situated at the junction of Carter street and Arlington street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Carter street; easterly by Arlington street; southerly by land of Daniel Harkins and Fitzpatrick, and westerly by land of Hardiman.
Tax of 1889, $15 48

PATRICK CADY.—About 3,500 square feet of land, being lot number 20 on plan of lands owned by Bryant & King, situated on southerly side of Bryant street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by lot number 22 on said plan; westerly by lot number 19 on said plan; easterly by lot number 21 on said plan, and northerly by said Bryant street.
Tax of 1889, $3 00

JOSEPH G. DALY.—About 6,000 square feet of land with buildings there on, situated on easterly side of Shields street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Shields street; northerly by land of one Martin; easterly by land of Catherine Welch, and southerly by land of Patrick Daly.
Tax of 1889, $18 06

NON-RESIDENTS.

JANE C. BUTMAN.—About 3 acres of land situated on the southerly side of Hudson street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Hudson street, about 496 feet; westerly by Canal St. about 357.6 feet; southerly by land of E. W. Hudson, about 508.8 feet; easterly by other land of said Jane C. Butman, about 215 feet; same premises described in deed recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1229, Page 435.
Tax of 1889, $111 80

JANE C. BUTMAN, ELLEN T. LEONARD AND CLARA W. FRYE.—About 6¼ acres of land situated on the southerly side of Lake Avenue, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Lake Avenue; easterly by land of Boston Ice Company; southerly by the town line of the town of Winchester; westerly by land now or formerly of Thomas J. Pierce and land of Boston Ice Company.
Tax of 1889, $25 80

JANE C. BUTMAN, ELLEN T. LEONARD AND CLARA W. FRYE.—About 7.16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Lawrence street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Lawrence street, and land of Lizzie M. Atwood; northerly by land of Edward W. Hudson; southerly and westerly by other land of said Butman, Leonard and Frye.
Tax of 1889, $36 12

JANE C. BUTMAN, ELLEN T. LEONARD AND CLARA W. FRYE.—About 4¼ acres of land situated on the easterly side of Canal street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Canal street; southerly by land of E. W. Hudson; easterly by land of Boyd, and by other land of said Butman, Leonard and Frye, and northerly by land of Harlow, Hudson, and Parker.
Tax of 1889, $202 28

WILLIAM E. CARTER.—One building taxed as real estate, situated on land of Ruth M. Leathe, on northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in said Woburn, known as the Woburn Skating Academy.
Tax of 1889, $103 20

ABBIE A. TURNER.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 32 and 33, section B, Block 33, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

CATHERINE HUBAN.—About 5,300 square feet of land, being lots numbered 17 and 18, section B, Block 25, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 52

PETER J. GRIFFIN.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 5 and and 6, section B, Block 36, on a plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 43

ARTHUR H. GANNETT.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 8 and 9, section B, Block 3, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

CHARLES E. FARNSWORTH.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 30 and 31, section B, Block 33, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, Book of Plans No 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

JOHN O'DONNELL.—About 2,400 square feet of land, being lot numbered 3, section B, Block 12, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 17

ELIZABETH C. DAVIS.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 34 and 35, section B, Book 34, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

HANNAH DRISCOLL.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 22 and 23, section B, Block 2, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 35

TIMOTHY CALLAHAN.—About 2,450 square feet of land, being lot number 54, section B, Block 4, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1.
Tax of 1889, 17

R. R. RAND.—About 18,200 square feet of land, being lot number 6 on Ayer plan of Emerson lands, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 5, Plan 23, situated on the easterly side of Nashua street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Nashua street; easterly by land of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation; northerly by lot number 5 on said plan, and southerly by lot number 7 on said plan.
Tax of 1889, $5 16

EDWIN M. WHITE.—About 2 acres of land situated in said Woburn, near the "Measures Place" known as the "Buck Meadow Lot," and being the same premises described in deed of the Trustees of Tufts College et al, to said Edwin M. White, dated November 1, 1884, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1085, Page 376.
Tax of 1889, $1 72

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel S. Shedd, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Malvina M. Shedd, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September, instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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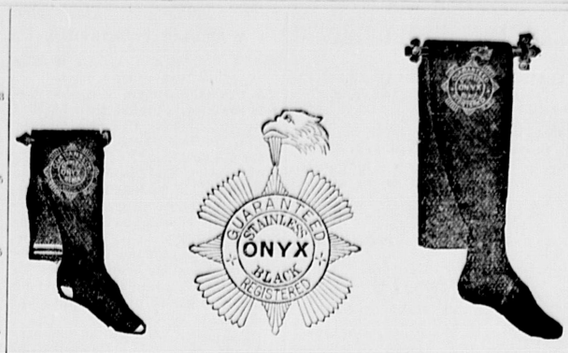

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LESSON X, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 7.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xix, 1-10. Commit Verses, 7-10—Golden Text, Luke xix, 10—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "*And Jesus entered and passed through Jericho.*" The last verses of the previous chapter tell of His healing a blind man as He came nigh to Jericho; while Matt. xx, 29-34 tells of His healing two blind men as He departed from Jericho.

2. "*And, behold, there was a man named Zaccheus, which was the chief among the publicans, and he was rich.*" We are not told whether the other publican was rich or poor, but we are sure that he was poor in spirit. Instead of a rich ruler, esteemed by the people as in the last lesson, here is a rich publican, one of the class whom the Pharisee thanked God that he did not belong to; but presently we shall find this rich chief among the publicans, in the company of the healed blind men, a follower of the meek and lowly Jesus.

3. "*And he sought to see Jesus, who He was; and could not for the press, because he was little of stature.*" His motives are not given, but we infer from the rest of the story that he, too, would be a follower of Jesus if He would have him. Perhaps up to this moment he was merely curious to see this great Teacher and worker of miracles, as when people go to church to hear a new preacher. But how many have thus gone, just to see and hear something new, or even to scoff, and there they were found of Him whom they sought not.

4. "*And he ran before, and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see Him: for He was to pass that way.*" He was in earnest to see Him, he came out from the crowd, and unconsciously hid himself. In listening to the preaching of the gospel, or the teaching of the Sunday school lesson, all are too apt to lose themselves in the crowd, instead of taking the truth home to themselves. If we are to profit our own souls it must be by separating ourselves from others and by believing that He means me.

5. "*And when Jesus came to the place, He looked up and saw him.*" He who knows our down sitting and uprising and understands our thoughts afar off (Ps. cxxxix, 2); who saw Nathanael under the fig tree (John i, 48), saw also this man when he left the crowd and climbed up into this tree. The leaves of the sycamore could not hide him any more than the trees of the garden could hide Adam and Eve. He saw also the desires of his heart, for He knows the things that come into our mind, every one of them (Ezek. xi, 5). Here is a seeking sinner and a seeking Saviour face to face. What a glorious meeting. The Holy Spirit brought it about. He does all these things.

"*And said unto him, Zaccheus, make haste and come down; for today I must abide at thy house.*" How Zaccheus' heart must have leaped at these words; and then He called him by name, there was no mistaking it, He surely meant him.

6. "*And he made haste, and came down, and received Him joyfully.*" Thank God for that. However, he came down; he came quickly and received Christ gladly. As the angel hurried Lot out of Sodom, saying: "Escape for thy life; haste thee, escape thither" (Gen. xix, 17, 22), so we who are saved would urge the unsaved to make haste and come to Jesus, if we only heartily believed what we profess to believe.

7. "*And when they saw it, they all murmured, saying, that He was gone to be guest with a man that is a sinner.*" Here is Satan resisting, the devil angry because he has lost a captive. In Zech. iii, 1, we see a man clothed with filthy garments standing before God, and Satan at his right hand to resist him, but a little further on in the chapter the filthy garments are gone, and Satan is gone, too; there is a glorious change of apparel and the angel of the Lord stands by. Whenever a sinner comes to Christ, the devil is sure to find fault and point to the filthy garments. He did so through Simon, the Pharisee, when the poor woman came to Jesus (Luke vii, 39), and again in chap. xv, 2, when the publicans and sinners came near to Jesus. He is always doing it; it is his business to resist everything truly good; to hinder sinners from coming to Christ, and to hinder saints from serving Christ. He is the devil (i. e., the accuser or slanderer) and Satan (i. e., the adversary); he is a serpent, for he is subtle and his ways are crooked; and he is a dragon, having great power; but he has not all power, Jesus has that, and He, blessed be His name, will yet destroy all the works of the devil, and the devil, too. Let him resist and accuse all he has a mind to; we will overcome him by the Blood of the Lamb, and by the word of our testimony, even if we die for it.

8. "*And Zaccheus stood, and said unto the Lord.*" He could not walk with Christ till this was settled. With sin on the conscience there can be no true fellowship with God. But here comes the evidence of the sincerity of his conversion. His faith becomes manifest in his works. He shows that he has truly repented.

"*Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have taken anything from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold.*" These things were neither his salvation, nor the ground of it, but rather the evidences that he had passed from death to life. We must keep in mind and stand firm on this, that there is no salvation by works revealed in Scripture (Rom. iii, 20; iv, 5; Eph. ii, 9). We rest only and wholly in Christ for salvation, but being saved we must prove it in our lives. Titus iii, 8, is just as faithful a saying as I Tim. i, 15: "This is a faithful saying, and these things I will that thou affirm constantly, that they who have believed be careful to maintain good works."

9. "*And Jesus said unto him, This day is salvation come to this house, forsomuch as he also is a son of Abraham.*" "Salvation is of the Lord." "Behold, God is my salvation." "Neither is there salvation in any other" (Jonah ii, 9; Isa. xii, 2; Acts iv, 12). God manifest in the flesh had come to that man, and to that house, and had been received; and where Jesus is there is salvation. It is all in Him, and apart from Him there is none. He that hath the Son hath life, and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life (I John v, 12). The salvation begins when we receive Jesus, but it shall never end. When He comes even our bodies shall be like His, and then shall we be forever with the Lord. Whether he were Jew or Gentile before he is now a true son of Abraham and therefore an heir of the world (Gal. iii, 29; Rom. iv, 11, 13). Not many see the glory of being children of Abraham, and cannot appreciate it, for they see not the meaning of the Kingdom but blessed are the eyes which see, for therein lies the secret of being able to give cheerfully one's goods to the poor.

10. "*For the Son of Man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.*" This name, "Son of Man," has special reference to the Christ as Son of David, and yet reaches beyond to Christ as the true Isaac, the true seed of Abraham, in whom all nations shall be blessed.

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He wore a long linen duster that reached to his heels and a wide brimmed Panama straw hat. He had missed the 3:40 train and had a long hour to wait. He seemed nervous and uneasy, and paced up and down the waiting room for a long time, when one of the gatemen began to shout out a long string of stations that nobody could understand.

"Say, mister," said the tall, countryfied looking man, "how much will you take to teach me that tune? I want to get even with a young lady friend of mine who lives opposite me."

"Oh, cheese it," responded the gateman.

The man apparently from the country accepted the hint and knocked a little newsboy's hat off and looked quickly in the opposite direction, while the newsboy stood looking around for the cause of the accident.

Another gateman began to rattle off unintelligible stations in a low tone of voice.

"Now, see here," said the man, who looked as if his hair were filled with hayseed, "I must and will learn that song. Two dollars if you give me two lessons."

The bargain was struck, and the big man in the linen duster stood for five minutes at the gate and yelled out the name of every station he could think of. A large crowd gathered and enjoyed the fun. Finally the Avondale train was announced.

The countryman left the gate and started for his train, followed by the crowd. At the train a young man in a peaked cap, blue suit and brass buttons was splitting his throat yelling:

"Main line train on the right; Paterson on the left."

The countryfied individual stopped and said, "Young man, let me do that for you, and you get on the train and take a ride."

"Oh, take a sneak. See?" was all the reply the man who looked like a countryman received.

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Up, up again, rage and agony lending added strength, till the surface is reached and all that bulk of flesh shoots out of water and then falls with a ponderous crash, dashing the boiling waves asunder. Still the agile foes are there. They leap over his head, high in air, and dive under him. They rush at him here, there and everywhere. He opens his huge mouth to engulf them. They only mock at the danger, and soon, wounded in a hundred places, weakened and powerless, the whale succumbs.—John R. Coryell in St. Nicholas.

A Substitute for Gum Arabic.

M. Trojanowski, a Polish chemist, has discovered what he claims to be a substitute for gum arabic by boiling one part of flaxseed with eight parts of diluted sulphuric acid in eight parts of water until the mixture, which at first thickens, becomes quite fluid. The compound is then strained through muslin, and four times its volume of strong alcohol is added. The precipitate, after being filtered, washed with alcohol and carefully dried, produces a clear gum devoid of all taste or odor. Thirty grains, it is said, are a sufficient emulsion for an ounce of cod liver oil. The value of this invention will, of course, depend on how far this new article can be relied on as a substitute for the original, and the cost at which it can be produced for the market.—Exchange.

Sea Bathing for Diabetic Patients.

Another very delicate question arises—that of deciding whether, yes or no, we can recommend sea bathing to diabetic patients. As a general thing sea baths are useful, but only as an auxiliary means, in diabetic patients who, though a little exhausted, are still capable of reacting vigorously, and for whom we have specially in view a building up of the general condition.—Paris Herald.

They Go Together.

Johnson—In Otsego county, Michigan, there is a town named Redheadville.

Jackson—Yes, it is just across the river from Whitehorseburg.—West Shore.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

A woman in Chester, Pa., dresses her children in their bathing suits, distributes them on the front lawn, and then turns the hose on them.

Is It Safe

To neglect yourself if troubled with any disease of the kidneys? No, it is dangerous; and if you are so afflicted, attend to yourself now. Do not wait, but use Sulphur Bitters at once. They cured me when I was given up to die by several physicians. —Jonathan Ham, Boston.

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A Well Paid Poet.

It isn't every man, or woman either, for that matter, who can get from $250 to $350 for a poem. Will Carleton is one of these. I see him often in Brooklyn, where he lives on Greene avenue, and he is as much unlike a poet in appearance as one could imagine. In years he is getting well along toward the fifties. His hair seems to be prematurely gray. He is about medium height, and his figure is stout and robust, which leads to the belief that he is something of an athlete. He carries himself with a soldierly bearing. His head is well shaped and is poised gracefully on a pair of broad shoulders. His face is clean shaven, except for a small gray mustache. In fact he has a jaunty air. He seems to have none of the notions about dress and mannerisms that poets are usually supposed to have.

Mr. Carleton is a busy man. His work is always in demand, and orders for his poems increase so rapidly that he is enabled to charge the figures I have quoted above. He lives in a plain old fashioned house of brownstone, similar in all respects to hundreds of others in his immediate vicinity. His library and workshop is a curious place. There is row upon row of books, no end of pictures, and desks and tables littered with all sorts of papers, magazines and writing utensils. He has no particular hour for work.

He gets up tolerably early, and after breakfast goes at once to his desk, where he remains busily at work until midday. His afternoons he devotes to visiting his publishers, walking, writing, driving or visiting. He knows the value of good health, and spends a fair share of his time in making brawn.

In addition to his literary work Mr. Carleton is well known on the lecture platform. He is a thorough Yankee in the matter of money, and is one of the most practical business men that you will find. And thus it comes that his bank account is large and is constantly being added to.—New York Press.

Fines in Germany.

A curious system of fines obtains in Germany. People are fined for every curious little alleged offense. An estimable lady (very near and dear to me) went out for a walk in the old part of Hanover. Wandering about in the quaint, narrow streets she lost her way, and, being unable to speak German or to find a cab, she meandered wildly hither and thither until at last she found herself in a remote suburb quite in the country. Seeking to make a short cut back to the city she started across an open field, but was speedily overhauled by a native who implied by his tones and gestures that she was committing a grave offense.

To make a long and harrowing story short, this estimable lady was ultimately compelled to pay a fine of three marks for trespassing (most innocently) upon the private property of a suburban farmer. If it were not, however, for the severity of the trespass law farms, orchards and meadows would be ruthlessly overrun, for fences are what the book sellers would call "excessively rare."

Boys are fined for playing games in the streets; to throw a snowball at any person or any thing costs three marks. Whistling upon the streets is a finable offense; so is dropping nutshells or fruit peelings upon the pavement. If your neighbor keeps poultry and the cackling disturbs you a complaint to the police results in the immediate abatement of the nuisance. When the young woman of the family practices upon the piano the windows of the room must be closed in order that the neighborhood shall not be pestered.

Having had three boys at school in Germany not only am I pretty well informed as to the number of finable offenses, but I have a pretty positive theory as to how the German empire is enabled to bear the cost of so large a standing army. The regular fine is three marks; for this sum the average American boy can commit any one of those characteristic actions or carelessnesses which in his native land are considered the natural prerogatives of masculine youth. When one says that Germany is the cheapest place in the world in which to educate a boy either he does not take the American boys into consideration or he does not include the inevitable fines in his estimate.—Eugene Field in Chicago News.

Life on the Rail.

Conductor of a Dining Car—Yes, I get pretty tired of this sort of life. The worst part about it is the uncertainty. When I say good-by to my wife and babies I never know when I shall meet them again. I don't mean what you think I mean—death by accident. A railroad man soon gets over that. He has to. The constant fear of that sort of thing would make a man crazy. What I refer to is this: I left Cedar Rapids one morning. I expected to be in Chicago by 2:30 p. m. An accident to a freight train up the road caused us a delay of several hours. Now, I get a telegram telling me to drop this dining car at a certain point, and to go back with it on the next train. That sort of thing is liable to happen on every run I make for a week, and I may not see my family for that time or longer. A railroad man never knows what orders he is going to get. I have got home, that is to the station where my home is, often, and just as I was starting to my house I have received orders to take somebody else's run, and had to do it before I had time to go see my family. We may not have as hard a time of it as some, but don't you get it into your head that we sleep on beds of roses and never have anything to worry us.—Chicago Tribune.

Spiders as Detective Agencies.

Robert F. Smith, turnkey of the Ulster county, N. Y., jail, finds that spiders are useful in ascertaining whether prisoners have been tampering with iron window bars or not. It is not easy to discover the cut of a fine saw in an iron bar, especially when such cut has been carefully closed with blackened bread. Even running a knife blade along the bar does not always disclose it. Spiders weave their webs over these windows, running their threads from bar to bar. A prisoner cannot work on a bar without breaking down the webs. When the officer sees the web has not been displaced he considers it good proof that the window bars have not been sawed. If the web has been brushed away he makes a careful examination.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Lesson in Economy.

Clothing Dealer—Mein frent, vy you nod buy your clodings off me?

Dudish Youth—I always have my costumes made to order, sir.

"You go mit une vashionable tailor, eh? Don't you know, mein frent, dat your employer, Mr. Greatpurse, and many other rich merchants, and bankers, and brokers always buy dere clodings ready made, eh?"

"Yes, I've heard so. What of it?"

"Dot is how dey got rich."—New York Weekly.

The death rate among the Indians who aim to live like white people is three times that of those who continue to live a semi-wild life. The Pawnee tribe has lost more men by lung troubles in the last ten years than they lost in battle during the previous thirty.

Of the twenty-three presidents we have had, Jefferson, Madison, Jackson and Lincoln are the only ones whose names stand for state capitals, and Montgomery is the only other historic American so remembered.

The Size of a Book.

No book too heavy to hold in one hand has any right to exist, to the exclusion of the same work in the ideal form, and we would have that form the original shape of publication; those who want books to furnish their libraries, not their minds, might wait. As it is now, half a dozen interests conspire to give the lover of literature his love first in a guise that makes it a burden. Certain works of science and art, whose primary appeal is not literary, might take the shape their authors judged fittest; but there is no reason except the commercial reason why fiction, poetry, travel, biography, history should not always be offered us first as we have suggested.—W. D. Howells in Harper's.

Embroidered handkerchiefs had come into use in Shakespeare's time, as is proved by the important part which Desdemona's handkerchief—or "napkin," as it is called—plays in the tragedy of "Othelo." But as yet the possessors of handkerchiefs were lords and ladies. Even in the Seventeenth century the common people knew no such luxury.

An Inhibitted Trait.

Chumley—What did your wife say when you got home last night?

Bumley—Nothing—what did yours?

Chumley—Oh, she was terribly red headed.

Bumley—What for?

Chumley—Bora so.—Whiteside Herald.

The trouble with most of the cooks we hire is that they do not love their work. It is their pay they think most of. It takes time to cook. The best results come from a slow, a moderate fire. Nothing good can be done in a hurry except catching a train or fleeing from danger, yet the average cook works her fire into a passion and tries to cook her meals in a jiffy.

He Sees Snakes Daily.

Fireman Johnson at the Washington monument sees snakes every day, and some of the stories he relates would put to shame Luther Benson, the author of "Fifteen Years in Hell." Something about the engine room attracts the snakes, and some nights they invade it in droves, and he finds it necessary to have a general cleaning out every morning before the machinery which runs the huge elevator can be put in motion. Only a few mornings ago Mr. Johnson opened a drawer of his desk to get some papers and there found coiled up an immense snake. A pair of tongs was brought into use and his snakeship was cremated.—Washington Post.

Plenty of Water.

Jagway—I hear that Robinson is so much afraid of consumption that he has decided to try the water cure.

Travers—That so? Where is he going?

Jagway—Going to drive a milk wagon.—Clothier and Furnisher.

Woman's Column.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore is crowded with engagements until September. She is to lecture or to be present at the various "Chautauqua Assemblies" in Michigan, New Jersey, New Hampshire, New York and Maine, also at Weirs, Ocean Grove, etc. She has the largest programme of summer work she has ever undertaken.

Elizabeth W. Gilmer is editor and proprietor of the Quincy (Ill.) *Patriot*. The *Patriot* is a good local paper, and is Prohibition in politics. It supports State and county tickets, each bearing the name of a woman candidate.—Miss Mary Allen West,—for Trustee of the State University, and Miss Ella Honwald for County School Surerintendent.

Mrs. Simpson, wife of the well-known Methodist bishop, is active in good works. She planned the Methodist Orphanage, founded about ten years ago, and herself gave the first contribution toward it. The little waifs in orphan asylums are often made to feel bitterly that they are nobody's child, but in this institution a different spirit seems to prevail. One small boy, being asked, "Whose little boy are you?" answered cheerfully, "I am everybody's little boy!"

In the wake of the female doctor the female chemist is advancing fast. And why not? If a woman can successfully mix compounds for eating purposes as a cook does every day of her life, and that woman one by no means highly trained, why should not a lady, whose education has probably been three times as good as that of an ordinary assistant, become a successful dispenser with the aid of the necessary tuition? In America lady chemists are doing a good deal of work, and in one of the large towns in Russia a lady is the head of one of the principal chemist's establishments. But as yet the lady apothecary is almost an unknown quantity in England, except at Eastbourne, where I remember some years ago seeing a woman's name over one of the chemists' shops, with, I believe, the magic letters M. P. S. after her name. But this is the solitary example which I know of in England—as yet.—*London Figaro.*

The agitation among the barbers at Bombay is likely to result in their refusal to shave widows' heads. Of course, says the London *News*, those who are acquainted with native views in India will recognize that this intimation is not so comical as it sounds, but has a very serious meaning, and reflects great credit on the native barber. It is a relic of a system of cruel treatment of native widows that they should have their hair shorn off at the moment of their affliction. Native journals have recently been denouncing the cruel practice, in spite of the opposition of the Brahmins, who have themselves threatened to cut the hair of the widows if the barbers refuse. This, however, it is said the Brahmins could not do without losing caste. The revolt in Bombay is due to the excessive cruelty practised toward widows there. Up country the practice of shaving the widow's head is not so persistently enforced as in Bombay. The hair is allowed to grow again, and the widow is only expected to submit to a renewal of the unwelcome operation when she visits a shrine of special sanctity. In Bombay widows are shaved regularly once a week, and this causes them deep distress.

Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for September is a number that will bear the closest inspection as to its art or literary contents. It is brimful and running over with good things, while its matter relating to domestic affairs, fashions, and other special departments are rich in novelties. The reader will please bear in mind that we give THE JOURNAL ($2.00 per an.) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 per an.) for $2.00, *invariably in advance.*

HARPER'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE for September is a profusely illustrated number. Several of the papers are rich in fine pictures which lend great interest to the letterpress. Some of the principal papers of the issue are: Across the Andes, The Metric System, From a Battlement of Roses, a continuation of Port Tarascon, The Moor Girl's Well, Aix-la-Chapelle, Mountain passes of the Cumberland, etc., etc.

HARPERS is sold by the New England News Company of Boston, and by Sparrow Horton at the old Woburn Bookstore.

THE ARENA for September is noticeable for the strength and variety of its contributions. No reader of serious literature who desires to keep abreast with the best thought of the day can afford to be without this magazine. The opening paper is by Senator John T. Morgan of Alabama, on the Race Question, a striking presentation of the problem from the standpoint of a Southern statesman. Rev. Samuel W. Dike, LL. D. contributes a paper of great ability on Marriage and Divorce Laws. Some of the other papers are: Physical Research by Richard Hodgson, LL D., Vaccination, Robert Owen at New Lanark, The Dominion's Original Sin, Divine Progress, The Greatest Living Englishman, etc., etc. Published by the Arena Pub. Co., Boston.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for August 23d and 30th contain The Origin of Alphabets, Western China: its Products and Trade, The Shetland Isles in the Birds-nesting Season, A Voice from a Harem, The Cession of Heligoland, Comedy in Fiction, In Sickness and in Health, and The Bamboo, Christmas-tide at Tangier, and Watteau: his Life and Work; Chapters from some Unwritten Memoirs, Rural Reminiscences, and The Sea and Seaside, A Manual for Interior Souls, and The Smart Way of Shaking Hands, Tarantulas, The Oxford Summer Meeting, Hyacinth Culture in Holland, with instalments of Marcia and an attractive Young Person, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Several of the strongest writers for THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY are represented in the September number. D. Andrew D. White opens the issue with an article on The Fall of Man and Anthropology, in which he traces the growth of scientific evidence proving that man has had no fall from a high estate but that, from a humble beginning, he has been continually rising. This is one of the most effective chapters in the Warfare of Science series. The conclusion of Mr. Edward Atkinson's paper, Common Sense applied to the Tariff Question, also appears in this number. These are followed by a large number of papers on scientific subjects, among which are: Some Natives of Australia, Wild Horses, The African Pygmies, Can the Mosquito Pest Be Mitigated? Slavonia Faries, Editor's Table, Literary Notices, Popular Miscellany, etc. Published by D. Appleton & Co., N. Y.

The complete novel in LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE for September is contributed by Katharine Pearson Woods, author of that remarkable book, Metzerott, Shoemaker. Miss Woods, like Mr. Edward Bellamy, has won sudden and wide fame by the advocacy of certain forms of socialism, and this, her latest novel, is directed against the "Sweating System," a system which has been exciting a great deal of antagonism both in America and England, and which stands greatly in need of reform. The story is entitled "The Mark of the Beast," and has that power about it which springs from an earnest purpose, while it is crowded with strong scenes and dramatic situations. It is a story that everybody will want to read. A sketch of Miss Woods, by Hester Crawford Dorsey, appears in the body of the magazine. The complete novel is followed by numerous excellent short papers principally among which are The Picture of Dorian Gray by Julian Hawthorne, The Art of Interviewing, My Enemy, An interesting article on the Panama Canal, Current Concentration of Industrial Capital by Henry Clews, and several fresh poems.

The September ST. NICHOLAS devotes the opening paper to Oliver Wendell Holmes, a visit to the poet being appreciatively described by Annie Isabel Willis. W. J. Henderson shows that Great Ocean Waves are *not* properly called tidal waves. Richard Harding Davis tells the story of the Great Tri-Club Tennis Tournament, and another story describes the rescue of an Alaskan child from superstitious members of her own tribe who were about to put her to death as a witch. Ernest E. Thompson writes the True Story of a Little Gray Rabbit. Professor Roberts describes his experiences in a lumber camp. Boys will enjoy the story of a sharp bit of base-ball strategy, My Triple Play. Other amusing or bright contributions are: A Little Contraband, Wooden Shoes, Two Surprise Parties, Clover, and a great number of clever bits of verse and artistic pictures. Only the new pieces are mentioned, but there are serials and continued sketches as well. Altogether the September number is packed full of goods like a hamper sent from a good home to a much-loved boy at boarding school.

CALIFORNIA topics occupy considerable space in the September CENTURY. The Treasures of the Yosemite Valley in the August number is followed by another on Features of the Proposed Yosemite National Park, which is illustrated by William Keith, Charles D. Robinson, Moran, and Davies. The writer describes the wonderful scenery in the neighborhood of Yosemite, included in the limits of the proposed park. Mr. Muir records his protest against present and preceding Commissions. The number also contains How California Came into the Union, illustrated by a large portrait of General Fremont from a daguerreotype of 1850, and by others of Commodores Sloat and Stockton, Governor Burnett, Senator Gwin, and J. Ross Browne, together with pictures of Colton Hall, Monterey and the famous Bear Flag, hoisted at Sonoma in '49. The frontispiece is an engraving by T. A. Butler of Nattier's picturesque portrait of the beautiful Princesse de Conti, an attractive prelude to Mrs. Amelia Gere Mason's fifth paper on The Women of the French Salons. Some of the other papers of the number, illustrated and plain, are Our New Naval Guns, The Anglo-maniacs, Joe Jefferson's Autobiography, An Artists Letters from Japan; Friend Olivia, and several pieces of seasonable poetry.

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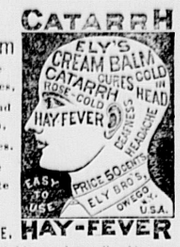

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Boston & Maine RAILROAD.

Southern Division.

JUNE 30, 1890.

Passenger Service from Woburn.

FOR BOSTON, 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37, A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 7.11, 8.29, 8.45, 10.10, P. M. **RETURN**, 6.35, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35, 11.00 A. M., 12.10, 1.07, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 4.45, 5.35, 5.55, 6.15, 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, 10.00, 11.10 P. M.

SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday** at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

WINCHESTER and WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 6.32, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.23, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS, 1890.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.50, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.40, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

*Trips to Winchester only.

J. E. SEWELL, Supt.

East Middlesex Street Railway.

IN EFFECT JUNE 23, 1890.

Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

* Workingmen's Car.

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First Baptist. Main street, corner of Park. Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor.
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First Unitarian. Pleasant street, corner of Winn. Rev. H. G. Parker, pastor.
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All Saints Chapel. Central street. Montvale.
Roman Catholic, St. Charles. Corner Main and Summer streets. Revs. John Queasley, L. W. Slattery, pastors.
Roman Catholic, St. Joseph's. Washington street. Revs. M. F. O'Brien and Denais Lee, pastors.
Trinity Episcopal. Main street, opp. Franklin.
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Clerk of Aldermen,	David F. Moreland
President of Common Council,	E. E. Thompson
Clerk of Common Council,	E. H. Lounsbury
City Clerk,	David F. Moreland
City Collector,	John G. Maguire
City Treasurer,	John C. Buck

Supt. of Schools. Frank B. Richardson.
Sextons. B. A. & C. E. Tripp.
Chief of Police. William R. McIntosh.
Supt. Cemetary. L. L. Whitney.

FIRE ALARM BOXES

BOX.	LOCATION.
23	Cor. Main and Clinton Sts., Central Square.
26	Cor Main and School St., North Woburn.
27	Junction Elm and Pearl Sts., North Woburn.
32	Junction Burlington and Lexington Sts.
34	Junction Cambridge and Lexington Sts.
35	Cor. Willow and Bedford Sts. (Cummingsville)
38	Cor. Winn and Bedford Streets.
42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
43	Montvale Ave. opp. Vernon Street.
45	Salem Street, Walnut Hill.
46	Central Street, opp. School-house (Montvale.)
51	Cor. Green and Mt. Pleasant Sts.
53	Fowle Street near Highland Station.
56	Main Street, opp. Joseph Buck's.
57	Conn Street, Bryant & King's Factory.
62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
63	Junction Montvale Ave. and Union Street.
65	High Street, McDonald's Lumber Yard.
67	Cor. Main and Kilby Streets.
68	Main Street opp. Catholic Chuach.
69	Cor. Pleasant and Canal Streets.
212	Merrimac Chemical Works, North Woburn.
512	Pumping Station, Horn Pond. (Private.)
912	Shaw & Co. and Beggs & Cobb's Factory. (Pri.)

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11—Two blows dismiss department.
111—Three blows calls out the entire department.
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The Woburn Journal

[From the Young Idea.]

HISTORIC HOUSES OF BURLINGTON.

BY MARTHA SEWALL CURTIS.

In the merry days of stage coaches Burlington was quite a famous place, being on the direct road from Boston to Concord, N. H. thirteen miles northeast of the Hub, between Woburn and Lexington. The old tavern at the top of the hill, still standing, was in the later days the half way house between Boston and Lowell where the horses were changed.

But when the Lowell railroad was built its course was turned from the direct route and Burlington was left stranded by the tide of progress. Stage coaches, passengers, and drivers vanished. The jolly bustling days were over and Burlington settled into a quiet little town, visited only by sight-seers who come to view its scenery and places of historic interest.

Burlington was originally a part of the old town of Woburn. In 1732 it was formed into a parish and was known by the name of Woburn Precinct until, in 1799, it became a town. Its most famous house is known as the "Sewall House." Its exact age cannot be determined but it was purchased in 1751 by the second minister of the parish and for a hundred years was the home of the pastors of the church, who were connected by marriage. On the eventful morning of the battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775, this house was the refuge of some notable people, and strangers still come to view the "front room" where they were entertained. At this time the owner of the house was Madam Jones, the widow of the second minister of the parish. On the evening of April 18, 1775, John Hancock and Samuel Adams with the fair Dorothy Quincy, afterward the wife of Hancock, were at the house of Rev. Jonas Clark, the minister of Lexington. It was said that Hancock passed the night "in cleaning his gun and sword and putting his accoutrements in order," and that he was at first determined to join the militia on the green but was finally dissuaded from his purpose by Samuel Adams and Mr. Clark. Not long after midnight they were aroused by Paul Revere who brought the sure tidings of the approach of the British soldiers. Mr. Clark and other friends of Hancock and Adams advised them to seek a place of safety. At first they objected, but were finally convinced that the preservation of their lives was of the utmost importance to the Colony and to the cause of freedom itself. Mr. Clark then entrusted them to the care of a trusty militia-man who was instructed to find for them a safe hiding place. He first conducted them to a woody hill south-east of Mr. Clark's house where they could witness whatever might happen at Lexington.

On this hill Samuel Adams, hearing the British, uttered the prophetic exclamation, "What a glorious morning for America is this!"

Little did he think that these would become household words, repeated from sire to son at the hearthstones of a mighty nation.

It was soon evident, however, that their retreat was too near the scene of action and the little party were conducted by their guide over the winding country road to the house of Madam Jones in Woburn Precinct, four miles away. This lady, a friend of Mr. Clark, was a zealous Whig and received her honored guests with great cordiality. She began at once to make preparations for a good dinner with the help of her negro slave, Cuff. The coachman was sent back to Lexington for a fine salmon, which had been presented to Hancock and Adams as a rare treat at that season and was left behind in the haste of their flight. In due time the dinner was prepared and set on the table in the "best room."

The patriots were very hungry, as in the confusion of the morning they had eaten no breakfast. But scarcely were they seated at the table when a man from Lexington rushed into the room exclaiming: "My wife, I fear, is by this time in eternity, and as for you (speaking to Hancock and Adams), you had better look out for yourselves for the enemy will soon be at your heels!"

The company immediately rose from the table, leaving the salmon untasted, and once more prepared for flight. Their travelling carriage or coach was drawn away into the woods that it might not be a tell-tale object to their pursuers and Rev. John Marrett, the minister, who lived at the home of Madam Jones, conducted them to a house owned by Amos Wyman and situated in a very obscure place near the corner of Woburn Precinct, Bedford and Billerica. Here they found many women and children who were also hiding from the "red coats."

The patriots now began to feel the sharp pangs of hunger. They asked Mrs. Wyman for some food. She took down from the shelf a wooden tray containing some cold boiled salt pork, cold boiled potatoes, unpeeled, and some brown bread. Upon this plain fare they made a hearty meal. It was a current story that Hancock afterward sent Mrs. Wyman a present of a cow as a reward for her hospitality.

The Wyman house was torn down years ago, and even its site can only be traced with difficulty.

On the next day John Hancock and Samuel Adams returned to the house of Madam Jones to find that the regulars had never pursued them to the precinct and they had fled at a false alarm. The enemy, closely pursued by the warrior farmers, had retreated in hot haste to Boston. Madam Jones, who lived to be a very old lady, always cherished the memory of this occurrence and delighted to relate it to her visitors.

Not far from the [illegible] of Madam Jones in the old precinct burying ground stands a headstone of grey slate, which marks the grave of Cuff, a slave so faithful to the duties of his lowly place that he was beloved by all in life and honored in death, being borne to his grave by the selectmen of the town as a mark of respect to him and the family he had served so long.

Another historic house of Burlington is that owned by Capt. Reed at the time of the Battle of Lexington and now in the possession of one of his descendants. In this house the first British prisoners taken in the Revolutionary War were confined on the day of the battle.

In another house in the southerly part of the town the library and public records of Harvard College were kept for safety during the perilous Revolutionary days.

The oldest house in Burlington has certainly been standing two hundred years. It is a dark ancient looking building situated on a retired road in the north part of the town. It was once used as a garrison house. The old gentlemen by whom it is owned delights to show its marks of age to visitors.

It is considered by good judges to be one of the oldest houses in the State. The broad fields and meadows and dense tracts of woodland that sourround it once formed the great Wyman farm, containing a thousand acres, owned by John and Francis Wyman, two of the original settlers of the town of Woburn. Five hundred acres of this farm were purchased, about 1669. This house when built was one of the outposts of civilization in that direction. Just behind it Indians lurked in the grassy meadows of the Shawshin, river. This tribe of Indians were the last who troubled the settlers in this part of the country. On account of the danger from them the port holes, still to be seen in the back of the house, were very necessary, and we look upon them to-day as interesting marks of the past. Standing near the old house, in the quiet spot where it seems always to be afternoon, with the solemn woods and meadows closing round us, it is not hard to imagine that we are in Woburn in the early days of the Wyman settlement, two hundred and twenty years ago.

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Five and Forty Years Ago.

There were twenty-seven States in the Union.

The total population was about $20,000,000.

James K. Polk was President.

John C. Calhoun was Secretary of State.

George Bancroft was Secretary of the Navy, and preparing plans for a Naval Academy.

Webster, Benton and Cass were in the Senate.

Texas was admitted to the Union.

California was a Mexican province.

Expenditures of the United States government were $21,895,370.

There were 14,183 Post Offices in the United States.

Abraham Lincoln was practicing law at Springfield, Ill. William H. Seward was practicing law at Auburn, N. Y. Henry Ward Beecher was preaching at Indianapolis.

Ulysses S. Grant was a lieutenant in the Fourth United States Infantry.

William T. Sherman was lieutenant in the Third United States Artillery.

Jefferson Davis was a Representative in Congress.

Robert E. Lee was captain of Engineers.

J. L. Motley was Secretary of the American Legation at St. Petersburg.

Horace Greeley was editor of the four-year-old *Tribune*.

W. C. Bryant was editor of the *Evening Post*.

James Gordon Bennett was editor of the *Herald*.

James G. Blaine was in Washington College, Pennsylvania.

Benjamin Harrison, James A. Garfield and Grover Cleveland were boys under 15 years of age.

San Francisco had 500 inhabitants; Omaha and Denver none; Minneapolis, St. Paul and Kansas City a few hundred; Chicago, about 10,000.

There were 4633 miles of railroad in the United States.

There were passenger packets on the canals.

The first telegram was sent a year before.

Thomas Edison was not born.

Whale oil lamps and tallow candles were the chief illuminators.

Wood was the chief reliance for heating.

Sewing machines were not in common use.

Mowers and reapers were in experimental stages.

Rubber shoes were coming into use.

R. M. Hoe was thinking of a "rotary printing press."

Quill pens were still much used.

Genesee flour was the standard.

Hand fire engines were the best made.

State banks furnished the currency.

Shillings and sixpences were the silver change.

Gold product of the United States was $1,008,327.

There were no telephones, electric lights, steam elevators, sleeping cars, or typewriters.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

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Long after the invention of pins in the fourteenth century, the maker was allowed to sell them in open shop only on the 1st and 2d of January. It was then that the court ladies and city dames flocked to the depots to buy them, having been first provided with pin money by their husbands. When the pins became cheap and common, the ladies spent their allowances on other fancies, but the term pin money remained in vogue.

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Gentleman (at ball)—"The weather is lovely."—Lady—"Ach! we talked about that during the last dance." Gentleman—"Quite true, fraulein; indeed, I have another subject in my mind, but intend to reserve it for the quadrille, as it is somewhat too long and important to be dissipated during the waltz.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

A shepherd dog fell into a dry well in Oglethorpe county, Georgia. A young man went to the canine's rescue, and as soon as the animal heard his voice, went into raptures of delight. The man procured a rope long enough to reach the bottom of the well, and lowering it was surprised to see the dog grasp the end firm in his mouth and hold on until he was drawn to the top. The dog had received no serious injuries, and, being given a hearty meal, was as frisky as ever.

You Take No Risk

In buying Hood's Sarsaparilla, for it is everywhere recognized as the standard building-up medicine and blood purifier. It has won its way to the front by its own intrinsic merit, and has the largest sale of any preparation of its kind. Any honest druggist will confirm this statement. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy anything else instead. Be sure to get Hood's.

A man living near Kingston, Ga., has found a most wonderful stone. While plowing on a sandbar in the Etowah River he saw something shining with the most brilliant of lights just to one side of him. He stopped his plow and went to pick it up. It was a clear, white stone the size of an egg, reflecting in one way all the colors of the rainbow. Turning it over the colors took on the character of a spirit level, following each other up through the centre of the rock till all were gathered in one end. The owner has been offered $1000 for it, but refused it. It emits a perfectly white light in the dark.

With a feeble appetite and imperfect digestion, it is impossible for the body to secure the requisite amount of nourishment. Ayer's Sarsaparilla not only stimulates the desire for food, but aids the assimilative organs in the formation of good blood and sound tissue.

"We will take a trip to the mountains next week," writes a Georgia editor. "We will have no fears for the paper during our absence, as every man in the town is an editor born and has told us how to run it a thousand times."

Crusty (reading his paper after the morning spat)—"I declare! Here is a man up in Michigan who, while out hunting, mistook another man for a bear, and shot him. I can't for the life of me see how he could make such a mistake." Mrs. Crusty (spitefully)—"Humph! Can't you? Well I can."

MUNROE'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

Important Announcement!

We have finished renovating our store and completed a large addition to the same, which gives us the largest, lightest and best equipped Clothing Store in this vicinity. We wish to call your attention this week to the

Children's Department.

We have selected the largest and finest line of CHILDREN'S SUITS, ages 4 to 14 years, that has ever been shown in this city. Special attention will be given to this department and to the comfort of ladies and children.

We have added a fine line of TRUNKS and TRAVELLING BAGS that will be sold at lowest prices.

In our Hat and Cap Department

We have made extensive additions which gives us the best facilities for showing our immense stock.

In Gent's Furnishings

We shall use double the former space, and as usual make this an important of our store. We would call your attention to our

Great Mark-Down Sale of Suits and Trousers,

To continue for the next TEN DAYS. These garments will be marked with a RED TAG, at prices so low, regardless of cost, as to insure for them a quick sale.

We want everyone to come and see our NEW STORE, and extend a cordial greeting to all.

C. M. MUNROE,

423 Main Street, - Woburn, Mass.

MEN'S SUMMER SUITS
ONLY $10.00!

We are now offering some Wonderful Bargains in Summer Suits, including all the surplus lots from our Wholesale House. Several large lines now being offered AT $10.00 A SUIT have sold heretofore at $15.00, $16.00 and $18.00.

Special Bargains in our Boys' and Children's Department.

COMMONWEALTH CLOTHING HOUSE,

Cor. Washington and Kneeland Streets, BOSTON.

A Mutual Company is one in which every dollar of assets, however acquired, is the property of the Policy-holders. Advantage claimed for

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

It is the only combined purely Mutual, All-cash company in the United States.

ASSETS $136,401,328.00.

Copies of the Twenty-year Distribution Policy, together with your contract with the company, will be furnished on application to the agent.

WEBSTER WOODMAN, Agent, 423 Main St., Woburn, Mass.

The United States Official Investigation of Baking Powders,

Made under authority of Congress by the Chemical Division of the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and recently completed,

Shows the Royal Baking Powder to be a cream of tartar baking powder of the highest quality, superior to all others in strength, leavening power and general usefulness.

The Royal Baking Powder is thus distinguished by the highest expert official authority the leading Baking Powder of the world.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, SEPT. 12, 1890.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WILL PROMOTE PEACE IN THE FAMILY.

The refusal of Mayor Johnson to allow his name to be brought forward in the caucuses as a candidate for the State Senate will, we think, have a good effect on the Republican party in this city. He was urged to be the standard-bearer of the Young Republicans and if he had consented to accept the honor he would have received the enthusiastic support of that wing of the party. He however declined it knowing that by doing so Capt. E. F. Wyer, the leader of the Old Republicans, would be morally certain of receiving the nomination because there would be no one to oppose him with any effect.

Now, the JOURNAL thinks Mayor Johnson is entitled to a good deal of credit for making this personal sacrifice for the good of the Republican party—to bring about harmony in its ranks, and peace and good will all along the line. Factions have been fighting each other for more than 10 years and it looks as though it had been left for Mayor Johnson, who was but a stripling when the war began, to heal up the breach and bring the antagonists together once more on a common and harmonious basis.

Not only will Mayor Johnson's refusal to stand as a candidate for Senator go far towards restoring harmony between the Old and Young Republicans, thus placing the opposition to the Woburn Democracy on a sound war footing, but his having done so for the express purpose of accomplishing this very end will prove the best thing Mayor Johnson ever did for himself in a political way, providing he has any political ambitions to be gratified later on. It is not likely he thought of the matter when refusing to yield to the solicitations of his friends to allow his name to be used for the Senatorial nomination but when, in the interests of party harmony, he refused thus to yield he laid a foundation for future political promotion more solid and firm than he could possibly have done had he set himself deliberately at work for the purpose. He will stand before both factions as a peace-maker, and that means that when the party want a man to carry their colors and share their honors just as naturally as anything can be they will turn their eyes towards him and ask him to step to the front. In other words, there is a successful political future for Mr. Johnson (providing he has any ambition in that direction) which will be partly due to the gratitude of the Republicans for his part in healing up the troubles and putting a stop to the family quarrel that has raged with such intense bitterness for so many years in their ranks.

MAINE DID NOBLY.

Last Monday Maine held her State election for the choice of Governor, Congressmen, a Legislature, County Officers, etc., and the Republicans won the victory by 18,000 plurality! Gov. Burleigh, the four Congressmen—Reed (1st Dist.), Dingley (2d), Milliken (3d), and Boutelle (4th), were all re-elected by increased majorities; the Legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican; and Republican officers were chosen in about every county.

The chief interest of the contest had its centre in the First Congressional District, Reed's. It was not confined to Maine or New England but was National. Reed is the Republican leader of the country; his course as Speaker has elevated him to the most exalted seat in the Republican synagogue; this same course has also made the Democratic party his most bitter political foes. They would rather Reed had been beaten last Monday than to have gained any number of Congressmen elsewhere. They were determined to down him and to that end they poured into York and Cumberland counties barrels of campaign lucre. But it didn't do any earthly good.

The result of the poll was a surprise of stupendous proportions to everybody. The Democracy expected to snow Reed under; his most sanguine friends didn't think he would get over about 1,000 plurality; and probably Reed himself would have been glad to have been assured of that figure. But how did it come out?

REED'S PLURALITY WAS ABOUT 5,000!

If that wasn't an endorsement of Speaker Reed and his brilliant party leadership in the House and country it would be hard to define the meaning of the word.

CONGRESSIONAL.

"The political pot is boiling" with great fury in this District. The fighting just now is being carried on mainly between Capt. Fox of Cambridge and Mr. Burns of Somerville.

Burns's candidacy is opposed by the War Veterans, and is not promoted very much by being championed by the Somerville *Journal*, which paper some wicked Republicans have classed among the political invertebrates. The Vets say Burns was guilty of committing official acts while Mayor of Somerville that makes it impossible for him to secure the support of "the boys," and without that his canvass must inevitably slump through.

Fox, although a good soldier, somehow lacks the popularity to make him the winner of the stakes. There seems to be no enthusiasm for him in the District. Still he got some of the Somerville delegates last Tuesday night.

Tower of Lexington denies being a candidate and lately said in a newspaper interview that he would not be one under any circumstances.

General Banks wrote a letter a few days since in which he said he would be entirely satisfied with whatever disposition his friends might make of him and his candidacy, and the old General no doubt meant it. It would not be at all surprising if he should step in and pluck the persimmon.

Mayor E. F. Johnson of this city will be supported in the convention by the Woburn delegation and probably by some members of other delegations. It remains to be seen how much strength he has in the District.

Other gentlemen have been "mentioned," but the above constitute a full list of the prominent candidates in the field for Gen. Banks's old shoes.

CAPT. E. F. WYER FOR SENATOR.

Assurances have been repeatedly given of late by prominent members of the Republican party in other sections of this Senatorial District to the effect that if Woburn would send delegates to the convention in favor of Capt. E. F. Wyer the outside towns would turn to and nominate him without any trouble.

On the strength of this, and because he deserved it, the Republican caucuses last Wednesday evening chose a solid delegation for him, and that unquestionably settles the matter in the Captain's favor and insures his election to the State Senate next November.

Woburn Republicans will be very well satisfied with the arrangement, and the District will secure an able and faithful representative in the upper branch of the General Court. If there is a man in Woburn whose past services to the party entitle him to consideration and a share of public honors it is Capt. Wyer.

Capt. Wyer will represent the Fifth Senatorial with credit to himself and his constituents. He is a well informed gentleman; has sound common sense in ample measure; is a good speaker and debater; and he will attend strictly and intelligently to the discharge of the duties which he will be sent to the Senate to perform.

Capt. Wyer's nomination and election may be set down as a moral certainty.

"THE SITUATION DIFFERS."

The Woburn JOURNAL rises to indorse the Attorney-General and joins its support with some telling references to the events of a year ago. There is certainly advantages in possession. Says the Woburn paper:—(Here follows what the JOURNAL said about the matter on Aug. 15.)

But the situation differs from that which existed a year ago in that the contest is now being carried into the caucuses, and Albert E. Pillsbury is making a good showing down East. Some dozen towns and cities have elected delegates known to favor his nomination.—*Springfield Republican.*

Possibly; but the proof of the pudding is eating it. It is always easier to tell who is Governor after election than it is before it, and when the ballots for Attorney-General come to be counted at the convention the *Republican* may find itself surprised.

One thing is certain and that is that Attorney-General Waterman is in the fight "for keeps," and from all accounts Esquire Pillsbury will have to prosecute his canvass more vigorously and successfully than he has of late or he will get left worse than he was last year.

AN ENDORSEMENT.

The grand Republican victory in Maine last Monday was the strongest kind of an endorsement not only of Congressman Reed's course as Speaker of the House but of the Tariff and Election bills and of the Republican policy generally. The magnificent ovation given to Speaker Reed in Boston last week told the same kind of a story.

The present Republican Congress have done more to promote the welfare of the country than has been accomplished by the Democratic party since Jackson left the stage of action.

Business people appreciate the good works of the Republicans and if the Presidential election was to be held tomorrow "Tom" Reed, or whoever the Republican candidate might be, would make a clean sweep of nearly every Northern State. It is said that hundreds of business Democrats voted for Reed last Monday because they like the way he handles the obstructionists in the House, and also because they approve of the Republican Tariff bill.

Yes, Maine endorsed the Republican policy that is giving all kinds of business such a boom in this country right up to the handle last Monday. Let Maine alone for that every time!

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE.

If he will consent to stand hardly anyone doubts but that the Democracy will nominate Mr. James Skinner to run against Capt. E. F. Wyer for the Senate from this District this fall. He is the only member of the party who, we think, could come within a gunshot of getting votes enough to elect him, and of course he would naturally lack 600 or 700 of enough for that purpose.

But Mr. Skinner is an intelligent and high-minded gentleman and the only thing the Democracy will think of doing, if they would act in any way wise, will be to renominate him.

This advice is entirely disinterested because we know there isn't a Democrat in the District who can beat Capt. Wyer, or come anywhere near it.

FOR JOHNSON.

The Congressional delegates chosen last Wednesday evening at the Republican caucus in this city will cast a solid vote for their townsman, Hon. Edward F. Johnson, at the convention to be held on the 18th instant to choose a successor to Congressman Banks.

This goes to show that what the JOURNAL says in an editorial in its present issue written before the caucusses were held is a pretty close call for the bullseye. Just what we say in that article would be sure to follow Mr. Johnson's action on the Senator question has already begun to prove true.

CITIZENS MOVEMENT.

It has transpired within a day or two that prominent citizens who are members of both political parties but not conspicuous in either have been giving considerable attention to the organization of a citizens movement for the approaching charter election in this city. It is in the interest of a continuance of the good local government which the city has enjoyed under Mayor Johnson's administration.

In the event that reasonable success crowns the efforts of these gentlemen it is not improbable that Alderman Julius F. Ramsdell will be selected for the office of Mayor.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Republican Committee for the 5th Middlesex Senatorial District have designated Ayer and Oct. 1 as the place and time for holding the next Senatorial Convention.

COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Middlesex Republican County Convention has been called to meet at Lowell on October 2.

☞ It respectfully declines to vouch for the truth of the story but the JOURNAL was told the other day by a man of acknowledged veracity that Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, the accomplished journalist and Associated Press reporter of this city, will be a candidate for Representative to the Legislature this fall. Well, the Republicans might go further and fare worse. If elected Mr. Pierce would represent the District very creditably indeed, and as he is one of the "Young Republicans" and a prime favorite with that section of the party why would it not be a good plan for all hands to take hold and give him a boost?

☞ If Mr. Mark C. Felch should yield to the solicitations of his friends and enter the lists again this fall for a seat in the Massachusetts House he will probably win the race. Notwithstanding the 11th hour had struck when he went in last year he came so near capturing the Democratic nomination that it made the opposition crowd shake in their boots. Felch has character, pluck and money, and if he goes in for the prize in dead earnest he will cause a rattling among Democratic dry bones. It looks now as though the Moreland faction would get snowed under in their State and city political enterprises this fall.

☞ Hon. B. F. Whittemore of this city is, so we hear, as enthusiastically in favor of Ex-Mayor Fox for Congress this year as he was for General Banks last. He will always be found supporting an old soldier for office when he has a chance, and that is one among the many things why people like him so well.

☞ It is expected that the Republicans of this (5th) District will hold their convention to nominate a candidate for Congress in Boston on the 18th of this month. We suspect the question of time and place was settled yesterday evening.

☞ We hereby return thanks to Hon. R. R. Wade, Chief of the Massachusetts District Police, for valuable public documents.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Advertiser—Lost.
T. H. Cahill—Melvin.
A. E. Ayers—To Let.
Geo. Nelson—Teaming.
J. M. Leach—For Sale.
C. Bonelli—Dry Goods.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Alice O'Brien—Pianoforte.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
F. H. Lewis—Music School.
Josephine Lang—Pianoforte.
Royal B. P. Co.—B. Powder.
C. M. Caswell & Co.—Stetson.
T. C. Evans—Hartshorn & Co.
D. F. Scanlan & Co.—Harness.
Miss Whittemore—Ashley Hall.
G. P. Rowell & Co.—H. F. Cady.

— Amos Cummings is repairing his store.

— Freeman Leslie is here in Woburn once more.

— Read the card of Mr. Geo. Nelson in this paper.

— Mrs. Bonelli and family have returned from Asbury Grove.

— Oh, but wasn't yesterday a delicious day? Everybody spoke of it.

— Mr. Fred Flint gained 5 lbs. the 3 weeks he was at Camden. Not bad, eh?

— The Republican caucuses last Wednesday evening passed off with eclat.

— Mr. J. Howard Nason has sold out his boot and shoe business to S. C. Crowe.

— Miss Lena Brown, a late graduate of Wellesly College, is teaching at Natick.

— Mrs. J. I. Hanson and family have returned from a summer's visit at Uxbridge.

— If stormy the excursion to Haverhill and Merrimac River will go next Wednesday.

— Tuesday was a muggy, sticky, tepid and altogether disagreeable day until the rain set in.

— Miss Plannet and Miss Bertha Smith have returned from a pleasant visit to New Hampshire.

— The Methodist minister and his family moved into their new abode on Plympton street last Tuesday.

— Sheridan Light Infantry will give a lawn party to-morrow night at Tenney's on lower Main street.

— Miss Mary Kenney, daughter of Mr. Peter Kenney, is attending the Burkeley street Sisters school in Boston.

— The display window in Copeland's store look as though the times are any thing but "hard." They make a good show.

— Mr. Willard Smith don't see any reason why trade should not be good in Woburn this fall. Nor the JOURNAL either.

— Editor Kenney of the *Globe* and family have returned from Nantasket and settled down at their nice home on Pleasant street.

— Officer McDermott is taking his vacation. With the expiration of his outing the police vacation season for 1890 will close.

— The faithful and venerable sexton, Mr. B. B. Brown, intends to take his vacation next Sabbath and expects to be gone half a day.

— Mr. W. E. Ayres offers for rent a nice tenement at Walnut Hill at cheap figures. His address is 137 Oliver street, Boston.

— Mr. Charlie Lyford is now a full-fledged commercial traveler. A nice sample case seems to fit his complexion in good shape.

— About every day bales and boxes are unloaded at Amos Cummings's store. He evidently thinks there is going to be a good fall trade.

— The public schools resumed operation on last Monday morning and are at the present time on the topmost wave of successful go-ahead-ativeness.

— Dr. Sanborn and the Messrs. T. Marvin and Joseph Henry Parker have returned from a fishing excursion in the wilds of Somerset county, Maine.

— Dr. Seth W. Kelley expects to visit Cardiff, Tenn., shortly. It may be that he will put some money into coal and mineral lands down there.

— Besides doing heaps of watch repairing Mr. George W. Nichols finds time to give to the organization of some favorite social-insurance clubs or societies.

— Mr. Joseph W. Hammond, head of the Hammond Clothing store, and Mrs. Hammond are are at Clifton Springs, N. Y., a favorite resort of theirs.

— The new Republican Ward and City Committee in Ward 7 are: F. M. Pushee, A. B. Heald, C. H. Lincoln, J. Warren Ellard and Adam Busted.

— Forrest Hooper, the plumber, and lady welcomed a new boarder at their house t e other day. It was a girl, and Forrest says she is a daisy—just like her pa.

— A benefit is soon to be given to Miss McDonald, a very popular young lady who was for several years a member of the Choir at St. Charles church. She has hosts of friends.

— Moreland has secured a majority of the delegates to the Representative convention, which means that the Democratic candidates will be Moreland and a Reading man.

— If anyone has picked up a ladies gold ring answering the description given in our advertising columns of a lost one the finder can learn where to leave it by referring to said notice.

— Read Bonelli's dry goods card in this paper. They are offering some rare bargains in dress goods and also in linen wares. Quick sales and small profits is the motto of the Bonellis.

— Masters Charles Arthur and George Harrison Platts have recently returned from a pleasant vacation at Swampscott Beach. They were entertained there by Mr. James H. Moulton.

— Mrs. C. Packard has rented the store in Church Block recently vacated by W. E. Cummings and will set up a firstclass millinery establishment in it. She has a flourishing store in Stoneham.

— The National Band gave a very fine final concert on the Common last Wednesday evening which was followed by their annual ball in Lyceum Hall. The festive occasion was a great success.

— The Phalanx are making preparations for celebrating the 55th anniversary of its organization on the 25th of this month. The programme will include a parade, a target shoot, and a banquet.

— A larger per cent of the pupils in the High School have taken up Latin this term than at any former commencement of the school year. This speaks well for Principal Dow and his Aids.

— The annual reunion of the gallant old 39th. Mass. will be held in this city on Sept. 24. A municipal appropriation was made to defray the expenses of it. It will be a notable occasion.

— Mr. Henry B. Wood is an employee in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Sewer Department of the Boston City Government where he has done acceptable service for several years past.

— That of fair Editress Curran is the only case in the State of a lady successfully conducting a Democratic weekly newspaper. She does it very handsomely considering the politics of her journal.

— The Woburn Fanciers Club held a meeting in Dow Block last Tuesday evening to attend which Sec'y M. W. True sent the JOURNAL a ticket. The Club are making preparations for a big show here next January.

— There was a powerful rain on Tuesday night and Wednesday. It possessed some of the characteristics of the Line Gale but we should not want to say positively that it was the Autumnal Equinox for 1890.

— Mr. John M. Wallace, an esteemed citizen of Woburn, was united in marriage with Miss May Casterson of this city, last Wednesday. Bride and groom will please accept the congratulations of the JOURNAL.

— By reference to our business columns it will be seen that Mrs. Leach advertises to sell off her household furniture at 67 Prospect street. Good bargains in good kitchen and other wares will be given in this sale.

— At the 3d annual meeting of the Society of California Pioneers held in Boston last Wednesday Hon. B. F. Whittemore was elected a member of the Board of Directors. He is a wide awake and enthusiastic old '49er.

— Harry Brown tells us that the Burdett Business College has placed him in two first class positions. The first was with the celebrated Rawson Seed Firm which he left later to accept his present responsible situation offered him by the College.

— Miss Vic Maxwell of No. Winchester is the most accomplished equestrienne that rides through our streets. She has an elegant figure and the supple grace with which she sits her nervy nag very few young ladies are able to match and none to surpass.

— At 7 o'clock next Sunday evening Rev. Dr. March, the pastor, will give a lecture in the vestry of the Congregational church on "Scenes in the Life of Paul," the same to be illustrated by stereopticon views. It will, no doubt, be a very interesting lecture.

— The card of Miss A. Josephine Lang may be found in another column of this paper. The large increase in the number of pupils which Miss Lang has from year to year bears sufficient testimony of the success of this accomplished teacher of the Pianoforte.

— Trips on the East Mid'x St. R'y from Malden to the Beach have been reduced by Supt. Wentworth to these: at 10 a. m.; 1, 2, 3, 4 p. m. Trips to Cliftondale to these: at 10.30 a. m.; 1.30, 3.30, 5.30 p. m. The Beach line will be withdrawn in 2 or 3 weeks.

— On Thursday, at 2 o'clock p. m. Auctioneer Gregory will sell the household furniture belonging to Anton Hanson, No. 10 Allen street. The house has been sold to Charles D. Onion of Dedham formerly of Woburn. Mr. Hanson leaves for Europe on Sept. 20.

— Mr. Harry F. Parker, clerk for the Boston & Maine Railroad Co., started last Monday morning on a two weeks vacation visit to his grandmother at St. Johnsbury, Vermont, and afterwards to return to Nashua, N. H., and visit with old schoolmates and friends in that locality.

— Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Littlefield and daughter have returned from a trip through New York and New Jersey which they enjoyed very much. Of course the novel sights in N. Y. City were duly attended to among other things. They were gone about three weeks.

— The JOURNAL modestly flatters itself on being humbly instrumental in contributing a widow's mite at least towards bringing about a better state of feelings between the Old and Young Republicans of this city and settling the Senator question in a manner so satisfactory to everybody, except the Democracy.

— A good many Democrats are talking of Mr. R. J. W. Phinney for our next Mayor. Against his wishes he developed considerable strength in the caucus last year, but whether he would take the nomination or not next December the JOURNAL is unable to say. Phinney has a level business head and would make a good Mayor.

— Miss Alice O'Brien is an accomplished pianist and a very successful teacher on that instrument. She has had the advantange of the most thorough training by the best masters and her pupils take as high rank in musical circles as those of any other instructor. Miss O'Brien has a card in the JOURNAL this week to which we call attention.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Visitors to Boston this month should see the collection of unique pieces of furniture from all parts of the world, on exhibition at Paine's Furniture Warerooms 48 Canal street, Boston, opposite the Boston & Maine Depot. You can buy there this week the outfit for an East Indian Bungalow, an Esquimaux Hut, or a Fifth Avenue mansion.

— A careful canvass develops the fact that more than half of our 13,440 population are glad that City Treasurer Buck is squarely on his pegs once more. He had a close call, but happily for "all hands and the cook" he pulled through, and we see no reason why he may not remain with us a good many years if he behaves himself properly.

— If Congressman Banks should conclude to let Woburn select Postmaster Reade's successor next February by ballot, as some people hope he will and as several Congressmen have done before him, it would not be at all surprising if Mr. Reade should be chosen to succeed himself. Stranger things than that have happened in this ever-changing world of ours.

— Leeds's grand Merrimac River excursion comes off to-morrow and if the weather is fine a great many people will take advantage of it for the enjoyment of one of the nicest all-day trips that can be found anywhere. Tickets can be had at Leeds's drugstore. For $1.50 a steam car ride, a sail down the Merrimac, a few hours on the Beach, and a right down good time can be purchased.

— David F. Scanlan & Co., harness makers at No. Woburn, have a card in this paper to which we call especial attention. They are a firm of ambitious young men who understand the business thoroughly, make firstclass goods, are prompt, and can be relied on for honest work at fair prices. They have gone into business for a permanent thing, and the public can rely on getting the best of goods and work at bottom prices.

— Mr. William A. Montgomery, son of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. church in this city and a terror to the rumsellers, has accepted a professorship in the Bishop Scott Academy at Portland, Ore., and will soon enter on the discharge of the duties of that honorable and responsible position. Young Montgomery is a recent graduate of Middletown College, Connecticut, and is regarded as a very talented and promising chip of the old block.

— The Prohibition party in this city have selected per caucus the following named gentlemen for delegates to the State and other Prohibitory conventions this year: Charles W. Dorr, J. Howard Nason, William Redford and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Somes C. Hilton, Quincy R. Ward, Asa Turner, John K. Murdock, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Symonds, Dr. B. R. Harmon, Edward C. Leathe, Ben. T. H. Porter, Theodore C. Boutelle, J. P. Bailey.

— Capt. Horace N. Conn is one of the "mentioned" for Representative for the Legislature. And as we understand it, there is something more in it than mere "mention"—he has considerable good backing for the nomination, so his friends say. Going to the Legislature seems to "run in the family" of Conn. Each of the several last past generations of them has sent one or more members to the General Court. Nor has the other side of Captain Horace's family tree been any less distinguished for office-holding, for many generations of his maternal ancestry have sent its member or members to the Massachusetts Legislature. There seems to be good reason, then, why Capt. Conn should be taken up and elected a Representative besides the fact of his fitness for the honorable position.

— It is currently reported that a certain clever Woburn reporter for a Boston daily seriously contemplates dropping into poultry. He bought a very fine second-hand Plymouth Rock rooster at an auction the other day and hopes before Christmas to procure a suitable hen to go with him. As soon as the pair get into good working order (if ever) our reporter expects to make considerable money from them. Experts say he has a fine lip for the poultry business.

— Particular attention is called to the advertisement in this paper of the "3 Popular, $11.00, Trips" up the Hudson to be personally conducted by Hartshorn & Cheney, the well known excursion specialists at 50 Bromfield street, Boston. These trips are the cheapest ever advertised, and if there is anything more enchanting than a sail up the Hudson we shouldn't know where to go to find it. Be sure and send for full descriptive circulars to the above address.

— Councilman E. E. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson started last Monday, as per programme, for St. Paul, Minn., where and near where they expect to visit friends during the next three or four weeks. They will look over the ground for the Columbus Worlds Fair in 1892, go into outlaying parts of Minnesota and other sections of Uncle Sam's big farm perhaps, and try to enjoy life all the time. Our good friends went out there for a nice time, and the JOURNAL hopes they will have it.

— Leonard Thompson, Esq., arrived home last Tuesday from a tour into the most northern of this country's possessions in good health and firstrate spirits. As a member of a Raymond excursion party he visited Washington, Alaska, Vancouvers Land, and other semi-polar regions of the United States and British America, in all of which he was deeply interested. His traveling companions were cultivated and agreeable Eastern people in whose company two months and more was pleasantly spent. Mr. Thompson stored up a great fund of information concerning the sections visited, descriptions of which by him it is entertaining to listen to.

— Mr. James R. Wood, who has a fine farm and homestead on Salem street in this city and enjoys living on it, is the senior member of the firm of Boston detectives of Wood & Ham, and last Monday he brought to a head a neat job of professional work in the arrest of Jerome A. Brown at Salem who has been 20 years in the employ of the B. & M. RR. Co., and several years passenger conductor on the line between Salem and Lowell, for embezzlement of money and tickets from the Company estimated to amount to $1,000. Brown confessed the whole business after his arrest. He was a shrewd embezzler but Wood carried too many guns for him, and after several months hard work on him he was caught.

— Last Saturday Warren C. Perrigo was sentenced in the Woburn District Court to pay a fine of $50 and be confined 4 months in the House of Correction for maintaining a liquor nuisance. Perrigo conducted the defense pro se but contrary to the old "saw" had no "fool for a client." From all accounts the trial quite closely resembled a circus of mammoth proportions and was nuts for a large and appreciative audience. Perrigo is a dabster at practicing law and common rumor had it that he just more than wound Lawyer Curran right round his little finger on knotty points and figuratively speaking swept the floor with him. It was stated that he fared worse later in the day at the hands of City Clerk Moreland with nothing figurative about it. Perrigo appealed from the decision of Judge Converse and recognized in the sum of $400 for his appearance at the Oct. T. of the Superior Court for this county and duly prosecute his appeal.

— Mr. James Skinner got through with settling up the co-partnership business of James Skinner & Co. and began making leather at the old stand some little time ago. He is already—after a shutdown of several months—turning out a larger product than the old concern did, putting in 125 hides daily where 100 was about the former average, and employing more workmen. When he gets all the departments to running full handed, as will soon be the case, Mr. Skinner contemplates doing a considerable larger business than the old firm did when going at its best paces, and this we are all glad to know. Why? Because it means more work, more men to do it, more money put into circulation every week or month, more to do, more for doing it, and more prosperity all around the board. When every leather factory in Woburn is in successful operation she asks no odds of the best of them on any score. Mr. Skinner having started in again for a larger business and more ducats than ever before it would be cheering to see others follow his example and fill their establishments with men and leather and prosperity once again.

— Early last Saturday morning Mr. James E. Barrell died quite suddenly at the Almshouse in this city of which he had been an inmate for some time. The case of the deceased was a sad one. He was born in Scituate and was a few months over 71 years old at the time of his death. He was once a man of good official and social standing and at one period of his life was reputed to be worth $60,000. In 1848 he settled in Boston and was in the clothing trade on Commercial street several years. In 1856 he was Assistant Clerk of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and in 1864 he was appointed City Marshal of Chelsea, which office he held some 4 years, and gave general satisfaction. His was a genial nature. He was a kind man and everybody liked him. But he became, step by step, a slave to the enemy whose yearly victims are counted by the hundreds of thousands. While he was yet prosperous and occupying responsible official posts this same enemy was gradually riveting shackles on the soul and body of his subject, and last Saturday the poor man died in the Woburn almshouse. His later life and death was a repetition of the same old, sorrowful story, and still there are human beings who will stand behind the bar and deal out death and desolation to all who come and have the money to pay day and night and all the time. It seems strange that anybody will do so, and yet we see it every day.

— Staff Officer Charles Wheeler, who is in command of the Woburn Corps of the Salvation Army, and his wife complain of the mean and outrageous treatment which they have been subjected to from the hoodlum element of society during their evening parades and open-air devotions for some weeks past, from which they are unable to secure protection or get redress for the wrongs and insults done them. Some members of the Police have been specially instructed by Chief McIntosh to guard these worthy people during their marches through the streets and in their religious ceremonies on the Common, and for a time after his first orders were given out no trouble was experienced; but of late it has returned and Officer Wheeler, his wife and soldiers have been roughly and indecently treated. Officer Wheeler says Chief McIntosh received him and his petition for protection most kindly and courteously; that he cheerfully promised to see that they were not meddled with any more by the hoodlums (old and young), and for some time they got along firstrate. The whole Corps feel very friendly towards the Chief, but by some of his subordinates they claim to have been ill-used. Now, these people not only have a legal right to parade on the streets (under proper restrictions), and pray and sing on the common openings of the city, but they are honest and sincere in their labors to save sinners, and furthermore they drag from moral slums and gutters many miserable creatures who, but for their humane and Christian efforts, would sink into poor, dark, unhonored graves. It is acknowledged by the most eminent divines in this country and England that the Salvation Army have achieved wonderful things in the conversion of sinners, in rescuing the inebriate, in saving the wretched and outcast from despair and death, and that as an instrument for accomplishing good for their fellow-mortals they deserve encouragement and police protection. We should hope that Staff Officer Wheeler will have no further cause for complaint of public ill-treatment while he remains here.

Penny Wise But Pound Foolish.

Once a merchant, who had an eye single to great profits and regarded not the wants of his patrons, undertook to induce a customer to take some of Dusenbury's soap. "What you say may be all true," said the customer, "but my wife does not want that soap, and as you have not got Brussels soap I'll step in next door and get it," which he did. And ever after he traded at the place where could be found the economical Brussels soap and other desirable household articles.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held last Friday evening. A petition was received from Alvah Buckman and others for a crossing at the corner of Prospect street and Montvale Ave. The president appointed Eames of 6, Beggs of 3 and Grant of 3 the committee on the part of the Council to purchase a lot for the new Armory. The Finance Committee reported an order authorizing the Treasurer to hire $14,000 for the building of the new Highland school. Concurred in various matters with the Aldermen, and orders were passed to place a fire alarm box at Walnut Hill, appropriating $6000 for the new conduit to the reservoir, and granting $4 State aid to Owen McCaffray. Adjourned.

ALDERMEN.

A special meeting of the Aldermen was held last Monday evening, all the members being present, including the new member from Ward 5, Alderman Kendall.

The meeting was called especially to take action on the appropriation for the new water main to the reservoir, and the order authorizing the Treasurer to hire $6000 for that purpose, as passed by the other branch, was concurred in, as was other matters.

E. F. Blank was granted a druggists' liquor license without reference.

Michael Dennahay applied for State aid.

Owen McCaffray was recommended for $4 State aid.

The Caucuses.

The Republicans of this city held caucuses last Wednesday evening to choose delegates to the several conventions. The meetings were well attended and there was harmony all along the line. The Congressional delegation were chosen with that view and are all solid for Mayor E. F. Johnson. Likewise, the Senatorial delegates were selected to support Capt. E. F. Wyer and they will be solid for him in the convention. The following are the delegates:

State, John M. Harlow, John R. Carter, Edwin F. Wyer, H. Eustis Smith, Warren B. Adams, B. F. Whittemore, Edward F. Johnson, Frank M. Pushee.

Senatorial, Elisha F. Hayward, J. L. Pinkham, William T. Grammar, William R. Putnam, Frank W. Legg, Luke W. Fowle, George F. Hosmer, Phineas G. Hanson.

Congressional, Griffin Place, George C. Conn, Edward D. Hayden, Philip K. Richardson, James E. Cutler, Charles F. Spear, Henry L. Andrews, William Eilard.

Councillor, Joseph M. Gerrish, Lewis L. Whitney, Joseph F. DeLoreia, B. Frank Smith, Henry M. Eames, F. B. K. Marter, Edmund C. Cottle, James Given.

County, J. Fred Leslie, Luke R. Tidd, Joseph F. DeLoreia, Francis A. Buckman, Fred E. Perkins, W. F. Greenough, A. B. Dimmick, Franklin Flint.

Representative, Charles D. Adams, M. H. Allen, Charles H. Delano, Alexander Grant, Warren W. Cummings, W. T. Kendall, George W. Kimball, Charles R. Morse.

City Committee, Griffin Place, John R. Carter, S. E. Kendrick, J. Fred Leslie, William E. Blodgett, Edwin F. Wyer, Joseph F. DeLoreia, Patrick McGowan, Charles H. Delano, Fred J. Brown, Harry E. Marion, Frank A. Partridge, Elphaz Prior, Elmore A. Pierce, Philip K. Richardson, Nathaniel S. Watson, M. W. True, R. F. Poole, Arthur U. Dickson, S. A. Thompson, W. F. Greenough, Edward Montgomery, F. B. K. Marter, Daniel E. Dyer, Charles F. Spear, David H. Eaton, F. S. Bassett, Charles M. Sirout, Albert M. Colby, W. P. Cutler.

A Glutted Market.

The market for old newspapers in Boston is feeling the effect of the attempt of one of the Boston papers to work up a circulation. Every junk store is glutted with thousands of copies, and the price of old newspapers has dropped more than 50 per cent.

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Never mind about "tempering the wind to the shorn lamb." What the shorn lamb is after is some way to raise the wind.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Boston Mail opens at 8, 8.30, 10.15 A. M., 1.15, 2, 4, 6.25, 8.05 P. M.
New York Mail opens at 8.00 A. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 8.45 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.08 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.15 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 6.00 P. M.
Burlington, 10.00 A. M.
Winchester, 12.40 and 4.15 P. M.
North Woburn, 5.45 P. M.

Post Office opens at 6.40 A. M.
Closes at 8.00 P. M.
Saturdays at 8.30 P. M.

Lawrence Reade, P. M.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: The Church of the Telescope. At 12 m. Sunday School.

METHODIST—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by Rev. W. J. Pomfret; at 6 Epworth League Prayer meeting; usual services at 7 p. m. Regular prayer and class meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

CONGREGATIONAL—The pastor will preach at 10.30 a. m. Prelude: "Appearance and Reality." Sermon: "Abundant Life." At 6 p. m. Young people's meeting. At 7 p. m. Lecture by the pastor, "Scenes in the Life of Paul." Stereoptican Illustrations. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

Married.

In this city, Sept. 11, by Rev. Daniel Mareh, D.D., Frank E. Soles and Fannie D. Stearns, both of Woburn. No cards.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Sept. 6, James Barrell, aged 71 years.
In this city, Sept. 9, Annie J. Rowe, aged 26 years, 4 months, 14 days.
In Winchester, Sept. 6, Sylvia Duleng, aged 37 years, 21 days.

WHAT IS SCROFULA

It is that impurity in the blood, which, accumulating in the glands of the neck, produces unsightly lumps or swellings; which causes painful running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which developes ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or the many other manifestations usually ascribed to "humors;" which, fastening upon the lungs, caus

Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

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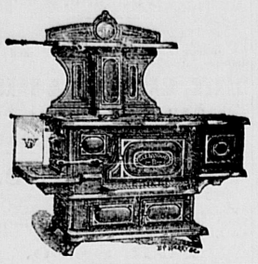

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Democratic Delegates.

At the Democratic caucus held last Tuesday evening the following delegates were elected to the several conventions:

State—John Murphy, Thomas J. Fox, James Skinner, John C. Meehan, David F. Moreland, Thomas Moore, Eliot L. Packard, James H. Doherty, John J. Sheehan, John P. Crane, Thomas Salmon, R. J. W. Phinney, George W. Norris, William C. Kenney, Dr. George P. Bartlett, Samuel Skelton, John F. Larkin, Edward E. Parker, Andrew Dorrington.

Congressional—Jacob A. Ham, James Dolan, Clarence Littlefield, John G. Maguire, David F. Moreland, Edward F. Cassidy, Thomas F. McGovern, William A. Lynch, Fred C. Emery, Leonard Thompson, John O. Ray, John F. Scally, Patrick E. Tenney, Edward J. Gregory, Martin J. Walsh, Charles K. Conn, John H. Finn, James Wolf, Edward Duffy.

Senatorial—James M. Callahan, James McKenna, Daniel Sullivan, Henry M. Aldrich, Thomas J. Begley, Dennis L. Sullivan, Arthur E. Gage, Patrick H. Green, Edward Walsh, William F. Davis, Patrick McHugh, Andrew McHugh, John O'Brien, Dr. James H. Conway, Michael McKay, William M. Bartlett, John Maloney, John Bradley Edward D. Parker.

County and Councillor—S. F. Trull, W. R. Bartlett, John H. Bates, Richard Terrett, Eliot L. Packard, Thomas F. McCormick, Jacob M. Ellis, Martin Doyle, Thomas Caulfield, John I. Munroe, Thomas Salmon, John P. Crane, Jeremiah Weafer, Dennis S. Doherty, Samuel D. Thompson, Michael Meagher, Edward W. Kenney, Frank Connors, J. Emery Eaton.

Representative—John Maguire, Terence Maguire, Jacob A. Ham, John Murphy, David F. Moreland, Peter Lafferty, Edward F. O'Neil, Frank Doherty, Daniel Lafferty, Thomas Callan, Charlie A. Jones, John J. Short, Charlie E. McGowan, Dr. George P. Bartlett, John McLaughlin, P. H. Mathews, William E. Mooney, James Wolf, Frank E. Rooney.

Ward and city committees—Thomas Moore, D. Conlon, John P. Delaney, David F. Moreland, Eliot L. Packard, P. F. Lafferty, Edward F. O'Neil, William A. Lynch, Patrick Riley, Bryan Griffin, Michael T. Hickey, John J. Sheehan, Timothy King, Thomas Breslin, John Bradley, Joseph M. Eaton, James Wolf, Henry Rooney, Edward E. Parker.

"My feet are so slim I never can get a good fit unless I pay quite a high price." Then try Stetson at his well known store, corner of Hanover and Blackstone streets, and see what he can do for you in the way of a Ladies fine boot. Goat or kid for just $2.

Rev. Franklin Keyes's Will.

The last will and three codicils thereto of the late Franklin Keyes have been presented for probate. The testator gives to his nephew, John S. Wheeler of Woburn, a legacy of $2,000 in money, his shop tools and fixtures, and devises to him thee parcels of land known as the shop lot, the stable lot, and the Frog Hole lot. To his faithful housekeeper, Mrs. Sarah E. Cotton, is given his homestead on Scott street and all his plate, pictures, ornaments, books, and household furniture, also 40 shares of the capital stock of the First National Bank in Woburn, Mass., and his pew in the First Congregational meeting-house.

To the City of Woburn is given the sum of $500 to be held in trust, the income to be expended under the direction of the Cemetery Commissioners in keeping in repair perpetually his lot in the Woburn cemetery and the granite and marble thereon, and keeping said lot in good order and condition, the grass to be mowed as often as is necessary, and a cordicil gives the lot to the City of Woburn "upon the perpetual trust to care for the same as provided in my will, but without power to alienate said lot or to permit any person to be interred therein after I shall have been laid there."

All the residue of the estate, real and personal, is given "to the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York to be used and expended in the interest of and for the furtherance and advancement of foreign missions only."

John S. Wheeler of Woburn, the testator's nephew, is named as sole executor and is exempt from giving sureties. The will is dated March 3d 1887, and the last codicil is dated Nov. 12, 1889.

The life of Gov. Goodell of N. H., was saved by the use of Melvin's Rheumatic Remedy.

Y. M. C. A.

We want 300 members will you not be one?

Saturday evening meeting at 8 o'clock for men.

We are making our plans for fall and winter work and shall have them before the public by Oct. 1.

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the singular business meeting of the Directors. It will be a very important meeting.

Sunday afternoon meeting 4 o'clock. This meeting is more and more interesting lately. Every man ought to be present. Come next Sunday sure.

The Boys Committee of Association and Auxiliary met last Thursday evening and laid out work for the boys of the city. Reports of which will be published later.

Women's Auxiliary meeting the last Tuesday of the month. Let every lady who reads this take out her note book and put it down as an "engagement with the young men," Sept. 30.

Attractive HOMES!

How to make home attractive is an art that the ladies well understand.

We can suggest however, that a pair or two of Chenille Portieres add vastly to the looks of a room.

Yes, but we can't afford them just now, perhaps you say.

Wait until you hear the price.

New ones just in, only $4.95 a pair.

They are beauties too.

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East Middlesex Horse Car Fares.

There is much feeling among the patrons of the East Middlesex horse railroad from Woburn to Malden in relation to the exhorbitant fares. At present the fares are scheduled as follows: Woburn to Stoneham, 3 miles, eight cents; Woburn to Melrose Highlands, 6 miles, thirteen cents; Woburn to Malden, 8 miles, eighteen cents; Stoneham to Melrose Highlands, 3 miles, five cents.

It seems to me, after carefully considering the matter, that the present rates are enormously high, and show a genuine New England, conservative, grasping basis of management. Here are Woburn's and Stoneham's citizens paying 75 per cent more for transportation over the same distance than their Melrose brethren pay and, as the travel between these two points is largely of a commercial nature, the poor man and woman, workers in the vineyard, are taxed to support the road and at a higher rate than is charged by any other horse railroad in this country. The managers will naturally say they know how much it costs to run their road, and that the present rates are scarce enough to keep the line open the season round. Have they ever tried the popular fare scheme? Have they ever tried to cater to the masses and thus attempt to build up business? Do they ever think that prospectors for homes take the matter of horse car fares into consideration before they locate? Possibly they do, but the present rates indicate that they figure on the wrong basis.

It would not be a bad idea if the managers were to consider a new rate and make a trial of it for at least six months. See them adopt a schedule as follows: 100 rides between Woburn and Melrose, $10, and all way fares between Woburn, Stoneham, Melrose and Malden, 5 cents. This is a reasonable rate as compared with the present, and even these seem exorbitant in contrast with other lines. One can ride from Oak Sq. to City Point for 5 cents, or from any Northern and Eastern station to the Reservoir for the same amount, the distance being on an average of about 8 miles.

Then too comes the idea that if a low rate of fares were established the social public would become long distance patrons, where now they only ride between points. Hundreds of families, too poor to hire a horse and carriage, would soon get into the habit on summer evenings of taking an outing and refresh their bodies and minds with the beauties of nature, the fresh air of the uplands, for no suburban road is more varied with picturesque scenery than is noticeable all along the East Middlesex route from Woburn to Malden.

That there will be a united effort on the part of the road's patrons to induce the Company to lower their fares is certain, and for the benefit of that public, as well as the Corporation which will be legislatured into compliance with the demands if they do not accede to the wants of their patrons, these lines are written most dispassionately.

F. T. ROBINSON.

"John," said a wife to her husband, "what a goose you are. I really believe you cannot tell a yard of gingham from a cargo of brick. Here you have brought me ten cakes of that nasty, yellow, rosin soap when I told you to be sure and bring Brussels. Don't you believe in economy?"

Mayor Johnson For Congress.

A young man who has already made his mark in city politics is somewhat likely to be brought into the fifth district convention as a candidate for Congress. This is Mayor E. F. Johnson. He is a young man but has an old head. He has great tact and judgment in the selection of men. He is a descendant of one of the oldest families in the valley, and he has always had ex-Congressman Hayden's aid and support. When the Woburn men asked Hayden to come back from Congress and run for Mayor so that they might have the city administered as they would wish, he said, "No; you could not get a better man than Johnson."

So it proved, and although Woburn's Democratic majority is 400 to 500, Johnson has been elected and re-elected. He is a clever lawyer and conversant with the needs of the district.—*Woburn Corr. Boston Record.*

Every one who buys cotton cloth will be attracted to the advertisement in this issue with the heading "The Continental Army." To buy standard brands of cottons at these prices will be an unexpected privilege to many a New England housekeeper. Read the advertisement and remember the firm's name. It is Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom, 615 Washington Street, Boston.

W. M. B. A.

The Woburn Mutual Benefit Association starts off auspiciously, several members being taken in at each meeting.

This organization is destined to be a very popular one, men and women being admitted between the ages of 18 and 50 years, and there is no medical examination.

The benefit money will be paid within 24 hours after death of the insured member, thereby carrying relief at a time when in many cases it is most needed.

The amount paid will be one dollar for each surviving member.—X.

The man who yet votes for General Jackson never heard of Brussels soap.

Rapid Transit in Cities.

The growth of rapid transit facilities from 1880 to 1889, inclusive, in cities having over 50,000 inhabitants, has been great. In this period, the increase of street railway mileage, in the length of lines operated, has been from 1690 miles to 3151 miles, or an increase of 86 1-2 per cent. The greatest increase has been in the cities of Chicago and Boston. At the present time, the city of Philadelphia has the greatest mileage, followed in their order by the cities of Boston, Chicago, New York, and Brooklyn. It will be seen that in length of line New York ranks fourth, but in considering the length of all tracks including sidings, this city stands first, with 324 miles. The increase in mileage was much the greater in the last three years of the decade than in the seven previous years. Nearly 60 per cent of the increase was in these years. Considering the mileage in connection with the kinds of power employed, and it is noticed that 75 per cent of the total mileage is operated by horse power; 8 per cent by electricity; 8 per cent by cable; and 9 per cent by steam. Boston leads all other cities in the use of electricity as a motive power; Scranton, Pa., Omaha, Neb., and Pittsburgh, Pa., coming next. It is noticed as a peculiarity of Boston and Philadelphia roads, especially of the latter city, that the tracks usually occupy different streets in going to and from a terminus instead of being laid upon the same street.—*Boston Journal of Commerce.*

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 30 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

Burlington.

The tax rate of Burlington is $11.90 on $1000.

The posters for the Agricultural Fair will soon appear.

The schools began Sept. 2. There is no change in the corps of teachers.

Superintendent Rounds and his force of men have been repairing the road in the centre of the town.

Next Tuesday evening Sept. 16, a grand entertainment will be given in the Town Hall for the benefit of the committee on athletic sports for the Agricultural Fair Oct. 1, 1890. Father Locke of Maine will furnish the entertainment. The young men will give a baked bean supper in the upper hall. Entertainment at eight o'clock. Admission 15 cents. Supper tickets 15 cents.

The following is the result of the first week's voting for the most popular farmer in the town, the prize to be presented to the one getting the largest number of votes to be a nice plow. The polls will close at 1 o'clock on the day of the Annual Cattle Show and Fair. A weekly report of the voting will be made to THE WOBURN JOURNAL, the farmer's friend: Charles Woodman, 1; William Walker, 1; J. Simonds, 1; Edward Reed, 2; Walter Skelton, 3; David O'Brien, 111.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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To Be Free and Candid.

What will be the result of the convention of the 5th Congressional district is now difficult to foretell. The situation as we now see it resolves itself into this. If Gen. Banks is in the field his own city will stand by him. Should he not be a candidate the unquestioned desire of our people points to Chester A. Kingsley of Cambridge. Should Mr. Kingsley utterly refuse to be considered a candidate there can be no question but that our people would prefer the ex-mayor of Somerville to the ex-mayor of Cambridge. So far as the claim made by Mr. Fox's friends that he had a mortgage on the nomination because of his chivalrous conduct two years ago in permitting General Banks to be nominated when he couldn't help himself, that is all nonsense. Captain Fox has no claim which cannot be easily and wisely ignored. To be free and candid we hope somebody else will be nominated. —*Waltham Free Press.*

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Boston Theatres.

The charming emotional actress, Miss Kate Claxton, assisted by Mr. Chas. A. Stevenson and competent company, will begin a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House next Monday night, Sept. 15, in a magnificent spectacular production of the romantic melodrama, "The Sea of Ice." New and elaborate scenery will be used for the presentation and several novel mechanical effects introduced. Miss Kate Claxton enjoys an enviable reputation as an actress and is a prime favorite with the best class of theatre-goers in Boston. No doubt but that her appearance next week at the Grand Opera will be greeted with crowded houses.

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Must Be Aware.

The Republicans of the Fifth Congressional District must be aware that it is a duty they owe to the Republican party to elect a Republican from that district. With their preferences we have nothing to do, but we feel certain that the course to be pursued to bring about this result is to send unpledged delegates, men of position and high character, to the convention. With a body of men thus selected there is no danger of a mistake being made which will be detrimental to a delegation. Whether General Banks shall be renominated, or some one else, should receive careful consideration. Delegates left entirely free to act should be chosen.—*Boston Journal.*

It's economical—Brussels soap.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Sept. 6, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. A. Carter, Mrs. Maria F. Elmers, 152 Liberty street, Mr. Walter A. Jones, Box 87, Mr. John Albert Reynolds, Pleasant, Mr. H. F. Smith, Mr. J. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Stewart, Mr. Frank Swatcut, 25 Main street.

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WINCHESTER.

Miss Edith Currie has been to Newport, R. I.

Rev. Mr. Newton has resumed pastoral and ministerial work in his parish.

The Congregational Sunday School will open next Sunday with considerable ceremony.

Deacon and Mrs. Conant like Cottage City firstrate, and they are good judges of summer resorts.

Mr. Neil Cullen, a popular young man of this town, started from here last Tuesday for Denver, Col.

It would be pretty hard to scare up more enterprising merchants in this part of Massachusetts than C. F. Lunt & Co. are.

Charlie Conant, one of the brightest of Boston newspaper men, now a Washington correspondent, has been looking over his old stamping grounds lately.

The desire to see Hon. J. F. Dwinell a member of the Governor's Council is very general and strong in this town. The office could not fall to the lot of a better man.

The Boston *Traveler* suggested Hon. A. B. Coffin for a place on the Bench and it could not have named a better man for a high judicial or any other important public position.

Last week Thursday George C. Reynolds of Woburn had one of his feet badly mangled here by getting run over by a market wagon. He was taken to the Mass. Gen. Hospital.

The *Star* is up to its chin in politics. It has more candidates on hands than a dozen boys can shake sticks at a horse in a month, and my idea is that it is bound to slip up on some of them. What a passion some people have for office!

Our respected townsman Mr. S. C. Small is getting to be quite a dominie. He has done considerable lay preaching at the Unitarian church in recent times and it wouldn't surprise me any if he should don sacerdotal robes one of these days.

Mrs. William Richardson, who lives on Main street, near Cutter's Village, met with a painful accident last Monday. While trying to sharpen a knife it accidentally slipped and cut her knee so badly that three stitches had to be taken in it.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Florence Avis, daughter of Mrs. Julia R. Holbrook, and Mr. Joseph E. Gendron. The ceremony will take place on Tuesday evening, the 16th, at the residence of Mrs. Holbrook, Highland Avenue.

The *Star* went into ecstacies last week over the discovery of peat in Turkey Swamp. Failing to coin phrases sufficiently glowing in which to set forth the great merits of the "find," it printed a long lockum story anent the theme by Noah Webster, and warmly endorsed the old dictionary-maker's ideas. Big thing for Winchester—peat is.

Mr. Abijah Thompson proposes to present to the Congregational Church, free of cost, a manuscript history of the pedigree and individual life of the Winchester First Church, with sketches of the various departments of its organized activity, biographical notices of its pastors, etc. The gift is proffered on the condition that the history, prepared by Rev. Leander Thompson, be put into permanent form.—*Star.* It would be a good thing for Winchester if she had a few more as public spirited men as Mr. Thompson is. He is always ready to contribute to the public good.

Last Tuesday evening Miss Edith W. Kinsman and Arthur W. Hale of Winchester were united in marriage, at the residence of the bride's father, the late Captain William H. Kinsman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. W. Waters of Ipswich and Rev. J. Augustine of Winchester. A reception was held, followed by a dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Hale left at once after the reception, for a short bridal tour, and upon their return to Winchester will reside at No. 7 Central street. Fully 200 invitations were issued, and a large party were present at the wedding ceremony. Mr. Hale is a member of the firm of C. N. Putnam, bankers, No. 17 Congress street, Boston. May their life be long, prosperous and a merry one.

A terrible accident occurred to Joseph DeLong of Winchester last Saturday, which will no doubt cause his death. DeLong is employed by Beggs & Cobb in the yard of the tannery at North Winchester. He attempted to turn a valve with a wrench while standing on a beam where the shafting runs, and lost his balance and fell on to the shafting and running pulleys. The pulleys caught him and broke several of his left ribs and his collar bone, and also bruised his head. DeLong then fell into a vat of boiling hot liquor in what is called the "junk." He was completely submerged and fearfully scalded, so that the skin came off when his clothing was removed. DeLong has a wife and five or six children.

LATER. He died Saturday evening. DeLong had three ribs broken, and the bones forced into his lungs, his collar bone broken, his head badly injured, all from falling on to running pulleys and shafting, besides being horribly scalded by falling into a vat of hot tanning liquor. He was conscious for several hours after the accident.

A Humorous View of Advertising.

In this age the business man who does not advertise is doomed. Every style of advertising pays, but the greatest results are acquired from utilizing the advertising columns of a properly conducted journal.

We never knew of but one case in which advertising did not pay. It occurred in Chicago. A burglar overlooked eighty dollars in a bureau drawer, and the papers so announced. He returned the next night, and not only secured it, but a suit of clothes besides.

The man who doesn't hang out his shingle and advertise dies and leaves no sign. The right kind of eyes for business men is advertise. Puffs in newspapers help many merchants to "raise the wind."

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Woburn, Sept. 10, 1890.

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Clerk and Treasurer.

Woburn, August 30, 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel S. Shedd, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Malvina M. Shedd, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September, instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Franklin Keyes, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and three codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John S. Wheeler, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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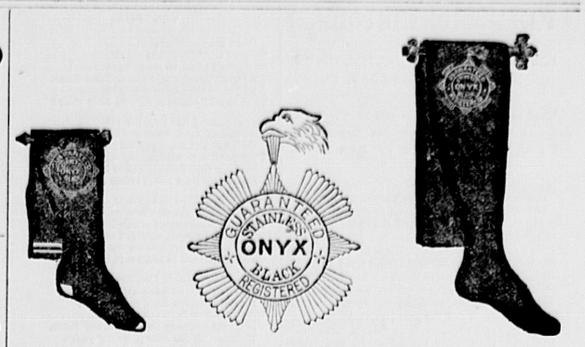

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LESSON XI, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 14.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xix, 11-27—Commit Verses, 12-13—Golden Text, Luke xix, 26—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

11. *"And as they heard these things, He added and spake a parable, because He was nigh to Jerusalem, and because they thought that the Kingdom of God should immediately appear."* Although He had said again and again that He was going to Jerusalem to be crucified and to rise again from the dead (chap. xviii, 3-34; Matt. xvi, 21; xvii, 23), yet they understood not, and thought that now they should see Him proclaim Himself king of Israel and restore the throne of David, or the throne of the Lord, at Jerusalem, on which David and Solomon sat as the representatives of Jehovah (I Chron. xxix, 23). That this was the Kingdom they expected is clearly stated in Luke xxiv, 21; Acts i, 6; and that they had a right to expect this is seen in the Davidic covenant (II Sam. vii, 12-16; I Chron. xvii, 11-14); also in all the prophets (see Isa. ix, 6, 7; Jer. iii, 17), and in the words of Gabriel to Mary (Luke i, 32, 33).

That they had much ground for expecting the Kingdom at that time is seen in the fact that John the Baptist, Jesus himself, the twelve, and the seventy, all preached that the Kingdom was at hand (Matt. iii, 2; iv, 17; x, 7; Luke x, 9). Why then this parable, and why was the Kingdom not then to be established? The Kingdom in the person of the King—Jesus, the son of David—had been at hand and in their midst, but they knew Him not, received Him not, and were now about to kill Him. Therefore He said: "The Kingdom of God is taken from you and given to a nation bringing forth the fruits thereof" (Matt. xxi, 43). Their rejection of Him as a nation postpones the restoration of the throne of David until His return (Acts iii, 21), and they have lost certain high privileges which will be given to another elect nation, even the church or body of Christ, now being gathered out of all nations (Acts xv, 14; I Pet. ii, 9).

12. *"He said, therefore, A certain nobleman went into a far country, to receive for himself a kingdom and to return."* He refers to Himself and the Kingdom now postponed, but to be established on this earth at His return. His approaching death he speaks of as a journey into a far country.

13. *"And He called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said unto them, Occupy till I come."* While He is absent He expects His servants to be busy in His affairs, and He gives them something with which to work or do business for Him. In this parable each one receives the same, while in the parallel parable of the talents (Matt. xxv, 15) each receives according to ability. The pound to each may signify the Spirit, which is given to every man to profit withal, while the talents may refer to the special gifts of the Spirit given to each as He (the Spirit) willeth (I Cor. xii, 7, 11).

14. *"But His citizens hated Him and sent a message after Him, saying, We will not have this man to reign over us."* In verse 27 these citizens are called enemies.

15. *"And it came to pass, that when He was returned, having received the Kingdom, then He commanded these servants to be called unto Him, to whom He had given the money, that He might know how much every man had gained by trading."*

16. *"Then came the first, saying, Lord, thy pound hath gained ten pounds."*

17. *"And He said unto him, Well, thou good servant; because thou hast been faithful in a very little, have thou authority over ten cities."* All that is intrusted to us to do here in this present time is but a very little compared with our service in the Kingdom when it shall come; and it is not success that He commends, but faithfulness.

18. *"And the second came, saying, Lord, thy pound hath gained five pounds."* Each one shall give account of himself. Every man shall receive his own reward according to his own labor (I Cor. iii, 8).

19. *"And He said likewise to him, Be thou also over five cities."* There is no reproof because his pound had not gained ten. In his measure he has been faithful, and in that measure he is rewarded. Every one according to his own labor.

20. *"And another came, saying, Lord, behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin."* The Lord's gift unused and therefore not improved. Like some who say that years ago they were converted; but no one ever heard them tell another how to get eternal life. They can talk, but not of Jesus and His love; they can sing, but not of Him; they have time enough at their disposal, but instead of using it for Him they labor to while it away; they have money, but it is spent upon themselves; yet they profess to have eternal life, and are members in good standing of some orthodox church.

21. *"For I feared Thee, because Thou art an austere man; Thou takest up that Thou layedst not down, and reapest that Thou didst not sow."* Having received salvation as a free gift from God, we are then to work it out with fear and trembling, for it is God who worketh in us (Phil. ii, 12, 13). We are to fear lest we grieve one who so loves us, and to tremble lest we misimprove so important a trust, or hinder God from working. Had this servant had in him this proper and filial fear he had not brought his pound thus misimproved.

22. *"And He saith unto him: Out of thine own mouth will I judge thee, thou wicked servant."* By our words we shall be justified or by our words condemned (Matt. xii, 37). God reads the heart, but out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh. Jesus is the Word of God and the faithful manifestation of what God is. As the Father sent Him, so He sends us, to be His witnesses; and no matter what, or how much, profession we make, unless both words and deeds testify of Him that He is a loving, soul satisfying Saviour, we must be wicked servants, liars, false witnesses.

23. *"Wherefore then gavest not thou my money into the bank, that at my coming I might have required mine own with usury?"* It is God who giveth us all things, and whether it be eternal life, His holy spirit, or the ordinary temporal blessings of daily life, all come under the head of "His money," "His own," which He expects us to use for His glory. Glorify God in your bodies and spirits.

24-26. *"Take from him the pound and give it to him that hath ten pounds."* So every one who uses well what he has will have more intrusted to him, while the wicked servants who bear the Master's name but know Him not shall lose what they have, or rather what they seem to have, or think they have (Luke viii, 18 and margin). For what we do not enjoy or make some use of we cannot truly be said to have.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

In the midst of the summer humidity there is a lively preparation for Christmas. Magazines are getting ready their holiday numbers, manufacturers are preparing novelties and in many branches of trade there is work in progress for cold weather.

It is claimed that Tulare county, Cal., will lose a round half million dollars this year for want of ships to carry its grain to Liverpool.

WISTFUL.

Dear, it is hard to stand
So near thy life, yet so apart;
So near—I think so near—thine heart;
So near that I could touch thine hand,
And yet so far I dare not take
That hand in mine for love's dear sake!

So near that I can look my fill
At stated times upon thy face;
So far that I must yield a place
To others, sore against my will!
So near that I can see thee smile;
So far my poor heart aches the while!

Dear, it is hard to know
Whate'er the stress, the storm, the strife,
The fret, the sadness of thy life,
I have no power, no right to show
Love in my heart, love on my lips,
To comfort thee in life's eclipse.

No right to claim before the rest
The privilege to weep with thee;
No right, across life's stormy sea,
To bid thee welcome to my breast;
No right to share thy hopes, thy fears,
Through all the weary, weary years.

Dear, it is hard to feel
That bliss may meet thee full and fair,
Wherein poor I can have no share;
That thy wide future may reveal
The joys of harvest manifold,
While I stand lonely in the cold.

Dear, it is hard, but God doth know
How leal the heart that beats for thee;
It is enough, enough for me
To love thee. Let the future show
Love can live on for its own sake,
Though eyes may weep, though heart may ache. —Boston True Flag.

A Tramp's Large Estate.

The Abbe Martin, a French parish priest, was one day accosted by a miserable, poverty stricken man in rags, who said he belonged to a great and wealthy family which he had dishonored in many ways. He begged the abbe to get him into a monastery, where he could live and die in obscurity and unknown. The abbe procured his admission into a Spanish monastery as lay brother. A few years after he received a letter to the effect that he had been appointed sole legatee of a person who had died in a monastic establishment in Spain possessed of property in France worth many millions of francs.

Armed with his papers he visited the deceased's family to find that a brother had taken possession of the paternal property in the belief that the heir had died in penal servitude. An agreement was arrived at under which the abbe received an annuity of £2,400 on condition that he never disclosed the name of the family of the defunct monk. The romantic story came out in a court of justice recently, where the abbe appeared to prosecute two thieves who had stolen the whole of his annuity just received. He steadfastly declined to mention the source of his wealth, but admitted that the family was noble and great.—London Tit-Bits.

Masonry.

The Order of Freemasonry is said to have been established by Solomon at the time of building his temple. The order has been derived from many sources, but not till about 1717 did the second stage of its history begin in London, which is, in fact, the home of Masonry as now taught. The first lodge in the United States was organized in 1729 and was then under the jurisdiction of the grand lodge of England. The emblem of the order in most common use is the square and the compass worn by members of the Blue lodge. Besides this there are several designs worn by more advanced members, among them a keystone for the Chapter degree and a Maltese cross for the commandery. There are also hundreds of men entitled to wear the Consistory, or thirty-second degree badge. The general design of this emblem is a cross on which rests a crowned double headed eagle, with the figures "32" on a smooth triangle on the breast.—St. Louis Republic.

Better Than a String.

"I want something," said a farmer as he entered a Michigan avenue drug store the other day.

"Well, what is it?"

"I didn't tie a string around my finger, but I guess I can get around to it all the same. What's the name of the lake below us?"

"Lake Erie."

"Exactly. What's the name of the bay which the boats run to?"

"Put in Bay."

"Correct. Now, then, who put in there?"

"Perry."

"Straight as a string. I want ten cents' worth of perygoric. My old woman said I'd be sure to forget it, but here's the proof that I didn't."—Detroit Free Press.

A Mixture for Vermin.

Dissolve alum in hot water, making a very strong solution; apply to furniture or crevices in the wall with a paint brush. This is sure destruction to all noxious vermin, and invaluable because easily obtained; is perfectly safe to use and leaves no trace behind. When you suspect moths have lodged in the borders of carpets wet the edge of the carpets with a strong solution. Whenever it reaches them it is certain death.—New York Telegram.

One Weapon Less.

Head of the House (en dishabille)—You villian, get right out of here! I have no pistol, but I shall brain you with this poker.

Midnight Burglar (coolly, and with a glance at the fireplace)—Come off, governor, wid yer bluff. This here's a Pittsburg job, and dere ain't no poker where dere's natural gas.

Departs leisurely.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Doctors, Take Warning.

It is rather tough on a doctor's son to be named William, and have to sneak through the elysium of youth under the opprobrious title of "the doctor's Bill."—Fun.

100 Ladies Wanted

And 100 men to call on any druggist for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains. For diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing up the complection it does wonders. It is the best spring medicine known. Large size package, 50 cents. At all druggists'.

The largest engine in Rhode Island is now being set up at the station of the Narragansett Electric Lighting Company. It is known as the Reynolds-Corliss engine, and is a triple expansion condensing machine of 1500 horse power. The fly wheel alone weighs 99,900 pounds, and the whole engine weighs nearly 150 tons.

If you could see your own scalp through an ordinary magnifying glass, you would be amazed at the amount of dust, dandruff, and dead skin thereon accumulated. The best and most popular preparation for cleansing the scalp is Ayer's Hair Vigor.

BUMMER AND LAZARUS.

Two Amiable Friends That Used to Be in San Francisco Together.

There were many other "characters" in San Francisco in those early days, but I will simply allude to two four legged celebrities who will be easily remembered by the early residents. Bummer and Lazarus were two dogs that were as thorough vagrants as any old tramps. Just when it was that Bummer made his first appearance I cannot say, but when I first knew him, in 1860, he was recognized as a kindred spirit by all the bummers in town, which gave him the name he wore with so much credit to himself. He was a mongrel, having evidently a mixed ancestry.

The noble Newfoundland blood coursed through his veins, mingled with that of the brave but somewhat vicious bull. He could not be termed a sociable dog, for he would recognize no master, nor would he respond to any courtesies paid him, but treated all with the most sublime indifference. He frequented all the bar rooms and lunch tables, though he was never known to ettiulate his namesakes. He was always a welcome guest, however, and never failed to have abundance to eat. He never was known to snarl or bite, and was never ill used; indeed, it would have been a bold man who would undertake to offer him an insult, for the freedom of the city had been granted him by the board of supervisors, and none but friends were to be found wherever he went.

On one occasion he found a mangy cur dog, who had been stoned by the boys and generally maltreated. The poor dog had come sadly to grief, having his leg broken and being entirely disabled. The sympathies of Bummer were roused. He took the poor dog under his care, supplied him with food and acted the "Good Samaritan" toward him until his leg had healed, when he adopted him as his companion, and thenceforward wherever one dog was seen the other was sure to be seen also.

The intimacy was noticed, and the name of Lazarus was bestowed on the newcomer. The ordinance relating to Bummer was revised, and Lazarus was included in the general freedom of the city. No dog catchers could in any way reach them. No licenses were required from them. Thenceforward life was a picnic for them both. But in 1865, I am sorry to say, some miscreant took advantage of the confidence displayed by the dogs and gave Lazarus some poisoned meat, and Bummer remained alone. A cry of indignation went up from the entire city, and the newspapers were outspoken in their opinions of the action. In what year Bummer entered the "Dog's Paradise" I do not know, but after his death his body was stuffed and decorated the bar room of Martin & Horton for many years, I am told. It has now been consigned to their cellar.—Boston Saturday Globe.

Effect of Vichy Water in Diabetes.

The effect of Vichy water cannot be disputed. The treatment lessens the amount of sugar, the feeling of thirst, the great secretion of the kidneys, etc., and many a patient leaves the spring with every appearance of health. But we must not hope for a definite result any more at Vichy than elsewhere. Mineral waters modify and check the course of diabetes, but so far as we know it is very seldom that they cure it.

Vichy is especially suitable for diabetic patients who are fat and blooming, for persons with vigorous constitutions, apparently in good health and without bronchitis or other complications. As a general thing every accident or complication of diabetes appears to me to be a counter indication to the use of mineral waters, and especially those of Vichy.—Paris Herald.

Free Speech in Russia.

One cannot speak or work against the church in Russia. A Lutheran pastor of Riga called the Greek church a "heathenish church," and confirmed a girl belonging to the orthodox faith. He was condemned by the district court to the loss of all private rights and privileges, with banishment to the province of Perm without leave of absence from the place where he lives for a period of two years. He was prohibited from entering other provinces for a further period of ten years, and excluded for another term of ten years from the capitals and from the governments in which they lie.—Exchange.

Henry Ward Beecher's Love for Gems.

Henry Ward Beecher was very fond of gems of all kinds and was a constant purchaser. I don't know that he had any special superstition regarding them, but he loved them as one may love any beautiful thing. To him they meant something more than mere adornment. They represented not so much money value as artistic merit. And that, by the way, is always true of your genuine gem lover. Anything like ostentation or display is hateful to him.—New York Letter.

Linguistic.

Prof. Buch (to his young friend)—Eh, Bob! What's that book you have under your arm?

Young Snooks—Oh, "German at a Glance."

Prof. Buchs—H'm! It's a good deal easier to learn somebody else's language than your own, isn't it, Bob?—Puck.

A Woful World.

"Scott! it costs money to live!"

"Why don't you die, then?"

"Doctors and undertakers are too blamed expensive."—Epoch.

Thousands Poisoned.

In a recent work on Heart Disease, Dr. Franklin Miles—the noted specialist—gives many new and startling facts. Thousands of people are slowly poisoning themselves, weakening their hearts by the use of tea, coffee, tobacco and alcohol. These are Heart Whips, causing it to beat rapidly, thus gradually wearing it out, producing shortness of breath when exercising, pains in side and shoulder, hungry and faint spells. Finally heart failure and sudden death. For weakened and irritated hearts the press everywhere highly recommend the New Heart Cure discovered by Dr. Franklin Miles, which is for sale by Charles H. Buss.

Gen. Adolph Meyer, the lottery and "tariff reform" candidate in the First Congressional District of Louisiana, will be opposed by a pronounced anti-lottery man, United States Marshal Donnelly. The district has a large Democratic majority, and the lottery and "tariff reform" nominee will probably win, in spite of the efforts of the intelligent and conscientious people of the district to prevent it.

Why the Dreamers Fail.

Utopists and communists are set at work by the belief that equal justice is the natural law of the world, and that nothing keeps us out of it but the barrier of artificial arrangements set up by the power and in the interest of a class. Break down that barrier by revolutionary legislation and the kingdom of equal justice, they think, will come. Would that it were so! Who would be so selfish and so ignorant of the deepest source of happiness as not to vote for the change, whatever his wealth or his place on the social coach might be? Unhappily, neither equal justice nor perfection of any kind is the law of the world, as the world is at present toward whatever goal we may be moving.

Health, strength, beauty, intellect, offspring, length of days are distributed with no more regard for justice than are the powers of making and saving wealth. One man is born in an age of barbarism, another in an age of civilization. No justice can be done to the myriads who have suffered and died. Equal justice is far indeed from being the law of the animal kingdom. Why is one animal the beast of prey, another the victim? Why does an elephant live for two centuries and an ephemeral insect for a few hours? If you come to that, why should one sentient creature be a worm and another a man? In earth and skies, in the whole universe, so far as our ken reaches, imperfection reigns.

The man who in "Looking Backward" wakes from a magnetic slumber to find the lots of all men made just and equal might almost as well have awakened to find all human frames made perfect, disease and accident banished, the animals all in a state like that of Eden, the Arctic regions bearing harvests and Sahara moistened with fertilizing rain, the moon provided with an atmosphere, and the solar system, which at present is so full of gaps and wrecks, symmetrically completed. Society, like the frame of the individual man, is an imperfect organism. You may help and modify its growth, but you cannot transform it by revolutionary violence, and if you try to do this the result will only be laceration.—Professor Goldwin Smith in Forum.

Sea Turtles in New York.

Nearly 1,500 pounds of turtles are made into soups, steaks, cutlets and patties every week in this city. The turtles vary in weight from 10 to 400 pounds. They are captured on the Florida coast and are brought to the city by steamers. In order to keep the turtles from crawling overboard their flippers are tied together and the marine reptiles are laid upon their backs in coils of rope made for that purpose. On arrival in this city the turtles are placed in wooden boxes floating in the East river just behind Fulton market. They are fed upon cabbage leaves and watermelon rinds. It is an interesting sight to see a 400-pound turtle come to the surface and take a bite of watermelon. A few are kept in the market to attract buyers. As they lie upon their backs day after day and gasp for breath they excite the pity of passers-by. Their helpless and suffering condition is markedly at variance with their former liberty in the cool, green sea.—Ernest Jarrold in New York Journal.

Whereupon the Youngsters Tittered.

The Arounder is authoritatively informed that the following was an actual occurrence at the gospel tent meeting on Niagara street, near Hudson. A member had just ceased speaking about a cure of asthma effected by prayer when a lank individual arose and asked for the privilege of the floor.

"If you have had experience you may speak, brother," said the presiding officer.

"I have had experience. My father was sick with the asthma for fifteen years, and he was finally brought to pray for his recovery. (Intense interest manifested among the hearers.) He prayed fifty years and (emphatically) he died of the asthma."

Hysterical laughter among urchins on rear seats and consternation among the leaders.—Buffalo Courier.

Signals from a Police Club.

A police officer of Chicago has devised an ingenious mode of signaling for the patrol wagon. He has a brass plate fixed in the end of his club, having an opening of suitable shape to correspond with and act as a key or wrench to turn the lever that sends in the alarm. This opening also serves as a mouthpiece to a whistle set in the base of the club. This is a most practical device, for the subjects of arrest are, as a rule, neither very obliging nor amiable, and certainly not prone to remain peaceful and inactive while an officer is extracting his keys from his pocket to send in an alarm.—New York Telegram.

Many More Like It.

A dispatch from Chicago says that a young inventor of that city has "all but accomplished" his ambition in devising an electric propeller to run steamers of any size by means of a storage battery, and also a device for the economical development of the electricity. The highway of progress is strewn with the bones of dead hopes and ruined fortunes accounted for by "all but accomplished" inventions. —Detroit Free Press.

Donald G. Mitchell, "Ik Marvel," is now 68 years of age. He lives quietly at "Edgewood," which has been his home since 1855, and which he has rendered so well known by his writings. Notwithstanding his advanced age he is still engaged in literary work.

The Best Advertising.

The most efficient advertising in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla is that which comes from the medicine itself. That is, those who are cured by it, speak to friends suffering similarly, who in turn derive benefit and urge others to try this successful medicine. Thus the circle of its popularity is rapidly widening from this cause alone, and more and more are becoming enthusiastic in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla as it actually demonstrates its absolute merit. All that is asked for Hood's Sarsaparilla is that it be given a fair trial. If you need a good blood purifier, or building up medicine, try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

There lay in New York harbor the other day a large Italian steel sailing ship, said to be one of the finest vessels that had ever visited that port. The ship was built in an Italian shipyard at a figure 10 per cent. below the price it would have cost in England. Evidently the Italian subsidies are beginning to make themselves felt in a way that the Clyde and the Tyne will hardly appreciate.

Woman's Column.

A Modern Instance.

In one of the classes for the study of the New Testament, Rev. B. F. Cherrington, eighteen years a missionary in India, and a man of great power and fine intellect, related an incident bearing on that much-quoted passage in Paul's letter to the Corinthians. He said he had known what he considered a parallel case. There was a native helper, a woman named Betsey Paul, who had wonderful power and moved the people as much as Mrs. Van Cott. She had worked in other places, but in Lucknow the only educated women, and the only ones taking part in any public exercises, were the Nautch or dancing girls, women of known bad character. Because of this, and of the natural inference as to the character of this Christian woman if she spoke in public, the ministers begged her to keep silent, though feeling that they were losing much. "Times have changed," said Dr Cherrington, "and today she is speaking with great power and marvellous results." Such a reason he considered the one and the only one for Paul's injunction to the women to keep silent in Corinth, a city of notoriously bad morals. Paul certainly could not have been averse to women workers in the church, said the speaker, as the first church in Europe was started in a woman's prayer-meeting, in the house of Lydia, and from them he consented to receive aid.—*Emma Harriman in Woman's Journal.*

Memphis, Tenn., is to have a police matron.

Mrs. P. D. Richards recieved the first premium for display of native plants at the exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

The Woman's Medical College of Georgia, at Atlanta, has completed its first year with success, and has the prospect of a large increase of students this fall, from all parts of the South.

The professors say it would astonish men to know with what earnestness the women study. Besides the regular medical department, there is a training-school for nurses, which graduated four last year.

The fame of Boston University as a representative of co-education is so extended that in a German operetta now running at the Freidrich-Wilhelmstadtischen Theatre in Berlin, six of the characters are put down in the bills as girl students from Boston University.

Mrs Esther Morris was elected a delegate to the Republican County Convention in Cheyenne, Wyoming. She nominated Miss Estelle Reel, sister of a former mayor of Cheyenne, for county superintendent of schools. Miss Reel, who is described as a bright and capable young woman, recieved the highest number of votes, and is the regular nominee.

Madame Carnot, wife of the French President, is said to have done more to strengthen the republic than all the politicians have accomplished. The French like a democracy tempered with splendor and associated with fine manners, which the plebeian and commonplace administration of the Grevys omitted. Madame Carnot's personal grace, elegance, and charm, and the good taste of the entertainments at the Elysee, are now reconciling the irreconcilables to a President in place of a King.

Miss Nellie O'Donnell, who is but twenty-four years of age, is the Superintendent of Education of Shelby County, Tenn., of which Memphis is the seat. Miss O'Donnell was elected by a large majority over her male competitor and predecessor who however attempted to assume the office, claiming that it was unconstitutional in Tennessee for a woman to hold the position. The little woman maintained her ground, and public sentiment was so greatly in her favor that the Legislature has passed a law making women eligible to the post.

Miss Alli Trygg, of Finland, who is so pleasantly remembered as one of the International Council at Washington, has started a workmen's kitchen, where 300 workmen are taking their meals every day. There is a reading-room attached. She has also started a monthly journal for woman's rights in the Swedish language. The State also furnishes her money for a building containing a large library, a reading-room, a school for workmen's children, that is, a kindergarten, and a home for babies when their mothers are at work. There will also be a room for workingmen and women to have meetings and music in the evenings.

A novel wedding journey is reported from Detroit. David G. Gale and Jennie Matthews were married there June 15 and at once started on their wedding trip in a boat 15 feet long, carrying nine square feet of sail. The first day they had head winds and made but twenty miles, and found lodging for the night at a farm house. For two subsequent days they had delightful rowing weather, and got along swimmingly. The third day came a storm, and it was thought advisable for Mrs. Gale to get out and walk along the beach, which she did a distance of about eight miles, while her husband pulled along in sight. Wind and oar and an occasional tow from a steam barge and launch took the bridal couple along rapidly, and the fifth day they arrived at Oakdale harbor, just 340 miles by the coast line measure. They returned by rail, delighted with their experience.

Judge Simpson

Of the Superior Court writes: From mental exhaustion, my nervous system became shattered, and I was utterly unable to sleep nights. Sulphur Bitters cured me, and my sleep is now sound, sweet and refreshing.

A gentleman who wrote concerning the price of board in a country town is said to have received this telegram in reply: "Board, $20 a week, including washing up the carriage and piano agent. Robinson." He wrote in answer that, though both piano agent and carriage needed cleansing, he was not accustomed to such charges in a board bill, and soon after learned that the original copy had run thus: "Board, $20 a week, including washing, use of carriage and piano. Agnes Robinson."

What Stronger Facts and Figures

RECOMMENDATION can a medicine have than the testimony of those whom it has cured? One such case is worth columns of puffery. We would request all who are afflicted with Blood Diseases to read the following:—

SALT-RHEUM.—Mrs. T. P. Cushing, 87 Suffolk st., Chelsea, Mass., writes: "For a long time I was troubled with salt-rheum. My hands would crack open, bleed, and itch terribly, causing great suffering. I tried almost every remedy I saw advertised, but received no benefit, until I took Ayer's Sarsaparilla, four bottles of which cured me."

CANKER.—Mrs. W. Gaige, Poultney, Vt., says: "I have suffered much from canker humors. At times, I was unable to eat or swallow solid food. Last spring I began the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and quickly found relief. After taking two bottles of this medicine I was cured."

RHEUMATISM.—E. F. Harris, Buckland, Mass., certifies: "Eight years ago I had so severe an attack of rheumatism that I could not move from the bed, or dress, without help. I tried many remedies, but received no relief until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which restored me to health."

CATARRH.—Seth Schreiver, Sag Harbor, N. Y., testifies: "My daughter suffered for years from an obstinate and offensive catarrh. Having heard Ayer's Sarsaparilla highly recommended, I resolved to try it. Before my daughter finished ten bottles she was entirely cured."

ERYSIPELAS.—Rev. S. J. Graham, Buckhannon, W. Va., writes: "Having been afflicted with erysipelas for nearly twenty years, I was at last induced by a friend to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I procured a bottle, which gave me relief before I had used half of it. I took three bottles, and have had no indication or symptom of the disease since."

BLEEDING PILES.—My wife has been more or less troubled with bleeding piles for thirty years. She tried many doctors and remedies, but obtained no relief until she began to take

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

saparilla. This preparation has effected a cure."—A. C. Deats, Sheshequin, Pa.

Made by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Show that Ayer's Sarsaparilla has been in greater demand, and made more remarkable cures, during the past twelve months, than any other medicine that can be named. Here are only a few specimen facts:—

New York.—"My sales of Ayer's Sarsaparilla nearly doubled last year."—L. S. Freeman, Middleport.

"I always recommend Ayer's Sarsaparilla because I believe it to be the best blood-purifier in the market."—Joseph Myer, Jr., Elmira.

Pennsylvania.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla remains the favorite in spite of all competitors."—Hugo Andriesson, Druggist, Beaver.

West Virginia.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is very popular here."—J. H. Purdy, Cameron.

New Hampshire.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best preparation known for the cure of blood disorders."—J. W. White, Druggist, Nashua.

Massachusetts.—"We have sold Ayer's Sarsaparilla ever since it was first placed upon the market, and have yet to learn of a case where it has failed to give satisfaction."—F. & E. Bailey & Co., Druggists, Lowell.

New Jersey.—"We keep other kinds, but find Ayer's Sarsaparilla does more good."—Mullens & Son, Gloucester.

Virginia.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is very popular here."—Robert Lecky, Druggist, 724 Brook av., Richmond.

Texas.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is in greater demand here than any other similar preparation."—N. W. Lewis, Druggist, Manor.

North Carolina.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla sells better than any preparation of the kind, and gives better satisfaction."—R. J. Mitchell & Son, Oxford.

Ohio.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla sells better than all other blood-purifiers put together."—T. H. Armstrong, M. D. and Druggist, Powhatan.

Wisconsin.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla gives better satisfaction than any other."—V. Bardouski, Druggist, Milwaukee.

Florida.—"We can safely say that during the past ten years we have sold more of Ayer's Sar-

saparilla, than of all others put together."—J. Otto & Son, Key West.

Price $1; six bottles, $5. Worth $5 a bottle.

An extraordinary case of heroism is narrated in the Philadelphia *Press*. Bessie Criswell, aged 14, living three miles from Dauphin, was about to prepare supper last Wednesday when she found the fire in the cook stove very low. She poured coal oil on the kindling wood. It ignited, the can exploded, and the burning oil set fire to her clothing and to the house. The frightened girl ran to the spring house twice while her clothes were blazing, secured a pail of water each time and put out the fire in the house. A third time she went to the spring and dipped her head and neck in the water. Then she ran to a small stream and threw herself in. Having extinguished the flames, she went to her mother, who was milking, and reported the matter. She was fatally burned, however, and died the next day. She sacrificed herself to save her home.

George Pepper, an 18-year old colored lad living near Laurel, Del., is changing from a deep black to a pure white color. The process of change began over three years ago, and has progressed steadily. It first appeared as a small white spot upon his breast, but now completely covers all his trunk, arms, neck and one side of his face. The color is as clear and pure white as that of a babe, and seems perfectly healthy. The subject has suffered no annoyance or any unpleasant sensation at any time. If the process should continue he will in less than one year hence be a white man all over. Prominent medical men have conferred upon his case, but are at a loss for any explanation.

The Republican Committee of Maryland has appointed a committee to examine the new ballot law of the State and if thought best, to test its constitutionality. The ground of uncertainty in this matter is the fact that nine counties of the State are exempt from the law. These counties form parts of three Congressional districts, and the consequence is that in a part of these districts the elections must be under the new law, and in part of them under the old. It is claimed that this absence of uniformity makes the Act unconstitutional.

A pair of belligerent bulls, says the *Portland Oregonian*, engaged in a fierce battle on the track of the Astoria and South Coast Railroad the other day, and for nearly half an hour the trainmen were unable to drive them away in order to get the train through. Huge clubs were worn out over the heads and backs of the animals, but without avail, until at last they grew weary and sullenly scrambled away.

Members of Congress should bear in mind that the eager agents of the Louisiana Lottery are not the only people who are watching intently the action of Congress on the proposed anti-lottery legislation. The country at large is taking a profound interest in the matter, and it desires to see a really effective bill against this giant evil enacted.

The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands of despairing patients can testify. A trustworthy medical writer says: "Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but most of the remedies in general use by physicians afford but temporary benefit. A cure cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes." Ely's Cream Balm is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient.

Considering the future American, the sociologists claim to know that he will not live at home, in fact that he will not have a home, as he will board in a hotel or club when he is not indulging in the pastime of globe-trotting. He will be a bachelor, irritable and discontented.

"The art of eating a peach" seems to be confined this season to canned fruit, but it is interesting to hear of a controversy upon the etiquette of the subject. One authority says that a peach should be pricked with a fork, quartered, peeled and eaten piecemeal.

The introduction by Senator Edmunds of a resolution looking to the shortening of debate on the tariff question indicates that the position of the Vermont Senator upon the inviolability of the Senate traditions has been misunderstood, or else that he has seen reason for modifying it.

The Tennessee Democratic State Committee, for what doubtless seems to it good and sufficient reasons, has summarily terminated the custom of beginning the campaign by series of joint debates between the Democratic and Republican candidates for Governor.

A matrimonial agency in London advises young ladies not to marry young men, and not to marry a man at all without money. Penniless young men are said to become spendthrifts and wife-beaters England.

A countrymen visiting the surrogate's office, and observing the huge volume of wills on the shelves, asked if they were Bibles. "No sir," said the clerk, "they are testaments."

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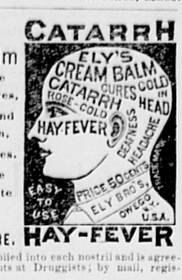

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.41, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42 P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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34	Junction Cambridge and Lexington Sts.
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38	Cor. Winn and Bedford Streets.
42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
43	Montvale Ave. opp. Vernon Street.
45	Salem Street, Walnut Hill.
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WINNING HER WAY.

"It's heart-breaking to be kept in on this lovely day, missing the skating simply because mother insists that Aunt Charlotte's absurd hobby of girls qualifying themselves in the art of housewifery is right. Art of fiddlesticks, I say!"

"Rosalind, you should not speak in that manner. You know Aunt Charlotte has been very kind to us."

"I don't care, Winnifred! I think its outrageous—her proposing our learning housework. The very thought is sickening!" And Rosalind Bailey spitefully threw the feather duster she was using to the floor.

"Rosalind, why do you give way to such uncomfortable feelings. Consider how it troubles poor mamma."

"Great deal she cares, making us do work that belongs to servants, when we might be out having a good time."

"I'm sure mamma knows what is best for us. Besides, there is more work than Jane and Mary can attend to."

"Papa can hire more servants, then; he is as rich as Minnie Brown's father, or Cora Blake's, or scores of others I could name."

"I am sorry you are so unhappy in obeying mamma's wishes," said Winnifred with a little sigh.

The violent ringing of the door bell, which Winnifred hastened to answer, checked Rosalind's angry response. A moment elapsed, then someone said in an excited voice:

"Good morning, Miss Winnifred. Your father has been taken suddenly ill, he will be brought home at once; you must prepare Mrs. Bailey."

Scarcely knowing what she did, Winnifred turned toward the nursery, sure of finding her mother with baby Edgar. Gently the bad news imparted together with encournging words. Then, hurrying back, she reached Rosalind's side just as the unconscious form of their beloved father was carefully borne to his room. Two days of agonizing suspense, then an oppressive silence reigned throughout that closed house, hot, scalding tears falling fast over the form, still in death, of a kind husband and father.

Days came and went, making serious changes in the circumstances of the once wealthy Bailey family. After the death of Mr. Bailey came the announcement that all his fortune was involved in financial ruin, then the full comprehension of their loss, which fell on none more heavily than Rosalind, the elder daughter, who was about sixteen. Winnifred, not quite fifteen, mourned deeply her father, whom she had loved with fond devotion, while the bitterness of Rosalind's sorrow was in the thought of poverty.

Giving up their pretty home was a necessity painful to all. One day, when talking the matter over, Winnifred said:

"How long are we permitted to remain here, mamma?"

"Until the house is sold, dear—an event not far distant."

"Then we must hope for a substantial answer from Aunt Charlotte," dismally remarked Rosalind.

"She may not have received my letter; I was not quite certain about her European address."

"Goodness knows what we shall do without her assistance," said Rosalind, gazing into the open grate.

"You and I, Rosa, must find work. I shall try for a place in Brown & Taylor's.

"You can do as you please, Winnifred; I shall not disgrace myself by entering a store as a shop-girl, unless obliged to do so. Probably mamma will hear from Aunt Charlotte before the house is sold."

So the discussion ended, and days became weeks, only to bring disappointment. The pretty house was gone, and at last, depending upon their own labor Winnifred and Rosalind entered the store of Brown & Taylor in search of employment, unsuccessful, save for promises when the first vacancy occurred. From place to place they went with no better success, returning home at dusk, weary and dispirited.

A week of unavailing search for work, and Winnifred, slowly walking along a pleasant street, as wondering, almost discouraged, where she should try next.

"I must find something," she mused. "The look of anxiety on poor mamma's face is proof that the money is almost exhausted."

Engaged in her thoughts, she heeded not the faultless equipage stopping a short distance in advance until a voice called:

"Winifred, Winifred Bailey, where are you hiding? It's ages since I have seen any of you. I really believe you were not going to speak this morning."

"Oh, good morning, Mrs. Graham," stammered Winifred. "I—I did not see you until you spoke."

The fact of having received many rebuffs from fashionable acquaintance since their reverses did not lessen the girl's surprise at the cordiality of Mrs. Graham's greeting.

"Won't you join me in a drive this beautiful morning, Winifred?"

"I should enjoy it, Mrs. Graham, but—"

"No excuses! James, open the carriage door for Miss Bailey."

Soon Winifred was seated in the barouche. After an extended drive, Mrs. Graham said:

"My husband is away, Winifred, and you must keep me company at lunch."

Already the horses were standing before Mrs. Graham's residence, therefore politeness forbade the non-acceptance of the invitation.

As they enterek the house, two servants in an angry dispute attracted their attention.

"Lay off your hat, Winifred, and I will see what that loud talk means," said Mrs. Graham, hurrying away. Returning presently, with a look of deep annoyance, she said, "Another of my handsome statuettes broken."

"That is too bad; how did it happen?"

"Two girls in dusting managed to tip it from the pedestal. Dear me! If I could only fine someone who could do particular dusting without constantly breaking things!"

"Mrs. Graham! I wish you would try me?"

"You, Winifred? Surely you are jesting!"

"No, I am in earnest."

"I shall be delighted, Winifred, if your mother approves. When would you like to begin?"

"Tomorrow, if not too soon for you."

"Very well; that will suit me nicely."

"Feeling reasonably sure of her mother's consent, Winifred on her way home bought three yards of soft cheese cloth for dusters.

"What have you in that package, Winifred?" exclaimed Rosalind, as the small roll was tossed upon the table.

The question passed unnoticed, Winifred's attention being attracted to a gray-haired, blue-spectacled lady who was energetically showing Mrs. Bailey the small wares she carried in a basket.

"I should like to patronize you, but we are poor ourselves," Mrs. Bailey was saying, when Rosalind broke in with—

"What in the world did you buy this for, Winifred?"

"Dusters, Rosalind. Don't you remember Aunt Charlotte said that soft cheese-cloth made the best?"

"What do we want of them? Our furniture is not so elegant as to need extra care," and Rosalind disdainfully cast her eyes over the plainly furnished room.

"They are not to be used here."

"You talk in riddles. Where if not here?"

"At Graham's."

"Mrs. Graham's! Winifred how can that be?" said Mrs. Bailey.

Relating the incidents of the morning, Winifred replied:

"Mrs. Graham, with your consent, has engaged me to work for her. You will say yes, won't you mamma?"

"What is the work you will have to do?"

"Dusting and arranging. I am to go in the morning, work as many hours as necessary, and then come home."

"Winifred Bailey, haven't you any pride, that you would disgrace yourself, and mamma and me as well, by going out as a common scrub-girl?" exclaimed Rosalind.

"Sister, if you choose to regard the situation in that light you must; with mamma's consent, I shall accept the offer."

"I wish, Rosalind, you were less sensitive regarding honest labor," expostulated Mrs. Bailey, gently. "Remember what Aunt Charlotte used to say, that pride and poverty can never travel together."

"Don't mention her name to me!" vehemently broke forth Rosalind. "Her obnoxious country ideas are well instilled into Winifred, but, thank Heaven! I have escaped them."

In her irritability Rosalind had forgotten the presence of a stranger until reminded of it by her picking up her basket and saying to Mrs. Bailey:

"Thank you, missus, for allowing me to rest a bit." Then, turning to Winifred, she added, "If an old woman's good wishes are worth anything to you, little miss, you have mine for your future success."

The door closed, and she was gone.

The next morning Winifred, with a cheerful heart commenced her labors for the stipulated price of three dollars a week. Mrs. Graham wished to increase the amount, but Winifred said:

"I shall have plenty of spare time, Mrs. Graham; if you could remember me to your friends, I might have two more places; that would give me nine dollars a week."

She performed the duties required of her satisfactorily, and ere the two weeks had passed the three places were secured.

Time passed, and Winifred, bright and happy, gained friends wherever she went. Under the judicious management of Mrs. Bailey, Winifred's income, together with what she herself earned by doing light needlework, maintained them humbly, and left a little for a rainy day.

While employed at the house of Mrs. Blois, one of her patrons, Winifred accidentally drifted into a new line of business. A large basket of cut flowers in a confused heap, accompanied by a note from Mr. Blois, had arrived, stating that some gentlemen would dine with him that evening. After several futile attempts to arrange them Mrs. Blois hopelessly said:

"I wish, Winifred, you would help me to reduce this chaos of flowers to something like order."

Quickly responding to the call, Winifred, with bright eyes and glowing cheeks, deftly arranged the flowers she loved.

"You have combined them exquisitely!" exclaimed Mrs. Blois, gazing with admiration on the girl's work.

After a lapse of a few days she was again called upon to perform what to her was a pleasant duty, the occasion being a tea-party given in honor of a select few of Mrs. Blois' lady friends. The outcome to herself was a generous remuneration from Mrs. Blois and frequent orders from the ladies present on that occasion, who greatly admired the artistic arrangement of the floral display.

The demand for Winifred's services rapidly increased until she was crowded with all the work one pair of hands could do.

"Mrs. Graham has decided to accompany her husband to Chili, mamma," said Winifred one evening, as the Bailey family lingered over their tea.

"Indeed! Then she will not need you much longer?"

"That was what I supposed," replied Winifred, "but such was not the case. This morning she made me a proposition that greatly surprised me."

"What was it?"

"Probably an offer to take Winifred with her, as they are so bound up in each other," suggested Rosalind, illnaturedly.

"You are mistaken, sister; Mrs. Graham would not offer what would be impossible for me to accept."

"Dear me—such deliberation! It takes you forever to tell anything, Winifred!"

"Well, then, the Grahams desire us to live in their house and care for it during their absence; they also insist on compensating us liberally."

"How kind of them!" exclaimed Mrs. Bailey, the tears filling her eyes.

"Yes," continued Winifred, "Mrs. Graham declared she should feel better knowing friends were occupying the house than to have it closed."

"Oh, certainly!" interrupted Rosalind. "Her friends most heartily approve the good sense she displays in the matter. Really it will seem quite like old times to live in a decent house like that once more."

Winifred could not entirely overcome her vexation at Rosalind's ungrateful selfishness, but bit her lip and was silent.

Two weeks later found them installed in Mrs. Graham's pretty home. Now that no rent was to be paid, Mrs. Bailey and Winifred laid aside all that could be spared of their income, and with pleasure found the sum in their treasury rapidly increasing.

Thus the weeks glided swiftly into months, until nearly a y ar had passed since the Baileys first took up their residence at Mrs. Graham's.

Christmas was fast approaching, and Winifred was looking forward with pleasurable anticipations to the surprises she had in store for those dear to her. So prosperous had been the past year that she felt she could well afford a handsome gift to mother, sister, and little brother.

"I do wish Aunt Charlotte was here to pass Christmas with us," said she, while talking over their plans for that day.

"Yes, I wish she might be. It is strange we have never heard from her since your father died; my letter could not have reached her," said Mrs. Bailey, thoughtfully.

"For my part, I do not know that I am very anxious to see her; but I wish she would open her heart and her pocket-book sufficiently to send along some nice presents," said Rosalind.

"I should not want to accept presents from one who aroused the antipathy you seem to feel for Aunt Charlotte," replied Winifred.

"You have a right to think as you please, and I suppose I am allowed the same privilege." And Rosalind walked away to answer the postman's ring. "A letter for you, Winifred. It looks like Mrs. Graham's writing."

"Yes, it is from Mrs. Graham," said Winifred, after perusing the closely written sheet. They are to return home the middle of next month."

"Oh, dear! That means that we must go back to four or five rooms." And Rosalind, with tears in her eyes, threw herself into one of the softly-cushioned chairs.

"Consider, Rosalind; but for Mrs. Graham's kind generosity, the months you have passed here so pleasantly must have been spent far otherwise, and try to be content now."

Rosalind unclosed her lips to answer, but instead moodily tapped her foot on the carpet and gazed discontentedly out of the window.

Agreeing that nothing more should be said concerning their removal until after the holidays, the subject was dropped.

The sunlight of a bright Christmas morning dawned. With a hearty kiss and a merry Christmas to all, Winifred joined the family on that king of mornings, bestowing on each the gift that love and generous impulse prompted.

Breakfast being over, Rosalind, looking from the window at the beauty of the morning, was surprised to see a covered sleigh before their door. Her first thought was that the Grahams had returned sooner than they expected, but the next moment she called out:

"Aunt Charlotte, as I live!"

Winifred and Mrs. Bailey were at the door to welcome her almost before Rosalind ceased speaking. With affectionate caresses she was led to the morning room, where Rosalind, with something like embarrassment, bade her welcome.

"I know, Charlotte, you miss the warm embrace of a brother," said Mrs. Bailey, in a subdued tone.

"Yes, sister. When I first learned of his death the shock seemed more than I could bear."

"Aunt Charlotte, you are tired after your long journey," said Winifred, "and need a refreshing cup of tea."

"It is but a short time since I had breakfast, my dear."

Little Edgar, intently watching the new comer, said:

"Isn't you my Aunt Charlotte, too?"

"Yes, darling."

"Didn't you bringed Eddie some'sins in that?" pointing to a large travelling bag.

"Yes, darling, auntie has brought gifts to all and will distribute them at once."

After placing several packages in the hands of little Edgar and his mother, Aunt Charlotte extended towards Winifred a long, well-filled envelope.

"This is for you, dear niece, in appreciation of the way in which Aunt Charlotte's words of advice have been accepted and utililized."

Rosalind was looking with wonder on the envelope. Winifred opened it, when her aunt said:

"It was a difficult matter for your Aunt Charlotte, with her obnoxious country idea, to select for you a gift. My advice has been repudiated in the past, Rosalind, but I hope that never again will you speak in disrespectful tones of one who has your interest at heart; for she may be present, even behind gray hair and blue glasses."

Rosalind, with a scarlet face, a small package extended to her, which proved to be a very handsome watch and chain, enrolled with a pair of blue glasses and a gray wig.

"You were the old peddler!" she exclaimed.

"Yes; I came to see how you bore adversity."

Winifred, with a heart too full for utterance, gazed for a moment on her gifts, then joyfully cried:

"A deed of our dear old home! Mamma, we are going back to the dear old home."

With eyes swimming in tears, Mrs. Bailey read the paper. The home with its furnishings complete was Winifred's to be shared with her mother.

"How can we ever thank you enough?" exclaimed Winifred, throwing her arms about her aunt's neck.

"By allowing me to pass part of my time with you, and cherishing the lesson that honest endeavor is no disgrace."—*Waverley Magazine.*

In the business of swimming the man whose operations are cramped is likely to go under.

Does your Cake Dry up Quickly?

If so, your baking powder is adulterated with ammonia or alum, ingredients which are injurious to health and are used by unscrupulous manufacturers simply to lessen the cost of the powder and increase their profits.

Housekeepers who use Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder know that food raised with this pure cream of tartar powder keeps moist and sweet, and is palatable and wholesome.

"Cleveland's Superior" has the peculiar property, possessed by no other baking powder, of producing light, wholesome bread, biscuit, cake, etc., that *retain* their natural moisture and sweetness. This desirable quality, in a baking powder shown by the Official Reports to be the strongest of all pure cream of tartar powders, makes Cleveland's Superior "Absolutely the Best."

MUNROE'S
CLOTHING HOUSE.

Important Announcement!

We have finished renovating our store and completed a large addition to the same, which gives us the largest, lightest and best equipped Clothing Store in this vicinity. We wish to call your attention this week to the

Children's Department.

We have selected the largest and finest line of CHILDREN'S SUITS, ages 4 to 14 years, that has ever been shown in this city. Special attention will be given to this department and to the comfort of ladies and children.

We have added a fine line of TRUNKS and TRAVELLING BAGS that will be sold at lowest prices.

In our Hat and Cap Department

We have made extensive additions which gives us the best facilities for showing our immense stock.

In Gent's Furnishings

We shall use double the former space, and as usual make this an important of our store. We would call your attention to our

Great Mark-Down Sale of Suits and Trousers,

To continue for the next TEN DAYS. These garments will be marked with a RED TAG, at prices so low, regardless of cost, as to insure for them a quick sale.

We want everyone to come and see our NEW STORE, and extend a cordial greeting to all.

C. M. MUNROE,
423 Main Street, - Woburn, Mass.

"They were passing the inevitable subscription paper for the benefit of the family of the "good fellow" who had suddenly died. Said one business man, "I give this little for the relief of their immediate wants, and I give that under protest. Why? Because in these enlightened days of Life Insurance no man has a right to leave a destitute family."

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Dominion of Canada.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor, ... J. Q. A. Brackett
For Lieut. Governor, ... William H. Haile
For Secretary of State, ... William M. Olin
For Auditor, ... J. H. Gould
For Attorney-General, ... A. E. Pillsbury
For Treasurer, ... George A. Marden

IN THE 5TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The question as to who is to be General Banks's successor as Representative in Congress from this District is by no means settled notwithstanding the "claim" put forth by Capt. Fox of Cambridge that he will have a good working majority of the delegates at the convention. He has not only failed to secure a majority of the delegates up to this date but according to other and quite as reliable accounts his nomination is exceedingly problematical, if indeed it is not impossible. At anyrate he lacks the requisite number of delegates at the present time to insure his nomination and the general belief is that his following will not increase any between this and the day of the convention, but that it will go the other way, if anything. The manner in which many of his men were chosen was not relished very well and will be likely to do him no good in the end. The better element of the Republican party in Cambridge strongly oppose Capt. Fox's candidacy.

Since he failed to carry his own city as a unit the staunchest supporters of Mayor Burns of Somerville do not pretend to believe that their candidate stands any show of getting the nomination unless they can strike up a "dicker" with somebody, for which the prospect is not flattering at the present time. He and his friends are not at all backward in putting in their "claims" but with those who are at all conversant with the real situation they do not count for much. There is never any telling where lightning is going to strike, but from the best information that can be obtained it is safe to say that Burns is in no very great danger of being smitten by the Congressional bolt this time.

General Banks's workers—and the woods are full of them—likewise put in "claims." They have a pretty firm foundation to rest on too. The General's chances are vastly superior to Burns's, more than equal to Fox's, and with good management he stands at least an even chance of obtaining the nomination.

This brings us to the consideration of Woburn's candidate, for the several others who have been "mentioned" for the place have no "claims" worthy of being seriously thought about.

The friends and supporters of Mayor Johnson of this city will be in the convention to stay. They believe in their man and are going to nominate him if possible. They think they see a chance for accomplishing this and the chance will certainly be improved. Johnson is better fitted for Congressman than Fox is; he is Burns's peer in everything; Banks's support is a sort of sentimental movement anyway; and it is reasonable to suppose that there will be many delegates in the convention besides those from Woburn who will prefer Johnson to either of the others and vote for his nomination.

At anyrate, Banks and Fox and Burns will find Mayor Johnson a formidable competitor for the honor and unless things change materially between this writing and the day of the convention we would pay as much for Johnson's chances for the nomination as for those of any of the other candidates in the field.

STATE CONVENTION.

The Republicans of Massachusetts held their annual State Convention at Tremont Temple, Boston, last Wednesday. Great enthusiasm prevailed notwithstanding the raging of the autumnal equinox outside.

Gov. Brackett, Lieut. Gov. Haile and Treasurer Marden were re-nominated by acclamation. Col. Olin was nominated for Secretary of State after a sharp contest; A. E. Pillsbury for Attorney General by an easy walkover; J. H. Gould (objected to on account of parting his name in the middle, to wit, J. Henry) for State Auditor. Thus two worthy incumbents, Waterman and Ladd, were dropped and two new men put into their places. This was accomplished at the behest of the politicians, as it also was in the case of Secretary of State. The machinists were determined to have Col. Olin (just as good a man as breathes), but the common people wanted Howland bad. The machinists won.

The work of the convention (except platform) may be seen by glancing the eye over the ticket at the head of these columns. They are all good men and if the whole list is not elected by a larger majority than the Republicans have had in this State for years then the JOURNAL's prophetic vision is becoming dimmed.

MORE NAMES.

Since the last issue of the JOURNAL several new names have been mentioned for the office of Mayor by members of the Citizens or Independent movement anyone of which would make a good successor to Mayor Johnson. Three of them are Joseph B. McDonald, John R. Carter and James Skinner. Better men for the place cannot be found in this city.

Now, not only have the names of these gentlemen been seriously talked over in connection with the Mayoralty by those who want to see a good city government, but it is said that more than one of them could be induced to accept a nomination if tendered by a genuine movement on the part of respectable citizens for the election of good men to fill city offices. Not that they crave the Mayoralty, but if a considerable share of the tax-payers and clear-handed voters of the city should demand the sacrifice on their part one at least, and perhaps anyone, of the three gentlemen named above would contribute an important share to the maintenance of good local government by accepting the post.

IT WILL BE SENATOR WYER.

Intelligence from the towns composing the 5th Middlesex Senatorial District indicates that Capt. Wyer will have a walkover at the convention on the 1st of Oct. There will be no opposition to him worth mentioning and it is probable he will receive a unanimous vote for the nomination on the first formal ballot.

With all due respect to everybody who has preceded him it is not too much to believe that Capt. Wyer will make as good a Senator as this part of Middlesex ever had. He will wield an influence in that august body and prove a credit to the 5th District. Or else the JOURNAL don't know him.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

It is conceded on all hands—at least that is the way we hear it stated—that Mr. Elmore A. Pierce will be one of the Republican nominees for Representative to the Legislature. The Woburn delegation will vote solid for him in the convention and that will insure his nomination.

Pierce comes into this on his own merits, without any "combines," and the unanimity of sentiment in his favor speaks very loudly in his praise.

REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Republican convention for this Congressional District will be held at Wesleyan Hall in Boston on next Wednesday, Sept. 24.

☞ Having donned a new dress the Waltham *Free Press* is now as neat and natty a looking paper as comes to our table. It is a lively one too. Success and long life to the Waltham *F. P.*

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell.—Stetson.
Emma Fosdick—Banjo.
W. R. Putnam—To Let.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Dr. E. Cutter—Boston Office.
W. K.—Complete Combustion.
S. E. Buffum—Dancing School.
J. W. Johnson—"Deeds Lost."
Royal B. P. Co.—Baking Powder.
Mrs. J. H. Parker—Dressmaking.
City of Woburn—Assessors' Notice.
City of Woburn—Collector's Notice.

— Mr. W. R. Putnam has a good tenement to rent.

— Prior is going to move his stock into the Methodist Block.

— Read what Collector Maguire says in this paper about tax bills.

— Mr. Fred Leeds abandoned his Merrimac river excursion in toto.

— Can't anybody complain but that there has been mud enough for a week past.

— The City Assessors have an important notice in this issue of the JOURNAL.

— Street Commissioner Jones is doing some firstclass paving jobs on Main street.

— Mrs. Timothy Winn has returned from Marblehead Neck where she has passed the summer.

— The Mechanic Charitable Association Fair will open on Oct. 1 and continue to Nov. 30.

— The M. E. Church building is to be converted into offices for which it is admirably adapted.

— This is Wednesday afternoon and it has rained right along for the last 10 days. How's that for high?

— Mr. Sparrow Horton is going to move out of Church Block into College Block, only a few steps away.

— Mr. George C. Conn has sent in his resignation as a member of the Board of Registrars of Voters.

— Read the change in Gregory's advertisement this week. He offers some excellent property for sale.

— Another large building is being added to the Merrimac Chemical Works. The Works a big thing.

— Mr. A. S. Hayward of Fairmount street is visiting in Vermont State. His health is much better.

— Mr. Martin Walsh, the well known fruit dealer of this city, is going to open a fruit store in Winchester.

— Mr. B. T. H. Porter, the well known insurance agent in this city, and wife have gone on a visit to Vermont.

— We call particular attention to the advertisement of a 11-dollar excursion by Hartshorn & Cheney in this paper.

— By reference to her advertisement it will be seen that Mrs. Leach still continues her private sale of household furniture.

— Alderman Kenney will probably be the regular nominee of the Republican party for Mayor. He is strong on pulling votes.

— Mr. Willard Smith has put prices on his stock of carpetings full as low as they can be bought for in Boston, and some say lower.

— Commenting on the abuse of the Salvation Army in the JOURNAL last week we should have said Officer Walker instead of Wheeler.

— Ex-Congressman E. D. Hayden of this city has been to Washington and was on the floor of the House of Representatives last Monday.

— Mr. Amos Cummings makes a change in his advertisement this week which is worthy of notice. Please note particularly what he says about cloaks.

— We got the gender of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hooper's new baby a little mixed—it was a boy instead of girl as the JOURNAL stated last week.

— Mrs. Converse, who has been employed at the Rockland, Nantasket, as cashier ever since the middle of June last, has returned to her home in this city.

— Major H. C. Hall of Hall & Jaquith, millers, expects to make a flying visit to Norridgewock and other points in the Kennebec country, Maine, at an early day.

— The teaching of physical culture is in vogue in our public schools under the preceptorship of Miss Isabel Livingstone. Physical culture is a desideration.

— Rev. Alfred Newhall, son of the late A. A. Newhall of this city, is daily expected here by his relatives from India where he has been a missionary for several years.

— Mr. and Mrs. Michael McKay of Chestnut street went to Wakefield, N. H., last Saturday to visit Mr. Simon Blake—an old Woburn resident—and family.

— We see that Mr. Chester Smith is all carried away with Maine and the adjacent coast, but we wonder if the bathing holds the same place in his affections?—*

— Mrs. J. K. Murdock and Master J. Maxwell Murdock are enjoying the time at Gaya, New Hampshire. The scenery at this town "among the mountains" is grand.

— It is said that the Woburn delegates to the Representative District Convention are a unit for Mr. Elmore A. Pierce. His prospects for the place look fair and bright.

— Mr. P. G. Hanson of Cambridge street took first premium for peas and and sweet corn at the annual exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society last Wednesday.

— Capt. Read, who served in the 39th Mass. Regt. the remnants of which will hold their 24th annual reunion in this city next Wednesday, died last Tuesday at Taunton.

— The call extended by St. Johns Colored Baptist Church to Rev. L. G. Walden of Boston to become their pastor has been accepted and he will enter on his pastoral work at once.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made a seizure of some beer at the home of Lawrence Rossiter on Garfield Ave. last Saturday night. In due time Rossiter will get his reward.

— The Woburn Lawn Tennis Club will hold its annual tournament Saturday Sep. 20, at 2 P. M. on the Mt. Pleasant grounds. First and consolation prize to be competed for. Prizes on exhibition at the window of H. W. Dean.

— Editor W. F. Kenney of the Boston *Globe* was chosen Democratic delegate at large to all the Democratic conventions this fall at a meeting of the Democratic City Commitee held last Monday evening, which was quite an honor.

— There is much good sense in Mr. Webster Woodman's insurance advertisement in this paper which people would do well to heed and profit by. Woodman represents one of the best insurance companies in the United States.

— The officers of the Woburn Tariff Reform Club for 1890-91 were elected last week and were as follows: President, William F. Davis; Vice-Presidents, John W. Johnson, Julius F. Ramsdell; Secretary, Arthur E. Gage; Treasurer, Marcus M. Shaw.

— Mr. William I. Clewley has been in the city this week. The JOURNAL has not had the pleasure of seeing him before since he moved to Ohio and was glad to extend the right hand of fellowship. Mr. C. is all the better for being a true-blue son of the old Pine Tree State.

— Mr. E. Lounsbury expects to enter Harvard Law School next week. "Get the best" is the gentleman's motto when looking round for learning or anything else worth working for, hence his choice of Harvard over the Boston, Albany, or any other Law School.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., advertises for "Lost Deeds" in this paper and offers a reward to any person who will leave them at his office. Probably some one in this city by looking over his old piles of papers might obtain the reward by finding the package of deeds advertised.

— A great deal of rain has fallen here in the last 10 days. During all the latter part of last week and the forepart of this it rained almost without ceasing day and night, so it must be that the ground has become thoroughly saturated. All of which is good for "fall feed."

— Rev. H. C. Parker, pastor of the Unitarian Church, will preach at the Home for Aged Women at North Woburn on next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Those Centre people who may desire to go up and attend the meeting will find the street cars handy by to accommodate them.

— Mr. Alexander Grant, who is a member of the District Committee, informs the JOURNAL that he thinks the convention for nominating Republican candidates for Representatives in this District will be held early. Nothing has been determined on as to the residence of the candidates.

— Miss Alice L. Frye, daughter of N. W. Frye of this city, who has been connected with Almira College in Greenville, Illinois, for some years, has been chosen Lady Principal of Grand Traverse College, Michigan, and left here on Wednesday last to assume the duties of that position.

— G. R. Gage & Co. are opening their stock of fall and winter goods for coats, pantaloons, vests, overcoats, ulsters, etc. and it is a fine one. The styles for gentlemens suits are much handsomer than they have been for some time, and G. R. G. & Co. have full lines of the best and latest there is going.

— Last Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Chase Cole of Pleasant street were obliged to call in an executioner and have their dog Spot killed. Showing symptoms of dumb rabies they tied him up on Friday and on Saturday it was thought advisable to put a period to his existence. Spot was a great family favorite.

— Mr. Sparrow Horton showed us a copy of a local war-time publication "extra" in which was given an account of a recent battle in the South and among the list of dead was the name of Charles K. Conn. It was a mistake. Capt. Conn was severely wounded, but not killed. He is still a very lively and healthy Old Vet.

— The concert and ball given at Lyceum Hall on last Wednesday evening for the benefit of Miss McDonald, an estimable young lady of this city who was for several years a prominent member of the choir at St. Charles Church, was a grand success. The attendance was very large and everything passed off very finely indeed.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery, the stalwart temperance orator, has been taking an imposed rest. Even his robust constitution had to succumb to overwork, but he is in a fair way of recuperating—*Boston Traveller*. Mr. M. has worked hard during the last year but he will get into fighting trim again long before the city election.

— The Fall Exhibition at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston, takes place this month. No one should visit Boston without attending it. All the new styles can be seen and studied. A half a day can be profitably passed here. Visitors are entirely welcome, and thousands of persons attend with no thought of purchasing.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Mr. L. Houghton Allen, after spending nearly all summer in the White Mountain region of country, returned to this city a few days ago, but not for a long stop. He will stay with his son in Milwaukee until the approach of winter when he will go to a milder climate—probably Southern California—in which to spend the season.

— Few people have any idea of the number of Crawford Grand Ranges that are being sold in our city this fall. E. G. Clough, the only dealer in the city who can buy them direct of the manufacturers, has delivered two a day part of the time, and still the demand continues, the supply holds good and every stove warranted to work satisfactorily.

— Rev. Mr. Washburn, pastor of the No. Woburn and Burlington Congregational churches, has accepted a call from the Congregational church at Yarmouth, where he preached several sermons this summer. He is a good preacher, a faithful pastor, full of energy, a devout Christian, and one of the best "all round" clergymen in this neighborhood.

— Last Tuesday we received a pleasant call from Mr. J. R. Lane of Methuen, a native of Bedford, and once a resident of Woburn. He has many old friends and acquaintances in this city, to see whom and have a good time with he comes down about once a year. Mr. Lane is a prosperous Essex county farmer but not just now in the enjoyment of robust health.

— There was quite a heavy thunder storm on Tuesday morning. According to the almanac dog-days came to an end on Sept. 5, but the real article kept right on giving us heat and humidity in unlimited and very disagreeable quantities regardless of almanacs, weather bureaus, and all that sort of trash. A tremendous amount of rain has fallen since Sept. came it.

— Mr. Hubbard Copeland, senior member of the dry goods firm of Copeland & Bowser of this city, has hired of John W. Johnson, Esq., acting for the Unitarian Society, the new tenement on Hammond Square recently occupied by Mr. Place and will take possession at once. It is one of the most desirable houses in this city and will make Mr. and Mrs. Copeland a very pleasant home.

— This is a great year for political candidates to make "claims." The most of them "claim" the earth. But while Capt. Horace N. Conn lays no "claims" to anything it is pretty certain that he will stand well in the 14th Middlesex Republican Representative convention and it would not be a surprising thing at all if he should capture delegates enough to nominate him for the Legislature.

— Miss Emma Fosdick, the accomplished guitar and banjo teacher of this city, has a card in the JOURNAL this week, to which attention is called. This lady has had great success as a teacher here and in neighboring towns and her classes have increased in size from year to year. The outlook for a liberal patronage this fall was never better. Miss Fosdick's terms for guitar and banjo are moderate.

— Dr. Ephraim Cutter of New York city, whose fame as a medical scientist, specialist and author is not confined to America, is about to open an office on Boylston street, Boston, for the particulars of which the reader is referred to his card in this paper. The Doctor's numerous good Woburn friends will be glad to learn of his periodical professional visits to the Hub and of his proximity in times of need.

— Mr. Elisha F. Hayward has been appointed special agent to collect statistics of manufacturing establishments in this city. To carry out the design of the Bureau fully 160 general schedules and 80 special schedules will be necessary to report on to headquarters, for the information demanded must relate to every kind of manufacture carried on. Mr. Hayward will enter on the discharge of his duties in a few days.

— Mrs. Buffum has taught the polite art of dancing in this city successfully for several years and is very popular both in and out of her profession. She possesses remarkable skill in teaching juvenile classes, which has been her particular forte of late. By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that Mrs. Buffum will soon open a fall class at the Dow building, which for her is a change of base. Please read her card.

— The concert of the First Congregational Sunday School to be given in the vestry of the church at 7 o'clock next Sunday evening will be one of unusual interest. Supt. Carter names it, "An Evening With Soldiers," meaning an hour's study of some of the Bible Heroes, for which he has arranged a full programme. An address will be delivered by Major W. H. Hodgkins of Somerville on an appropriate theme, besides which there will be recitations, responsive readings, singing, etc. by the pupils, the whole to be under the personal direction of Supt. Carter. The attractive order of exercises, and especially Major Hodgkins's address, will be likely to fill the vestry to its utmost capacity.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gerrish got back from a three weeks Western trip last Monday well satisfied with all they saw and heard while away. They visited in Pennsylvania; spent some days in the rich and beautiful Blue Grass region of Kentucky; made a considerable stay at the National Capital; and indulged in other halts in their journeyings to and fro. Mr. and Mrs. Gerrish enjoyed the whole trip very much especially the Washington part of it.

— The Reuben Glue Co. gave a rattling old performance at Lyceum Hall last evening to an immense audience that filled the place alow and aloft. The Company give dead loads of the richest kind of fun at comparatively low figures and therefore they never fail to draw houses packed from underpinning to collar-beam. If any of our readers should happen to be at any time within hailing distance of where the Reuben Glue Co. are acting they oughtn't to fail to drop in.

— Mrs. J. H. Parker, the leading modeste in this city, is prepared to give the ladies of Woburn and vicinity the very latest styles in dress cutting and making, in which she is thoroughly posted. Mrs. Parker does a very large business and has for years, and is patronized by the bon ton of this city, Winchester and other neighboring places. Her work never fails to give perfect satisfaction, and the richest and costliest kinds of it always find their way to Mrs. Parker's elegant dressmaking parlors on Salem street.

— There was a pleasant gathering in the parlors of the First Congregational Church on last Thursday evening when Mr. John R. Carter, Superintendent of the Sunday School, gave a reception to the teachers, a large number of whom were present. Tea was served at half past six o'clock, after which interesting papers were read by Mr. Frank B. Richardson, Mrs. D. Wilbur Brown, and Mrs. E. G. Preston. It was a season of rare enjoyment. If he keeps on doing thus Superintendent Carter will grow more popular than ever, if possible, with his school.

— There has been no frost here this fall or any signs of one and yet considerable foliage looks as though it was frost-bitten. Here and there an elm looms like a huge bouquet composed of the most gorgeous flowers; others show less signs of "the hectic of a dying year;" and all about "autumn leaves are falling fast." A theory has been gaining ground of late years that the dazzling brilliancy of the forests and groves in autumn is not due to frost attacks but to the natural decay which overtakes vegetation at the close of the year, and we begin to think the theory isn't far wrong.

— The *Globe* gives the following as a list of Woburn people who teach school outside of our city. The list is far from being complete, but will do for a starter: Miss Fanny French, Salt Lake City, Utah; Miss Stella M. Haynes, Worcester, Mass.; Miss Annie E. Bancroft, Allston, Mass.; Miss Parthenia Boutwell, Natick; Miss Mina J. Wendall, Somerville; Miss Lena H. Brown, Natick; Miss Sarah S. Waterman, Somerville; Miss Emma L. Wyman, Boston; Miss Sarah C. Fisher, Roxbury; Oliver F. Bryant, Boston; Miss Helen L. Brown, Allston; Miss Emily Perkins, Tewksbury; Miss Effie C. Sweetser, Melrose; George Perkins, Boston.

— The fight last Friday night between Thomas McCarty, the well known pugilist of this city, and Mike Brennan of Montana at Hoboken, N. J., for a purse of $300 was declared a draw at the end of the 10th round. McCarty had the best of it from the beginning to the end, but the referee, Jack McAuliffe, decided it a draw. Mr. McCarty left here about 14 months ago for San Francisco and since then has travelled the greater part of the United States, Mexico and Central America. He started for home immediately after his fight with Brennan and arrived here last Saturday night. He is now staying at Mr. Patrick Nelson's home in Winchester.

— There was held an interesting meeting of the Board of Trade on last Tuesday which, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, was fairly well attended. No especial business was transacted but the members present listened to an informal talk by Leonard Thompson, Esq., on Alaska, Vancouver, etc., from which country he has but recently returned. Mr. Thompson is a careful, intelligent observer and a good narrator, and his theme being one of much interest to people in the East, his talk was very entertaining and instructive. Familiar faces of old stand-bys—James Skinner, F. H. Lewis, Buchanan, etc., were noticed in the gathering. The Board expect to hold some interesting sessions this fall and winter.

— Mr. D. Fuller Appleton entertained a large company of gentlemen interested in the improvement of American dairy products, at Appleton Farm, Ipswich, on Saturday. His guests members were of the American Breeders Association and leading agriculturists and butter makers from all over the United States, drawn together to see Mr. Appleton's butter producer, the famous Essex cow Eurotisania, a member of the Jersey family whose remarkable record has fully upheld the prestige of her race. Among the gentlemen present was Hon. John Cummings of this city who has always manifested a deep interest in the improvement of stock, as well as in agricultural, horticultural and pomological matters.

— Some 75 members of G. A. R. Post 161 and Relief Corps 83 visited the Soldiers Home at Chelsea last Wednesday evening and had a wonderful good time. The company filled two of the East Middlesex street cars which were drawn by 4 horses each. At the home an entertainment was given which included some fine selections by the Woburn Orchestra, songs and readings. After the spread speeches were made by members of the Post, toasts were responded to, anecdotes were related, and music. At the close of an evening frought with the highest enjoyment for them the party re-embarked on the cars and after a pleasant and quite merry drive reached home in the neighborhood of 1 o'clock, a. m. The verdict was unanimous that a pleasanter evening was hardly ever spent by Post 161 and R. C. 83.

— In a private note our California correspondent says: "Hope Ed. Johnson goes to the Senate." It wasn't settled that way but we are in hopes to send him to Congress, which will do equally as well, eh?

— Mr. Samuel A. Grammer has nearly recovered from the injury received from being thrown to the pavement by a big dog the other day and is at his post of duty again. It was a wonder the fall didn't killed him.

— The engagement is announced of Mr. Harry L. Flanders of this city and Miss Victoria Maxwell of Winchester, Mass. Mr. Flanders is proprietor of the principal drugstore in Woburn, President and Business Manager of the Flanders Tonic Company, and one of the most promising young men in this section. Miss Maxwell is a daughter of Mr. John Maxwell of Winchester Highlands, up to a recent date one of the largest and most prosperous leather manufacturers in New England, and at present a heavy real estate and mine owner in the South. She is a young lady of many accomplishments, a favorite in social circles, and has hosts of warm friends who congratulate her on her prospective Hymenial union with so estimable a gentleman as Mr. Flanders.

— We learn from an authentic source that electricity is likely to be introduced on the East Middlesex Street Railway lines at almost any time, and that while the Company might prefer the storage battery system, it is not deemed wise to wait for an indefinite period until this system is proved a success. The trolly system will probably be adopted when a change is made.—*Malden City Press.* The East Middlesex and North Woburn Companies (the same virtually) will soon be run by electricity. No doubt of that. And we think it will be by the storage battery system which is growing in public esteem with great rapidity. Experiments East and West, especially very lately in the West, prove that the system is equal to all emergencies and is the system of the future. If the Companies above named have any doubts about it they had better wait a few months, in which time additional practical tests cannot fail to convince them that the storage battery system is the one they are looking for.

— The ground selected by the Commissioners for a Public Park and reported on at the meeting of Aldermen last Tuesday evening will meet with public approval, at least we can't see how it can very well be otherwise. The site chosen is the Kimball estate owned by the heirs of the late John R. Kimball, located near Central Square, containing 38 acres, and is unquestionably one of the most desirable spots for such a purpose in the city. It lies between Main and New Boston Sts., is elevated and sightly, and a considerable part of it is at the present time covered with woods. The lot is about 600 feet on Main street, over 600 feet on New Boston street, and is about 2300 feet long between the two. Nature has done a great deal to make it attractive and with what art can do, this city is destined to have one of the most beautiful parks in the county. The negotiations for this fine tract were successfully conducted for the city by Mr. Gilman F. Jones, who generously gave his services for the sake of securing so desirable a spot.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

Last Tuesday evening the Board held a meeting and disposed of a large amount of important business. All the members were present. The following is a true record of the proceedings:

The Mayor made the following nominations of Ward officers:

Ward 1, Warden, Alva S. Wood; Deputy, Henry F. Davis; Clerk, John O. Ray; Deputy, Samuel W. Metcalfe; Inspectors, Arthur B. Wyman, Dennis C. Walsh; Deputies, Andrew O. Rowe, John J. Beatty; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, L. Waldo Thompson, Patrick Kerrigan; Deputies, John M. Donnell, Edward J. Donnell.

Ward 2—Warden, John H. Bates; Deputy, Daniel Sullivan; Clerk, David H. Eaton; Deputy, Edward C. Collamore; Inspectors, Albert M. Colby, Frank F. Dodge; Deputies, Fred W. McDonald, Charles J. Billingsly; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, Edward G. Clough, Nicholas E. McGovern; Deputies, Edward F. Tebbets, Louis Bonen.

Ward 3—Warden, Francis A. Buckman; Deputy, Philip K. Richardson; Clerk, Dennis D. Begley; Deputy, Patrick H. Mathews; Inspectoas, Fred H. Lewis, Henry F. Bulfinch; Deputies, James F. McGovern, William H. Little; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, Elmore A. Pierce, Charles E. Wallace; Deputies, Harry E. Marion, Robert H. Corry.

Ward 4—Wardet, D. D. Sullivan; Deputy, James H. Carton; Clerk, S. Edgar Kendrick; Deputy, S. Fred Leslie; Inspectors, Henry C. Hall, Bartholomew Henley; Deputies, Lewis L. Whitney, Edward F. Cassidy; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, John R. Carter, Edward T. O'Neil; Deputies, William E. Blodgett, Maurice W. Carroll.

Ward 5—Warden, James Cogan; Deputy, T. F. Flynn; Clerk, Charles F. Spear; Deputy, Daniel E. Dyer; Inspectors, William F. Greenough, Richard Garrity; Deputies, George F. Hosmer, Lawrence Martin; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, John L. Fowle, James McNulty; Deputies, F. B. K. Marter, Andrew McGary.

Ward 6—Warden, Joseph M. Eaton; Deputy, John F. Bradley; Clerk, Arthur V. Dickson; Deputy, Moses W. True; Inspectors, Charles H. Kimball, William McGrath; Deputies, James E. Cutler, Hugh Dorrington; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, Walter A. Hanson, Daniel W. Bond; Deputies, Warren W. Cummings, Paschel M. Warland.

Ward 7—Warden, J. Warren Ellard; Deputy, James Given; Clerk, William A. Lynch; Deputy, Jeremiah Sullivan; Inspectors, Cyrus H. Mentzer, James K. Doherty; Deputies, Phineas G. Hanson, Dennis Kelley; Inspectors as Ballot Clerks, Franklin Flint, William Breslin; Deputies, William Ellard, James Greeney.

A communication was received from the Park Commissioners relating to the grading and curbing of Hammond Square, and stating that they had no jurisdiction in the matter. Placed on file.

Another communication was received from the Park Commissioners, petitioning for the appropriation of $10,000 for the purchase of the Kimball estate for a public park. They stated that the lot contained 38 acres, and $7,000 was for the purchase of the land and $3,000 for developing it. The communication was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Superintendent of streets was authorized to lay a concrete sidewalk on petition of George Perkins, in Ward 5.

The City Treasurer was authorized to hire $6,000 for the new conduit to the reservoir.

Louis Obest was granted a junk dealers' license.

The Overseers of the Poor reported for August that 28 families of 108 persons were assisted to the amount of $210.

The Auditor's report gave the monthly balances and showed uncollected taxes to to be as follows. 1888, $113.55; 1890, $6099.12. Adjourned to Tuesday next.

Y. M. C. A.

You have read of our Saturday evening meetings, why not attend one once? Meeting at 8 p. m.

Plans are being made for our Week of Prayer in November. We hope to have an Evangelist to aid us.

Next week our amusement room will be opened for members only. The reading room is open each day and evening for all.

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Reunion of the Old 39th.

The Committee of Arrangements selected to provide for and superintend the carrying out of the 24th annual reunion of the gallant old 39th Mass. Regt. in this city next Wednesday have completed their plans for the affair, for the details of which the JOURNAL is indebted to Mr. Abijah Thompson, one of the members. The arrangements have been made on a liberal scale and if the best reunion the Regiment ever had is not enjoyed it will not be the fault of the Committee nor that of our city authorities and people generally.

The Regiment is to be the guest of Company K of this city as it has been on two former occasions of the kind.

The following is a skeleton of the exercises as they have been mapped out by the Committee and as they will probably occur: On their arrival by train in this city the Regiment will form in line and, headed by the Woburn Bass Band, march to Hammond Square and countermarch to G. A. R. Hall, Post 161, when it will come to order, and the annual election of officers take place.

At the close of the business meeting a reception will be tendered to Mrs. General Warren in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A., after which the Veterans, with Mrs. Warren (widow of Major General G. K. Warren commander of the Fifth Army Corps of the Army of the Potomac) and daughter, and invited guests will march to Lyceum Hall and partake of the banquet which Capt. Tay will serve for the occasion.

After dinner there will be speaking by numerous gentlemen including Rev. Daniel March, D. D., Rev. L. Thompson, Hon. J. G. Pollard, Col. W. T. Grammer, Lawrence Reade, Esq., Hon. John Cummings, J. M. Harlow, M. D., and members of the Regiment.

Lyceum Hall will be elaborately and appropriately decorated for the reunion and so also will be G. A. R. Hall in the Savings Bank Block by Gen. Beals, the popular Boston decorator and venerable G. A. R. man, and if the weather should prove favorable this 24th annual assembling of the survivors of the old 39th will be the best of all that have ever been enjoyed.

The Mayor and His Critics.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL:—A certain Woburn gentleman, holding a minor office in the city government, with abundant leisure at his disposal has been actively engaged for some time past in circulating fabrication and misrepresentation against Mayor Johnson. For the purpose of poisoning the public mind, the mischief-maker has stated among other things that Mr. Johnson is a "free trader" and a member of Mr. Mendum's select coterie of Cobden Club disciples. The statement is false. Mr. Johnson has not at any time been an advocate of free trade notions but on the contrary has always voted the Republican ticket in State and National elections.

Another charge brought against the Mayor by the aforesaid gentleman of abundant leisure is that he "has attended Irish parties and the exercises at the Patochial School."

In the first place, be it remembered that the man who makes this criticism was himself present as a private citizen at the reception lately tendered a distinguished citizen of Montvale upon his return from the House of Correction, and doubtless enjoyed upon that happy occasion the vituperative remarks hurled at the Mayor by the friends of the returned exile.

In the second place, it is quite true that the Mayor has when invited attended so called "Irish parties." In this he has simply followed the wise precedents set by the Mayors of other cities and the Governors of the Commonwealth, and in his official actions and movements has very rightly and properly recognized no race, religious or class distinctions, but has been Mayor of the whole city.

Acting upon this same principle he attended the closing exercises of the Parochial School last June just as he would have attended any other private or sectarian school of this city whatever its religious teachings, just as, for example, the chief executive of the Commonwealth has attended the commencement exercises of the College of the Holy Cross at Worcester. It may not be generally known, however, that so careful was Mayor Johnson not to have his presence at the Parochial School misconstrued that he frankly stated in his remarks that he did not believe in sectarian schools but was a staunch supporter of the public school system. This sentiment he so reiterated that one of the out-of-town clergy present regarded his whole address as an attack upon the parochial school system and replied to the Mayor with considerable feeling.

There are doubtless other similar criticisms of the Mayor that have not reached the writer's ears. The public should bear in mind that they generally come from someone with a grievance—someone, for instance, whose salary has been reduced or who has failed in securing some appointment to office. All the Mayor and his friends ask is that the facts in any particular case may be known, and then criticism becomes a matter of judgment, not of prejudice and falsehood.

It is just such sinister attacks as have been made against Mayor Johnson that deter many of the best citizens from participation in public affairs and such attacks merit the condemnation of all fairminded persons. H.

Republican Ward and City Committee.

Ward 1. E. F. Wyer, J. F. DeLoriea, P. McGowan, C. H. Delano, F. J. Brown.

Ward 2. Fremont S. Bassett, David H. Eaton, Charles M. Strout, Albert M. Colby, William P. Cutler.

Ward 3. Harry E. Marion, Francis A. Partridge, E. Prior, Elmore A. Pierce, Philip K. Richardson.

Ward 4. Griffin Place, John R. Carter, S. E. Kendrick, J. Fred Leslie, W. E. Blodgett.

Ward 5. W. F. Greenough, Edward Montgomery, F. B. K. Marter, Daniel E. Dyer, Charles F. Spear.

Ward 6. N. S. Watson, M. W. True, R. F. Poole, A. U. Dickson, S. A. Thompson.

Ward 7. Adam Busted, J. Warren Ellard, A. B. Heald, C. H. Lincoln, F. M. Pushee.

Were Outrageously Packed

Some of the Republican caucuses were outrageously packed in the interest of certain candidates. Who were they?—*Cambridge Tribune.*

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at noon.

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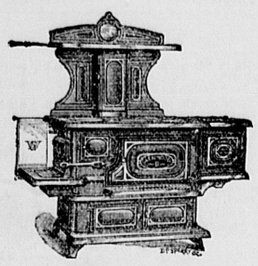

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A firstclass boarding school has been opened in the spacious and substantial old mansion house of Hon. Benjamin F. Whittemore at Montvale (one mile east of Woburn, Mass., Centre) by Miss Marcia G. Whittemore, daughter of the above named gentleman, and Miss Adaline M. Tirrell, who are ladies of not only rare literary attainments but possess executive and business ability to a degree which warrants the belief that Ashley Hall School (which is the name given it by the young ladies, and a very appropriate one it seems to be too) will prove an immediate and splendid financial and educational success.

A better place for such an institution could not have been found in the suburbs of Boston. The mansion stans in the midst of an extensive lawn, embowered in densly foliaged trees, close by a pretty artificial sheet of water, and contains some 20 spacious rooms admirably adopted to the ends to which Misses Whittemore and Terrill have applied them. The grounds are extensive and will admit of the erection of other buildings—gymnasium, halls for in-door sports, etc.—and are close by Montvale station on the Boston & Lowell Division of the Boston & Maine Railroad, only 10 miles from the State House in Boston, with the street cars of the East Middlesex Street Railway Co. which runs from Woburn Centre to Stoneham, Melrose Highlands, Melrose, Malden, Chelsea, Chelsea Beach, Lynn, Boston, etc., skirting them on the east and making frequent trips, with the finest of cars, each way over the line. The location is admirable for the accommodation of a large and prosperous school, and the estate and its surroundings are as beautiful and attractive as any rural institution of learning can possibly be, and will no doubt exert strong influence in filling it with pupils from all over the country.

The school is intended to be a high class boarding and day school for young ladies, for which the proprietors, Miss Whittemore and Miss Terrill, will employ only the most competent teachers, and to which a thorough education will be given. The curriculum will embraace all the studies taught in the best of colleges, the following being a partial list of the chief: Mathematics, Latin, Greek, History, Literature, Science, French, German, Music (vocal and instrumental), Elocution, Drawing and Painting.

Ashley Hall is destined to become a great credit to the city of Woburn, for which reason and others equally potent, the school should have the hearty support and encouragement of our people.

Fitzgibbon Family.

The celebrated Fitzgibbon Family, who had such a success at Mr. Keith Bijou Theatre in Boston, Philadelphia and Providence, will be at Lyceum Hall, Saturday night, Sept. 20, prices as usual.

Farewell Social.

A social was held in the Congregational church on last Saturday evening for the purpose of giving expression to the regret felt at the announcement of the departure of Mr. and Mrs. William Sentner from among us. Mr. Sentner has served on the Board of Trustees and as Treasurer of the church, as one of the teachers and Treasurer of she Sunday school, and as a faithful member of the society of Christian Endeavor, and as a testimonial of appreciation the three departments united in purchasing for him a life membership in the Congregational Sunday School and Publishing Society. After brief literary exercises, refreshments were served in the vestry and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by the goodly number present.—*Benicia* (Cal.) *New Era.*

Mr. Sentner and family left Woburn for California a little over three years ago and are now visiting here with a view of remaining permanently perhaps, althoughthat is not yet decided on. Financially it would be for Mr. Sentner's disadvantage to quit Benicia, (where he has been employed at a good salary for three years past) and come to this city again, but relatives and friends are anxious to have him do so, and it would not be strange if he should yield to their wishes. Mrs. Sentner, who is a sister of Mrs. John C. Plummer of Sherman Pl., has another residing at Auburn, Me., and is very desirous of getting back among her relatives. Her relatives are equally anxious that she should come with her family, and the likelihood is that the Sentners will return to their old home here and settle down, although they like California and have many warm friends there.

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YOSEMITE VALLEY.

Last October while in San Francisco I made the acquaintance of a party of Philadelphia gentlemen who were preparing for a trip to Yosemite Valley and Mariposa Grove, and gladly accepted their invitation to accompany them. Yosemite Valley is 140 miles from San Francisco nearly due east, in the midst of the lofty Sierras. The name has little appropriateness except as the Valley has been the haunt of the horrible beast for which it stands, for Yosemite is the Indian word for "Grizzly Bear."

We left San Francisco on the morning of Oct. 15, and journied by train to Stockton 100 miles distant where the balance of the day and the next were occupied in securing a guide and procuring horses and the necessary camp equipage for the rest of the journey is made on horseback and atoot. We made an early start next morning with the intention of reaching the Valley in two days, but being all inexperienced horsemen, after a few hours ride we unanimously agreed that 25 miles per day was too much for our horses and governed ourselves accordingly. Our guide, Bil Hopkins by name, an old "forty-niner," was a valuable addition to our party, being thoroughly familiar with every foot of the country in this portion of the State. He proved an interesting companion on the march, but Bill's best hold was at the frying-pan. The way he would dish up partridge and quail (minus pale ale and Welsh rarebit) would put even "Woburn's Delmonico" in the shade. After supper he would light his pipe and entertain us for an hour or two from his inexhaustible supply of yarns and adventures, the strict truth of which I should hesitate to vouch for were it not for the fact that Bill received his early education in the Old Bay State.

On the afternoon of the 3rd day our guide informed us that we were nearing our destination and we soon found ourselves standing upon Inspiration Point looking down into the deep abyss and out upon this stupendous Valley of Valleys. From the edge of this precipice to its foot is 3000 feet, and at that distance down the elevation it is still 4000 feet above the sea level. The main Valley is seven miles long a mile and a quarter wide at its widest point and compprises an area of about 8,000 acres. Two-thirds of this space is beautiful meadow, the remainder is strewn with sand, stones and gravel which have washed down or torn from the enclosing cliffs. Like a river of silver, the river Merced—by the Spaniards called the river of Mercy—gleams here and there among the overhanging trees; a distant view is also gained of some of the beautiful waterfalls with which the Valley abounds.

Descending the cliffs to the Valley it seems beyond the power of human speech to describe the majesty of these mighty walls standing at the foot of the Yosemite Falls. We could hardly believe our eyes; it seems incredible that water should be precipitated from such a height; by official measurement it is more than half a mile, or 2641 feet, from the top to the bottom of this fall. The stream first glides over the edge of a granite cliff and plunges down in sheer descent 1587 feet. There it beats with deafening din upon a huge shelf of rock whence it falls again in a series of grand cascades 700 feet more. Then comes a further final fall of 428 feet, and after this the stream flows off through the meadows beneath the trees, as quietly and gently as if it had not been hurled from such a height or broken by such a fall.

Opposite Yosemite Fall a huge ridge of rock exteuds a third of a mile into the Valley and stands like a buttress against the wall at its back. From this rises a granite obelisk 300 feet thick at its base and 1200 feet high. This is called "Sentinel Rock," from its resembiance to a Watch Tower, for which purpose the Indians are said to have once used it. The entire height of the ridge from the river that flows beneath it is 3034 feet.

Mirror Lake, called by the Indians "Sleeping Water," covers about 8 acres and is nowhere more than 20 feet deep. From the water's edge a mile of massive cliff seems to extend into the lake below, and so perfect in the deception, that it is by no means easy to make sure which is the solid original and which the unsubstantial shadow.

After three days of unbounded enjoyment in this beautiful Valley we "broke camp," and turned our horses heads towards Mariposa Grove of which I will tell you later.

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Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Sept. 13, 1890.

When call ng for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Arthur Brown, John Conn, Mrs. Rose Conog, Mrs. J. A. Fowle, Miss Nellie Green, Mrs. T. B. Haines, care of G. Day, S. H. Harwood, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Miss Mary J. Wafer, 16 Canal street, Box 1620, Woburn, Mass.

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The New Scandinavian Church.

Mr. A. J. Simonson of Montvale Park, Woburn, has got the contract for building the Scandinavian Evangelical Free church of this city, his bid being the lowest of the four that had figured on the job, or $6,400 for the entire work over the cellar, except the seats. Mr. Simonson is a Scandinavian and has been in this city but two years but during this short time has gained the confidence and respect of all who has had any dealings with him. He has built several buildings in and around Woburn, and all give him credit for good honest work. No inspector is needed where Mr. Simonson has a job to perform. We are glad that the Scandinavian church Building Committee succeeded in getting Mr. Simonson to build their house of worship, for we know that this means that they will have a building that will be second to none, as far as the workmanship is concerned.

The work on the building will commence as soon as the lumber has arrived, which has been ordered from the Woburn lumber dealer Mr. E. G. Barker. How soon the completion of the church will be reached cannot yet be stated, as it depends a good deal upon how liberally the kind people of Woburn and surroundings subscibe towards the Building Fund which is hoped, and has already been shown by some. We like to see it carried through at an early date. This is and will be the best inducement that can be held out for the Scandinavian people to come and make their homes here—by helping them to get a church of their own which is a necessity on account of the language. May our good people heartily respond to this worthy cause. Chas. R. Rosenquist, 7 Greenwood Ave., this city is one of the committee and will be glad to hear from all who are willing to reach a helping hand in favor of contributions.

Mr. Hanson has relations and friends at home who want him to come, and who think he can do fully as well there at his trade.

Mr. Anton Hanson, 10 Allen street, wife and children, will start for Christiania, Norway, tomorrow (Saturday) on the steamship Cephalonia of the Cunard Line.

Several Scandinavians have bought land at Montvale Park this city; a few have erected dwelling houses thereon and a few more intend to do so before long. It bids fare to be a Scandinavian village at Montvale Park.

Rev. C. W. Holm of Philadelphia, Pa. (the first Swedish Minister of the Gospel that visited Woburn, about 8 years ago) visited his old friends in this place Wednesday last, when he also in the evening preached a good sermon in the Y. M. C. A. Hall to a large congregation. The sermon was in the Swedish language.

Several of the Scandinavians, mostly young people who have during the summer visited their old homes and relatives on the other side the great water, have come back together with others who have not been here before. They are pleased to be here once more and will probably stay for good. We give them welcome and would say there is plenty of room for more.

Rev. O. Z. Tinglof, Missionary among the Scandinavians in Mass., had charge of the meetings in the Scandinavian church last Sunday. He gave two very good sermons, and in the evening an unusually large congregation was assembled. The Scandinavian meetings are held regularly every Sunday morning at 10.30 and at 7 P. M., and on Wednesday evenings at 7.30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. All are invited. Services are held in the Scandinavian language.

A country editor said of his rival: "Aside from his beery flights and fancies his paper is pretty good, as it advocates the use of the economical Brussels soap."

Burlington.

The tax collector is distributing the bills.

On all property taxes paid on or before Oct. 1, a discount of five percent will be allowed.

The Fall meeting and Cattle Show of the Agricultural Society to be held Oct. 1, is the principal subject of thought and conversation among our good people just now. The posters and handbills have been widely distributed. The following is the programme of the day.

9 A. M. Ploughing match. Judges—Jonathan Simonds, Charles E. Marion, George Reed.

10 A. M. Athletic sports: running match, backward crawl, croquet match, climbing a greased pole, barrel roll, throwing hammer, and foot race.

11 A. M. Coaching parade and display of town industries.

12 M. Trial of market and draught horses.

12.30 A. M. Dinner in the Coliseum.

Tickets 50 cents, now on sale by the committee, George L. Tebbetts, W. H. Winn, Samuel Walker. Post prandial exercises conducted by prominent public men, to be announced later.

3 P. M. Concert by the Woburn Brass Band. At the Town Hall there will be an exhibition of household manufactures, needle work, pictures and historic articles. Mrs. Emma Bennett, Mrs. H. F. Nichols and Miss Emily N. Reed superintend this department. The vegetables and flowers will be exhibited in a tent—Edward Reed, superintendent. To each of these exhibitions the admission is only 10 cents. There will be also the usual exhibition of cattle, horses and poultry.

A local newspaper, "The Burlington Rooster," will be published on the day of the Fair. If very stormy the Show will be held, the next fair day.

The officers of the day are J. F. Rice, Chief of Police; F. E. Ham, Superintendent of Grounds; T. I. Reed, Chief Marshal.

Official standing of votes for Plough:

T. I. Reed,	133
David O'Brien,	111
Chas. Woodman,	35
C. Marion,	10
A. Prouty,	10
Walter Skelton,	5
E. Reed,	2
W. H. Walker.	1
J. Simonds,	1

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WINCHESTER.

Hose 4 have elected James O'Connor for Clerk, and Felix O'Connor for Steward.

Harry Lunt is desporting himself on the banks of the classic Sabastacook at Newport, Me.

The K. of H. have paid over to the family of the late G. W. Spurr his insurance of $2,000.

The Y. M. C. A. here is in a flourishing condition. The annual meeting for election of officers will be held on this, Friday, evening, Sept. 19.

Mr. William Nelson, who went to Denver, Col. a short time ago, is doing well out there being engaged in a successful business.

Col. "Nat." Richardson has done good work on our roads this season. There are very few men who understand the business so thoroughly as does Colonel "Nat."

A series of Gospel Meetings, under the auspices of the Mass. Advent Christian Conference, is being held this week under a tent on Salem street. There is a service of song and prayer followed by short Gospel sermons every evening at 7.30.

The following delegates were chosen at the Republican caucus last Saturday evening: State, Hon. J. F. Dwinell, F. C. Manchester, W. H. Coolidge; Congressional, J. L. Ayer, E. Hatch, W. H. Herrick; Senatorial, A. C. Vinton, J. W. Sweeney, F. O. Covell; County, George P. Brown, Monroe Brown, J. W. Richardson; Councilor, Fred Joy, J. P. Boutwell, F. V. Wooster; Town Committee, Frank O. Covell, E. H. Rice, F. L. Hunt, Luther Holton.

The following is the programme arranged for a course of entertainments by the Y. M. C. A. for which the price of tickets will be $2.00 for the series:

Oct. 20. Adamoski Quartette of Boston, and soprano soloist (to be announced.)

Nov. 4. Prof. Churchill, Reader and Impersonator, and piano soloist (to be announced.)

Nov. 18. Mrs. E. Humphrey-Allen, soprano, Miss Ella Chamberlain, whistling soloist, V. V. Rogers, harpist, E. W. Emerson, humorist and impersonator.

Dec. 2. Lecture by Wm. Blakie, and Athletic Exhibition.

Dec. 16. Wagner Concert Co. of Boston.

Dec. 30. Illustrated Lecture, J. Nelson Lewis, accompanied by the famous Ladies' Schubert Quartette.

Last Friday morning between 12 and 1 o'clock burglars visited that part of this town known as Cutter's Village. They effected an entrance into the house of Mr. William Cameron, on Salem street, through a window in the kitchen which had been left open, and secured about $20 from a pocket-book of Mr. Cameron's, which was in his trousers pocket in the room where he was sleeping. From the dining room they took a dozen of solid silver spoons, but did not take some plated ones that were with the others. They were then evidentally frightened away by Mr. James Cameron, the son, who, being awakened about that time by the restlessness of his child, arose and lighted a lamp. He then heard a noise but supposed it was occasioned by his father who occupies a room down stairs. A wallet containing $10, which lay on the mantlepiece in the kitchen, was found untouched. Mr. James Cameron always has a loaded revolver handy and he would have made it hot for them if he had known any burglars were in the house. The house of Mr. John McConughy on the same street was also visited, where they stole a gold watch, a diamond ring and a small sum of money. They also made unsuccessful attempts at Mr. Hall's on Salem street, Mr. Henry Winde's on Water street, and Mr. Patrick Dowd's on Canal street. In the latter place they got into the cellar but were frightened away by the barking of Mr. Dowd's small dog. The police were notified but as yet have found no clue as to who the burglars were.

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Mrs. J. H. PARKER

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City of Woburn.

OFFICE OF ASSESSORS,

WOBURN, MASS., Sept. 15, 1890.

The Assessors will be in session at their office, Municipal Building, the 29th and 30th days of September, and 1st day of October, 1890, from 3 to 5 P. M. and 7.30 to 10 P. M., to receive applications from all persons not already assessed for their polls and personal estates, under the provisions of Sect. 17, Chap. 425, Acts of 1890.

No applications will be received after October 1, 1890.

WILLIAM T. GRAMMER,
JOHN FERGUSON,
ELIPHAZ PRIOR,
Assessors of Woburn.

City of Woburn.

TAX BILLS

For the current year have been distributed by MAIL and CARRIERS. Tax-payers who have not received their bills will confer a favor by notifying this office.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes.

Woburn, Sept. 16, 1890.

HARNESS SHOP.

The subscribers would announce that they have opened for the manufacture and repair of Harnesses a shop in Mrs. Tyler's Block,

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Very fine India Twills, 48-inch wide, in Dark Blue, Dark Green and Mahogany, 80c., worth $1.00.

All-wool Tartan Plaid, 46c., worth 55c.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Samuel S. Shedd, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Malvina M. Shedd, who prays that letters testamenary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September, instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Franklin Keyes, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and three codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John S. Wheeler, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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ENTERING JERUSALEM.

LESSON XII, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 21.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xix, 37-48. Commit Verses, 37, 38—Golden Text, Luke xix, 38—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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37. *"And when He was come nigh, even now at the descent of the Mount of Olives."* He was riding upon the ass' colt, according to Zech. ix, 9, thus literally fulfilling one of the last public signs that He was the long predicted Messiah, the Son of David, Israel's king.

"The whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice, for all the mighty works which they had seen." They were convinced that He was their Messiah, and, notwithstanding the parable of the last lesson, they thought He would now surely proclaim Himself king, and therefore their joy was most exultant, their praise most hearty.

38. *"Saying, Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord: Peace in Heaven and glory in the highest."*

39. *"And some of the Pharisees from among the multitude said unto Him, Master, rebuke thy disciples."* The religious rulers always against Him. The people who ought to have welcomed Him hating every word spoken in His favor. A little later, as the children praise Him in the temple (Matt. xxi, 15, 16), they again find fault. When there was occasion to rebuke His disciples He did not hesitate to do it (Matt. xvi, 23; Mark x, 14), but there was no occasion now. They were not praising any too loud.

40. *"And He answered and said unto them, I tell you, that, if these should hold their peace, the stones would immediately cry out."* John the Baptist told those who came to him not to pride themselves upon being children of Abraham, for, said he, "God is able of these stones to raise up children unto Abraham" (Matt. iii, 9). And as to stones crying out, one of the prophets had said that, because of their sin, "the stone should cry out of the wall, and the beam out of the timber should answer it."

41. *"And when He was come near, He beheld the city and wept over it."* Steir says that so in some sense He weeps over all cities. While this may be true, His weeping over this city had a special significance, for this was the city of David, the holy city, the city of the great King, the city which He had chosen to put His name there, that He might be glorified (Matt. iv, 5; v, 35; II Chron. vi, 6).

42. *"Saying, If thou hadst known, even thou at least in this thy day, the things which belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes."* Thou—thy day—thy peace; this was Zion that He had chosen, that He had desired for His habitation, concerning which He had said: "This is my rest forever; here will I dwell; for I have desired it," etc. (Ps. cxxxii, 13-18). But by her unbelief she was blinded and knew not her day nor Him who was her peace. To every sinner this same Jesus is saying: "Now is the day of thy salvation." "I am thy peace." But of how many is it so sadly true that "In them the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious Gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them" (II Cor. vi, 2; iv, 4; Eph. ii, 14). Blessed are all who can say, I thank God that whereas I was blind, I now see.

43. *"For the days shall come upon thee, that thine enemies shall cast a trench about thee, and compass thee round, and keep thee in on every side."* So it literally came to pass in about forty years.

44. *"And shall lay thee even with the ground, and thy children within thee; and they shall not leave in thee one stone upon another; because thou knewest not the time of thy visitation."* So also did it literally come to pass, as He said. And as the same Spirit had said through Micah 700 years before: "Zion shall for your sake be plowed as a field and Jerusalem shall become heaps" (Mic. iii, 12). When we see how clearly events have been by the Spirit foretold, and how literally they have been fulfilled, how can any believer doubt that the thoughts of the Lord shall come to pass, that as He has proposed so shall it stand, and that every purpose of the Lord shall be fulfilled? (Isa. xiv, 24; Jer. li, 29.)

45. *"And He went into the temple, and began to cast out them that sold therein, and them that bought."* The Tabernacle of Moses and the Temple of Solomon were in some respects the most remarkable buildings this world ever saw; chiefly because God alone was the architect of each, and each was made that God might dwell on earth in the midst of His people. Jesus Himself was the true tabernacle and temple, and when the Kingdom comes we shall then see the full significance of each. They were never intended to be places of merchandise, but rather places where God might reveal Himself to His people, and where they might draw near and worship Him. The whole company of believers is now the living temple of God on this earth, in which He desires to reveal Himself to men; but the Church is largely given up to providing entertainment and amusement for the people, rather than inviting them to the blood and water, and bread and light and incense of God's salvation, cleansing, food, heavenly fellowship. Every individual believer is also a temple of the Holy Ghost, and it is His pleasure that we should cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God (I Cor. vi, 19; II Cor. vii, 1). When the New Jerusalem shall have come down from God out of Heaven we shall see more clearly.

46. *"Saying unto them, It is written, My house is the house of prayer; but ye have made it a den of thieves."* In Isa. lvi, 7, the reading is: "Mine house shall be called an house of prayer for all people." And the context refers to strangers joining themselves to the Lord to serve Him and love His name. One of those references to the flocking of all nations to Israel when once the Lord shall have come again to dwell in their midst. It is the exaltation of Jehovah that shall draw the nations; not the desecration of His temple. Take the Church of today and, instead of taking up the time with entertaining the people and providing food and delicacies for the body, let the time be given to earnest waiting upon God in prayer for the outpouring of His Spirit and the revelation of Himself as a God of salvation, and then He would be glorified and all worldliness would be crowded out by His presence and the manifestation of His power.

47. *"And He taught daily in the temple. But the chief priests and the scribes and the chief of the people sought to destroy Him."* The next two chapters will give us some of His teachings during these days, but it is more fully recorded in Matt. xx, 25. He exposed their sin, their heartlessness of their ceremonies, foretold more fully the coming judgments, and made many references to His return in power and glory. But as far as the chief of the people, either in civil or religious matters, were concerned, His teaching fell on deaf ears and hearts full of hatred for Him and His teachings.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 25 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c. and $1.00.

Says the Philadelphia *Times*: "From many quarters, especially from physicians, come reports of a wide-spread renewal of symptoms similar to the grip. Business men and others are compelled to go to bed and undergo the most rigid treatment, and altogether the prevailing ailment seems to be something much worse than an ordinary bad cold."

A PROFESSIONAL BACKSTOP.

How a Baseball Catcher Should Train for His Season's Work.

The training of the catcher has in it less variety, and is in consequence far more tedious than that of the pitcher. The work of strengthening the muscles of the shoulder and arm is the same as that described for the pitcher; but in the throwing practice the catcher should devote his attention to the shortarm throw. He should begin at the short distance of perhaps fifty feet, and increase that distance very gradually. In fact, he ought, even when he can readily throw the full distance from home to second with comparative ease, to do most of his throwing at two-thirds that distance. After the nine has begun to work in the field it is not advisable for the catcher to throw to second anything like the number of times the majority of amateurs attempt daily. Only after the nine has been out of doors for two or three weeks is so much of the full distance throwing safe for any catcher who wishes to have his arm in good condition.

The position of the feet in throwing is all important. If he be a strong man of moderate weight he can and should throw without changing the position of the feet. To this object his gymnasium practice should be devoted. Standing steadily upon his feet in the exact position assumed at the moment of catching the ball, he should, with a slight swing at the hips, be able to send the ball down. Throwing in a cage with a low ceiling is the best thing possible for him, as it forces him to throw hard and on a line.

A point of catcher's practice, which does not enter into the work of the pitcher, is that of toughening the hands. Rowing on the machines, climbing the rope, swinging on the flying rings and handball, if there are any courts for that excellent game, will all tend toward this end. He should consider, however, that it is not merely toughening the skin of the hands that is desirable, but also hardening the flesh so that it is not easily bruised. For this reason he should "pass ball" without gloves regularly every day.

At the outset he should receive no swift balls, and should stop at the first feeling of anything beyond a moderate tingling of the palms. His hands should receive their full preparatory hardening before he goes out into the field, for ordinary carefulness demands that he should do no catching behind the bat after the season commences except with hands thoroughly protected by well padded gloves. What is called a stone bruise is one of the tenderest and most lasting mementoes of carelessness in this respect. In his gymnasium practice he should wear the mask. This seems to most catchers a useless bore, but the captain or coach should insist upon it, and the mask should become almost a part of the catcher himself. All his throwing and catching should be performed with his eyes behind its wires, in order that, from becoming thoroughly accustomed to it, it may add no inconvenience to his work.

The breastplate need not be so rigorously insisted upon, but even this should be worn frequently. The right hand glove must always be worn when practicing throwing, in order that this also shall offer no unusual difficulty in the later work. Many a catcher may think that it looks silly to stand up with a mask and glove on to throw at a mark; but there is every reason for doing this, and he will himself appreciate the value of such practice when he stands accoutered on the field behind the batsman and with a runner on first.

As often as it is convenient the catcher, particularly if a novice, should have some one swing the bat before him while he is "passing ball" in the gymnasium. By the time he gets out of doors he should be thoroughly accustomed to the close proximity of the batsman.—Walter Camp in St. Nicholas.

The Material of Dumas' Stories.

For the backgrounds of his stories Dumas went naturally to the epoch of intrigue, his mots de la fin would not easily have come from the bars of a helmet in the rougher older days; it is the thrust of the rapier he loves rather than the downright blow of the heavy sword, the coup d'estoc rather than the coup de taille. His is the true drama de cape et d'epee, as the French have always called it, and his dialogue is its exponent—the cloak to dissimulate, the sword to attack and defend. The whole epoch of Louis XIII and of Mazarin was mask and dagger, conspiracy and duel. Dumas leads us among a gilded dramatis persone; he loves a noble, and though he distrusted princes the royal blood was never quite a common ichor to him. His artist side responded eagerly to the picturesqueness of the court.—E. H. and E. W. Blashfield in Scribner's.

Apparent Idleness.

Sometimes apparent idleness is only a change of work. George Lewes was one day dredging a roadside pond, putting all the living treasures he found into a glass jar.

"What are you doing?" inquired a sneering bystander. "Fishing for salmon?"

But when he saw what strange beings were discovered in that unpromising pool his interest was excited, and he asked Mr. Lewes many curious questions, all of which were patiently answered.

"Ah," said the scoffer respectfully, at the end of the interview, "it's a fine thing to be able to name all God's creatures."—Youth's Companion.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers eveywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Teacher—Johnny, in the sentence, "The audience cheered the tennis players loudley," you may point out the absurdity. Johnny—"There isn't any absurdity, ma'am." "Are you sure? What is the meaning of the word 'audience?'" "An assembly of hearers." "Exactly, And do persons hear a game of tennis?" "Yes'm. They hear the racket."

A PREVALENT DISEASE.

Ten Symptoms Peculiar to Churchgoing Members on Wet Sundays.

When preachers hanker for a rest the flock can hardly be condemned for doing likewise. With the mercury traveling above the 90 mark the inducements for churchgoing are hardly as strong as when the temperature is more moderate. And when the regular shepherd is taking in ocean or mountain breezes the part of the flock which by necessity is compelled to stay by the stuff can readily find excuses for absence from church when a strange preacher fills the pulpit. What with camp meetings, watering places and hot weather the stay at home preacher meets with slim congregations, as a rule, during dog days.

There are not a few churches in this city of which a large proportion of the membership are absent from the city during the months of July and August. Some churches take advantage of the summer lull to clean and renovate. It has come to be understood that the pastor is to have his rest at this season of the year, and most of the churches stipulate this when the bond is made. In the line of absenteeism from church services the following is suggestive: "The attack comes on suddenly every Sunday; no symptoms are felt on Saturday night; the patient sleeps well and awakes feeling well; eats a hearty breakfast, but about church time the attack comes on and continues until the services are over for the morning."

Then the patient feels easy and eats a hearty dinner. In the afternoon he feels much better and is able to take a walk, talk politics and read the Sunday papers; he eats a hearty supper, but about church time he has another attack and stays at home. He retires early, sleeps well and wakes Monday morning refreshed and able to go to work, and does not have any symptoms of the disease till the following Sunday.

The peculiar features of the disease are as follows: 1. It always attacks members of the church. 2. It never makes its appearance except on the Sabbath. 3. The symptoms vary, but it never interferes with the sleep or appetite. 4. It never lasts more than twenty-four hours. 5. It generally attacks the head of the family. 6. No physician is ever called. 7. It always proves fatal in the end—to the soul. 8. No remedy is known for it except prayer. 9. Religion is the only antidote. 10. It is becoming fearfully prevalent, and is sweeping thousands every year prematurely to destruction."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Proper Way to Study Europe.

Among the renovating forces of my later years I must name three seasons of European travel and sojourn, each of them when I was in special need of rest and relaxation. I returned each time with the feeling that I had thrown off a full half score of the years reckoned as mine. I was between fifty and sixty years of age when I first went abroad, and I have been glad that I first saw Europe so late in life. What a man gets by foreign travel depends on what he carries with him. He finds answers only to the questions which he is prepared to ask, and the longer he lives the more numerous are the interrogations which he has in his mind to put to and concerning the places and objects that he visits. Then, too, the power of enjoyment as to whatever is grand or beautiful grows, or ought to grow, with one's years, and a lake or mountain, a palace or cathedral, a picture or a statue, is more, means more and tells more to a man of 50 than to a man of 25.—Professor A. P. Peabody in Forum.

Lemon Squeezer.

One of the best lemon squeezers ever invented has just been patented. It is designed especially for hotel keepers, and others whose business includes that of making lemon squashes and similar drinks. It is worked by the foot, and can be operated quickly and easily. It consists of a sliding bracket containing a cup for the lemon and a superlying stud for pressing the same, a glass fitting underneath. Pressure is made by the foot on a treadle, to which is attached an iron rod, the other end of which is connected to the sliding squeezer. Care has been taken in the design to avoid all sharp edges, and the cups are made of the hardest ironstone china, and extra thick to avoid all risk of breakage. The cost is stated to be less than that of the screw presses now in use, and the speed with which the squeezer can be manipulated and its simplicity are excellent recommendations.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

A Farm Without a Whip.

There is a beautiful farm just back of Ocean Springs, Miss., owned by Mr. Parker Earle, who, very wisely, allows no man on the place to use a whip on any of the stock. It is said that there is but one old whip on the farm, probably a relic of some other owner, but the old whip is not used, and the farm does well and the animals work with a will and never feel the lash. Kindness can run anything, even a farm.—New Orleans Picayune.

Modern Heroes.

"There are just as many heroes and heroines now as in any age before," says a Cleveland paper, "but the opportunities for exhibiting acts of heroism are somewhat scarcer." That's entirely correct, unless a young lady wants to pick up the broom and give her old mother a rest, or a young man dares face a crowd with his pants bagging at the knees.—Detroit Free Press.

Forced To Leave Home.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggists for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicines. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggists to-day for a *free* sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large size packages 50 cents.

The Dominion experimental farms are said not to be very helpful to agriculturists. On the contrary, they have a discouraging effect. When a farmer of moderate means visits one of these farms he sees a large number of dwelling houses, barns, stables, etc., erected at enormous cost. He sees valuable horses, a large staff of men, and "fancy farming" on a large scale. He concludes that if such costly luxuries are necessary in order to make farming pay, he cannot afford them, and he gives up agriculture to try something else.

Not Half Warm Enough for Him.

"Warm!" he said, putting on a heavy pair of gloves and buttoning his light overcoat, "you don't call this warm weather, do you?"

"Do I call it warm?" said the other, mopping his brow and trying to fan himself at the same time, while his face grew redder and redder. "I call it gridiron heat."

"Pooh, pooh, my dear fellow; the mercury isn't above ninety-two."

"Ninety-two!"

"And it hasn't been above a hundred more than once this year."

"Shades of all the Icelanders!" cried the red, fat man, "what would you like to have it—135 in the shade? Would you like to boil eggs in the public fountains? Do you want foundries to run their furnaces without fire? One hundred! Do you want to sizzle and vanish in steam? One hundred!" he screamed in shrill, agonized tones, and he danced around madly in his wrath until his face was of flaming scarlet. "One hundred! Why, man, haven't you got any blood in your veins?"

"Oh, yes," said the other, shivering as a warm breeze touched him, "but I have 40,000 tons of ice cornered."

And then the little stout man fell in a swoon, and an ambulance carried him to the hospital, where he was recorded as suffering from prostration by heat, while the ice king went home to order the servants to put more coal on the fire.—New York Tribune.

Telegraphing in Africa.

That the conduct of a cable station is not always monotonous is shown by a letter recently received from an officer of the West African Telegraph company. This gentleman is in charge of the Kotonou station, in the territory of the notorious King of Dahomey. The king, it seems, had for some time been spoiling for a fight, and had at last become so ugly and aggressive that it was deemed advisable to arm the station, and have some soldiers handy. "Early one morning the station was surrounded by the natives," the superintendent writes, "and we were under the painful necessity of sending a few of them across the Styx. The station was for a time in imminent danger; Orsini and I fired more than 250 rounds each, and the thirty-five Senegalese sharpshooters who helped in the defense fired some 120 rounds apiece. An artillery sergeant who worked our two guns was killed, and the white gunners were so hard pressed that they had to club their rifles. This racket began at 4 in the morning.

"At 9 a. m. we left the soldiers still firing and went to the instruments, and you may imagine what a dance the mirror led us. By 10 o'clock, however, all was quiet in our neighborhood and the messages had all been sent through. I must not forget to tell you that we had to do with the famous Amazons. They were very fine creatures, fought like wild beasts, and were worth ten men."—New York Sun.

A Self Inflating Life Saving Belt.

In nautical circles a newly patented life saving belt is attracting much attention. This new apparatus clasps around the body at the waist line, and in its empty condition is easily carried. To this girdle is attached a little iron flask, which contains carbonic acid or carburetted hydrogen gas, the former mixed with from 10 to 20 per cent. of pure alcohol in order to prevent the chilling of the gases when filling the flask. The hollow space in the belt has a capacity of a little less than 100 English quarts. Two hundred grains of fluid carbonic acid gas and twenty grains of alcohol are required to fill it. When the belt is to be used a conveniently placed valve is opened and fills at once with light gases. According to scientific principles 100 liters of gas will displace the same amount of water; that is to say, will support in the water a weight corresponding to 100 quarts, or, in other words, about 200 pounds. Any human being equipped with the girdle has every prospect of success in a combat with the waves.—New York Journal.

Of Course She Regretted It.

On one of our suburban streets resides a lady who has a passionate fondness for plants and flowers, and many of these can be seen in the windows, which almost overhang the sidewalk. Sunday evening I happened to be strolling along the street in question, and noticed that the gentleman preceding me wore an almost supernaturally brilliant tile. As he passed Mrs. F——'s house one of the windows happened to be up and a present plant was dislodged. The flower pot was attracted by the shiny tile, and lit on it with a resounding thump, that sounds so funny when it's some other fellow's hat and so sad when it's your own. The gentleman under the crushed stovepipe ejaculated some words certainly not from the book under his arm, and passed on. Soon Mrs. F—— rushed out and said: "It's too bad—the only double geranium I had."—Bangor News.

Poison In Eels.

Eels contain as much poison as vipers, according to one studious Italian scientist. After careful investigation he finds that an eel weighing four pounds possesses enough venom to kill ten men. When the fish is cooked, however, the poison loses its power.—Chatter.

Not Her Size.

Customer from Seedville—Do you keep the best make of shoes here?

City Dealer—Yaas; our shoes are all A No. 1.

Customer from Seedville—Then you can't suit me. I take B No. 5.—Argosy.

What It Does.

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1. Purifies the blood.
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"Have you boarded long at this house?" inquired the new boarder of the sour dejected man sitting next to him. "About ten years." "I don't see how you can stand it. Why haven't you left long ago?" "No other place to go," said the other, dismally, "the landlady's my wife."

Mr Isaac H. Edgett of Beverly, First Assistant to Secretary Pierce, is named by his friends as a suitable successor. He has an honorable record of service in the war.

Misleading Street Car Signs.

A victim of the ingenious system of misdirection by signs upon the street cars has related to me his adventures in making an economical transit across the city. His itinerary consisted of a trip to the New York and New England railroad station, where he was to pick up a gripsack and umbrella left at the parcel room in the morning, and thence to take a train out of town on the Eastern railroad. This was to be done at the small cost of ten cents, by availing himself of the admirable facilities in the way of street car transportation. He tells me that he first boarded a car on which the name of the New England railroad station was prominently displayed, and sat in peaceful confidence until he found himself in the neighborhood of the Maverick bank, when a question put to the conductor drew out the information that the route named on the sign board of the car would not be followed until "some time in the fall."

He took a herdic and thus made his first station. Securing his gripsack he thought himself fortunate in finding a car just passing whose signs told that it was on its way to the "Eastern depot." When some point in the South Cove was reached he learned from the conductor, on inquiry, that if he should get out and walk to the next block he would find a car going in the opposite direction which would take him to his destination. He then hired another herdic and managed to catch his train. —Boston Post.

Paid Off in His Own Coin.

A remarkable case of "diamond cut diamond" occurred in Boston recently, not far from the Providence railroad station. A druggist had fitted up a neat corner store and had established at once a fine trade. One day another druggist entered his store and said: "I want to buy you out. How much will you take?" "I do not want to sell," was the reply. "I expected that answer," said the encroaching person, "and I am prepared for it. Now, if you don't sell out to me I will open a drug store in opposition on the opposite corner. How much will you take?"

The druggist, offended at this species of browbeating, said he would sleep on it and report the next morning. At the appointed hour the aspirant was in the store and a large price was named. The bargain was bound. The druggist who had been thus ousted from a corner which he had fitted up with a view to years of peace and profit sought the owners of the opposite corner which had been held out to him as a threat, secured from them a long lease, worked night and day, and now has a drug store in which any community might take satisfaction and repose confidence. What is more, he is doing a better business than he did in the former locality. —Boston Saturday Gazette.

A la Mother Goose.

The Nawab Vicar ul Omrah recently tendered a breakfast at his magnificent new palace near Hyderabad to the English viceroy of India and his staff.

Whether he borrowed an idea from Mother Goose or his imagination was inspired by the same muse that inspired her we cannot know, but certainly appreciation is due him for making "a true story" of that fascinating rhyme about the "four and twenty blackbirds baked in a pie." It all happened at his breakfast.

"Large, but not suspiciously large, cakes were handed around," writes one of the guests. "As they were opened a little amaduvad, or wax bill, flew chirping out of each and alighted on the flowers and shrubs with which the table was covered or flew about the room.

"There were sixty guests, so that when the pies were opened no less than sixty birds began to sing."

Changes in the "Big Dipper."

One of the most notable examples of the constant and yet almost imperceptible changes taking place in the heavens is to be found in the motion of the seven bright stars collectively known as the big dipper. Huggins, the noted astronomer, is now engaged in proving that five of these stars are moving in the same direction, while the other two are moving in a direction directly opposite. Prof. Flammarion has reduced Huggins' calculations to a system, arranging them upon charts. These ingeniously constructed heavenly outlines show that 100,000 years ago the "Dipper" stars were arranged in the outline of a large and irregular shaped cross; and that 100,000 years hence they will have assumed the form of an elongated diamond, stretching over three or four times the extent of sky now occupied.—St. Louis Republic.

An Ancient Bank Note.

Mr. Barber, an antiquarian of West Chester, Pa., has recently come into the possession of a Chinese bank note of the Fourteenth century. It is a note of the Ming dynasty, made of fibrous paper of a grayish color, covered with Chinese characters. The owner says there are but two other specimens of these early bank notes in existence, one being in the Imperial museum at St. Petersburg, Russia.—St. Louis Republic.

A Split Ear.

The curious case is mentioned by a German doctor of a man who experienced unpleasant crackling noises in the left ear during a period of a year and a half. These occurred every few seconds, and could be heard by any person at a distance of a foot. There was no deafness or inflammation, but the drum was found to have a split in it through which air was forced by the act of swallowing.—Arkansaw Traveler.

The Democratic papers are now very busy deciding that the Original Package law is not constitutional. Happily, the duty of deciding upon the constitutionality of laws is devolved, not upon Democratic press, but on the Supreme Court of the United States, and that tribunal gave its opinion in advance upon the effectiveness of the remedy applied in the bill in question.

The Niagara River is to be tunneled at the falls for the development of a power. The tunnel will be more than a mile and a half long and will pass directly under the village of Niagara Falls.

Dr. Holmes says that a man who has passed his eighth decade feels as if he were already in the ante-chamber of the apartments which he may be called to occupy in the house of many mansions.

Woman's Column.

Wyoming—"A Crowing Success."

When stout-hearted Oliver Cromwell won a victory in a fight with the kings troops, he called it, in his quaint way, "a crowning mercy." England then saw but faintly the blessed and far reaching results of those victories.

So we today see but faintly the still more blessed and greater results which will follow the greatest "crowning mercy" of our century—a victory won, not by push of pike or stroke of sword, as Cromwell's Ironsides won his battles, but

"With the mild arms of truth and love
Made mighty by the living God."

Womanhood has won in Wyoming. It is the beginning of the end of a long struggle. That end will be that in every State in our Union, in every government of the world, woman will stand beside man as helpmeet and law-maker and co-worker, and

"The world will be better for it."

No millennium will come, but a great upward step has been taken, opening the way for other steps to surely follow.

We want arbitration to take the place of that great "duel of nations" which men call war. We want the saloon—the curse of our civilization—to be swept away. Woman must help to these and like good ends.

It is said that for years past in Wyoming bad men, of whatever party, have stood but poor chance of election to office. Woman helped in this hindrance; let her give like help elsewhere.

The tide sets toward justice as the only true expediency. We need not be perplexed about superiority or inferiority. Manhood and womanhood are unlike in such a way that each needs the other. "It is not good for man to be alone" is as true in our State as it was in Eden. Equal rights, equal opportunity, mutual helpfulness, and one common welfare is the highest wisdom and noblest courtesy, and the world is moving that way.

Intelligent Englishwomen, who have voted for years in municipal affairs, will be glad that their sisters in the far West have still wider rights. Amelia B. Edwards, the gifted English lady whose lectures on Egypt were heard by such great audiences in this city, said to a lady here: "I wonder that all American women are not equal suffragists." In every European country, noble women and true men will rejoice. In distant Hindostan, Pundita Ramabai and her oppressed sisters will feel the thrill of a new hope. Changing the poet's words, we may say:

"When this deed is done for freedom,
Through the broad earth's thropping breast
Runs a thrill of joy prophetic,
Pulsing Eastward from the West."

Our good land has had leading part in favor of national arbitration. The admission of Wyoming as a State—the first true Republic in the world, with equal rights for men and women in its organic law—set us in the forefront of the Nations for other wise and beneficent movement. Let those become American ideas, a part of the "righteousness which exalteth a nation."—*Giles B. Stebbins, in Detroit Tribune.*

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

A Noted Doctor Who Was Shy.

Abernethy, an eminent London surgeon of the last century, was noted for his independence and for his indifference to people of rank and wealth. A certain nobleman once presented himself at the surgeon's office and without waiting for his turn demanded to see Abernethy. He was refused, and when it came his turn he entered the consulting room in great anger.

"Do you know who I am?" he asked.

"No, sir!" was the cool reply, "but I am John Abernethy, surgeon, and if you wish to consult me, I am now ready to hear what you have to say in your turn."

Yet this man, so indifferent to lords and ladies, when he had to lecture before several hundred medical students was often painfully embarrassed. As he was about to begin he would be obliged to retire in order to collect his thoughts. The consciousness of his great reputation, and the anxiety to stand well with the students, made him shy.—*Youth's Companion.*

Judge Simpson

Of the Superior Court writes: From mental exhaustion, my nervous system became shattered, and I was utterly unable to sleep nights. Sulphur Bitters cured me, and my sleep is now sound, sweet and refreshing.

Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for September 6th and 13th contain The American Silver Bubble, by Robert Giffen, and On the Rim of the Desert, Hogarth's Tour, and The Stronghold of the Sphakiotes, Political and Social Life in Holland, Heligoland—the Island of Green, Red and White, and Guentch, Fish as Fathers, and In the Matter of Dodson & Fogg, Gentlemen, The Novels of Wilkie Collins, Amelia Opie, Some Old Churches, Scott's Heroines, Ab-del-Kader's Favorite Resort, The Englishman Abroad, with instalments of Eight Days, Old Lord Kilcounell, and A Perilous Amour, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

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Over Wild Bill's Grave.

There has been another red letter day in the history of Deadwood. That was the day on which Wild Bill was killed by McCaull. Though a popular man, Bill was a dead shot, and McCaull could not have killed him if he had not approached him treacherously. McCaull was immediately locked up, but the excitement became so great that a mob assembled for the purpose of trying, convicting and lynching him. While the proceedings were in progress the clatter of hoofs was heard and a man on horseback appeared riding at full speed with his reins in his teeth and with a rifle in one hand and an Indian's dripping head in the other. He had shot and killed the Indian just outside of Deadwood, and the event was considered of so much importance that the crowd forgot its lynching and proceeded to gratify its thirst for vengeance by contemplating the glory trophy which rolled at its feet. McCaull was afterward taken to Yankton, where he was hanged by the neck in a lawful manner.

Wild Bill was buried in the old cemetery with a rude white board at his head, but five years later some of his friends exhumed the body and gave it proper burial in the new cemetery on Mount Moriah. It was reported at that time that Wild Bill's body had turned to stone, and a man came here not long afterward and offered the undertaker $15,000 if he would help him steal it for purposes of exhibition. Since then there have been many inquiries about the case, but no one believes that the body was petrified. Bill's new grave on the mountain top shows that it is the resort of many curiosity seekers. A path is worn across lots to it from the main wagon road, and the white headboard has been whittled away by relic hunters until it resembles a big toothpick.

One man appears to have worked a knot out of the board, and the ground all about the well beaten grave is covered with cartridge shells. There are frontiersmen, it appears, who show their regard for Bill's memory by standing upon his grave and emptying their revolvers into the air, throwing away their cartridge shells as they reload. The other day the city marshal found it necessary to run in one of these fellows, who had done little else for a week except shoot his revolvers over Wild Bill's grave. The man appeared to have a genuine regard for the dead man's memory, and as he submitted to arrest he expressed his sense of the outrage in most forcible terms.—*Cor. Chicago Herald.*

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An Untimely Discourse.

A man 60 years old was married recently in a small German town to a woman ten years his senior. The "youthful bride insisted upon having a great wedding, with the addition of a "special" marriage sermon from the lips of her beloved pastor. The groom after useless protestations, assented to the wishes of his future better half. His feelings, however, can be imagined more easily than described when the pastor began his sermon with the text, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."—*New York Tribune.*

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.50, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.15, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.00, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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"KATIE'S WORK."

HOW A GIRL SAVED A MILL.

"Hurrah!"

The door flew open with a bang as Phil Payson burst into the little room where his mother and his sister Katie sat sewing, his face flushed, his eyes shining, and his cap swinging high over his head.

"Why, Phil!"

"Give three cheers, mother. Dance like a dervish, Kate! I'm going to be night watchman in Mr. Medway's mill, at fifteen dollars a month. Oh, mother, ain't you glad?"

"Very glad, indeed," answered Mrs. Payson, and for a moment she looked pleased enough to satisfy Phil's highest expectations. Then her face clouded.

"But your school, Phil, dear; I can't have you leave that."

"I don't mean to, mother," said Phil, earnestly. "It's all fixed just right. I'll study nights—it will help keep me awake, you know—and Miss Cary is going to hear me recite every afternoon at five o'clock. She offered to, mother. Oh, mother, do say you're glad, really!"

Mrs. Payson pulled her tall boy down and kissed him tenderly on both glowing cheeks. As for Katie, she was literally on tiptoe with delight. She was a little brown gypsy, with dark eyes full of fire and fun.

"Good for Miss Cary," she cried, twirling lightly around on her toes. "Isn't she just splendid?"

"She is very kind," said Mrs. Payson, smiling; "and I am glad, Phil, more glad than I can tell you. How came Mr. Medway to give you the place? It is a very responsible position, you know."

"Yes," said Phil, and he blushed and hung his head. "Squire Deems recommended me, mother. Mr. Medway said he told him I was a very trustworthy boy. I'm sorry I said such hard things about him."

"I'm sure he deserved it," Katie flashed forth, "for advising mamma to 'put us out'—that is just what he said—when—papa—went away, and offering to find good homes for us. The idea! What would a home be without mamma? and what would she do without us, I'd like to know?"

"What, indeed!" echoed her mother. "I can't tell, Katie. But Squire Deems thought he was acting for the best. He has been very kind all through our trouble, and I am sure it was his influence that procured Phil this situation."

"But it's mean for Phil to do it all," argued Kate. "I wish I could do something."

Phil wrinkled his nose at his sister and laughed.

"I'm the man o' this house," said he. "You and mother are ladies, Katydid. I don't mean you shall do much more sewing for people."

"My fifteen-year-old man," said his mother, laughing, too; but there were tears gathering in her eyes.

And Katie dimpled and then relaxed into swift gravity.

"I know what I can do, Phil," she said, going close to her brother. "I can hold up your hands the way that somebody in the Bible did. I can see the mill from my window, and every night—every night, Phil, before I go to sleep, I shall ask God to take care of my brother; and every time I'm awake I shall look down at you, so you needn't feel lonesome."

"Something of the guardian angel style?" laughed Phil, trying to joke away the moisture he felt creeping into his eyes. "You're a trump, Katie; but of course that's all nonsense—the looking out, you know."

Katie wasn't sure of that, however, and she meant to do just as she said if it were. She would feel as if she were somehow helping Phil, and that would be a comfort.

Their little dwelling, though on the same side of the river as the mill, was above it and around a wide bend; and so the long, low structure under the river bank was in plain view from the window of Katie's little chamber. She kept her word faithfully; and once or twice every night she would creep out of her warm nest to the window and look down across the bend to the mill. Often, not always, she could see Phil's light shining out of the engine-room, and sometimes she watched it go from window to window as Phil went his hourly rounds over the mill.

As for Phil I am sure that, though he would hardly have acknowledged it, the lonely place where his nights were passed seemed far less lonely to him when he remembered that Katie might at any minute be looking from her window and thinking of him.

So a month passed by, and Phil performed his duties to Mr. Medway's entire satisfaction. There were some, indeed, who considered him much too young for his post and did not hesitate to say so. But Mr. Medway always answered with a smile:

"Well, Squire Deems recommended him and guaranteed I wouldn't be sorry I hired him. I've tested him all times o' night; he's always wide awake and about his business. He does the work of a man and I get him ten dollars on a month's hire less."

Which was very true, and Mr. Medway ought to have blushed for it, though, to be sure, Phil was more than satisfied with what he received.

He kept well up with his classes, too, he was so ambitious. Miss Cary declared she was proud of him to Katie, and Katie's heart swelled with joy to hear it.

One day early in March something happened. Mrs. Payson was taken suddenly and violently ill. Katie, terrified beyond measure, could do nothing but rouse Phil from his sleep; and when the boy, startled by his sister's white, scared face, had brought the doctor, he felt as though he could never sleep again.

There was no great cause for alarm, however.

"It's a bad attack of cramp," Dr. Daley said, with a reassuring smile in Katie's direction. "You're doing just right. Apply hot cloths and keep them hot. The spasms will ease away in a little time."

It was not until nearly nightfall, nevertheless, that Mrs. Payson became perfectly free from pain and quite herself again. Then Phil, light-hearted enough, and whistling a merry air, took up his lunch-basket and his books and trudged off to his work. Katie, troubled, followed him to the door.

"I'd get some one else tonight, Phil," she said. "You have always been used to sleeping all day. What if—"

But Phil laughed, and opened his dark eyes to their utmost. "I'm as wide awake as an owl," said he. "I couldn't go to sleep if I wanted to. See!"

Katie laughed, too, at the comical, strained expression on Phil's face. But she couldn't help feeling a little anxious as she went slowly back into the house. Suppose Phil should go to sleep, and Mr. Medway have a notion to visit him, as he often did, Katie knew, what a sad thing it would be for them all, and how dreadfully Phil would feel!

"It would just break his heart, I know," said she to herself. "But of course he won't."

Katie's prayer for her brother's welfare was much longer that night than usual; and, once in bed, she tossed and tumbled, only to fall at last into an uneasy slumber. More than once before the little clock on the sitting-room mantel struck ten she sprang to the window, gazed down across the wide white river bend, only to see Phil's lamp beaming cheerily in the engine-room. How Phil would laugh at her if he knew, she thought, feeling really out of patience with herself.

"I won't look out again," she said. "It's nonsense, just as Phil said. I will not look out again tonight."

But she did—once more. The lamp in the engine-room still burned steadily. It would have been a relief to see the light flashing from window as she had seen it often, Katie thought. She could feel sure then that all was right. Now—

Was that the lamp? It flickered strangely. One instant it died into the ghost of a light, and the next it flared brilliantly. Katie rubbed her eyes in wondering terror. It was no illusion; the light shining from the engine-room window was not clear, steady lamplight. It was red—like fire!

Katie was already hurrying on her clothes. There was a dreadful lump in her throat, and her breath came in short, quick gasps. She did not pause for her boots with their endless rows of buttons; she pulled on her stockings and rushed swiftly out of her room and down stairs, catching a shawl from the hall stand as she ran. Behind the kitchen stove hung a pair of Phil's thick woolen stockings and these she pulled on over her own. There was no question in her mind as to the course she would take. It was more than half a mile by the road to the mill; across the river bend it was less than half that distance.

The late rains had swelled the river and overflowed its banks, but the bridge was still there, even though many of the country people had begun to think it unsafe. Katie did not doubt for a moment but that it would hold her light weight, and over it she flew. She thought that it creaked and swayed under her, and she fancied herself breaking through once or twice, but on she sped, her large dark eyes strained and fixed on that flaring red light. It seemed hours to her before she reached the mill. She had been there before to take Phil his lunch once when he had forgotten it, and she knew the way perfectly well. In at the dark, yawning door she darted, and up two or three narrow steps. There was smoke in the air—surely.

She opened the door of the engine-room, and closed it hastily behind her with a quick, shrill cry of dismay.

"Phil!" Oh, Phil!"

For the room was full of smoke. Through it the lamp-light showed pale and dim. Little tongues of flame were running over the floor before the furnace, lapping up a shaving here and there, and crawling snake-like, up the wall very near the window. And Phil sat by the rough table, his face buried in his arms, asleep—so sound asleep, and so stupefied by the smoke that Katie's first cry failed to arouse him.

She screamed with all her might and shook him then.

"Phil! dear Phil!" she cried. "Oh, —fire!"

It all happened in a very little time. That one last word shrieked in Phil's ear awoke him effectually. He understood the situation, and sprang to his feet. Don't whistle!" cried Katie, catching his arm. "Don't rouse the town, Phil. We can put it out."

They fell to work then with a will. After all it was not much of a battle. There were pails and an abundance of water at hand, and the fire was not really under headway. The flames, though widespread, had not begun to burn through the solid floor, which was soon thoroughly flooded. In a few minutes it was all over, and Phil had opened the window. He turned to Katie then, who stood pale and trembling, as she had not trembled before.

"Oh, Katie!" he cried, chokingly, "how did you—"

And Katie told—or tried to tell him; but long before she had finished she was crying hysterically around his neck.

"Oh, Katie darling, don't. Don't Katie."

The door opened at that moment. Phil knew who stood there before he heard Mr. Medway's voice.

"Heyday! What's all this fuss about?"

"There has been a fire, sir," answered Phil readily, though with a shake in his voice. "But it is out now."

Mr. Medway stepped into the room without another word, and taking up the lamp proceeded to examine the wall, the floor and the furnace itself carefully.

"Gibbs must look after this a little in the morning," he said; and he placed the lamp on the bench again, while Katie and Phil stood by with sinking hearts. Suddenly he looked at Phil's sister. "Why, what are you here for?" he asked, not unkindly.

Ah, how easy it would have been not to tell him—to say that Phil was lonesome and wanted her for company; to say anything but the dreadful truth. But Katie's honest little nature abhorred a falsehood.

"I—I—he was—I—" she stammered, with painful pauses. "I—"

But right here Phil came bravely to the rescue.

"I was asleep, Mr. Medway," he said, "and if it hadn't been for Katie your mill—"

"Asleep!" repeated Mr. Medway, his face stern and cold.

It was an awful moment, and Katie ended it by springing forward and grasping Mr. Medway's hand.

"Oh, if you please," she cried, "may I tell you how he happened to do it? Mamma was ill, and he could not sleep at all yesterday. It was not his fault, sir—indeed it was not. Poor Phil! Oh, sir—"

Mr. Medway was not all a hard-hearted man, though perhaps a little too intent on his own particular interests. His voice was husky when he spoke to Katie.

"How did you happen to see the fire?"

"Why—I—I—"

"She looks out of her window a dozen times a night to see that I'm all right," said Phil, with brusque earnestness; "and she prays for me before she goes to sleep. That's how, Mr. Medway. Oh, Katie, little sister!"

"Well! well!" said Mr. Medway, who seemed to be having a great deal of trouble with his throat and eyes. "Well! well!" And he was silent for what seemed to Katie and Phil a long, long time.

"I suppose I needn't—needn't come here again," Phil mustered courage to say, presently.

"Not come again?" echoed Mr. Medway. "Why not, boy? Of course you'll come again, every night." He put his hand on Katie's head. "And I'm going to pay you a man's wages after this, remember. A boy with a sister like yours ought to be encouraged. I'm pretty sure you won't let this happen again."

And he slammed the door behind him.

"Oh, Phil!"

"Oh, Katie!"

They went home in the morning early, and Mrs. Payson heard the story of the night's adventure.

"Twenty-five dollars a month, mother!" cried Phil. "Think of that! And it's all Katie's work, every bit."

But Mrs. Payson, thinking, too, of Katie's work, shuddered and drew them close, and kissed them both.—*Harper's Young People.*

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Photographing a Bird in Its Nest.

Mr. John Watson, at a meeting of the Kendal Natural History society, described the manner in which he had been able to procure a photograph of a woodcock sitting on its nest. He was walking in the neighborhood of Arnside, a village on the shore of Morecambe bay, and observed one of the birds on its nest, which was placed in an open situation. He watched it for some minutes, and wished that he had some means of transferring the picture to paper. He shortly afterward fell in with a friend who fortunately had with him his camera. In the course of an hour and a half, during which the bird sat as if unconscious of their presence, they secured four negatives. A picture of the nest and eggs, after the bird had been driven off, was also obtained—*New York Tribune.*

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FRIDAY, SEPT. 26, 1890.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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For Lieut. Governor, ... William H. Haile
For Secretary of State, ... William M. Olin
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For Attorney-General, ... A. E. Pillsbury
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FOR REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT.

Mr. Samuel A. Grammer of this city is a candidate for the Massachusetts House of Representatives from the 14th Middlesex District and the chances are strongly in favor of his nomination and election. If the forthcoming District convention adheres to the compact made by Republican agents of the towns when they were legislated into a Representative District, which was that each town should be entitled to a candidate each year, as will probably be the case, then Mr. Grammer's nomination is assured, and his election will fellow almost as a matter of course.

The JOURNAL need not undertake to tell the people of either Woburn or Reading who Mr. Samuel A. Grammer is, nor what sort of material he is made of. He was born and bred in Woburn and has spent his life within her borders. He is known in all the region round about here as an intelligent, honest, upright man and useful citizen, and no person enjoys the esteem and confidence of his fellow-men in larger measure than he does. Nor has he ever been an office-seeker.

Mr. Grammer is popular with all classes. He will command the entire Republican strength of the District and draw heavily from the Democratic ranks. There is probably no Republican in Woburn who would receive more, and very few as much, support at the polls as he. Everyone knows just where to find him; he has never made a secret of his political principles; he is outspoken on the temperance and other moral questions; and still no man has fewer enemies than Grammer.

A majority of the delegates to the convention are already pledged to support Mr. Grammer, and if Reading Republicans put up a candidate equally acceptable the District will be represented the next Legislature by two Republicans instead of two Democrats.

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE.

Representative Charlie A. Jones, Esq., of this city has been importuned by leading and influential Republicans and Democrats to accept another term in the Legislature but he positively declines to do so.

Mr. Jones filled the place admirably at the last session. He is a good business man and carried practical ideas into his official conduct. Thus his course was eminently satisfactory to men of both parties who like to see business methods prevail in the law-making brauch of our State government. That is the reason why they have been to Mr. Jones and repeatedly urged him take a re-election.

But he declines peremptorily to allow his name to be used in the nominating convention. This is to be regretted for he is the right man for the place.

The demands of his private business is the reason given by Mr. Jones for refusing to yield to the solicitations of leading citizens and be a candidate again this year.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Republican Congressional Convention for the 5th District was held at Wesleyan Hall in Boston last Tuesday and resulted, on the 15th ballot, in the nomination of James A. Fox, Esq., of Combridge. If the opposition had massed their forces against him he could not have prevailed and some other gentleman would have carried off the prize.

Mayor Johnson was handsomely supported by his friends and, for a beginner, made a strong showing in the convention. He was perfectly satisfied with the support he received.

Now, gentlemen, shall the Cambridge ex-Mayor be triumphantly elected in November?

☞ The Republican District Committee for the 14th Middlesex Representative District are: William E. Blodgett, George C. Conn and Charles F. Spear, all of Woburn; and F. W. B. Pratt and Gilman F. Parker, both of Reading. The convention has not yet been called.

As Woburn did so much better by candidate Bancroft last year than Reading did (Bancroft is a citizen of Reading) it would be no more than fair for Reading to let Woburn have both candidates this year.

☞ Since the Peabody *Press* had the good sense to abandon a semi-weekly issue and return to a weekly it has become altogether a better newspaper. It looks well and reads well and is worth a dozen of weak country attempts at metropolitan journalism.

LOCAL NEWS.

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— Yesterday was a delightful day.

— Read what Mr. C. Willard Smith says about carpets.

— Read what J. O. says about a house he wants to rent.

— Prior is going to have as fine a store as the best of people anywhere have.

— Mr. Cyrus Lamb is revamping the stores in Church Block in good shape.

— Bonelli has a new card in this paper, to which particular attention is called.

— Fred Leeds is closing out a big stock of pocketbooks at greatly reduced prices.

— Officer McDermott has returned to his post of duty after a pleasant vacation.

— There was quite a heavy frost last Wednesday night—the first of the season.

— Read the change in the business card of Mr. C. E. Smith. He sells goods very cheap.

— The lawn party at Major Pat Tenney's last Saturday evening was a brilliant society event.

— The Five Cents Savings Bank publishes a communication of importance in this paper this week.

— Mr. E. C. Colman is putting some autumn tints and lead-and-oil touches on his fine farmhouse at Woodside.

— Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Johnson of Salem street, have been visiting their son, Dr. Johnson, of Berlin, N. H.

— The Reading delegates to the Republican Representative convention are solid for Mr. Samuel A. Grammer.

— Fitz & Stanley's bookkeeper, Miss Clara Leslie, and her sister Ella have gone to Hartford, Conn., for a visit.

— Mrs. D. F. McIntosh went to Providence, R. I., a few days since on a visit and will remain there two or three weeks.

— Mr. J. H. Nason has gone into the life insurance business and is said to be making good progress in it. He is a smart talker.

— Supt. Criliey has got work on the new pipe to the reservoir pretty well begun. It will be pushed to completion before winter sets in.

— The Woburn Gas Light Company recently declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. Pretty good—8 per cent per annum is.

— Miss Josephine Hinckley, teacher in the Grammar school, has resigned to enter the matrimonial state.—*Winchester Star.* E-h? So-so?

— We hear that Mr. Griffin Place refuses the use of his name for candidate for Representative in toto. Which settles all talk in that question.

— Frazer who is charged with assaulting Terrance McGrath last Saturday evening was in Court Wednesday morning and bound over in $1000.

— The Colchester Rubber Co. have an interesting card in the JOURNAL this week. The goods of this company are staple and popular the world over.

— Col. W. T. Grammer was quite sick the fore part of this week and was threatened with malarial fever. But he stove it off and is about the streets again.

— Representative C. A. Jones of this city will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for a copy of the "Acts and Resolves of Massachusetts—1890."

— Mr. Waterman Brown's growth of flowers was better this year than ever before, but his vegetables didn't pan out worth a cent—more especially lima beans.

— Mrs. Thomas H. Hill sent us up a big and beautiful bouquet of early autumn flowers, ferns and foliage plants yesterday morning, for which we return thanks.

— Sunday was a delicious day and several others equally delicious followed it. The autumn weather so far, rain excepted, has been all that the heart could ask for.

— Mr. Phil K. Richardson has been appointed to fill a vacancy on the Board of Registrars of Voters caused by the resignation of George C. Conn, and he will make a good one.

— A gentleman up at No. Woburn wants the JOURNAL to ask if it is possible to pickle peppers so that they will retain their sharp, pungent qualities. Don't all answer at once.

— The Fitzgibbons family sang to not more than two dozen people at Lyceum Hall last Saturday. It was too bad, for the troup is a fine musical combination and deserved a full house.

— But precious little fruit of any kind has been raised around in these parts these part this season. The quantity is almost nix and the quality of what little there is is nothing to brag on.

— Miss Pollard's contribution to the columns of the JOURNAL this week makes good reading and will be found valuable as a guide to patrons of our Public Library who seek the best books.

— The official report of the Census Bureau shows the population of Woburn to be 13,491 instead of 13,440, which was Chief Wadlin's estimated figures. Might as well call it 13,500, and done with it.

— Last Tuesday we were favored with a pleasant call from Mr. Parker Wheeler of Bellingham formerly of Somerset County, Maine, who was making a business trip through these parts. As an old townsman we were glad to see him.

— Mr. Elmore A. Pierce of Woburn, associated press reporter for that city, has been nominated as Representative to the Legislature. He is a remarkably brilliant man and would most creditably represent the District. —*Winchester Star.*

— Mrs. E. C. Colman, the mistress of Woodside, is visiting her old home and many friends at East Wilton, Franklin County, Maine. She will be away several weeks, during which period the master of the place will drag out a miserable existence keeping "bachelor's hall."

— Mr. J. B. McDonald and his son Mr. Fred McDonald left here last Tuesday evening for Grovetown, N. H., where the Weston Lumber Company, of which the senior McDonald is President, are building a saw-mill of double the capacity of any now owned and run by them which is demanded by the increase of their lumber manufacturing business there. The Company have had built for the new mill a 300 H-P. engine and a 350 H. P. boiler and all the machinery will be of the very best.

— Mr. Sparrow Horton's new store at 412 Main street, College (Wade) Block is going to be a nice, neat and snug one. The location is better than the old one, easier of ingress, handy to everything, and right where it can't help but catch the transient people who want to buy. The change is a good one.

— The American Library Association were royally entertained in Boston last week by a few leading Boston publishing houses. They were given a banquet, a sail down the Harbor, and had other attentions paid to them. Mr. W. R. Cutter, Librarian of the Woburn Public Library, was one of the guests.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— It is reported that Representative Moreland will not under any circumstances be a candidate for re-election to the House this fall. We had supposed it would be otherwise, but there are good grounds for saying that if he is nominated he will certainly refuse to accept. The truth is, Mr. Moreland don't want the place and will have no more of it for the present at least.

— A wonderful bargain in a Bookcase is offered by Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston. The price is only $10, and the Bookcase has five wide shelves, carrying 175 to 200 volumes, with brass rod and brass polished rings for curtain front. Above the Bookcase is a charming cabinet with side openings, and a broad top with a gallery on three sides. It is really a $20 Bookcase for $10.

— The report of the failure of Mr. C. E. Smith, the painter, wallpaper merchant, etc., which was current last week, was totally without foundation. The story grew out of the failure of a painter by the name of Smith in some other town. Our Mr. Smith is doing a bigger and more prosperous business than ever before. He employs a large number of workmen and pays them promptly, as he does all other debts. Not much failure there.

— Who should drop in on the Editor's family last Tuesday but Solon Kendall, Esq., for many years an Illinois neighbor and friend. He has been in the East since early in August and is about to return to Kansas City near where he has been stopping some time. Up to a year ago Mr. Kendall had been a Trustee of the Illinois Reform School at Pontiac continuously for over 20 years and is a gentleman who has hosts of friends in the West. We were glad to see him.

— Mr. E. C. Cottle is putting new machinery and power into the Blake tannery recently bought by him and intends to do a large amount of manufacturing there. He will carry on a bigger business than ever and increase his pile accordingly. It is reported that Mr. John K. Murdock contemplates putting in a tannery plant to supplement his currying business, which two items taken together give the impression that there is "money in leather" about these days. It means too a better general trade in this city this fall than we have had for some time past.

— Relief Corps 83 have organized a Sewing Society for the benefit of the cause. It is a sort of revival of the old fashioned Sewing Circle (sometimes called Dorcas Society, sometimes the Good Samaritan, etc.) and is generally regarded one of the best things there is to promote social intercourse and the welfare of the needy or the collection of funds, in the community. The old Sewing Circle used to be the butt of senseless jokes before days of telegraphs and daily papers for their propensity to circulate news; but all that is passed away, and the Sewing Society of this later day is not by any means amenable to such charge.

— The alterations, changes, improvements and furnishings of Mr. C. M. Munroe's store are completed and a finer one can't be found in Middlesex county. New electric light and gas fixtures of the brightest brass have been put in; the show windows will be lighted each by a string of incandescent electrics on brass arms which not only afford a brilliant illumination but are ornamental and set the windows off in good shape. New tables for goods from Paine's celebrated furniture establishment in Boston have been put in; there is a plenty of counter and shelf room; the store is admirably lighted in back and front; and there is no reason why Mr. Munroe shouldn't be a reasonably happy man.

— "Chas. Erin Verner" the well-known Irish Comedian will appear at Lyceum Hall, Monday, Sept. 29. Read what the Boston *Herald* says: "There was a large audience in the Howard last evening, and it thoroughly enjoyed a good performance of that interesting play 'Shamus O'Brien,' given by Mr. Charles Erin Verner, supported by Miss Katherine Walsh and a carefully selected company. Mr. Verner is a favorite with Howard patrons and he was given a very enthusiastic reception. The play is one of the best of its class and improves upon acquaintance. The engagement is for one week only, and will prove profitable." Seats now on sale at Horton's Bookstore, 412 Main street.

— Mr. J. P. Clark of this city has the sale by subscription of Stanley's "In Darkest Africa" in Woburn and Winchester and is doing firstrate. He canvassed Winchester first and had his expectations in the matter of subscribers exceeded by 40 percent, and it is not at all unlikely that his sales here may be equally encouraging. The reason of this is that every intelligent person wants to read Stanley's great book on Africa and the narrative of his years of wanderings, deprivations, dangers and almost death in that darkest spot on earth in search of Dr. Livingstone and making scientific explorations. It is a wonderful story, and the book containing it can be procured only by susbcription of a regularly constituted agent which Mr. J. P. Clark is one. Whoever wants the work should see the gentleman and put his name down for a copy at once.

— The new officers of the W. H. S. Battalion are: Major, Irving R. Bancroft; Adjutant, Elliot F. Trull; Quartermaster, George Barker. The officers of Company A are: Captain, Edwin K. Porter; First Lieutenant, Frank S. Ellard; Second Lieutenant, Patrick D. Carney. The officers of Company B are: Captain, J. Chester Hanson; First Lieutenant, Frederic Hovey; Second Lieutenant, Walter L. Dodge. About 90 men compose the Battalion, a dozen or so of whom are members of the Grammer schools, the balance being High School pupils. Samuel W. Mendum, Assistant Principal of the High School, was elected Drillmaster at the election of teachers in July last and is doing good work it is said. He obtained his military training in the Boston Latin School chiefly and is well versed in the science of military tactics. The W. H. S. B. is the 6th in the Second Mass. School Regiment. It is composed of a sturdy set of lads this year.

— After two years of hard and persistant effort Postmaster Reade has succeeded in securing an early morning mail for this city from Boston. Heretofore the first mail received from the Boston Dis. office has been towards 8 o'clock in the morning, but hereafter, beginning on Oct. 1, the accommodation train which leaves Boston at 6 a. m. and arrives in this city at 6.30 a. m. will bring all mail matter lying in the metropolitan office at that hour destined for Woburn which will give our people their mail an hour earlier than heretofore, for the letter carriers will start that much sooner from the office and the office delivery will be ready for business at an hour correspondingly early. This is a valuable concession on the part of the Postoffice department, for securing which the credit belongs to Postmaster Reade. Another good thing which he has accomplished is an order for the mails from the north to be left here instead of being conveyed to Boston and from thence sent back to Woburn. Why such an idiotic practice was continued after the trains from the north were sent via the Woburn Loop is beyond the comprehension of the average citizen; but Mr. Reade has secured a reform and hereafter our mails from the north will be thrown off here instead of going to Boston, being assorted there, and sent back to this city. These changes are improvements and will be duly appreciated by the public.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Board of Common Council held their regular meeting on last Friday evening, with President Thompson and members McGowen and both Beggses absent.

Councilman Alex Grant of Ward 3 presided and City Clerk Moreland acted as Scribe.

After the transaction of a very little business the body adjourned to the evening of Sept. 25.

ALDERMEN.

There was a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen Tuesday evening, all the members except Place being present. A communication was received from the School Committee, which stated that that body had voted to request the City Council to build a schoolhouse in the vicinity of Central Square, as soon as possible, in order to accommodate the large number of pupils in that part of the city; and also stated that a subcommittee, consisting of Messrs. Trull, Kenney and Carter, were chosen to confer with the Council, and asked for a hearing. Referred to Aldermen Goddard and Kenney. George C. Conn resigned as a registrar of voters, and the resignation was accepted. His Honor nominated and the Board confirmed Philip K. Richardson as Mr. Conn's successor. Leave to withdraw was voted on the matter of the petitions of W. H. Bartlett and others, and Levi Furbush and others. The Ward officers nominated by the Mayor were unanimously confirmed. Alderman Goddard offered the following order: That Chapter 16 of Ordinance 1 be amended by the addition thereto of an additional section to read as follows: "For the prevention of fire, every building hereafter erected on any lot of land fronting on that portion of Main street, in the city of Woburn, which lies between Salem street and the track of the Boston & Lowell Railroad Corporation, south of High street, shall be of brick or stone, iron or other substantial and incombustible material. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $100." Referred to the committee on ordinances.

S. S. Concert.

Last Sunday evening Superintendent John R. Carter prepared a feast of fat things for the Sunday School of the First Congregational church in this city in which he was aided by Assistant Secretary George C. Conn. The exercises were held in the large lecture-room of the church which was filled to its utmost capacity with the good people of the place.

The literary and musical repast was called "An Evening with the Soldiers of the Bible," and seldom if ever has a course of exercises of this kind been more highly enjoyed at the Congregational church. The parts were filled and carried through in the best of shape by the Superintendent and pupils, and the address by Lieut. Edward Mills of Arlington was particularly good. But the programme will tell the story much better than our Faber No. 2 can possibly do it, therefore here is the

Order of Exercises.

1. Voluntary. Doxology and Recitations of 1st Psalm.
2. Song, "Onward, Christian Soldiers."
3. Prayer by Rev. Dr. March.
4. Responsive reading. Joshua, Captain of Al. Josh. 5: 1-23.
5. Song "Sound the Battle Cry."
6. Reading. "David vs. Goliath." Stillman Shaw.
7. Reading. "Angels of Beanna Vista." Alice H. Cottle.
8. Song. Solo. "Battle Hymn of the Republic." School join in the chorus.
9. Responsive Reading. Gideon vs. Midianites. Judges 7: 1-22.
10. Reading. "Psalm of Life." Anna H. Johnson.
11. Song. "Hold the Fort."
12. Spiritual warfare. Recitation Eph. 6: 10-18.
13. Reading. "Battlefield." William W. Crosby.
14. Song. Solo. "Luther's Battle Prayer." Mrs. Lucc.
15. Address. Lieut. Edward Mills of Arlington.
16. Song. "Stand up for Jesus."
17. Address. Dr. March.
18. Benediction.

What a "Good Time" They Had!!

ED. JOURNAL: A pleasant party of pupils from one of the upper Grammar grades of this city visited the Massachusetts Reformatory at Warnerville last Saturday, the 20th of Sept. A most delightful and profitable time was spent. Through the kindness of Superintendent Tufts the boys and girls were conducted by a courteous official to every part of the great building.

The industrial instruction, conducted in such a marked spirit of kindness throughout this Institution, is most commendable and in no part of this broad land is there a better institution of Christian principles put into practical operation than in this Reformatory throughout its entire management. The beauty and extent of well-kept grounds, the brilliant glow of the autumn flowers, made the young people forget that the seven hundred and thirty inmates were indeed prisoners and that by them the majesty of law had been trampled upon.

As we rode away in the September afternoon glow we thought how much better after all is Prevention than Reformation.

Dirt flees before Brussels soap like a grasshopper before the advance of a yellow-legged chicken.

Reunion of the 39th Massachusetts Regiment.

Last Tuesday was a gala-day in this city. Out of respect for the occasion it was made a sort of semi-holiday by the people and trade was partially suspended. Music, flags, marching, banqueting and oratory comprised the chief features of the order of exercises.

It was the 24th annual reunion of the 39th Massachusetts Regiment of Volunteers. The Regiment were the guests of Company K of this city, who on two former occasions have done the honors of host in a manner highly to their credit and to the satisfaction of the other Companies. Co. K are generous entertainers, as they were brave soldiers on the field of conflict.

The weather was just as glorious as any weather could possibly have been, and when the Veterans arrived on the 10.15, a. m. train they found genial sunshine, bracing autumn breezes, a splendidly decorated city, and many open hearts and hands to give them welcome to Woburn. They were a fine looking body of men and there seemed to be nearly as much elasticity in their step when marching through our streets as there was when, nearly 30 years ago, they left their Northern homes for Southern battlefields to put down the great Rebellion.

The Regiment were met at the train by Company K and the Woburn Brass Band and escorted to G. A. R. Hall, Post 161, where they formed for the parade. At 10.30 the line left headquarters and marched through Main street, to stirring martial music by the band, to Hammond Square; then countermarched to the Hall and broke ranks. Following the column of Veterans were carriages containing clergymen and men of prominence, and large crowds of people reviewed the procession and listened to the music from the sidewalks.

Immediately after the arrival of the Regiment at Post 161 G. A. R. Hall the annual business meeting of the Association and election of officers for the ensuing year took place. The companies composing the Regiment have their homes as follows: A, Peabody; B, Dorchester; C, Medford; D, Quincy; E, Somerville; F, Taunton; G Roxbury; H, Boston; I, Natick; K, Woburn. The Regiment were mustered into service at Lynnfield, where the 25th reunion will be held in 1891, and went to the front in 1862 Woburn raised one whole Company of 100 men, which however was changed somewhat by the addition of a few Boston men.

The officers of the 39th Regimental Association elected for 1890-91, were: President, Charles G. Brett; Vice-President, Edward P. Miles; Treasurer, Samuel H. Mitchell; General Regimental Secretary, Major Charles H. Porter; Executive Committee, G. F. R. Hosea, Charles B. Currier, J. F. French. The usual memorial resolutions were passed for those who have dropped out of the ranks since the last reunion in which the widows and orphans of the deceased Comrades were feelingly remembered. After these matters were disposed of and an ineffectual move was made to change the plan of holding the annual reunions the meeting adjourned sine die.

Waiting in the finely decorated parlors of the Y. M. C. A. for this and the Veterans up stairs in the hall to assemble below to join in the reception were Mrs. Warren, widow of the late Major General G. K. Warren, the brave and distinguished Commander of the Fifth Army Corps of the Army of the Potomac, and daughter, Mrs. General Pierson, whose husband was the Regiment's first Lieutenant Colonel; Mrs. Cummings, wife of Hon. John Cummings of this city, and Mayor E. F. Johnson and lady, to whom the Regiment gave a reception as their honored guests on this occasion. The introductions, which were made by President Abijah Thompson of the Association assisted by Colonel Porter, began about half past 11 o'clock and by the time the 166 members of the Regiment, citizens, members of the City Government, etc., had given the hands of the ladies hearty shakes the hour was getting close on to dinner time. General Warren was the idol of the old 39th as well as every other Regiment and every man in the 5th Corps, and his memory is cherished above that of any other of the gallant souls who led the Army of the Potomac, with hardly the exception of General McClelen himself.

In the morning and during the parade Mrs. General Warren and daughter, Mrs. General Pierson, Mrs. John Cummings, Mayor Johnson and lady, and some prominent citizens, were the guests of Dr. John M. Harlow and lady at their pleasant home on Main street. Mrs. and Dr. Harlow had had General Beals put some of his best decorative touches on to the handsome house which gave it a patriotic and very attractive appearance, especially when their distinguished guests had assembled on the broad verandas to receive and acknowledge the salute of "the boys" as they passed. The hospitable host and hostess also gave an elegant repast to their company, the invitations to the same including members of the local and Boston press. At about 1 o'clock the party left Dr. and Mrs. Harlow's residence for the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. where the hour for the reception had been fixed at 11.15.

Here Comrades pressed forward to grasp the hands of the wife and daughter of their old Corps Commander, to receive a pleasant word from Mrs. and Gen. Pierson, and give a bow of recognition to the other honored guests. The scene was one of great interest. President Thompson and Col. Porter performed their duties admirably.

At the close of these pleasing ceremonies the members of the Regiment circulated around among each other, tendering warm greetings, cementing the fraternal ties that bind them so closely together, indulging in a pipe of tobacco here and there, making ready for the excellent dinner which Capt. Cyrus Tay, himself a Vet, was preparing for them in Lyceum Hall. Before the dinner line was formed however, by invitation, the members assembled on the steps of the Armory and had their photographs taken en group as a souvenir of the 24th annual reunion of the 39th Regiment Association and the warm greetings which they received at the hands of their whole-souled Woburn Comrades.

About 1 o'clock the line was formed when with lively step to a rattling martial air by the band the Association and their invited guests marched to Lyceum Hall for dinner.

But right here something should be said concerning the decorations of the city in honor of the occasion. Flags were flying all day from the Liberty-pole, Armory, Municipal Building and school houses, and they made a very pretty appearance. There is nothing more inspiriting to a well regulated American mind than floating bunting with the Stars and Stripes emblazoned thereon. It always strikes a patriotic chord in the Yankee heart, and so it did last Wednesday. General Beals, the famous Boston decorator who decorated the Hub inside and out for the great G. A. R. encampment last month, and who, it is everywhere acknowledged, has no peer in his line of work in New England, assisted by a corps of competent artists decorated the city for this reunion and it was never done so handsomely and tastefully before. The buildings which were given to him to make as beautiful as possible regardless of expense were Lyceum Hall (interior and exterior), G. A. R. Hall of Post 33, G. A. R. Hall of Post 161, Municipal Building, Postoffice, building of Richardson Brothers, and Dr. John M. Harlow's residence. These were all done in the highest style of decorative art. On the exterior of the buildings were mottoes of welcome, patriotic sentiments, and appropriate quotations, and on the interior of Lyceum Hall these wordings, were numerous. On all the buildings too there were pictures of soldiers, of camp, field and other war scenes, of patriotic achievements, and deeds of loyalty. There were spread eagles in gold, streamers, festoons of starry flags, "Old Glory" in assorted sizes and all sorts of positions, giving everything a military hue and making everything look gay and bright and beautiful. General Beals made the most of his *carte blanch* and let himself clean out on his decorative work for the 39th in this city that day. The interior of Lyceum Hall never before began to approach in beauty and fitness of decorative design and execution in a condition on last Wednesday. Its appearance elicited many encomiums on General Beals's taste, judgment and most excellent work, and everybody was pleased with it.

The dinner was a supurb one. Capt. Tay was given full swing and he produced a repast worthy of the occasion and the gallant old "boys in blue" whose well whetted appetites were appeased by the abundance of choice viands set before them. Mayor Johnson and lady and the City magnates were honored guests and sat at the head of the tables. Rev. Daniel March, D. D., was Chaplain of the Day, hence was given a seat of eminence. Mrs. General Warren and Miss Warren, Mrs. General Pierson and Mrs. Honorable John Cummings, President Abijah Thompson and Colonel Porter, members of the city government, Gen. Charles L. Pierson and lady, Hon. John Cummings, the Veteran War Democrat and Soldiers Friend "Uncle" William B. Harris, Rev. Leander Thompson, City Clerk Moreland, Postmaster Lawrence Reade, Dr. John M. Harlow and Mrs. Harlow, Hon. J. G. Pollard, Mrs. L. A. Turner, and other distinguished guests and Comrades, sat at well laden tables on the stage, while the long and equally well laden tables in the body of the Hall presented one of the most stirring spectacles that the reporter has been privileged to look on for many a long day.

Lyceum Hall was filled with old soldiers, public functionaries, clergymen, distinguished citizens, orators, reporters, musicians, etc., and a birdseye of the scene from the galleries (occupied by many lady spectators) was one that a person would not be likely to soon forget. The general remark was that a finer, more intelligent, or sturdier body of men than those of which the remnant of the old 39th was composed it would be hard to find anywhere in New England or out of it. And one would have been impressed with the idea while viewing the great crowd through his opera-glass that the gentlemen who occupied the guests table at the head of the Hall in front of the stage, namely, G. R. Gage Esq., E. N. Blake, Esq., City Messenger Edward Simonds, Councilmen Alex Grant and J. J. Walsh, Aldermen Wm. T. Kendall and J. H. Doherty, and other officials and privates, enjoyed the occasion with as keen a zest as any others in the Hall, and had as much decorum paid them.

The members of Company K (Woburn Rangers) now resident in this city and vicinity are: Capt. Luke R. Tidd, John Gilcreast, Albert Bancroft, Albert S. Leslie, George E. Fowle, Abijah Thompson, Andrew R. Linscott, Loren Searle, M. H. Baldwin, Albert P. Barrett, Alonzo D. Carpenter, Charles K. Conn, Alona P. Downing, Parker Eaton, Joseph W. Garfield, W. H. LeBaron, George W. Linscott, Timothy Mahoney, Rufus F. Poole, Albert H. Richardson, William Brown, Charles H. Johnson, T. Marvin Parker, A. G. Brown, C. H. Colegate, George W. Dean, Albert Gleason, Edward Hoskins, J. Fred Leslie, Julius F. Ramsdell, Albert L. Richardson, Newall Z. Tabor, T. Morton Parker.

The after-dinner exercises were of an inviting and pleasing character. Band music constituted an important part of them, for it was of the best quality and abundant in quantity. The feast having been got through with President Abijah Thompson felicitiously introduced Mayor Johnson to the audience who, in a happy speech, extended a hearty welcome, in behalf of the city, to the Association and their guests. At the close of the official welcome the President introduced General and Mrs. C. L. Pierson who were received with rousing cheers from all over the Hall. General Pierson made a brief address which was listened to with marked attention and was warmly applauded.

This was succeeded by short speeches by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., Hon. John Cummings, Hon. J. G. Pollard, Postmaster Reade, City Clerk Moreland, Colonel C. H. Porter of Quincy, and some others.

Prof. Elmore A. Pierce of this city read an appropriate poem, and in conconjunction with the Woburn Brass Band rendered a musical and poetical sentiment in memory of the gallant dead.

With this and an appropriate air by the Band the programme of one of the largest and most enjoyable reunions the 39th ever held came to a close well towards the end of the day. Not long after this the Veterans dispersed to their respective homes and the city put on its usual work-a-day clothes and airs, and went back into its old tracks and habits once more.

She Was "Particular" Like.

"John, go up to Mrs. Swandown's and get that barrel of flour we sent up yesterday. Head it up and drive around the block and when you go back open the other head and she'll think it another barrel and 'twill suit." Thus said a grocery-man who had a very particular customer. But these particular kind, though they may be deceived in the matter of flour, are never cheated in their soap, for they buy Brussels, the economical soap. The name is on the goods.

The Co-Operative Bank.

The semi-annual report of Treasurer Whitcher of the Woburn Co-operative Bank presents an encouraging exhibit of the standing of that institution. It shows that it is prosperous and that its management is in careful hands. The public have confidence in its soundness and believe in its exceptional utility as a local loan association. Treasurer Whitcher's report reads as follows:

Loans on real estate,	$53,625 00
Loans on shares,	1,000 00
Suspense account,	217 69
Cash on hand,	4,806 28
	$59,648 97

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Dues, capital,	$54,491 00
Forfeited shares,	66 21
Surplus,	458 99
Profit,	4,489 89
Guarantee fund,	142 88
Total,	$59,648 97

Of the amount, $4,806 28 cash on hand, $4,264.07 is subject to call. There are now 362 members, and 2169 shares have been sold. The profit per share by series is as follows: First series, $4.82; second, $3.33; third, $2.28; fourth, $1.44; fifth, 81c.; sixth, 36c.; seventh, 9c. A dividend of 6 per cent. per annum has been declared.

The officers of the Bank are: President, James Skinner; Vice-President, J. W. Hammond; Treasurer, A. W. Whitcher; Secretary, A. W. Whitcher; Directors, B. F. Whittemore, George Buchanan, William F. Davis, Edward F. Johnson, W. C. Kenney, Martin Hayward, John R. Carter, S. B. Goddard, Thomas Salmon, F. H. Lewis, H. C. Hall, S. F. Trull, Fred J. Brown, John C. Buck, H. E. Smith; Auditors, C. A. Burdett, A. E. Gage, Winthrop Hammond.

Annual Shoot and Dinner.

Yesterday the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx (Co. G, 5th Reg. Inf. M. V. M.) held their annual target shoot followed by the annual dinner at the Armory. They had magnificent weather for it and the boys enjoyed it to the full extent of the law.

The Company under command of Capt. W. C. Parker, Fine Members and invited guests, left the Armory for Brookside Range at about 1 o'clock P. M., and were in high spirits as they repaired down Pleasant street into Lexington street thence to the Range.

Good marksmanship was displayed in the target contest and the results of it were satisfactory.

At 6 o'clock, P. M. the Company and guests sat down to a fine dinner in Armory Hall and enjoyed it. The dinner was a good one and when it was through with there were speeches, toasts, and good music to the close of the evening.

All speak of it as one of the best shoots and dinners the Company have had in recent years.

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The Laundry Sewer.

Street Superintendent Gilman F. Jones finished the sewer on Main street laid chiefly for the use of the Woburn Steam Laundry on Saturday evening last in good shape and without any interference from the Medford authorities. If these latter gentlemen had known what Mr. Jones was up to it is highly probable that the air in this city would have been filled full of Court injunctions and things of that kind all day Friday and Saturday, but they were in dense ignorance of what was going on until late Saturday when an officer of Medford came up and found it was too late to prevent the sewer being laid.

It became imperative for Richardson Brothers to secure another outlet for the water from their laundry because Boston would no longer allow of its being emptied into Horn Pond by way of the public sewer through the Town Meadow. Just what to do was a problem of large magnitude. Unless the city could furnish them proper drainage the laundry must go to some other locality, and as it is an establishment constantly employing not less than 75 hands, with a large weekly payroll, and a handsome amount of property for taxation purposes, its retention here by furnishing proper sewerage was a matter worthy of a big effort. Our city authorities thought it could be done—and they did it. Street Supt. Jones had an interview with the Boston Water Board and with the officers of the B. & M. RR. Co., which, whatever passed between them, resulted in his setting 50 or 75 men quietly to work putting in a sewer from the Railroad's extension of the Boston sewer at the Main street railroad crossing to the laundry pipe at Walnut street, and his undertaking was a complete success. When a movement similar to this was agitated last year Medford flew to arms, so to speak, and threatened Woburn with all sorts of terrible things if she attempted to run any more of her sewerage through the Boston pipes into Mystic Pond, and if they had been aware of what Mr. Jones was doing the authorities of that excellent but sleepy old burg would have tried to kick up a firstclass row.

But they did not know. Mr. Jones hurried the work as rapidly as possible and on Saturday evening it was finished up in fine shape, at a cost of about $300, and the Woburn Steam Laundry is a fixture.

We give more space to this achievement of Supt. Jones because of the peculiarities of the sewerage question, the trouble it has caused in the past, and what is possible to grow out of it in the future. Of course Medford is not hurt a particle by additional Woburn drainage through Boston's Mystic Valley Sewer; but she looks at it differently, hence the fuss. But we have secured our drainage this time without any trouble, and let that suffice for the present.

E. Cutter, Jr., of Boston, to be Director of the Orpheus Club.

The Orpheus club members are happy. They received a leader yesterday, and the annual meeting last night was one of the largest and most enthusiastic ever held, over 35 members attending. The principal business of the evening was the selection of E. Cutter, Jr., of Boston as musical director to succeed the late George W. Sumner. The matter was finally decided very quickly but the choice was made after a most hearty indorsement of the candidate by B. J. Lang of Boston, who was Mr. Sumner's teacher, and has also given Mr. Cutter instruction. Mr. Lang recommended Mr. Cutter in unqualified terms of praise as an all-round musician, a first-class director, who is "exact, punctual and imperative." Mr. Trask, president of the club, wrote Mr. Cutter but the letter went astray. Receiving no reply, he wrote Mr. Lang, who did not receive the letter until Tuesday. Mr. Lang started at once for Boston, reached there yesterday morning and sent Mr. Cutter at once to this city. Mr. Trask was in Hartford, but returned last evening in time to see Mr. Cutter a few minutes. In the mean time a delegation of the Orpheus club officers had entertained the visitor and were much pleased with him. So the choice last evening was unanimous. In the selection which is made over a strong list of candidates, the club had in mind a teacher on the pianoforte who could take Mr. Sumner's pupils, and believe they have accomplished this. Cutter is accompanist for the Apollo club of Boston which is recognized as the finest men's chorus in the country. For five year's he has been director of the Lexington chorus of men's voices, and he is also organist and director of the Cambridge choir, where T. L. Cushman of this city sings. He is about 35 years old, short, slender, but full of energy. The selection is an admirable one and it is a matter of congratulation that so well equipped a musical instructor is available to Springfield people.—*Springfield Republican.*

Mr. Cutter is a Woburn boy and has relatives and many friends in this city who will read the above notice with pleasure. The Cutters are a musical people. Ben, a brother of E. Jr., is one of the foremost violinists in Boston and was for some time a member of the

Dress Goods!

To close the balance of our Summer Dress Goods we have decided to make astonishing prices for the next few days.

Our 50c., 62½c., 75c. and $1.00 Goods marked down to only 25c. per yard. Also, Special Values for 10c.

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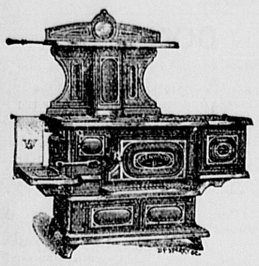

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Y. M. C. A.

State Convention Oct. 23 to 26, at Haverhill.

Saturday evening prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. All men invited.

4 p. m. Sunday Men's meeting. The singing will be an attractive part.

Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock boys meeting addressed by one of the business men of this city. Singing led by Mr. Colby.

The Women Conference of the Women's Auxiliary of this State and Rhode Island will be held at Cambridge Thursday Oct. 2, 1890.

Tuesday afternoon the Woman's Auxiliary have their first meeting of the fall. Hour of the meeting 3 p. m., but let all be there at 2.45 so as to have few moments beginning.

Many warm friends of our Association are not quite satisfied that it is best to debar the women from our gospel meetings, and possibly we who have settled the question in our own minds long ago, do not have patience always to explain why the meetings are limited to "men only." As the question will be raised frequently while our special meetings are going on, a few reasons are given below:

1. The avowed work of the Association is *for* young men.
2. This work is for them specially because they most need it.
3. Experience proves that best results are obtained in this way.
4. The churches hold and care for the girls and young women, and young men cannot do for them what the church now does for them successfully.
5. Speculation is the business of today and we hold that we are in this direct line of work thus our mass meetings.

Purchasers of kitchen supplies will do well to direct their attention to the interesting announcement which those well-known business people, Messrs. Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom, make in another column. With no attempt whatever to confuse or bewilder the searcher for truth they simply place before him in a modest, honest, businesslike manner the fact that they are selling the various kinds of kitchen furnishings away down below the ordinary prices, and they prove their claim by publishing the prices at which those goods can be bought of them.

About Law Schools.

WOBURN, Sept. 24, '90.

MR. GEO. A. HOBBS: In the last issue of your paper I noticed a paragraph referring to Mr. E. H. Lounsbury's entrance to the Harvard Law School, in which you complimented the gentleman for choosing "the best," meaning that the Harvard Institution was superior to any other Law School in the country.

That little paragraph occasioned considerable comment among the legal fraternity of this city and also among people who have watched the career of the law schools of Harvard and Boston Universities.

The almost unanimous opinion was that the Harvard School was not at all on a par with the Law School of Boston University. The instructors of the Boston school have such a reputation that even the most enthusiastic admirer of "Fair Harvard" would not compare the latter's legal talent with the former gentlemen. When too, we consider that almost three fourths of the Harvard graduates intending to practice law choose to study at the B. U. L. S. it would seem poor judgment to class the latter inferior to the Cambridge School.

Hoping that the article was intended only as a compliment to Mr. Lounsbury's judgment and not as a slur upon other Law Schools, I remain,

Yours very truly,

JOHN J. WALSH.

B. U. L. S. '92.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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Why This Sudden Change?

If Congressman Banks should conclude to let Woburn select Postmaster Reade's successor next February by ballot, as some people hope he will, and as several Congressman have done before him, it would not be at all surprising if Mr. Reade should be chosen to succeed himself. Stranger things than that has happened in this ever-changing world of ours.—[JOURNAL.] Why this sudden change, Mr. JOURNAL? When Winchester elected its present postmaster you were most severe in your condemnation of such method. What's up?—*Winchester Star.*

Don't you remember to have read, my boy, when you went to school: "Circumstances alter cases?" Do? Then why this interrogatory?

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We will sell you "The Best All-Wool Extra Super Carpets" cheaper than you can buy them in Boston.

It will pay you to come and look at our stock. The prices we have put on these goods is a very low one. Lower than we have ever sold before.

The styles are very pretty and in good servicable colors.

If you want a cheaper Carpet you can not do better than buy one of our

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Extra Wool Supers.

These Carpets are by far the best we have ever sold for half a dollar.

C. Willard Smith

399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

[For the Journal.]

Woburn Public Library.

The annual vacations are at an end, the autumn session of the schools has begun and the scholars are already well started on the work of the year. In consequence of this there is quite a lively and wideawake appearance at the Library and we are glad to see the interest and enthusiasm manifested by our young people in their search for subjects and answers to questions. The public library is the place where the scholar can be taught how to use books as the student in science is taught how to use the instruments put into his hands; it is in fact the workshop where the material may be found in which to accomplish all he may desire.

A number of valuable and important books have been placed upon the shelves during the last few weeks, among which are "Rambles in the Black Forest" by H. Wolf where a good description is given of that part of Germany so little known to any but the Germans until recently. The English are now beginning to vary their route and to pass by rail throrgh this picturesque forest tarrying at Friberg to see the waterfall illuminated by the electric light. Americans too are growing more adventureous and occasionally stop for a short time on the heights of Blauen to inhale the country air and admire the Alps from a distance.

"White Mountains" by Julius H. Ward proves the author not only to be possessed of a close acquaintance with the physical traits of this wonderful region he describes but is, as it were, on intimate relations with these grand mountains, valleys and highlands. To those who are visiting the White Hills it will suggest and aid, and to those who know and love them it will illuminate memories and increase appreciation.

Books about Africa are decidedly the fashion in literature just now. One of the books is "Scouting for Stanley in East Africa" by Thomas Stevens who many readers will remember as the writer of the interesting book "Around the World on a Bicycle;" this work, so full of peril and incident, will be found a good introduction to Stanley's great work on that country "In Darkest Africa." In view of the enormus amount of public interest taken in this work we have placed three copies in the hands of our patrons. It is in two volumes and contains a thousand pages and is a graphic account of his greatest achievement.

"Talks with Emerson" by Charles Woodbery is a book alive with meaning and suggestion, well adapted to interest young men, and is an evidence of the influence of Emerson's personality over them, for it is said that seldom any other writer or teacher in our history ever so completely won the reverence and the affection of this class. The author's account of his personal associations with Emerson casts no new light on the character of the man but is well worth reading. "Economic and Social History of New England" by W. B. Weeden covers a new field of inquiry and one which now possesses a greater degree of interest than ever before to students of social and industrial questions. It is not a general history of New England and touches its political history only as it effects its social interests.

"A Social Departure" is the title of a book of travels—a journey round the world by two young women. It comes to us neatly bound with over 100 illustrations and is prolific in entertainment and instruction. Its style is bright and alluring and all those who delight in books of foreign travel will receive much pleasure from this. It is very "American" now for women to travel alone, and why should it not be when we reflect upon what the statistics are relating to the surplus female population? Certainly it is a privilege no one will deny them when they possess an eye which has been trained to some understanding of the beauty and majesty of the natural world and an intelligence somewhat educated by study into a knowledge of the manners and customs of so many different nations. They travelled 3900 miles across the great North West, through the Rocky Mountains describing many strange experiences and novel scenes in the silent, solemn heart of the Rockies; they discuss intelligently the opening of trade between China and Japan by the new railway and steamship lines. They ride in the jinrikisha at Japan and tell us all about the marvellous and quaint little shops in the "Land of the Rising Sun;" to China for a short time with the Celestials, and then to India where they see and admire the beauty of the Taj at Argra.

The eighth volume of the Riverside Library for young people entitled "Girls and Women" will be found an excellent guide for young persons. It teaches that the highest aim should be to acquire a noble character, even if one has to sacrifice ambitions and talents. A few rules are laid down which are essential to health "Breathe fresh air;" "Take plenty of exercise:" "Work regularly with body and mind;" "Study something new every year;" "Make home pleasant;" "Be charitable but let the charity come from the heart." Though this book is designed for young people the middle aged and old will find much in it that will appeal to them.

But what can we give to the boys? what books can we put into the hands of those who can so skillfully wield a bat or toss a ball? Manual of "Physical Training" by Edwin Checkly where good instruction is given on how to care for the body; correct habits of walking; standing and breathing, and as extraordinary honor is now paid athletic heroes it becomes our young men to give careful attention to physical culture that they may all become like the ancient Greeks.

E. F. P.

Boston Theatres.

Katie Putnam, one of the successful soubrette stars of the day, will bring a new play to the Grand Opera House on Monday. It is called "Love will find a way." The Grand Opera is giving the public some fine dramatic entertainments this fall.

Light, unsubstantial and practically plotless as it is, "Castles in the Air" is the means by which no little enjoyment is brought to the lover of amusement and melody. De Wolf Hopper, characteristically droll, has plenty to do in the operetta. Piquant Della Fox is certainly as nimble, graceful and alert a singing soubrette as the lyric stage has presented. Klein is very amusing as Hopper's foil, and Seabrook's quaint and original vein of humor finds apt expression. This is the last week of this handsomely mounted lyric production at the Globe Theatre.

A great swinging drawbridge, opening and closing on the busy river that runs through Chicago, will be the scene of a most exciting situation at the Globe next week. "Money Mad" is the play. It is an American melodrama, by Steele Mackaye, and was greatly successful in New York. E. J. Henley and a special company will appear in the play under J. M. Hill's direction

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 30 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

Burlington.

A raccoon is said to frequent the corn fields in the west part of the town.

Do not forget the date of the Burlington Cattle Show, Wednesday, Oct. 1.

Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis is to contribute a historical sketch of Burlington to the advertising newspaper, to be published for the Agricultural Fair.

Mr. Charles W. Bennett has bought the shop opened formerly by the late R. J. Alley with the adjoining lot of land. Mr. Fortis has opened a blacksmith shop in one part of the building.

Mr. E. W. Locke of Chelsea, "Father Locke," gave an entertaining lecture in the Town Hall on Thursday evening of last week. The lecture consisted of reminiscences of his experience in the war and at the conclusion he gave several of his stirring songs. A large number of the company present patronized the baked bean supper in the upper hall. The entertainment was given by the committee for athletic sports at the Cattle Show and they desire to thank their friends who so very generously assisted them.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

Wyoming.

There now seems to be no question that the Republican State ticket in the new Commonwealth of Wyoming has been elected by an ample majority. There has never been any real doubt that such would be the result, but the pertinacity with which some of the Democratic newspapers have been claiming the new State has given rise to an impression in some quarters that Wyoming might actually be in the uncertain column. Now that it has gone Republican, our Democratic friends will wish that instead of having professed such unbounded confidence that the State was a Democratic one, they had stuck to their earlier policy of stigmatizing the admission of Wyoming as a "partisan outrage." It is, of course, to the complexion of the Legislature that the chief interest attaches, and it is now made clear beyond any doubt that Wyoming will add two to the already large Republican majority in the national Senate.—*Boston Journal.*

"My feet are so slim I never can get a good fit unless I pay quite a high price." Then try Stetson at his well-known store, corner of Hanover and Blackstone streets, and see what he can do for you in the way of a Ladies' fine boot. Goat or Kid for just $2.

An Elevated Railroad Rumor.

There are rumors of an elevated railroad which will start from Stoneham and, skirting Spot Pond, pass through the western part of Malden, Edgeworth, Somerville and Charlestown terminating Haymarket Square.—*Boston Herald.*

Suburban elevated railroads have got to come, and come pretty soon too. The only way they can be staved off is for the Street Railway Company to adopt electricity for a motor without any unnecessary delay.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

Banana Fritters.

Pare, split and cut in two, six bananas; sprinkle the pieces with two tablespoonfuls of sugar, the juice of an orange, and let them stand for an hour. Make a batter with the fruit juice, a small cup of flour, one egg, a little milk, and a teaspoonful of butter; dip and fry. The most delicious of dainties, have no attraction for the individual who has no appetite and suffers with dyspepsia. Ayer's Sarsaparilla improves the appetite and aids digestion.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Sept. 20, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

J. B. Avery, M. Cook, 435 Main street, C. C. Duncan, Mrs. Abby Gates, Alex. Henry, 31 Winn street, Mrs. G. McCrackin, Wyer's Court, Charles Wedderburn, 31 Winn street.

It is an economical young man who escorts his sister to entertainments, instead of some other fellow's sister. Such a young man studies his pocketbook, and when he marries he will supply his family with Brussels soap, because it's economical and good.

"The beautiful little mackerel gulls, which a few years since were so plentiful in our Maine bays and estuaries, have entirely disappeared, and are now never seen," says the Lewiston *Journal.* This is a mistake. These birds are quite numerous in Frenchman's Bay.

It's economical—Brussels soap.

"It's getting quite dark now," remarked Cholly as they sat on the front piazza. "Yes" she answered, with a touch of scorn as she surveyed the distance between them. "One might imagine you were afraid of the dark."

It is universally admitted that a mother should, if she is able, nurse her child. If she can not, or if for good reasons it is not advisable, then Mellin's Food, which has been proven to correspond physiologically with mother's milk, should be used.

"I think these are grounds for suspicion," said the boarder who found traces of dried peas in his coffee cup.

WINCHESTER.

Herbert Rowe has gone to Dartmoth College.

Mrs. A. B. Coffin has got back from a visit to Europe.

Henry Plummer is still tarrying down on Casco Bay.

Fair progress is being made on the Y. M. C. A. building.

The *Star* is going to have an electric light planted right in front of its office.

Mrs. James Crowley of Charlestown spent a few days this week with friends here.

Mr. John F. Kelly of Woburn has opened the fruit store lately occupied by Mr. Frank Peabody.

Our Board of Selectmen have decided to hold their regular meetings on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month. The practice has been to hold them weekly.

Mr. F. P. O'Connor, a well known and popular young man of this town, is for the present working at steam-fitting for a large Boston firm at Baldwinville, Mass.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session at the Town House on this, Friday, evening for the purpose of attending to applications for registering the names of voters.

While at work at Loring & Avery's tannery last Monday Eugene Hearan of Woburn had the fore finger on his left hand caught in a whitening machine, which he was running, and badly injured.

The Congregational church in this place are seriously contemplating holding a celebration of the 50th anniversary of the organization of the same which will fall on the 19th of November next. The members are even taking some steps in that direction.

Mr. E. C. Aldrich was one of the old time Abolutionists who attended the second annual meeting of the remaining Abolutionists at Tremont Temple last Monday. It was a reunion of old abolition workers and notables of the country and a gathering of great interest.

The following are the recently elected officers of the Highland Bethany Sunday School:

E. L. Barnard, Supt.; E. N. Lovering, Asst. Supt.; Geo. Richardson, Treas.; A. Winn, Sec.; Geo. Holton, Librarian; Clyde Bell, Asst. Librarian.

Primary department.—Mrs. Helen Barnard, Supt.; Willie Barnard, Librarian, Price Wilson, Asst. Librarian.

Lookout committee.—Mrs. Smalley, Mrs. J. Rice, Miss Jennie Cummings, Mrs. N. A. Richardson, Miss McElhaney, Mrs. Viola Richardson.

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ONE NIGHT!

MONDAY, Sept. 29, 1890

The only Real Irish Star on the Stage,

Chas. Erin Verner,

In the Beautiful, Romantic, Historical Play

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Irish Love, Wit, Sentiment, Songs, Dances, Original Music, Handsome Costumes.

Prices: 50, 35 & 25 Cents.

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Open Daily, 9 A. M. to 12 M., 2 to 4 P. M. Saturday evenings, 6 to 8.

NOTICE.

The Regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held on **Friday, October 3, 1890,** at 7.30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

Money deposited on or before **Saturday, October 11, 1890,** will draw interest from October 1, 1890.

An adjourned meeting of the corporate members of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held on **Friday, October 3, 1890,** at 7.30 P. M.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

Woburn, Sept. 25, 1890.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale and for a breach of conditions contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Richard A. Gladding and Elizabeth A. Gladding, his wife, in her own right, of Boston, County of Suffolk, dated February 25th, 1890, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Libro 1958, Folio 587, and being lots on a plan made by Walter H. Sears, dated April 18th, 1888, duly recorded in said registry, numbered as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 34, 35, 36 and 37, situated on and near Maple street, in Woburn, Mass., and containing about 135,000 feet of land, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the **20th day of October, 1890,** all and singular, said lots conveyed by said mortgage deed.

$100 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

SARAH A. HILL, Mortgagee.

Stoneham, Sept. 2d, 1890.

A. V. LYNDE, 68 Cornhill, Boston, Attorney of Mortgagee.

THIS WEEK AT

BONELLI'S

4 Garfield Ave., 2d house off High St., Woburn.

An All Linen Table Damask at 25 cents. And one at 30 cents.

These are the lowest prices ever quoted at retail on a guaranteed All-linen Damask.

Fancy Silk Velvet, 69c., original price $1.25.

GIVE YOUR POOR FEET A CHANCE! WEAR

M. A. PACKARD & CO.'S EASY FITTING **SHOES** FOR GENTLEMEN

COMFORTABLE. STYLISH. ECONOMICAL.

EVERY PAIR WARRANTED FOR SALE BY $4.00

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M. BANCROFT, Agent.

DEEDS LOST.

Information is wanted relating to the original title deeds of lands owned by the late Col. John Wade. Any person having such deeds will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at my office.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney-at-Law, 424 Main St., Woburn, Mass.

21,979 FEET.

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Rubber Shoes unless worn uncomfortably tight, generally slip off the feet.

THE "COLCHESTER" RUBBER CO. make all their shoes with inside of heel lined with rubber. This clings to the shoe and prevents the rubber from slipping off.

Call for the "Colchester"

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BOYS' CLOTHING.

We have made extra efforts to supply the boys, and offer: Coatee Suits, long pants, ages 14 to 18, in Cheviots, Cassimeres and Scotch Goods, at

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Three-piece Knee Suits, at

$5.00, $6.00, $8.00 and $10.00.

Blouse Suits, All-Wool, strong and serviceable, sizes, 4 to 14, at

$3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00.

Odd Knee Pants,

50c., 75c., $1.00 and $1.50.

Flannel Blouses,

50c., 75c., and $1.00.

Many lots of Medium and Heavy-weight Clothing, Coatees, Three-piece and Blouse Suits, carried over from last season, marked below cost to close. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

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FALL STYLES

DRESSMAKING.

Mrs. J. H. PARKER

Will open for business Monday, Sept. 22, at

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Dr. EPHRAIM CUTTER,

OF NEW YORK,

Will be due at **No. 24 Boylston Street, Boston,** every other week, on Thursdays and Fridays, from 9 to 12 o'clock, commencing September 25 and 26.

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A good tenement with land at Walnut Hill, near R. R. Station: horse cars pass the door. Rent $9 per month. References required.

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"T was a clever Yankee pedlar who used Martial's cynical estimate of people in describing his tinware.

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Our tinware is so good that we are glad to put our trade-mark on all of it.

We know it's good because we make it ourselves.

We are sure it's better than much that is sold because we only use the best quality pure tin and employ the best workmen.

And the price is the best of all. Just think of it! We sell

1 Gallon Tin Kerosene Oil Can for 20c.
The Celebrated Steel-Edge Dust Pan, 14c.
10 Qt., Extra Strainer, Milk Pail, 87c.
6 Quart Porcelain Preserving Kettle, 33c.
Full size Dinner Pails, 20c.

Our Housekeeping department is groaning under its load of Tinware, Woodenware, Ironware, Agate-ware, and kitchen essentials and luxuries of every shape, style, and pattern.

If you want anything for your kitchen, a postal-card inquiry will, by return mail, give you our price for it.

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Valuable House Lot,

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TO LET.

A STABLE, within a few minutes of the Centre. Accommodations for 3 Horses. Cheap rent to a good tenant.

TO LET

to a firstclass tenant, house with modern improvements, on Pleasant street, viz.—Furnace, cemented celler, hot and cold water both down and and up stairs, water closet, bath room, gas, good neighborhood, high and dry, piazza front and back. Rent $20. Also,

FOR SALE.

A light covered wagon, suitable for milk, grocery or bakery purposes, custom built, when new cost $225, and now in first-class condition. Be quick if you want it, as I will sell it at a big bargain, and if you want to buy a house, sell a house, let a house, hire a house, call on

E. J. GREGORY,

AUCTIONEER,

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Franklin Keyes, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and three codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John S. Wheeler, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

City of Woburn.

OFFICE OF ASSESSORS.

WOBURN, MASS., Sept. 15, 1890.

The Assessors will be in session at their office, Municipal Building, the **29th and 30th days of September, and 1st day of October, 1890,** from 3 to 5 P. M. and 7.30 to 10 P. M., to receive applications from all persons not already assessed for their polls and personal estates, under the provisions of Sect. 17, Chap. 425, Acts of 1890.

No applications will be received after **October 1, 1890.**

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REVIEW OF THE QUARTER

LESSON XIII, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 28.

The Cases of Those Who Failed to Accept the Gospel—The Rich Young Man Whom Jesus Loved—What Was the Sin of Dives?—The Personality of St. Luke.

The teachings comprised in the twelve lessons preceding are so many, varied and important that a specific review, or even satisfactory mention of each principle advanced, is manifestly impossible. A few salient points, however, should be noted: The development of Christian doctrines; the fact that these lessons deal chiefly with teaching and very little with personal history, and especially the instances given illustrating the reasons why men do not accept the gospel and order their lives in accordance therewith. In the cases of those bidden to the supper, one was kept away by his wife, and another by his oxen; one by an unreasonable fondness, and another by mere love of property.

Again, in the case of the wealthy young man we have a very peculiar and affecting instance. The text plainly shows that he was a youth of much nobility of character, and another evangelist adds that Jesus loved him. He was no doubt "one of the most popular men of our community," as the modern phrase has it, and yet he had not abused his wealth or popularity, for he was chaste, temperate and just. And yet even he failed to accept Christ—he had too much money, or at any rate thought too much of it.

Other characters are the greedy rich man, the lazy and voluptuous man, the merely indifferent man, and finally Dives, against whom no serious allegation is made—he seems to have been what some call "a downright good fellow," "a jolly dog," eating and drinking and having a "good time," "never bothering his head about reforming the world," but "letting each fellow look out for himself."

And on him a special condemnation falls—and what a fearful condemnation! Out of all who rejected Christ, as recorded in the quarter's lessons, he alone is followed beyond the grave and selected as an instance of final and complete reprobation. Not the murderer, not the extortioner, not even the impenitent thief—simply the man who had drifted along and enjoyed himself and never inquired about the sick and sorrowing. Are we at liberty to conclude that the state of society in the Roman empire at that time and the luxury then beginning among the wealthy were considered in this parable? And surely there never was a time when the lesson was so applicable as now; for there never was a time in the world's history when so many great fortunes were so suddenly acquired as in the United States in this generation. Never was the moral responsibility of the wealthy so great as now. Wealth is not sinful; but as to a life of mere enjoyment Christ has given us the divine view in His account of Dives. Of all the sinners mentioned during the quarter's lessons Dives is selected as the utterly hopeless case.

It should also be specially noted that the work of the last quarter is practically a study of Luke's gospel; the student should, therefore, as occasion serves, examine the authorities as to Luke. Here it is sufficient to state that he was a physician and man of learning, a companion for some time of St. Paul and author of the "Acts of the Apostles." Other facts of his life are not clearly proved, but the primitive Christians received by general tradition the statement that he was a native of Antioch, a Greek by blood rather than a Jew, or, at any rate, of Greek rearing and culture, one of the earliest converts and a very careful and diligent student of all things connected with the earthly life of Christ. The style of his writing shows that he had the "historical sense" very well developed.

The first mention of this gospel is alleged to be by Clement of Rome, about the year 100; and it is spoken of as a work already generally known to Christians and accepted as authority. For these and many other reasons the best judgment is that Luke wrote his gospel not long before the destruction of Jerusalem, and with the assistance of St. Paul. Tradition adds that he died a natural death at the age of 84, after preaching in various countries. As to the style of Luke it should be noted that he is careful to fix the time of each important event by mentioning the rulers in power at the time. The construction is artistic: First is the address to Theophilus and a citation of authorities, then the advent of John the Baptist and events in historic order to the beginning of Christ's ministry, and then the development of doctrines and lessons in regular order.

The quarter now closing opens with an impressive lesson on the proper use of the Sabbath; it is not to be kept by mere rigid formalism, as the Pharisees kept it, but with a joyous devotion. The old Jewish Sabbath is done away with. The parable of the supper follows, and here, as in many other places in Luke, the fact is emphasized that those who held rule among the Jews, with very rare exceptions, had no welcome for Jesus. The beginning of a Christian life—"taking up the cross"—the finding of the lost sheep and the lost piece of money and the prodigal son as an example of forgiveness follow as regular chapters in a serial discourse upon the work of grace. The parable of Dives and Lazarus is the most vivid picture of the life beyond the grave given in Christ's teachings, and appropriately closes this division of this gospel.

The miracle of the ten lepers, the parable of the widow who prevailed by prayer and the contrasted prayers of the Pharisee and publican logically come together as containing our Lord's teaching on the power of prayer in healing for the soul. Other parables and incidents follow, each introducing an important principle of the Christian faith, and the quarter closes with another and most emphatic lesson upon the hostility of the chief priests and the scribes. The student curious upon such matters should consult some of the recent discussions on the prophecy concerning the destruction of Jerusalem, and especially the question lately debated with some heat as to whether St. Luke recorded the prophecy before or after its fulfillment. As the city was destroyed in A. D. 70, and as Luke was traveling with St. Paul as late as 61 (in the spring of that year they reached Rome after the shipwreck), the question is one of great interest.

A Careful Georgian.

A wealthy Georgia man died recently, and after the last sad rites the family made a search for the will, but could not find it. Finally some one suggested that the body should be exhumed. This was done, and in the inside pocket of the grave coat the will was found. The careful citizen had put it there for safe keeping.—Chicago Times.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science has made a gift of $2,350 to the Toronto university for the encouragement of the study of physics.

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co's Drugstore, regular size, 50c. and $1.00.

It is again announced that the Dominion Government contemplates dissolving Parliament and appealing to the constituencies on the question of unrestricted reciprocity.

New York also suffers from the flea pest. The uptown private dwellings and apartment houses are overrun by the noxious insects, just as they were a year ago.

QUIET WAYS ARE BEST.

What's the use of worrying,
Of hurrying
And scurrying,
Everybody flurrying,
And breaking up their rest?
When every one is teaching us,
Preaching and beseeching us,
To settle down and end the fuss,
For quiet ways are best.
The rain that trickles down in showers
A blessing brings to thirsty flowers;
Sweet fragrance from each brimming cup
The gentle zephyrs gather up.

There's ruin in the tempest's path;
There's ruin in a voice of wrath;
And they alone are blest
Who early learn to dominate
Themselves, their violence abate,
And prove, by their serene estate,
That quiet ways are best.

Nothing's gained by worrying,
By hurrying
And scurrying,
With fretting and with flurrying
The temper's often lost;
And in pursuit of some small prize
We rush ahead and are not wise,
And find the unwonted exercise
A fearful price has cost.

'Tis better far to join the throng
That do their duty right along;
Reluctant they to raise a fuss,
Or make themselves ridiculous.
Calm and serene in heart and nerve,
Their strength is always in reserve
And nobly stands each test;
And every day and all about,
By scenes within and scenes without,
We can discern, with ne'er a doubt,
That quiet ways are best.

—Evangelist.

A Few Suggestions About Shoes.

Never try to wear a shoe that is too small for you, nor one that is not a good fit for your foot. By good fit is meant one that fits sufficiently snug not to wrinkle, nor to allow your foot to slip around in the shoe, yet loose enough to allow plenty of ease and comfort, with square toes, low, broad heels, and particularly from three-quarters to one inch longer than you could wear if you allowed your big toe to go to the end of the shoe.

A long shoe gives a more graceful effect to the foot, is more comfortable and lasts longer. Be careful not to run your shoes over at the heel or sides; this is the result of carelessness, and in many people really amounts to a deformity, besides quickly ruining a shoe. Never let shoes get hard or dry by drying them by the fire, which dries and injures them badly; dry them gradually, and if quite wet rub on a little bit of castor oil or tallow before drying, as the steam generated in a wet boot or shoe will scald it and cause it to crack.

Occasionally wash off the old dry blacking, applying a little castor oil. Do not put on a thick, heavy coat. When polishing shoes a gentle brushing with a soft brush is better for the shoes than the vigorous work of the bootblack. Never put on or handle a patent leather when it is cold; always warm it thoroughly before bending the leather; if put on when warm, and in a warm room, a patent leather shoe may be worn out in the cold without injury. Do not wear rubbers over a nice, new pair of shoes, as they spoil the leather. Keep an older pair to wear under rubbers when possible; always take your rubbers off when entering the house.—Good Housekeeping.

Railroad Etiquette.

A peculiar sort of politeness toward women is frequently seen in street and elevated cars. A man will keep his seat for blocks while a woman hangs by a strap; then he will rise and, lifting his hat, motion her to the seat as if he were a very gallant gentleman indeed. At the next corner or station he leaves the car. One of these men fell into a trap the other day. He was in a bridge car, and all the way over a woman stood directly in front of him. As the train slid down the grade into the New York station he got up, touched his hat, and pointed toward the seat he had left vacant. When the woman, instead of thanking him as he had been thanked before for giving up what he had no further use for, stared coldly and walked toward the door, while the other occupants of the car laughed at his discomfiture, he suddenly realized the mistake he had made through absent mindedness and rushed for the platform completely put to rout.—New York Times.

Dietetic Value of Fishballs.

The fried fishballs or the brown bread and baked beans of New England are found to contain nearly the right proportions of nutrients required to maintain an adult workman in proper condition, according to Voit's standard. The pease porridge, seasoned with savory herbs, in which a little bit of pork is stewed, is also consistent with that standard, as are the hog and hominy of the southern negro, in the proportions in which it is served—one peck of meal to three and one-half pounds of bacon for a week's supply.—New York Grocer.

Her Choice in Veils.

Uncle Robert (sadly)—My dear little girl, I fear there is too much worldliness in your nature.

Helen—Dear old guardian, you are mistaken. I am going to take—the—veil.

Uncle R. (a devout R. C.)—You are a girl after my own heart.

Helen (demurely)—But, please, my veil will have orange blossoms on it.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Didn't Want Any Interference.

Cumso—Though your affairs are in a tangle your guardian angel still has an eye on them.

Banks—Well, I'd be much obliged if my guardian angel would mind her own business.—Chatter.

He Was in It.

Teacher (holding up a palm leaf to try to get scholar to use "fan" as a verb)—What do people do with this?

Observing Pupil—Put patent medicine ads on it.—Judge.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

That robust protectionist speech of Senator Moody the other day will considerably disconcert those individuals who have professed to see strong signs of a "tariff reform" sentiment in the Dakotas.

A doctor of Jersey City suggests that all telegraph poles on which live electric wires are strung be painted red, that the public may be able to distinguish them.

COLD SUMMER 'WAY BACK.

The Oldest Inhabitant Outdone by a Member of the Ananias Club.

"If I don't miss my guess very much we will have snow before morning," exclaimed Patrolman Josh Spears.

"If you remember, the winter of 1762-63 was a very open one. In fact, if I remember rightly, there was but little weather too chilly for a man to go in his shirt sleeves. Why, I was running around then barefoot, quite a chunk of a lad. It was in many respects a most remarkable winter. For instance, we cut hay on the 1st of January. Well, the winter went away and spring happened along. It was just like any other spring; but an old Indian chief who lived near our house in Brown county said that before the year was done the winter would make up for lost time. We didn't pay much attention to the warning, laughing it away as an idle jest, and soon it dropped out of mind entirely. The 23d day of August, 1763, was the hottest day I ever knew. The sun raised blisters on the street pavements, and wells a thousand feet deep went dry. It was not safe for any person to be where the sun could get a good square lick at him. If he did he would shrink up and die right there. About 7 o'clock in the evening a light breeze came up, and the people ventured out. In the western sky there was just such a cloud as I pointed out to you a few minutes ago. We didn't know what it meant then, but we found out later on. By 8 o'clock that evening the atmosphere was cool and pleasant, and every one went to bed to catch a little sleep, for the intense heat of the previous nights had driven sleep from our eyes. In the morning there was six feet of snow all over the town. Every bit of running water was now frozen, wells and cisterns were frozen solid, all grain and vegetable life were killed, and flowers withered before the snow like bananas before my friend Hart. Several houses where the windows had been left opened were half filled with snow. It was a cracking cold morning, the mercury was 60 degs. below zero and it seemed to be growing chillier every minute.

"About 11 o'clock a high wind came up, and the snow was piled in drifts about the city. It was banked up against the Lutheran church to a height of 70 feet. As if that was not enough, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the snow commenced falling again. It did not come down like plain, every day winter snow. There were no flakes, but spheres about the size of base balls. They were as hard as chilled steel until they struck the earth, and then they burst, not because of the hardness of the ground alone—though it was frozen so hard that it could not be broken with dynamite cartridges—but there was a peculiar atmospheric condition that was heightened when the snowball came in contact with the earth, and this brought about the bursting I mentioned previously. There was not the least bit of noise attendant on the bursting—or, I might say, by a violent attack on the English language that the explosion was perfectly noiseless. But a thousand different colors darted and dashed from the fragments. It was the most wonderful pyrotechnic display I ever witnessed. It was broad daylight, too. The result of this strange unnatural shower of snowballs was that over fifty feet of snow was piled upon that city"——

"Where—where were the people?" asked Sergt. Joyce in a voice faint from suppressed emotion.

"Dead. Every one of them dead. In that city of 25,000 souls not a single person escaped. They were smothered by the snow or killed by the pellets that came from the clouds. No living thing, not even a dog, escaped, and when the glad sunshine came out again and melted the snow, the raging waters washed the buildings from the face of the earth, and to this day not a sign can be found of the once beautiful and enterprising city."

At this moment a commotion occurred at the front door, Sergt. John Lowe rushed breathlessly into the room with the intelligence that a man had been frozen to death on Blake street, near Indiana avenue, and the club filed out to capture the body before it could get away.—Indianapolis News.

Circus Men Smoke Good Cigars.

I shall probably sell a box of imported cigars the day Forepaugh's circus strikes Lewiston. Forepaugh's and Barnum's men always smoke the best imported cigar they can get when in this city. Two for sixty cents always hits 'em. In the winter, when there are plenty of theatres and operas in the city, we always have a big trade on imported goods with star actors and singers. The Key West trade has been picking up very fast lately. The local trade in these goods is way ahead of the imported business. Key West goods run all the way from $60 to $100 a thousand.—Interview in Lewiston Journal.

Electricity as a Purifier.

It has been discovered that a current of electricity passed through impure water restores it to purity by destroying any living germs with which it may be impregnated. Animalculæ which escape the eye, and which almost elude the microscope, cannot escape the all searching power of the electric flash.—Exchange.

Watered Stocks.

"You seem to be very fond of soup, Mr. Skiparlor," remarked the landlady, as he asked for a second help.

"Yes," he returned, with a meaning of his own; "especially thin soups."—Puck.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

The somewhat stately Mr Vaux is regarded more in the light of an interesting relic than as a live factor by the hustling Democrats of the third Pennsylvania District, and it is thought to be practically settled that he will be succeeded in the next House by Mr. William McAleer.

As physicians claim that brain work is twice as exhausting as that of the muscles, if the eight-hour rule for manual labor is enforced, brain workers will be entitled to claim a reduction to four hours.

The Short Lived Humorist.

So scarce is the funny man that you must seek for him when you want him. He is not nearly so numerous as his reputation. He loves life and light and warmth, and is so vivacious in his mere enjoyment of life that possibly he sometimes multiplies himself to one's irritated imagination, as one light winged, restless fly, child of the summer, seems to be a hundred or a thousand to the wise man, bent upon improving his mind and tempting eternity by reading the "Encyclopædia Britannica." The "end man" is a May fly, living in the sunshine for one happy day and then forgotten. In a semi-critical paper a few months since Mr. Lukens mentions by name about 250 American humorists who have made merry with their friends during the past 200 years. It is a pathetic record of strangers. Read it, and underline the names which have a familiar sound to your ears.

Blot out the names you cannot remember to have read or heard before, and if you are under 40 years of age the condensation of the paper will startle you. The people have not been led into the wilderness of frivolity by the end man. Sometimes the funny man, in a moment of madness, consents to lecture two nights in succession. The second lecture is almost invariably a dismal failure. "One consecutive night" is the limit of the funny man's course. But people do like to be amused a little, and so the end man is usually put on. Frequently he is informed—and the unconscious seriousness of the committeeman who so informs him is funnier than anything in the lecture—that "we have had the very best lecturers in the country on our course this winter, the strongest minds and the greatest thinkers in America, and now our people want a little change."—Robert J. Burdette in Forum.

His Wife Became a Beggar.

A Ragusan, returning home from the United States after twenty years' absence, was accosted on landing by a beggar woman, who asked him for alms. They recognized each other simultaneously. She was his wife! A remarkable tale of villainy was at once unfolded. The husband had prospered in America, and from the first had sent home fifty florins a month for the use of his wife. As his position improved he increased the amount until it reached 200 florins monthly. But the priest had never given the poor woman more than five florins, and after fifteen years of constant embezzlement he had forged certificates of the deaths of both husband and wife, sending that of the latter to the former and vice versa, and then retiring from the scene. The husband married a rich American lady, with whom he returned to Europe. The wife became dependent on charity. Hence the romantic meeting.—London Tit-Bits.

Price of Onyx Slabs.

Onyx is worth in the rough from $3 to $15 per cubic foot. The price is not steady, as it depends on the demand and the length and shape of the block got out as well as the appearance of the onyx. The market for onyx is something like the market for meerschaum, only less regular. A man who buys a block of onyx takes it to some extent on speculation. He does not know how it will saw and polish. There may be cracks inside of it which he does not see, and the grain and streaks on the outside may not be carried through.

The onyx in its rough state looks like other stalactites and stalagmites, though it might be taken for marble by any one not in the business. It is worked much as marble is, by sawing and polishing, except that more care has to be exercised and that the polishing is more difficult. When it is worked up it will sell for $1 to $5 a square foot, according to its appearance and size.—New York Sun.

A Wandering Locomotive.

A locomotive of the Consolidated road, which was housed safely in the roundhouse at Bridgeport, Conn., one night, had a surprising attack of somnambulism before dawn. When no one was in or near it it started out of the roundhouse and came to a short and undignified halt in the turntable pit. In some way the steam was forced through the whistle so that it was impossible to shut it off, and the stranded engine gave a shriek of distress which lasted an hour and made every one in the town alive to its predicament.—Philadelphia Ledger.

An Ex-Emperor's Joke.

A bon mot, to which fate has since added an ironical comment, has been attributed to the ex-emperor of Brazil. On being shown one of those mechanical wonders which always interested him more than the cares of government, a wheel that made we know not how many revolutions in the minute, "Why," said the monarch, "it actually beats our South American republics."—Spectator.

Preserving Milk.

The latest idea for the preservation of milk has been made the subject of a patent. The air in a receiving vessel is purified, and then the milk is drawn directly from the cow into the vessel in such a way as to prevent the atmospheric air from coming in contact with the milk.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Beware of Pickpockets.

Pedestrian (in a jam on Broadway to policeman)—Can't you get me out of this without loss of time?

Policeman (gaspingly)—Be jabbers, sor, ye'll be lucky if toime is the only thing ye lose here!—Epoch.

Cashier

Wm. E. Durgin of the Boston Loan Co., 275 Washington street, says: I recommend Sulphur Bitters as the very best medicine I have ever used. There is nothing like them to give an appetite, tone up the system, and do away with that languid feeling which is so frequent among those confined indoors.

The Democartic newspapers are rejoicing over the reduction of the Republican vote in Vermont. They have been rejoicing for the past thirty years. According to a careful calculation, if the ratio of decrease is kept up in the off years, the Democrats will carry Vermont in 1928.

The Arkansas Democrats are still at their work of fraudulent counting. The Union Labor candidates received 1597 majority in Crittenden county, but after holding back the returns for ten days the Democratic canvassers have thrown out enough votes to give the offices to the Democrats.

What Stronger Facts and Figures

RECOMMENDATION can a medicine have than the testimony of those whom it has cured? One such case is worth columns of puffery. We would request all who are afflicted with Blood Diseases to read the following:—

SALT-RHEUM.—Mrs. T. P. Cushing, 87 Suffolk st., Chelsea, Mass., writes: "For a long time I was troubled with salt-rheum. My hands would crack open, bleed, and itch terribly, causing great suffering. I tried almost every remedy I saw advertised, but received no benefit, until I took Ayer's Sarsaparilla, four bottles of which cured me."

CANKER.—Mrs. W. Gaige, Poultney, Vt., says: "I have suffered much from canker humors. At times, I was unable to eat or swallow solid food. Last spring I began the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and quickly found relief. After taking two bottles of this medicine I was cured."

RHEUMATISM.—E. F. Harris, Buckland, Mass., certifies: "Eight years ago I had so severe an attack of rheumatism that I could not move from the bed, or dress, without help. I tried many remedies, but received no relief until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which restored me to health."

CATARRH.—Seth Schreiver, Sag Harbor, N. Y., testifies: "My daughter suffered for years from an obstinate and offensive catarrh. Having heard Ayer's Sarsaparilla highly recommended, I resolved to try it. Before my daughter finished ten bottles she was entirely cured."

ERYSIPELAS.—Rev. S. J. Graham, Buckhannon, W. Va., writes: "Having been afflicted with erysipelas for nearly twenty years, I was at last induced by a friend to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I procured a bottle, which gave me relief before I had used half of it. I took three bottles, and have had no indication or symptom of the disease since."

BLEEDING PILES.—My wife has been more or less troubled with bleeding piles for thirty years. She tried many doctors and remedies, but obtained no relief until she began to take

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West Virginia.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla is very popular here."—J. H. Purdy, Cameron.

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Ohio.—"Ayer's Sarsaparilla sells better than all other blood-purifiers put together."—T. H. Armstrong, M. D. and Druggist, Powhatan.

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Woman's Column.

Woman Suffrage in Mississippi.

In the Constitutional Convention now in session at Jackson, Miss., Delegate John W. Fewell, on August 21, offered a resolution as follows:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this convention that it is a condition necessary to the solution of the franchise problem that the right to vote shall be secured by proper constitutional enactment to every woman who shall have resided in this State six months and who shall be 21 years of age or upward, and who shall own or whose husband, if she have a husband, shall own real estate situated in this State of the clear value of $200 over and above all encumbrances. The vote of every woman voting in any election shall be cast by some male elector, who shall be thereunto authorized in writing by such woman so entitled to vote, such constitutional enactment not to be framed so as to grant to women the right to hold office.

Under the rules, the resolution shoud have gone to the committee on elective franchise, but by unanimous consent Mr. Fewell was allowed to take the floor in support of his resolution. He made the most of his opportunity, and in a twenty-minutes' speech made a deep impression on his hearers. He urged that a special committee be appointed to report upon the question, but the committee on elective franchise regarded such a reference, with the instruction suggested, as infringing upon their prerogative, and after two hours' discussion Mr. Fewell struck out the objectionable clause of his resolution, and had it referred in the usual way.

Delegate Hudson of Yazoo, also offered an amendment providing for woman suffrage with a property and educational qualification, and with the Australian ballot system. The Associated Press despatches say: "The woman suffrage idea is growing in favor among the best minds of the convention."

Since the admission of Wyoming, nothing so important to the suffrage cause has occurred as this action of the Mississippi Convention. The question is very new in Mississippi. It is not surprising, therefore, that limitations are suggested that would not be thought of here. The great fact is the proposal that the women be allowed to vote.

No distinction is to be made against colored women, since "every woman," black or white, who has $200, etc., may vote. For the great boon of citizenship, both colored and white women will strive to accumulate property.

We know that many Southern women have earnestly desired the suffrage. Now is their opportunity to second the effort to secure it to them by showing their ready approval of this proposition of the convention.

Let us hope that Mississippi will follow Wyoming and lead all the other States in securing for its women the right to vote. LUCY STONE.

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A Russian officer in command of a company of athletes numbering 67 men ordered them to swim across the Volga in a place where the river is over one and a half verst wide, with two officers at the head and one in the rear. The whole company acquitted themselves creditably. The feat was performed toward the evening. When the swimmers had made about a third of the distance a steamer was noticed coming on them at full speed. The officer at the head of the company ordered "halt, with faces upward!" and was obeyed as promptly as if on the parade grounds. The company waited until the steamer passed, and then proceeded until they reached the opposite shore. Their swim backward was performed without interruption.

Miss De Simper—"I want to buy a diamond necklace." Jeweller—"Something worth about $1500?" "O my! I am an actress, and want something positively stunning." "I see. Here is one with 15 4-carat stones. I can sell you that for $13.

Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for October contains many things in prose, poetry and pictures that will please and instruct its army of intelligent readers. Among them are stories and sketches and brief biographies that are very entertaining, while the domestic, fashion and special departments contain a great deal of valuable information for the ladies. We give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2 a year) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 a year) for $2 paid in ADVANCE, without exception.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for October is on our table. The steel engraving Before the Battle is a very handsome picture presenting the portraits of Miuna Irving, the popular poetess, and her soldier husband. The fashion-plate and illustrations, present some new and effective fall styles. The needlework designs are varied and effective. The literary part of the number is excellent, and can only be equalled by the highest priced periodicals. The opening story One October Morning is well illustrated and well written. "Imprisoned Rainbows" by Louisa Jamison closes a series of interesting articles on precious stones. The Watch of the Big Heart Lode by M. G. McClelland is one of the best stories we have ever read in a long while, and Three Warnings by Lucy H. Hooper will facinate every lover of the supernatural. Things Worth Knowing and the household department are brim full of interesting and useful matter. This favorite magazine always grows better and better. Terms, Two dollars a year. Addrsss, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

W. Clark Russell, famous for his delightful sea-stories, and author of The Wreck of the Grosvenor, Marooned, etc., contributes the complete novel to the October number of LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE. The story is entitled A Marriage at Sea, and is a tale of love and adventure upon the deep. It is impregnated with that buoyant air and sea-flavor which lend a peculiar charm to Mr. Russell's stories, and makes them as refreshing to the mind as is a dip in the ocean to the body. Clean, healthful, invigorating, Clark Russell's stories are the best antidote to the morbid novels which are at present inundating the market. Tartuffe in Ebony is an entertaining sketch by a young Southern writer, Jeanie Drake. A New England professor and an admirer of the Southern darky from afar goes South and engages what is technically known as colored help. The manner in which the trusting professor is imposed upon by a dark-hued Tartuffe is very amusingly described. Rose Elizabeth Cleveland contributes an article entitled My Florida. She tells of the southern section of Florida, which she has frequently visited, and gives a great deal of practical and useful information regarding the best time for going to Florida and the mode of life and precautions that should be observed during a visit. Some of the other articles are: Electric Lighting, Round-Robin Talks, The Public and Stage, etc.

After the spirited ballad of Piping Jean which opens the October WIDE AWAKE, the reader comes upon a good foot-ball story entitled John MacGregor's Lesson; while this story describes a foot-ball game between this school and Philips Academy at Andover, the chapters of The New Senior at Andover, chronicle a base-ball contest between the same two schools; the first story is illustrated from life photographs of a typical team of each school. Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford is at her best in the war-story One Good Turn. An Adirondack Camp is a breezy chronicle of a particularly jolly time had by some particularly jolly young people. Jack and Æsop's Jackdaw is one of the brightest of the School and Playground series of stories, while The Scarlet Specter of Sandy Ridge is perhaps the strongest yet of Miss McLeod's Acadian Old-Folk Lore tales Brer Lizard's Coats is a quaint bit of story. Alexander Black's Camera Club has seven fine photographs by amateurs. A Quilt Expedition brings back to notice an old-time species of sewing-work, and gives twenty-four popular counterpane designs. A Story of 1812, Part I, is a true story of Commodore Perry. Margaret-Patty Letters, Puk-Wudjie tale of Father Maple's War-Paint, Jack Weatherwax, Hero, Pets of the Treasury, Letter-Writing for Young Folks, and Mrs. Sallie Joy White's article upon Insurance and Advertising agencies as business openings for women, together with the Men and Things department, complete the prose of the number. The poems are by Graham R. Tomson, Mrs. Whiton-Stone, Kate Putnam Osgood, and Mary E. Wilkins. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

Buried the Cheese.

In the suburbs of Boston lives a merchant who is something of an epicure, and not infrequently he brings home with him from the city on his return from business some tid-bit or other. Not long since he found some particularly choice Roquefort cheese, and the day being Saturday he took a piece home with him for his Sunday dinner.

Arrived at the station he was met by his man with the buggy, and in driving home he put the bundle on the bottom of the carriage, where it lay forgotten until the next day. At dinner he remembered the delicacy, and sending for Patrick, he asked what he had done with the package of cheese which he left on the bottom of the buggy.

"Was that chase, sor?" responded Patrick, in evident surprise.

"Yes, of course it was cheese. What did you do with it?"

"Well, upen me soul, sor, it never intered me comprehension that it was chase. It smelled that powerful, sor, and I wint and buried it, manin' no harm."—*Boston Courier.*

A strange bird that came from the swamps of lower South Carolina is mentioned by the Charleston *News and Courier*. "Roughly described it is about the size of a hen, but with wings about twice the length. The wings present a handsome plumage of yellow and black, with small polka dots over the feathers. The feet are like those of an eagle, with long, sharp claws. The most remarkable thing about the bird is its head, which has the remarkable shape of a heart, and is covered with white feathers. The bill is shaped like that of a human nose, so that the head, with the almond-shaped eyes, looks more like the face of a human being than of a bird."

Doleful reports are received from Dakota. A dispatch, dated Ellendale, N. D., Sept. 8, says: "This country has reached a point where it cannot invite immigration, cannot retain what settlers it has, and must become hopelessly bankrupt unless a system of irrigation be adopted or some means be found to insure crops or give the people profitable employment. Charity was accepted in special cases last winter; it will have to be bestowed much more generally next winter." But very little rain has fallen during the last two years, and thousands of farmers have been ruined. They are getting out of the State as fast as possible.

The peculiar enervating effect of summer weather is driven off by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which "makes the weak strong."

We do not know that Saturday was a particularly brisk day for Democratic declinations, but the papers contained letters from no less than three eminent Massachusetts Democrats declining nominations to Congress in as many different districts. Such a rush of declinations does not bespeak a great deal of confidence in the result. It is not a Democratic failing to decline nominations that are likely to lead up to elections.

Out on the other side of the Rocky Mountains the Democratic papers are busily explaining that the result in the First Maine District was all due to the Kittery Navy Yard. But just how the employment of 450 men at Kittery, only half of them residents in Maine, could by any hook or crook increase Tom Reed's majority two thousand, the Democratic organs have not yet made clear, nor do we think that they are likely to.

An Irishman of Company D, Third Maine, was eloquently describing the first battle of Bull Run, in which he had been one of the promptest participants. A member of the Seventeenth Maine asked Pat, "Did you run?" "Faith, and I did," replied Pat, "and the fellers that didn't are there yit!"

"My object in calling this evening," he began, with a nervous tremble of his chin, "was to ask you, Katie—I may call you Katie, may I not?" "Certainly, Mr. Longripe," said the sweet young girl. "All of papa's elderly friends call me Katie." And he said nothing further about his object in calling.

Ex-Gov. Bullock of Georgia, who has been visiting New York, repeats his confident prediction that the tariff issue can dissolve the solid South. "The only question," he says, "that keeps the Democrats together is the negro. If the negro could only be eliminated from politics the Democratic party South would break like ropes of sand, because the protection feeling is strong and growing."

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Passenger Service from Woburn.

FOR BOSTON, 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37, A. M., 12.52, 1.15, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 7.11, 8.29, 8.45, 10.10, P. M. **RETURN,** 6.55, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35, 11.00 A. M., 12.10, 1.07, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 4.45, 5.35, 5.55, 6.15, 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, 10.00, 11.10 P. M.

SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return,** 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.55, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.55, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M , 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 1.58, 2.47, 4.22, 5.12, 6.08, 6.18, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn at 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.22, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 7.58, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21 A. M., 1.31, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS, 1890.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M , 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

*Trips to Winchester only.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12.30, 1.00, then every half hour until 8.30, then 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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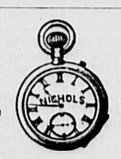

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A FAIR COLUMBUS.

It was "steamer day" at Nassau. If Nassau, like most other civilized places in the Nineteenth century, had telegraph or even daily mail communication with the rest of the world, "steamer day" would not mean so much as it now does to its inhabitants and visitors.

The passengers land. Waiting friends rush forth to greet some; others walk through a row of curious faces on either side and up toward the hotel. Small darkyes rush around and besiege them with all manner of requests—"Carry your bag, boss?" "Drive for you, boss?" "Does you want a boy, lady?"

By noon the excitement had moderated, and we strolled down to the wharf and pitched silver coins into the clear water thirty feet deep to see small negroes dive and bring them from the white sand bottom, where they lay clearly visible. I strolled away from my companions, and passing several small schooners laden with sponges lying along the wharf, each with two or three ragged children, a negro or two, and perhaps a sallow faced, scrawny white man lounging or chewing sugar cane, I came to one cleaner looking than the rest. She was built, as are all the Bahama schooners, with fine clipper bows, a rounded stern and small masts and spars. She was neatly painted, and on her stern were the words "Lillian," with her home port, "Watlings Island."

As I stood looking at her suddenly a young woman came up the companion way and said, "Good day." "Good day," I answered. "You've come some distance, have you not?" "Yes," she replied, "from the furtherest of the 'out islands.' I suppose you're from New York?" To my affirmative reply she to my surprise said: "And how was Irvings' Faust? I should so dearly love to see Ellen Terry as Marguerite."

After a moment's pause, during which time I vainly sought to fathom in my mind how a woman on a Bahama island schooner could have followed New York theatricals so closely, I gave her my unbiased opinion of the matter. She was then silent, and I meanwhile had an opportunity to study this Bahama curiosity. She was about 26 years old, and was neatly dressed in an inexpensive light material. Her luxuriant hair, of a dark brown color, was tastefully arranged, and she wore a large brimmed, but not unbecoming, straw hat, which had evidently seen better days.

Although much burned I could see her skin was fair and her hands delicately formed. Her expression was one of demure sadness, and after my study I came to the conclusion that she was more than an ordinarily handsome woman. I decided to linger and continue the conversation. "May I come aboard?" I ventured to say. "Certainly," was the reply. "John's gone out to the steamer and I'm keeping watch for him. I should be glad to have you tell me the news. We get little except when we come to Nassau."

"Who is John?" I wondered, "and how much news can people get who only rely on Nassau for it?"

I stepped on board, however, and my fair hostess excusing herself for a moment stepped down into the cabin and returned a moment after with two small chairs, which she placed under a small awning that shaded half the cockpit. She motioned for me to be seated, and I obeyed. There was silence for a moment after we sat down, and then my hostess said, speaking very slowly and with evident effort: "You must think it very strange that I spoke to you and have allowed you to talk to me, but I saw you were a gentleman, and I do grow so lonely and so anxious to see and talk with some one from the great world now and then. The ladies up at the hotel, if I go up there, I do not know, and I suppose I seem queer to them, for they look askance at me, and I haven't the courage to speak to them. John is always so busy when we're here, and besides John doesn't seem to care for anything but sponges and salt and wrecks.

"Sponges and salt and wrecks?" I asked myself. "What manner of man may John be?"

"Yes," continued my hostess, "it's very lonely on Watlings. You see there are only 675 people on the whole island, and of these only about 300 are white, while I don't suppose there are 40 I know. We're 180 miles from Nassau, and although I'm always teasing John to bring me over here, he won't come but three times a year unless there's a wreck."

"A wreck?" I asked.

"Yes," she went on nonchalantly. "We don't have much luck nowadays. We haven't had a good wreck since the big Spanish steamer went on Eleuthera three years ago." The situation dawned. My fair friend was the wife, daughter or sister of a Bahama wrecker—perhaps a pirate.

"What's the matter? You seemed disturbed."

I murmured in a rambling way something about wrecking being a pleasant occupation.

"Oh, I see," and she laughed, and a wonderfully musical laugh it was, too. "You are shocked at John being a wrecker. Why, you wreck railroads in the north, don't you, and sometimes banks, I've heard? John doesn't really wreck ships. He merely helps to strip them when they are wrecked."

I felt relieved, but dire memories of childhood tales, of false lights and murdered crews would come in my mind. "And who is John?" I asked.

"Ah, John is the dearest, sweetest, noblest fellow living—that's John. I'm sure you'd like him."

I tried again: "Were you born on Watlings?"

"Oh, dear, no. I was wrecked there. Wasn't it romantic to be wrecked on the island Columbus first landed on?"

I mildly remarked that I had been taught Columbus first landed on San Salvador or Cat Island.

"Oh, my, no. You're all wrong. It's been proved he first came ashore at Watlings. Why, I often, on fine mornings, get John to drive me over to the southeastern point of the island, where it is thought he came ashore. There's the loveliest white beach there, and the broad blue ocean stretches out and away before you as you look eastward. I make John go away, for John isn't romantic, you know, and then I sit down and close my eyes and think intently for a moment. Then I open them and I see the queer old fashioned ships with their worn sails, their high sterns and the royal banners waving, tossing at anchor beyond the reef; I see the line of boats with flashing oars advancing; I see the dusky Indian forms standing at the edge of the wood, and just above where the surf breaks on the beach I see the old mariner kneel under the banner of Spain, his sword uplifted and his eyes raised to heaven. Oh, it's a glorious picture, and I never tire of calling it forth. Life on Watlings, you see, has its compensations."

As the woman told this story she unconsciously acted it out, rose from her chair, and with flaming eyes and cheeks a new and fair Columbus led a fancied band. I had grown deeply interested, and I determined to know her history. "Tell me about yourself," I said, "and how it comes that you, with your evident education and accomplishments, choose to live on a place so remote and lonely as Watlings Island."

She blushed a little, was silent a moment, and then in a low voice said: "Well, I don't mind telling you. It's not a long story. I see I've given you a wrong impression, for although it is lonely at times, I'm really very happy, and I wouldn't change places with any woman. I am an English woman, and I was born near London. My father was a civil engineer in good circumstances, and with a twin sister I had every possible advantage of education. My mother died when I was about 15, and as we had no near relatives we were much with our father. We were near enough to London to run in at evening to the theatres and the opera; we read much, sang and played a good deal, and rode continually.

"Ten years ago last autumn my father met with a sudden business reverse. He was offered a remunerative post in California, and decided to go there. A ship belonging to a friend of his was just about to sail for the isthmus. We were offered passage on her at a low rate, and in three days' time found ourselves at sea. I needn't tell you of the voyage. It was all new and strange to us of course, we two girls were the pets of the ship. I saw with relief my father, who had broken much under his losses, improve in health and spirits, and as we neared the tropics the glowing sunset skies were emblematic of our hopes of life in the new world.

"We had been out some thirty days when one afternoon, as the sun set in a dark bank of clouds and the air was close and sultry, I noticed the captain looked anxious, and heard him say something about the Bahama reefs to the mate.

"That night a hurricane struck us, and for hours we were in what seemed a dull gray cavern of water and sky. The ship plunged madly before the gale, and with our father we sat in the cabin, clasped in each other's arms. The morning broke scarce less dark than the night. Suddenly the wind shifted and the ship righted and seemed to stand quivering like an over driven horse.

"A few minutes passed when, with a wild roar, the storm was on us once more, and we drove madly in another direction. There was a sudden crash, my father sprang, half dragging us, toward the companion way; I saw a huge wall of water rolling down upon us—it fell and all grew dark. I remember a sensation of sinking, of being whirled around, a dull, booming noise in my ears, and I opened my eyes to find myself lying on a sandy beach, two rough men looking down on me, while a third and younger one, kneeling beside me, was chaffing my hands. Frightened, but too weak to scream, I feebly said, "Where am I?"

"'On Wattings island, miss,' said the young man.

"'Yes,' said one of the older men, 'and a narrow squeak you had for it, too. If I hadn't thought it was mighty queer seaweed washing in over you reef, you wouldn't have been talking now.'

"'Where's my father?' I said.

"'With all the rest,' was the reply. 'Hush!' said the younger man, 'see how weak she is? Then I fainted.

"I woke to find myself on a rude cot in a small cottage, tended by a negress who only spoke a Spanish patois. The wreckers, for such they were, had carried me there. The sun was shining brightly and the storm was over.

"Days passed, and when I could go about I learned that I had been the only one saved of the entire bark's crew. The wave that had engulfed her and drowned all but myself had washed me over the coral reef on which the bark had struck. The wreckers on the shore had seen me, and daring the waves, high even between the reef and the shore, had rowed out and rescued me just as I was sinking.

"Utterly crushed as I was I did not at first realize my position. I was told I could go to Nassau on a schooner in about a month, but I felt no inclination to do aught but to stay where fate had thrown me. The young wrecker was very kind to me. Every day he patroled the beach in search of the bodies of my father and sister.

"At last one day they came ashore. He told me of it, but said I mustn't see them. I wondered then why, but learned afterward that the sharks had mutilated them. They were buried in a little lonely cemetery, and the next year, when the bishop of Nassau came in his yacht on his annual visitation, he read the burial service over them. Meanwhile I grew well and strong in the soft, warm air and under the tropic skies. I learned to like the half wild life, and the few white people and all the negros half worshipped me.

"One day a schooner brought some papers and I read our bark had been given up as lost and my name was among those drowned. These papers recalled me to myself, and I determined I would go to Nassau, and, if I could, thence to England. I told the young wrecker, who had become my firm friend and companion, and whom I had taught to read, of my decision. 'Well, miss,' he said, 'if you feel it so I suppose you're right, but I hate to think of losing you.' This and his evident sorrow touched me and made me think whether in the world to which I was returning I would find such a simple, loyal devotion as had here been mine.

"When the day came for my departure all the inhabitants turned out to bid me farewell. A queen could not have had a more loyal leave taking than the 'English miss,' as they called me. The young wrecker went with me. He said he had business in Nassau.

"That night—a night so soft and sweet it seemed as if storms had never brooded there, the Southern Cross blazing low on the horizon—the wrecker came to where I sat on the deck of the little schooner. 'Miss,' he said, 'I'm nothing but a "Conch," a poor, ignorant Bahama native, but I cant bear to have you go away. We all love you, and I more than all. I must tell you. You know our life is poor and rude, that we are far away from the world, but if you won't blame me for even daring to hope, miss, you know I have the handsomest schooner of the Watlings fleet and the best cottage on the island. I'm sure I'd do my best to make you forget your troubles, miss, and the sponge fishing is better, miss, and there's a good many Wrecks yet, miss—and I love you, miss.'"

Here she stopped, ckecked herself and blushed.

Of course you spoke kindly to him," I said, "and told him you were sorry, but he mustn't speak again"—

"Of course I didn't. You're like all men. What's the name of this schooner?"

"Lillian," I replied, wonderingly.

"Well, that's my name, and here," as a tall, broad shouldered, roughly dressed young man appeared on the wharf, a bunch of roses in his hand, and eyed me curiously, "here's my wrecker and his name is John."—*James B. Townsend in Journalist.*

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M. J. Dybowski ridicules the popular notion that the Sahara consists largely of shifting sands and contends that this hot region might be colonized and utilized for agricultural purposes. All that it needs is water; and the main drift of M. Dybowski's communication is to show how abundant this is at small depths below the surface. In many parts palms, when once planted, can reach it with their roots. In others very shallow artesian wells suffice, and the water flows continuously. He advocates a system of irrigation from artesian wells, and, as a proof of the abundance of water, mentions one such well that yields over a thousand gallons per minute. When once palms are established the whole aspect is changed by rich vegetation that grows around them.

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They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Buss drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart.

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Pretty Little Capri Girls.

One of the prettiest sights I know is to meet a band of Capri girls, aged from 12 to 16, returning from their day's toil. Here they come with their skirts tucked up on one side, the red kerchief carelessly tied at the back of their shapely heads, from under which the dark, wavy hair escapes; cheeks flushed after hard work, eyes shining, tongues chattering. As they pass they look you straight in the face, smile merrily and wish you "Buona sera," with audible comments on your personal appearance. But they are not difficult to please, and as long as you have an agreeable expression the general verdict will be that you are "una bella signora."—*Cornhill Magazine.*

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For Senator 5th Middlesex Dist., . Edwin F. Wyer

MAJOR GOULD WITHDRAWS.

Major J. Henry Gould, the Republican candidate for State Auditor, has withdrawn from the ticket, and the only wonder is that he ever sought the office.

It seems that away back prior to 1872 Major Gould was United States Collector of Internal Revenue at Savannah, Ga., and that he came out short to the extent of $50,000 to $75,000, for which indictments were found against him in the U. S. Courts of that State. He it is said fled farther South to escape arrest. His boudsmen were sued and judgment obtained against them for the amount of shortage.

A few days ago a full record of the Court proceedings in these cases against Gould and his surities was printed in circular form and widely distributed throughout this State. When presented to Gould and asked for an explanation by the Chairman of the Republican State Committee he admitted the facts, but claimed that he derived not a cent of benefit from the money illegally taken.

Gould has served since then several terms in the Massachusetts Legislature and why the story of his alleged crookedness has never before been made public is a mystery.

At the suggestion of the Chairman aforesaid Gould has withdrawn from the Republican State ticket.

CAPTAIN WYER FOR SENATOR

The Republican Senatorial Convention for the 5th Middlesex Districts was held at Ayer Junction last Wednesday with full delegations.

On the first (informal) ballot Captain Edwin F. Wyer of Woburn secured 27 votes, Foster of Tewsbury 7, scattering 2.

On motion, Capt. Edwin F. Wyer was made the unanimous choice of the convention.

The nominee was introduced to the convention and made an excellent speech of thanks which was applauded to the echo from opening to close.

Capt. Wyer will be elected Senator for the 5th Middlesex District by close on to 1000 majority.

THE OPPOSITION TO FOX.

Mr. Curtis Guild has come out in open revolt against candidate Fox and will doubtless support Sherman Hoar, the Democratic nominee. He made the announcement at the Fifth District Republican Congressional Committee meeting last week.

If Mr. Guild succeeds in drawing off more than one Republican vote from Mr. Fox it will be a surprise to everybody who knows him.

Fox hardly fills the bill of an ideal Congressional candidate but he will be elected high and dry. His solid footing with "the b'hoys" of the District will insure that.

THE TARIFF BILL.

At last McKinley's famous Tariff Bill has passad both branches of Congress and is now law. It went through the Senate by a vote of 33 to 27, only three alleged Republicans voting with the Democrats against.

It will prove a beneficial measure, on the strength of which the Republican party ought to win an easy victory in 1892, for to them belongs the sole credit of originating and enacting it.

ADJOURNED.

The Fifty-first Congress adjourned sine die last Wednesday evening.

Judged by the amount and character of its work it has proved to be the greatest Congress for many years, and the Republican party have a right to feel proud of its record.

☞ Last Saturday's issue of the Boston *Evening Traveller* contained a portrait and racy biographical sketch of a resident of Medford who was the original of Longfellow's "Village Blacksmith," and a picture of his home there. He was for many years a Medford blacksmith and occupied a shop by the side of the road that Longfellow used to travel over on his frequent trips from Cambridge to Medford to see his friend the poet Pierpont. It was quite an achievement on the part of the *Traveller* to hunt up this venerable character and give the public his likeness, history, home, and relations to "The Village Blacksmith."

☞ Two prominent gentlemen of this city are more talked about than any other two for Democratic candidates for Representatives to the Legislature and their names are Dr. George P. Bartlett and Robert J. W. Phinney, Esq. Messrs. Jones and Moreland are out of the race; new men must be selected; and the Democratic choice will probably fall on the above gentlemen, for we learn that the Woburn Democrats will insist on having both candidates.

☞ The Woburn members of the Republican Committee for this Congressional District are: Hon. B. F. Whittemore, Capt. E. F. Wyer, W. N. Titus, Charles F. Spear and George C. Conn, Esquires.

☞ The Democratic Senatorial convention for this District will be held at Ayer on next Tuesday.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
Caswell—Magazine.
Silas Dean—Citation.
M. T. Allen—Citation.
F. E. Lovell—Druggist.
L. L. Whitney—Citation.
Mrs. L. F. Hurd—"Now."
Chase Bros. Co.—Wanted.
S. R. Moreland—For Sale.
T. C. Evans—Breck & Son.
I. C. Buckminster—Drugs.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
B. F. Whittemore—Wanted.
Royal B. P. Co.—R. B. Powder.
T. H. Cahill—Com. Clothing House.

— Mr. S. R. Moreland advertises a good new-milk cow for sale.

— Judge Charles D. Adams has presided in the District Court of late.

— Rev. Dr. March has been visiting in central and western Massachusetts this week.

— Forest Hooper keeps quite a number of as good plumbers as can be procured in Boston.

— Rev. J. F. Winkley, formerly rector of the Episcopal Church in this city, died yesterday.

— Hon. B. F. Whittemore has a card in this paper which will be likely to interest some people.

— The benefit to Miss Katie McDonald netted $350, and she richly deserved every penny of it.

— Alderman Julius F. Ramsdell and wife are expected to return from their visit away to-morrow.

— A great many Woburn people went to the Burlington Cattle Show and Fair and enjoyed it very much.

— Mr. S. W. Twombly (we always think of him as a Woburn man) will visit the White Mts. and Vermont next week.

— A. C. Wyer left Boston last Monday morning with an excursion party bound for the Corn Palace at Sioux City, Iowa.

— If the Agricultural Society of Burlington will hold their Fairs no oftener than once in three years it will be long lived and give good shows.

— Capt. G. M. Buchanan and family have come back to Woburn to live. They occupy the house of Col. Grammer, Mrs. Buchanan's father.

— Mrs. C. P. Bates of Yonkers, N. Y., is visiting friends and relatives in this city. She is a Woburn girl and many people are glad to see her here again.

— Mr. I. C. Buckminster has bought out Mitchell, the druggist in Dow's block, and has put out his sign. He is from Leominster and is experienced in the business.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe has a change in his advertisement this week which will bear a careful perusal. He has put in a splendid stock of hats, caps and men's furnishing goods.

— Col. A. L. Richardson has fallen into the habit of taking his camera along when strolling about the city streets. He gets a good many nice pictures on the fly, as it were.

— Carter & Nichols find that the rush of the ice season is over and now, gentlemen, hand in your orders for coal. This firm have as good coal and as much of it as any establishment in this vicinity.

— The funeral of Mrs. Annie Ferrin, wife of Peter Lafferty, a most estimable lady, who died very suddenly last week, was one of the largest ever seen here. She had many warm friends and was respected by everybody.

— Yesterday Relief Corps, No. 84, took an open street car on the East Middlesex line drawn by four milk-white horses and visited the Soldiers Home at Chelsea. They had a delightful ride and pleasant visit.

— The largest assortment of Parlor Cabinets in this country can be seen at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal streets, Boston. They are represented in every wood and size and style. Prices range from $5 to $500.

— Charles Verner played "Shamus O'Brien" to a big house at Lyceum Hall last Monday evening. When he comes to Woburn with this popular Irish play Verner never fails to draw a crowd. He makes a perfect "Shamus."

— Mr. Gilman F. Jones accommodated the people who wanted to go to the Burlington Cattle Show last Wednesday in good style. He kept his barges going to and fro at short intervals and every one could go just about when he wanted to.

— Particular attention is directed to the advertisement in this paper of the Commonwealth Clothing House of Boston which is the leading establishment of the kind in that city. Note well the low prices at which the house is selling overcoats.

— Mr. Arthur M. Colegate has gone Down East for a fortnight's visit among friends. His objective point when he left was Brunswick, Maine, but he will go to Montreal and other interesting Canadian localities, besides visiting various parts of Maine.

— Chief McIntosh and his aids did a land-office business last Sunday in making liquor raids. Heaps of it were seized at the residences of John Kenney, Peter Young, Nora Lynch, Michael Walsh and Nell Doherty. There is a good show for their going to the H. C.

— Mrs. Paulina and her daughter Miss Clarabel D. Flinn have returned from a protracted visit with relatives in New Hampshire where they have enjoyed their summer vacation very much indeed. Miss Clarabel had her third attack of la grippe while up there and is not now very strong.

— Thomas F. Anderson of the Boston *Globe* has prepared an illustrated lecture on the "Modern Newspaper" in which he tells all about the "Arhimedean Lever" and in a way to please and interest everybody whether a newspaper man or not. Mr. Anderson may be found at room 90 "Globe" building, Boston.

— Mrs. L. F. Hurd has a card in this paper to which public attention is respectfully called. She has had a long and profitable experience in the business which she advertises and enjoys the confidence of everyone who has ever had dealings with her. Mrs. Hurd has a large patronage, especially in cleansing and renovating clothes, and as her charges are moderate all go to her to have such work done.

— Major J. W. McDonald is quite ill at the residence of his daughter on Academy Hill and suffers a good deal from the long-standing complaints with which he is afflicted. He has the sympathy of everyone who knows him. His disease is the result of bullet wounds received in defending the Union against the Southern Rebellion.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Elisha F. Hayward is at present engaged in collecting the manufactaring statistics of this city for the use of the Census Bureau and finds it a rather slow and particular work. It must take a month at least to collect the data asked for by the Bureau's multitude of questions. Mr. Hayward is discharging the duties of his office in a thorough manner.

— The Editor's family were favored with a very pleasant visit from Mrs. Marcia Jewett of Somerville. She is one of the Pine Tree women who came to Massachusetts some years ago to grow up with the country, and was a near neighbor of the Editor's people when they were all a good deal younger than they are now. It was last Thursday week.

— Mr. Walter Cushing of Dorchester, a traveler for Spaulding's hat, cap and glove store in Boston and ten years ago a salesman for Mr. C. M. Munroe, called at the JOURNAL office last Monday afternoon. In 1880 he was one of the principal leaders of the Young Republican party in this city and subsequently one of Cabot Lodge's active workers.

— Mary McEachen, with whom many Woburn people are well acquainted, is now Female Ward Attendent at the Inverness County Asylum located at Mabou, Cape Breton, which is at the extreme east of Nova Scotia. She has many friends here who will be glad to learn that she occupies a position of such responsibility, for of course good pay goes with it.

— On Monday evening, Sept. 29, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Pollard celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding-day by a family gathering at their pleasant home on Montvale Ave. A large party assembled under the Pollard roof where a delightful evening was passed in social intercourse, music, and other agreeable ways. A fine supper was highly enjoyed by the guests.

— An opera entitled "Priscilla, or the Pilgrim's Proxy" will be given at Lyceum Hall on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Nov. 5 and 6, which will be something worth hearing. Miss Mertena Bancroft will be the pianist, and Miss Mabel Davis is to take a leading part in the chorus—both fine musicians and popular young ladies—which facts alone are a warranty that the entertainment will be a choice one.

— The most prolific grape vines hereabouts are some white Niagaras in Forrest Hooper's garden, and they bear very nice fruit too. Hooper has gathered grapes from these vines (he set them out) for two years and the way they yield is a caution. Bushels of big white clusters were picked from them this season, and Mr. Hooper gives them the preference over any other variety of grape.

— The Woburn Woman's Club will hold its first gathering after the summer recess on Friday, Oct. 17, at 3 p. m., when a home talent meeting will be given. Several attractions will be presented to the Club during the coming term, and many interesting speakers are expected. Well known among them are Julia Ward Howe, and Martha Sewall Curtis. The services of Miss Rowe, of the Boston City Hospital, and of John Baker, the Russian exile, have also been procured.

— Our townsman, Hon. B. F. Whittemore, is Treasurer of a company composed of Boston capitalists which own and are successfully working a gold mine in Nova Scotia. The company have a paid-up capital of $300,000, with some of which they have sunk shafts, put in machinery, erected numerous buildings, and completed all the necessary arrangements for carrying on big mining operations. Mr. Whittemore has been at the mines two or three months this summer overlooking the business.

— The Schumann Quartette of this city, composed of four of the best female voices which we have among us, namely, Madams Strout, Seaver, Fulton and Bond, are in considerable demand for concerts and entertainments considering that it is an organization of not very long standing. The ladies are fine vocalists and their voices blend very harmoniously indeed. We hear that the Schumann have been engaged by the Y. M. C. A. for a large sized affair to be given on Nov. 16. They have two or three other engagements in this city.

— The owners of Church Block expect to begin on them in a few days and when they get through making improvements one will hardly recognize the building except the lower Main street front. In the second story there is to be a big hall with a dozen or so of offices; a store or two is to be built on the Walnut street front running back to Mr. Packard's Main street store; then up in the third story great improvements are contemplated. Dormer windows are to be put into the roof for light, and the entire upper part overhauled, changed, and fitted for business purposes.

— Mr. E. Prior will have (he says) the best store in Woburn. It is the one recently occupied by Cumings only it has undergone such changes and alterations that nobody would recognize it as the same place. The rear half has been raised (same as Munroe's) to which an easy flight of steps leads and from which a complete view of the entire premises may be obtained. The room is admirably lighted from front and rear, and has been finished in the very best of style. It is large and will enable Mr. Prior to arrange and show his goods much better advantage than in the store he left. With whole plate-glass windows in front it would be hard to find a more desirable store in the county.

— Mr. H. L. Flanders sold his drug stock and goodwill to Mr. Lovell last week and proposes in due time to take up his abode in the South. He has done a good business from the start and retired from the old Main street stand with a pretty bunch of money in his coffers and to a man up a tree it looked just as though he ought not to have sold out. But that is his lookout and not ours. When he leaves us for the South or anywhere else it will be the wish of everybody here that his lines may fall in pleasant and profitable places. In the meantime Mr. Lovell steps into a very fine business which he has the appearance of being well fitted for. Mr. Arthur Flanders, brother of H. L., will remain with Mr. Lovell for a month or so to introduce him to the Woburn public.

— At 4.20 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon, Daniel F. McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McKay, No. 21 Chestnut street, this city, and brother of Miss Maggie M. McKay of the JOURNAL composing room, died at his father's residence of an illness of only a few days duration, which however was supplementary to a long and dangerous seige with la grippe last winter and spring. His age was a little more than 17 years. The deceased was a young man of exemplary habits, an obedient and loving son, a favorite in young society, and well thought of by all who knew him. He was of amiable disposition, kind and considerate with his companions, a great help to his father in his business, and his early death will be generally and deeply mourned.

— Last week Mr. F. E. Lovell of Amherst, this State, bought out the drug and medicine stock of H. L. Flanders & Co., 361 Main street, with the fixtures of the store, good will, etc., and has taken possession and gone to work. He graduated from the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy in Class '84, has had 12 years practice in the business, and a thoroughly educated, careful and competent druggist if all reports are true. Mr. Lovell brings the best of credentials with him from the people of Amherst which assure this public that he is a gentleman who will make a firstrate member of community, a good citizen, and a valuable acquisition to our business classes. Mr. Lovell is a family man and has come to stay. No doubt Woburn people will give him and his family a cordial social and business welcome.

— The order introduced by Alderman Goddard to establish fire limits in this city was a move in the right direction. The order cannot be passed any too soon. The erecting of another wooden building in the business centre of the place should not be permitted. Our authorities should keep step with the onward movement of the day and generation. If Mr. Goddard's idea is at once adopted it will be but a little while before the trade section of the city will be covered with brick blocks, which will not only add greatly to the good looks and respectability of the city but will reduce the price of fire insurance to a minimum. It will not be long before fire will wipe out all the old wooden buildings on Main street, and with what kind of buildings shall they be replaced? They may all burn down this week and if the Goddard order has not been passed the owners will have the right to erect wooden ones which they could not do if the order were in force. We hope this matter will be attended to and favorably acted on at once.

— Mr. Ernest H. Clarke has been engaged as the trombone soloist with Gilmore's Band at the St. Louis Exposition. Concerning his advent in that city a recent number of the St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* say: "Mr. Ernest H. Clarke, the popular trombone soloist who made his debut in St. Louis Monday night, was born in Boston in 1865. Although only 25 years of age he is already a famous figure in the world of music, and his reception Monday night showed that the young American soloist was a decided success in St. Louis. The little Bostonian began his musical career at a very early age under the direction of his father, the well-known organist, Wm. H. Clarke, and ever since his debut in the musical world he has made a most brilliant record. He has played in nearly every city of the States, and even at this early age, he ranks as one of the foremost slide-trombonists in the United States. Personally, he has a good looking face, kind, frank and earnest eyes, brimful intelligence and manliness."

— Mr. S. B. Goddard, the leading policy writer in this city, has recently been appointed agent of The Employers Libility Assurance Corporation of London, England, one of the largest insurance companies in existence. As its name indicates the protection which it gives is to employers of working people, in which respect it differs from nearly all other corporations doing business. Under the laws of this State employers are liable to their employees for damages which the latter may suffer from accidents sustained while in the employ of the former and it is to cover cases of this nature that the Company was organized. It has a subscribed capital of $2,500,000, and an American Board of Trustees of which W. A. French and John Lowell of Boston are members. Mr. Goddard is meeting with marked success with this Accident Insurance Co. in this city. The leather manufacturers, carpenters and builders, machinists, etc., say it is just exactly what they have been looking for—it fills the bill—and Mr. Goddard has many good clients among these classes of people, which clientage is rapidly growing.

The old M. E. meetinghouse will be used for religious services for the last time on next Sunday. On that good-bye occasion Rev. Dr. Lindsey will preach the "Farewell Sermon" in the morning, and at 7 o'clock in the evening the Pastor, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, will preach on the theme: "Devoted attachment to the Church," which will have special reference to giving up the old church for the new and better one. Thus Sunday will be a season of deep interest to the Methodist people of Woburn and a solemn one withall, as parting and good-byes commonly are to those who are connected with them. They have worshipped a great many years in the old meetinghouse, during which it has become dear to them, and it will not be without a pang that they give it up. There are a great many pleasant associations connected with the house now about to be abandoned for ever; many fond memories cluster around its pews, pulpit and aisles; it has been the scene of many joys and sorrows; many beloved pastors have come and gone; death has called home many of the members—the edifice is full of recollections of all kinds and it is not to be expected that the people will leave it without regrets. But the ministers in the pulpit will tell all about these things next Sunday much better than the JOURNAL can, and to hear them most likely large congregations will be present.

Ye Soft Soap Days.

Time was when the hard wood ashes were stored away in barrels; when the household fat was saved, and in the spring out came a leach, and then began the making of the year's supply of soft soap. But now all this is changed, and when soap is needed, it is secured at the store, and "ten times out of nine," as Artemus Ward used to say, the order will go in for Brussels soap, for that is the best and most economical.

"Medford Baffled."

The Woburn reporter of the Boston *Globe* makes very free use of his scissors on the columns of the JOURNAL every Friday afternoon, a fact which he indignantly denies whenever charged with it. There is no smarter newsgatherer in the State than this *Globe* reporter, consequently he don't like to have it said that he cribs his juiciest tidbits and freshest news items from the live, wideawake and always reliable WOBURN JOURNAL, so when the other reporters accuse him of it he gets red in the face and sometimes indulges in unbecoming language. We threw out a piece of tempting bait to catch him with last Friday. For several months past he has been abnormally stirred up over the Mystic Valley sewerage question and has written for the *Globe* considerable matter of public interest on the subject. He is a close observer of the progress of the work of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission; he keeps an eye out on Medford; the effect of the tides on Mystic waters, and other kindred questions engross more or less of his attention. The JOURNAL knew it, and the JOURNAL accordingly threw out bait for gudgeons and landed one.

The public may recollect that last Friday's JOURNAL contained an account of the laying of a large sewer pipe from Main to Walnut street in this city for the benefit of Richardson Brothers laundry, and of the smart trick Mayor Johnson and Road Superintendent Jones played on the town of Medford. The alleged facts were all set forth with apparent candor and much particularity, including cost of work and pipes, a visit from a member of the Medford Town Board, etc., which gave the article all the appearance of being a true description of a genuine transaction.

On the next afternoon the *Globe* came out, under the head of "Medford Baffled," with a long story of the same matter, embelished, changed, enlarged upon, but containing the essence of the JOURNAL'S piece of fancy work got up to catch the *Globe* reporter. It was written in the reporter's best style and choicest English, and was admirably calculated to excite the combativeness of the good people of Medford, which appeared to be the writer's main object. Our esteemed gudgeon was "tickled half to death" over his smart piece of work. He had "scooped" the *Herald*, *Journal*, *Traveller* and *Record* reporters in fine style, and there is nothing that the *Globe* man enjoys more highly than to "scoop" his neighbors. Left thumb at his nose, spread fingers, gyrations of right flipper around left little finger (when he met one of the other reporters) all told only too plainly of the triumphant beating his heart.

But the best part of it was, the Medford people knew all about the JOURNAL'S bait for gudgeons so when the *Globe's* "Medford Baffled" came out it created no end of amusement for the good people who live and take their ease on the banks of the noble Mystic whose pellucid waters pass on to the sea unpolluted by the drainage of Woburn tanneries or other mechanical industries. Aye, the piece was nuts for Medford, and many Woburn people who had been let into the secret perused it with glee, but it will not do for the *Globe* reporter to deny hereafter that he finds rich pickings for his paper every Friday in the columns of the leading family newspaper, literary, local and political, in Middlesex county, the "old and reliable" WOBURN JOURNAL.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the Common Council was held last Thursday evening with Councilman Grant in the chair. Appropriations were made for the new water main to the reservoir, the new Highland school, and the sum of $7000 for a public park.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a meeting last Monday evening at which all the members were present except two.

A petition for the laying out of Stodard street was referred to the Highway Committee. Michael Denahay was recommended for $8 State aid. An order was passed to locate electric lights on Bedford, Burlington, Border and Green streets. The Treasurer was authorized to hire $7,000 for a Public Park at 4 per cent interest, giving 10 notes of $700 each, the first payable in 1891. The Treasurer was authorized to hire $14,000 for the new Highland schoolhouse and land giving 10 notes of $1,400 each, the first to come due in 1891. Adjourned to Wednesday, Oct. 1, at 8 p. m.

"Good-bye Time."

ED. JOURNAL: The Ladies of the Woburn M. E. Church are very desirous of calling attention to their unique and interesting "Good-bye Time" which will take place at the old church on Tuesday evening next. By the generous donations of citizens a large variety of articles will be for sale and all tastes will be gratified. Refreshments will be for sale and an entertainment of great interest and variety including music by the Woburn Orchestra will be provided. It will be an affair long to be remembered. It is hoped that the ladies will receive that encouragement to which their earnest labors are entitled. A committee will be in attendance to receive articles during the day.—INTEREST.

Lectures.

It has been a question in some people's minds whether or no there is intelligence enough in our 13,500 population to support courses of lectures, and the almost unanimous feeling has been that Woburn is a poor market for such literary wares. Now and then a short series has been fairly remunerative. There was Harry French's illustrated foreign travels; Clarence Pullen's illustrated New Mexico; and perhaps some others, although we fail to call them to mind at this moment; but on the whole the experience of adventurous platform orators and the societies and clubs that occasionally employ them to help fill out a course, has not been at all satisfactory. Hence, lecturers as a rule have steared clear of Woburn—and this community has been just so much the loser, or gainer, according as the question is viewed by different individuals from different standpoints.

It has, however, been the conviction of the JOURNAL all along that such timidity on the part of lecturers and societies was ill-founded. It has held, with but little wavering, that the educated circles of this place are sufficiently large to maintain good, properly conducted lecture courses in the season for them, and that they would be glad to do so were the opportunity presented. We have been of the opinion that an annual winter course possessing first-class merit would pay a fair profit to its organizers and managers. And that is still the JOURNAL'S belief.

In support of this position so far as it goes the fact may be stated that Rev. Dr. March of this city has recently delivered two Sunday evening lectures which attracted audiences larger than the seating capacity of the spacious main vestry-room of the First Congregational Church. The Doctor's theme was not what might be denominated a "popular" one and yet the people came out in great crowds to hear him. On Sunday evening, Sept. 14, he gave the first instalment of "Scenes in the Life of Paul," illustrated by stereopticon views found in cities and countries visited by the Apostle on his missionary tours; and on Sunday evening, Sept. 28, the second and last part of the lecture was given. It was a significant fact that, although every seat in the vestry was occupied on the first evening, the crowd was much larger on the second and after benches had been brought in to accommodate them many persons could only secure standing-room.

Admitted that Dr. March is an eminent biblical writer; an uncommonly interesting lecturer; that his knowledge of the subject was full and intimate; that his descriptive powers are extraordinary, and that he employed them in the most entertaining manner; still the very large attendance at these two Sunday evening lectures could not fairly be attributed to these facts alone. To the JOURNAL'S comprehension the unusually large gathering went to show that there is an intellectual element in this city of sufficient magnitude and possessing sufficient literary taste to warrant the opinion that meritorious courses of lectures would be liberally patronized and handsomely sustained by our citizens if given under a live, efficient management.

[For the Journal.]

Letter from Holland.

We were but a speck on the sea: our great steamship 420 feet long, between two oceans of water and air. We felt how insignificant we were! We were not sea sick, and arrived at Rotterdam about midnight, Saturday. Curious things in Holland; level ground, diked from the rivers and sea, canals everywhere, traffic done by boats, sloops and steamers. Rotterdam is cut up by water ways and obstructed by bridges, some of which are purely American. Light teaming is done by horses, donkeys, dogs, boys, men and women, and a man or woman or boy along with a dog or two, may be seen attached to a cart carrying produce, milk, bread or cheese. The society with the long name is needed here for animals. Could not understand a word of Dutch, for Dutch is not German. We went to the Haague, the royal residence, to Delft to see whence our Pilgrim fathers sailed (1620); returned by a steam launch on a canal; saw wind saw-mill with gang saws; and steam pumps without number for inundations. An interesting thing to us were the sloops made after the pattern of the Mayflower; these sail quite fast and carry large loads, and their pointed stems and sterns, their curious sails, narrow landing boards, queer rudders, and hawse holes looking like eyes carried us back in spirit to 1620, when our forefathers walked on these wharves and sailed on these canals. These ancient shaped vessels are characterized with extreme neatness and cleanliness. At a church we attended we heard fine choral singing, the congregation taking the melody and the large organ the harmony, and two collections were taken up one after the other. Behind the collector was the Treasurer carrying a large canvas bag for the money. Sometimes there are three collections at one service.

Haarlem is a clean place, even the horse cars and freight cars are clean. The Dutch have made the most of their opportunities, their land is rescued from the sea, which is kept out by pumping. There are many nice canals twenty feet deep, and fine water gardens, the land is under splendid culture, through mostly nothing but sand. The people get up early and sit up late. They make things last. I saw a public steelyard, ten by twelve feet, in use since 1623, and in good order. The bricks are laid for pavements edgewise and make but little show, but hold on well. Over four hundred mills at Zaardam, which I saw, grind grain, paint, drugs, and are used for making paper and for sawing lumber and for many other purposes. In horticulture the Dutch lead the world, they excel in painting, and the faces of the people are intelligent. Some of the women possess great beauty, and others are stouter for work than any women I have ever seen. They have their rights here—of work! I have seen them peddling milk and pushing their own wagons, managing shipping as sailor captains, working within fields as farmers, hauling carts along with dogs, shaking carpets in the streets, and going bare-headed in the rain, tugging along with and steering canal boats. The women and girls ride on the top of horse-cars and on the platforms. It is unpleasant to see women doing heavy outdoor work commonly performed in this country by men, but they seem healthier than the shop-girls of America, and the Dutch have a strong character. We saw the Spanish racks on which they were tortured in 1573 in their eighty years' war, when many thousands perished, and the iron bar, the knife, the brazier, the stocks, used at that time were shown. Holland has larger music interests than we. The people are in rich community. A city built on a sundry plain leads the world in horticulture. The parks are made of beautiful forests orderly planted, and of fine flower gardens. Herds of tame deer sport under the windows of the houses. Delightful paths wind in pleasant mazes and surprises please and ease the eye, and long rows of avenues arched overhead with foliage run in various directions. E. C.

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The Tennis Tournament.

Beginning with the fall of 1886 the annual tournament of the Woburn Lawn Tennis Club has been one of the events to which many of the JOURNAL'S readers look forward with interest and a faithful chronicle of which it has always been the aim of this newspaper to supply. Owing to the absence of our lady tennis reporter at Lenox on Saturday, September 20, to which fashionable resort she was called to report the tennis tournament for The London Pastime, no account of the first day's play on the grounds of the Mount Pleasant Association appeared in these columns. As gleaned from semi-official sources, however, the story of that day's sport reads about as follows:—

O tempora, O mores! In the preliminary round of this tourney J. L. Skinner beat this well known "athlete of a past decade" by the score of 6 0 6 0! There were few mourners at the funeral and the principal one was soon a corpse himself. One of the young ladies who witnessed the event said that the play of the defeated party reminded her of those lines of the In Memoriam

"The chestnut *pattering* to the ground."

In the event between Wright and Doyle the former won the deciding set after his opponent had him 5-2.

The great surprise of the day, however, was the event between Buss and Clewley. The latter was looked upon as a sure winner, but young Buss by playing the game of his life defeated his opponent quite handily.

In the first round another crack of ye olden time bit the dust of defeat. His slayer was young Buss, who elated with his success over Mr. Clewley, and finding that he had nothing but an empty reputation to play against—the vacuous shadow of former substance—came off victorious by the decisive score of 6-0, 6-2. The corpse at the previous funeral was chief mourner at this one and his lamentations were loud and long.

The defeat which Lounsbury received at the hands of Taylor was not altogether unexpected. Mr. Lounsbury had attended the supper of the Young Men's Association on the Thursday evening preceding and not even a quart bottle of moxie (*sic*)—he was *sick* after the event—was able to put him in winning form. As he has repeatedly defeated Johnson in practice games the past summer the result of the tournament was very nusatisfactory to him and by no means such as his friends had a right to expect.

Such in brief are the salient points of the tennis tournament on the opening day. Last Saturday afternoon was mainly taken up with the play in ladies and gentlemen's doubles. The events, which we will not attempt to describe in detail, were most interesting and enjoyable. The four ladies played good tennis, albeit nervousness and excitement sometimes had its influence on their play. Mrs. Clewley scored some exceptionally fine aces and played several rests with great vigor. It seems too bad that the ladies feel obliged to handicap themselves with long skirts and that some less cumbersome outfit cannot be adopted. At Narragansett Pier last summer the lady players who represent the most fashionable society of New York appeared in a semi-bloomer costume and their movements were correspondingly free and graceful. If low necked dresses and short sleeves are not considered immodest for the drawing-room and opera-house why must long skirts etc. be worn on the tennis field?

On Tuesday afternoon Messrs. Johnson and Skinner played for the honor of being the winner of the All-Comers. The match was exceedingly close and well contested. The first set went to Skinner by the score of 6-5, although Johnson at one time had the game 5-4 in his favor. Johnson won the second set very easily by the score of 6-2. The third and deciding set was one of the closest ever played in Woburn. With the games 6-5 in his favor Johnson was twice within one point of winning, and again with the games 7-6 in his favor the same opportunity presented itself, but Skinner proved equal to the emergencies and by some exceptionally fine play finally succeeded in winning the set and match by the score of 9-7. Here follows the complete score:—

PRELIMINARY ROUND.

Skinner beat Blodgett, 6-0, 6 0.
Wright beat Doyle, 0-6, 6-5, 7-5.
Buss beat Clewley, 6-2, 6-2.
Taylor beat Goddard, 6 3, 5-6, 6 2.

FIRST ROUND.

Johnson beat Wright, 6-2, 6-1.
Buss beat DeLorica, 6 0, 6-2.
Taylor beat Lounsbury, 6-4, 6-5.
Skinner beat Buck, 6-3, 6-2.

SECOND ROUND.

Johnson beat Buss, 6-4, 6-2.
Skinner beat Taylor, 6-1, 6-4.

FINAL ROUND.

Skinner beat Johnson, 6-5, 2-6, 9-7.

MIXED DOUBLES.

First Round.

Mr. Lounsbury and Mrs. Clewley beat Mr. Clewley and Miss Lena H. Brown, 6-4, 1-6, 6-3.

Mr. Johnson and Miss Emily H. Brown beat Mr. P. K. Richardson and Miss Edith Ramsdell, 4 6, 6-2, 6-3.

FINAL ROUND.

Mr. Lounsbury and Mrs. Clewley beat Mr. Johnson and Miss Emily H. Brown, 6-4, 3-6—unfinished.

Next Saturday afternoon it is probable that Mr. Skinner will play Mr. P. K. Richardson for the championship, and the consolation and mixed doubles will also be played at that time.

WOBURN POST OFFICE.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

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Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.
Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.08 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.45 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach. Subject: "Christian Manhood." Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly Concert. Mission Reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST.—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Evil Possibilities of Human Nature. At 2.30 p. m., Communion. Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p.m

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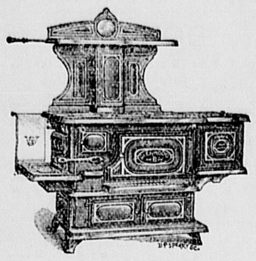

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Burlington Cattle Show and Fair.

There was an immense gathering of people at the Burlington Cattle Show and Fair last Wednesday. The most conservative of guessers set the number at 3,000, while others run the figures up to nearly twice that number.

A fairer autumn day—a sweeter, purer, brighter October day—was never made, and in this respect the Burlington Agricultural Society, which owes its birth and subsequent growth to the energy, pluck, industry and good sense of Rev. C. H. Washburn, pastor of the Congregational Churches of Burlington and North Woburn, was blessed by the Powers above.

That a Cattle Show and Fair of such huge proportions could be gotten up and put successfully through in such a small town in point of people, some miles distant from a railroad, farmhouses far apart, and no village to speak of, was a marvel to everybody. Hardly anyone (or any dozen of people) but Rev. Mr. Washburn could have accomplished the feat.

In the exhibition hall was a large layout of ancient things, curious relics of the earlier days of the town, odd pieces of all sorts of domestic wares, and these attracted much attention. (There is a good deal of old history in Burlington—historic spots, houses, furniture and the like).

There were many displays of fancy work by the ladies which held strong attractions for the fair sex and were almost continually hovered over by well dressed dames and maidens fair.

Immense tents were erected on the grounds and filled with people who reached the town in barges, in handsome metropolitan turnouts, in hacks, carryalls, wagons, buggies, and other modes of conveyance. The dinner tent was 60x180 feet in size, and there were two or three others only a little less in size.

Premiums were awarded to William H. Winn, Samuel and William H. Walker, J. I. Reed, G. H. and E. A. Bennett, Walter Skelton, Jonathan Simonds, Samuel Sewall, H. H. Nichols, Edward Reed, David and John O'Brien, Charles E. Merriam, J. Madden, William Graham and many other worthy citizens.

The dinner was prime, and the after-dinner speeches of the best, while the Woburn Brass Band, an old and first-rate musical combine, furnished the best kind of music in genteel sufficiency. The addresses were odoriferous of the farm and orchard; they were brief too and pointed. Among the well known gentlemen who occupied posts of honor at the feast, or more properly, the elevated seats in the synagogue were: President Thomas I. Reed, Vice-President Fernald E. Ham, Secretary Albert S. Wood, Treasurer W. H. Winn, Directors Samuel Sewall, Rev. C. H. Washburn, Edward Reed. There were 40 invited guests present, among whom were Rev. E. G. Porter and Rev. Carlton C. Staples of Lexington, Treasurer Marden of Lowell, Benjamin P. Ware, President of Essex Agricultural Society, Hon. B. T. Batcheller of Lexington, Rev. C. C. Hussey of Billerica.

The Fair was under the best of management and every department was properly superintended. The exhibition of stock, swine, agricultural, horticultural, dairy and other products was large and of high quality, for Burlington, although little, is away up in the pictures for the variety and choice character of the growths from her farms.

At least 1,000 people paid for tickets and sat down to the Society's dinner which had been prepared with much elaboration by the famous Boston caterer Tafts. It was a capital dinner, for, let it be here remarked, Burlington never fails to provide for and set before the stranger within her gates the fattest and sweetest things which her ample larder contains.

The speakers were: Hon. B. Ware, Hon. G. A. Marden, Rev. H. C. Parker, Rev. E. G. Porter, Hon. B. T. Bachelder, J. R. Reed, Esq., and William Winn, Esq.

Mr. Silas Cutler, probably the oldest person in Burlington—86 years—who was postmaster for 50 years, was a conspicuous figure in the fair.

The chief attraction was a vegetable man made of twenty-one different kinds of vegetables. He had his origin in the fertile brain of Mrs. Edna Walker who composed the verses he exhibited to the crowd. The following is a copy:

I am a cabbage and a squash,
A turnip and a beet,
A carrot and a parsnip,
And all are good to eat.

A melon and an onion,
A potato and some corn,
Some pickle and a cauliflower,
And I'm sitting here forlorn.

With radishes for eyes,
And beans for buttons, too.
With a turnip for a watch,
Oh my! what shall I do?

My seat is getting hard
For I've had to dig and delve,
And I'd like to have you all
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Y. M. C. A.

At 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, Oct. 7, regular Association business meeting.

Last Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock, 39 boys present: let us have at least 50 next Sunday.

Saturday evening, prayer meeting: subject, "Sowing and reaping." Gal. 6: 7-10. Good singing.

Come to the rooms next Sunday at 4 o'clock and you will enjoy it. Short talk on "What I Lost." Come and hear it.

The men's meeting is the one to which we invite all men of all ages, color, nationality, belief, &c. so that *no* man has an excuse to stay away.

A class in vocal music will be formed if 25 men or women will join it. Prof. Russell of the Public Schools to be teacher. Anyone can join whether members of Association or not by complying with the conditions, which can be ascertained of the General Secretary. Apply by Oct. 15.

All Day Bible Conference at Charlestown Thursday Oct. 9, from 9.45 A. M. until 9.30 P. M. The speakers are: Rev. J. P. Bixby of Revere Lay College, Rev. James M. Gray, Boston, Rev. C. L. Rhoades, Somerville and Geo. S. Avery, Boston Asst. Sec. of Boston Y. M. C. A. in the afternoon and in the evening an address. The Bible the Book for Young men. Rev. A. J. Gordon, D. D., Boston. All are invited to attend these meetings. The afternoon and morning session in the Charlestown Rooms and the evening Session will be held in the Trinity M. E. Church.

No. Woburn.

Rev. Mr. Washburn expects to leave his ministerial charge here in season to preach his first sermon at Falmouth on the third Sunday in Oct., although possibly he may not be able to do so. He is to have the same salary at Falmouth that is paid him by the No. Woburn and Burlington churches, that is to say, $1,200. There is a strong opposition in both parishes to his leaving his present charge, but matters between the two churches are getting to be somewhat inharmonious and Mr. Washburn fears that if he should stay he might become drawn into the controversy that is likely soon to arise over the question of a continuance of the union, or the employment of one pastor for both churches, and so he proposes to leave when he stands fair and almost everyone of his parishioners want him to remain. The friction between the Burlington and No. Woburn people does not grow any less as time passes, but on the other hand it seems to increase in intensity and the desire for separation is, apparently, stronger now than ever. Mr. Washburn has the sagacity to see what is coming and although the pressure is very strong to retain him, especially in Burlington, he thinks it will be better for all hands concerned for him to leave, which finally he has concluded to do. The people of both parishes have become very much attached to Mr. Washburn and family during the two years that they have lived here and the regrets at their leaving for another field are many and sincere. Mr. Washburn is not only an able preacher and faithful pastor but he is an energetic, pushing, go-ahead gentleman of practical business ideas, the benefits of which are now being felt by his parishes, especially the town of Burlington whose fine and successful Cattle Show and Fair last year and this, and the Burlington Agricultural Society, owe their origin to the good common sense and persistent efforts of Mr. Washburn. He and his family have made many warm friends in Woburn, Burlington and neighboring towns by whom their leave-taking will be deeply regretted.

WINCHESTER.

G. W. Payne and wife are absent on a Southern trip.

Our Band are to receive instruction from Prof. Collins of Boston.

There is talk of having a new street from Thompson street to Symmes corner. Good plan.

C. F. Lunt is Chairman of the Executive Committee of the V. I. A. and E. F. Johnson is Secretary.

"Citizen" gives "Sidewalk Loafers" "particular Jesse" in last week's *Star*. It was not a bit too severe though.

Dr. Adeline B. Church arrived in New York on the steamer Britagne from France last Sunday and arrived at her home here during the fore part of the week.

While at work in the Winchester School Furniture Factory last Friday James Hazlet of Woburn had the top of the fore finger on his left hand taken off by a circular saw that he was running.

Secretary Johnson's annual report of the financial standing of the W. V. I. A. shows everything to be lovely. The receipts for the year amounted to $500.93, and the expenditures, $471.77, leaving nearly $30 in the treasury.

A school for instruction in all the fashionable society dances will be opened in Harmony Hall, Saturday, Oct. 11, from 10 to 12 a. m. All the newest and latest dances will be taught and strict attention given to deportment. The classes will be most select, and the instructor, Mr. Frank L. Bryne, will be pleased to consult parents or guardians on that date.

The Congregational Sunday School adopted the following resolutions on the departure of two of its members who will prepare to enter the ministry:

WHEREAS Frederick H. Page, a teacher in this school, and Charles Edmund Dascomb, a former member of the school, are about to enter theological seminaries the present month, to prepare for the Christian ministry,

Resolved, That the school extends to each of them its glad approval of such purpose and action on their part, and its cordial interest and good cheer in the work and life before them.

A concert and ball complimentary to Mr. John Clark, will be held in the Town Hall on Friday evening, Oct. 10, the proceeds of which are to go towards helping Mr. Clark in a contest for a harness with Mr. Brady of Stoneham, which is to be voted for at the Stoneham fair. Well known talent will assist at the concert, consisting of clog dancing, song and dances, singing, whistling solo, etc., and Mr. Clark himself will give an exhibition of artistic club swinging, which alone would be worth the price of admission to see. As he is very popular in this town he will no doubt receive a large benefit, and thus help him to have the honor of bringing the harness to Winchester.

The Y. M. C. A. of this village are flourishing. The following is from the *Star*: The talent for the entertainment course was secured through the Y. M. C. A. Bureau, Boston, which is organized solely for the purpose of furnishing New England Associations with good and reliable talent. The most recent development of the Association work is in the missionary movement among the young men of heathen lands. Three Secretaries are now working on the foreign field, one in Tokyo, Japan, one in Madras, India, and another in China. The origin and growth of this special work for young men in heathen lands up to the present time will be discussed at the Association rooms next Sunday afternoon.

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Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL RECORD for October contains several pieces of new music, vocal and instrumental, besides musical news, gossip, correspondence and editorials. It is published monthly by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

The October number of OUR LITTLE ONES is one that will please the young folks and interest the old. It makes a great display of handsome pictures, every page containing one or more, while the stories, poetry, etc., found in it are of the very best. Published by the Russell Publishing Co., in Boston.

Although restricted to the domain of science, The Popular Science Monthly never fails to lay before its readers a pleasing variety in each issue. In the October number the article that will be most generally attractive is a plentifully illustrated description of Ancient Dwellings of the Rio Verde Valley, in Arizona, by Captain Edgar A. Mearns, M. D., U. S. A. Dr. Andrew D. White, ex-President of Cornell University, finishes his chapter on The Fall of Man and Anthropology in this number. Some of the remaining papers are: The Earthly Tabernacle, Liquor Laws Not Sumptuary, Mothers and Natural Science, Cotton Spinning, South and North, Irrigation in China, Rice and its culture etc. Published by D. Appleton & Co. N. Y.

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Those who appreciate having pretty tableware will be deeply interested by reading the advertisement "The Dining Room" on our local page this week. Messrs. Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom have recently completed arrangements with the English crockery house of J. & R. Boote, whereby they can offer dinner sets at remarkably low prices and announce this fact this week.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Young, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of October, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of James McDonald, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary McDonald, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah E. Webster, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and two codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Silas Dean, who prays that letters testamentary may be be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of October instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale and for a breach of conditions contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Richard A. Gladding and Elizabeth A. Gladding, his wife, in her own right, of Boston, County of Suffolk, dated February 24th, 1890, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Libro 1958, Folio 387, and being lots on a plan made by Walter H. Sears, dated April 18th, 1888, duly recorded in said registry, numbered as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 34, 35, 36 and 37, situated on and near Maple street, in Woburn, Mass., and containing about 135,000 feet of land, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the **20th day of October, 1890**, all and singular, said lots conveyed by said mortgage deed.

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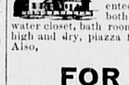

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THE VINEYARD PARABLE

LESSON I, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 5.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xx, 9-19—Commit Verses 13-19—Golden Text, Isa. liii, 3—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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9. "Then began He to speak to the people this parable: A certain man planted a vineyard, and let it forth to husbandmen, and went into a far country for a long time." He is now about to tell them of their history as a nation and of their treatment of their God and His servants from the days of their coming out of Egypt even unto His death at their hands. We are not left in any doubt as to who or what is signified by the vineyard, for it is written, "The vineyard of the Lord of Hosts is the house of Israel, and the men of Judah his pleasant plant" (Isa. v, 7). That also explains who it was that planted the vineyard—the Lord of Hosts. The husbandmen would mean the kings, prophets and priests who ruled over the people as God's representatives. His going away probably signifies the withdrawal of his manifested presence in the days of Samuel, when they desired a king, like other nations, thus, as He said to Samuel, rejecting Him and not Samuel (I Sam. viii, 7). Or it may refer to earlier days, when they relied on the ark rather than on God, who dwelt between the cherubim; or yet earlier, to the days of the judges when they forsook Him and He allowed their enemies to oppress them. The contrast to all this is the vineyard of which He is the True Vine and His Father the husbandman, and all the faithful are living branches.

10. "And at the season He sent a servant to the husbandmen, that they should give him of the fruit of the vineyard; but the husbandmen beat him and sent him away empty." We are very plainly told what fruit He expected; "He looked for judgment, but behold, oppression; for righteousness, but behold, a cry."

11. "And again He sent another servant: and they beat him also, and entreated him shamefully, and sent him away empty." As to beating and shameful treatment read Jer. xx, 2: "Then Pashur smote Jeremiah, the prophet, and put him in the stocks." Also xxxviii, 6: "Then took they Jeremiah and cast him into the dungeon, * * * and in the dungeon there was no water but mire; so Jeremiah sunk in the mire." Read also in II Chron. xviii, 23, 26, how Micaiah, the son of Imla, was smitten and imprisoned and fed upon the bread of affliction and the water of affliction just because he spake the truth for God.

12. "And again he sent a third: and they wounded him also and cast him out." These three sendings probably cover all the prophets from Samuel to John the Baptist. They might be divided into those before the captivity, those after the captivity and John, the immediate forerunner of Christ.

13. "Then said the Lord of the vineyard, What shall I do?" Not what shall I do to punish these guilty rebels, how shall I most quickly sweep them from the earth? That would need no planning. A moment's withdrawal of His mercy and they are gone. But He is considering what else He may do that He may win them to Him.

"I will send My beloved Son. It may be they will reverence Him when they see Him." Here is a glimpse of the love of God as seen in the councils of a past eternity.

14. "But when the husbandmen saw him they reasoned among themselves, saying, This is the heir: come let us kill him, that the inheritance may be ours." Like Joseph's brethren, who hated him and said, "Come now and let us slay him, and let us see what will become of his dreams" (Gen. xxxvii, 8, 20). If we did not know it to be a true story that is contained in this parable, we could hardly believe such ingratitude possible. Such unheard of love to be thus rejected and abused. I believe that the greatest fact in the Bible, and in all history, and the one least understood, is the love of God. Who among us begins to appreciate the greatness of that which is contained in John iii, 16? Who can fathom the height and depth or measure the length and breadth of the love of God, which passeth knowledge.

15. "So they cast him out of the vineyard and killed him. What therefore shall the lord of the vineyard do unto them?" Again He foretells His death. It is ever before Him. But the glory beyond lightens it up (Heb. xii, 2). He is thinking more of these poor blinded, self destroying people than of Himself. He shall rise again from the dead. He shall live forever. The kingdom shall yet be His. But those who die in rebellion against Him must perish.

16. "He shall come and destroy these husbandmen, and shall give the vineyard to others, and when they heard it they said God forbid." Matthew says that it was the people who gave the verdict (Matt. xxi, 41); it may have been the disciples who said God forbid; or the disciples may have given the verdict and the people have said "God forbid." These husbandmen are the enemies of chap. xix, 27, who refuse to submit to Him and must perish. The vineyard given to others He explains in Matt. xxi, 43, by saying: "The Kingdom of God shall be taken from you and given to a nation bringing forth the fruits thereof."

17. "And He beheld them and said, What is this then that is written? The stone which the builders rejected, the same is become the head of the corner." This is from Ps. 118, the latter part of which like Isa. xii refers to the Day of the Lord when He shall have become Israel's salvation. Notwithstanding His rejection and approaching death He constantly points forward to His ultimate triumph.

18. "Whosoever shall fall upon that stone shall be broken; but on whomsoever it shall fall, it will grind him to powder." This is from Isa. viii, 14, 15, and Dan. ii, 45, referring to the present and future result of refusing to receive Him. Jesus crucified and risen from the dead is the foundation and the only foundation on which to build for eternity (Acts iv, 10-12); and He tells us that the way to build is to hear and do His words (Matt. vii, 24, 25).

19. "And the chief priests and the scribes the same hour sought to lay hands on Him, and they feared the people: for they perceived that He had spoken this parable against them." What blinded fools they were, for in the next verse we see them sending out men who were to feign themselves righteous so as to catch Him in His words. After all His reading their hearts and telling their thoughts they still think to deceive Him, and this parable, which they see is spoken against them, instead of working repentance in them only makes them more bitter. How fully given over to Satan they must be. Let us never be the least offended by anything our dear Lord says or does or permits, but may all things draw us nearer to Him.

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The idea underlying Representative Burton's bill of having all redistricting of Congressional districts done by a State Board on which the two great parties are equally represented, is a good one.

A female factory inspector in Philadelphia says that in nine cases out of ten she finds that the operatives don't know where the fire escapes are.

SOUR MILK.

Buttermilk Good for Dyspepsia and Koumiss Good for Weak Persons.

In eastern countries sour milk which has undergone a species of fermentation is a regular article of diet. The Arabs are very fond of it, and consume daily a preparation of sour milk called koumiss. The virtues of koumiss have come to be recognized in our own country by the medical faculty, and it is ordered by them in cases of low fever and frequently with very successful results. Koumiss is very easy of digestion, and is exceedingly useful in cases of dyspepsia without acidity; it is also useful where there is a torpor of the functions of the liver, and many patients who can digest hardly any sort of food assimilate it with ease.

Buttermilk is recognized as a remedial adjunct in the relief of stomach and liver troubles, and many physicians attest its virtues in typhoid fevers. A buttermilk diet, it is claimed, will do wonders toward the relief of gastritis, but when undertaken the patient must not add other articles to his dietary, but confine himself strictly to the buttermilk, never eating during its course anything solid, unless it may be a bit of dry bread at least twenty-four hours old. The buttermilk diet must be heroically persisted in for a month to six weeks, according to the urgency or obstinacy of the case. A learned divine in New York, who suffered from gastric trouble, resolutely kept himself on this diet (buttermilk only) for over a month, and cured himself completely; nor did this regimen interfere with his labors at the desk. To avoid temptation he stayed away from the table, and when he felt the need of nourishment sipped buttermilk, taking from two to four quarts per day. Says a writer on the subject: The philosophy is simple. While buttermilk is inferior to skimmed milk in nutritive properties, it is still a valuable article of food. It is already soured and in a partially digested condition, so that the stomach has little to do in taking care of it. Besides this it furnishes its own "juices" in a large measure, so that the digestive apparatus is excused from much of the trouble. In a word, the lactic acid seems to meet a want. As a food and medicine it is simple and within the reach of all.

Koumiss is more agreeable to many persons than buttermilk, but one could hardly imbibe two or three quarts of it daily, as it would be too stimulating. It might, however, be taken to vary the routine of a simple buttermilk diet, and would be found very refreshing if it had previously been kept in a cool place. The writer knows the virtues of koumiss from experience, and can attest its property of being easy of digestion, and its mildly exhilarating influence, which is not at all like that of any other drink, combining with stimulation, as it does, a tonic effect which makes it so desirable. Koumiss may be made at home by adding a little sugar and yeast to milk and corking it up tightly in bottles. The mixture must be shaken up several times daily for three or four days to incorporate the solid and liquid portions thoroughly. The corks should be wired down, as quantities of gas are evolved, and they would otherwise fly out. Keep the bottles on the floor of a cool cellar. Koumiss may be drank by very weak persons, and generally is found very refreshing and strengthening.—Ladies' World.

Another Sauce.

The teacher told her scholars that the chewing of tobacco was a vile and reprehensible habit. One of the boys, with an air of importance, replied that he had seen a fellow chew because his tooth ached; he didn't think it could be called wrong to chew for such a purpose.

This answer pleased the rest of the scholars, and for a moment the teacher was at a loss how to meet it. Then she said:

"Horace, if a girl should have the toothache and wish to chew tobacco, what ought she to do?"

Horace scratched his head, but was equal to the emergency:

"She ought to have the tooth pulled," he answered.—Youth's Companion.

Onyx More Beautiful Than Marble.

Onyx is the same improvement over fine marble that marble is over ordinary stone. It also costs as much more. These are two reasons why people who are putting up fine houses in this town are beginning to use it. It differs from marble in taking on a higher degree of polish, in being harder, with a greater reflection, a firmer grain, more refined and delicate tints and prettier streaks. Streaked marble is not popular because it is usually not streaked in a way to add to its decorative effect. In onyx the delicate green fern, reddish and brown streaks appear beautifully on an ivory background.—New York Sun.

Replanting Peach Trees.

It is not advisable to set young peach trees in the same spots from which old ones have been recently dug out. True, the drain which the old trees have made upon the soil can be supplied by fertilizers, but the dead roots left in the ground are filled with fungus, which is likely to fasten in time upon the roots of young trees—Christian at Work.

Bound to Have It.

Tom—Heard of Crankleigh's latest?
Jerry—No. What now?
Tom—Bought a cow with the ague.
Jerry—Heavens! Why?
Tom—To be certain of having milk shake from the original package.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' book on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

The Australian system of voting seems to have been a pronounced success in Wyoming. It worked smoothly, and in connection with a good registration law tended to prevent fraud of any kind.

If the Alabama farmers who have formed a cotton "corner" can indicate where their tactics differ in principle from those of the much berated "trusts," they should hasten to enlighten a curious people.

OIL ON THE RAILS.

The Remarkable Manner in Which a Wild Engine Was Stopped.

"Talk about fast time," said a railroad man on the Missouri Pacific train the other day to his companion, "but I have never heard of a trip that would beat one I made myself some years ago, nor of any half so exciting. I formerly lived at Garrett, Ind., the terminus of the central division of the Chicago division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. I had little to do, and made the railroad yards my loafing headquarters. At that time the "Billy-O" had an arrangement with the Wabash to transfer all New York freight at Auburn junction, nine miles distant, to the east of us. This was done by the old switch engine, the 642, which made the trip to the junction daily.

"Well, one day I climbed aboard a box car when the engine left with a few cars of merchandise to transfer. There were six of us in the party—four yard men, another fellow and myself. We had a jolly time going down, made the transfer and were to come back 'light' that is, with nothing but the engine. We had all crowded on the tender, the signal was given and Gent Potter, the engineer, threw himself forward, pulled at the throttle valve and the engine jumped forward as if shot from a catapult.

"We did not think much of this at the time, as Gent was a fine engineer, and handled the engine to suit his fancy. We went tearing over the railroad crossings and frogs in a manner that was frightful. The tender rocked as if on hinges. Something must be wrong, we thought, as Gent was placing our lives in jeopardy. Climbing over the coal we found the cab full of steam, and Gent and the fireman hanging on the side of the engine.

"'Jump boys,' said they; 'jump, for God's sake! The throttle valve is pulled clear out, and the engine is running wild.'

"To jump would have been instant death. As one of the boys said afterward, the telegraph poles looked like a fine tooth comb. The mile posts flew by with unseemly rapidity. The yard foreman claimed that a mile was covered in thirty-eight seconds, and not one would doubt his word. St. Joe was in sight. Would the track be clear? Only three miles to Garrett, with its network of tracks, switches and spurs! The steam gauge registered ninety pounds. There was no hopes of the engine dying out in five or six minutes. With presence of mind the foreman dashed off a few words:

"'Engine wild; telegraph Garrett to clear track.'

"This he dropped as we passed St. Joe, and the operator, clear to comprehend the situation, sent it to the dispatcher on the east end without a 'call,' as we learned afterward. There was Garrett in sight, with its tall chimneys belching forth smoke; there were the yards filled with freight cars and engines. As we got closer we could see the men hurrying hither and thither. The other yard engine was rushing madly to the west end of the yard. The main track was clear. We passed the depot like a pursued victim. Pale faces watched us in our mad flight. We passed the railroad shops, and hundreds came running to see the cause of the commotion. The engine was in a quiver; the bell was ringing wildly with each sway of the engine; the escaping steam whistled as if demented, and fires blazed from the hot boxes. Then we saw something that made us think we were doomed.

"The switch to the coal chute was open, and the long ascent could only end in our destruction. We looked again, saw men working on the track, and then we knew we were saved. What were they doing? Why, bless my soul, friend, those fellows were oiling the track up the chute. We struck the ascent and slid up about 100 feet; and then the old 642 stood still and the wheels flew around; sparks came from beneath them like from an emery wheel. Gradually the engine slid down, the wheels still in the forward motion, and thus the engine died out. We all suffered a severe shock to our nervous systems, but had it not been for the presence of mind of the master mechanic, who ordered the oil poured on the chute track, I might not have been here today."

"And how fast did you go?"

"Well, the first six miles were made in less than five minutes; the last three were made in much slower time, as the steam was exhausting itself rapidly."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

New Trout.

In the last ten years five names have been added to the list of trout known in American lakes and streams. Two new species have been found—the Salvelinus Sunapee of Lake Sunapee, N. H., which was first noticed in 1881, but was not recognized as a new species until 1885, and the "yellow fin trout" (Salmo Mykiss Macdonaldi) of Colorado, which was named as an independent species in 1889. In addition three imported species—the common brown trout of Europe, the German saibling and the Lock Leven trout from Scotland—have found American homes.—Arkansaw Traveler.

Quick Wit.

Andrew Lang says of Americans that they are "almost too good company," and that their enlivening effect upon the "dejected Britons" with whom they are thrown is often very startling. Even among our most animated countrymen, however, conversation is not made such a distinct art as it was with the English wits a century ago.—Youth's Companion.

Hold It To The Light.

The man who tells you confidentially just what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's Balsam to the light and look through it; notice the bright, clear look; then compare with other remedies. Price 50c. and $1.

The latest absurdity in the form of what is called a "sympathetic" strike is the detention of the steamer State of Georgia, when just on the point of sailing from Glasgow, caused by the strike of the entire crew, prompted by the discovery that there was a non-union baker on board.

The Kentucky Constitutional Convention made a good beginning in its work by an amendment expunging the slavery clauses of the Constitution. The first resolution offered was one to get rid of that absurd anachronism.

FREMONT'S CARAVAN PROJECT.

Across the American Desert Before the Iron Track Was Thought Of.

Mrs. M. A. Bingham, widow of the late Gen. Bingham, met Gen. John C. Fremont in Kansas City in the days before the war, and has many incidents to relate of the Pathfinder. One of the most interesting refers to the meeting of Senator Benton and Gen. Fremont in this city forty years ago to discuss the establishment of a caravan route to California.

"I met Gen. Fremont along in the fifties," remarked Mrs. Bingham. "He came here and stopped several days at the famous Gillis house. I remember taking dinner with him. He was regarded as a brave, adventurous, daring spirit. We looked upon him very much as people of today look upon Stanley. At the time Gen. Fremont was in Kansas City planning for a caravan to travel across the great American desert. His right hand man in this project was Lieut. Beale, a civil engineer, educated at West Point. The father-in-law of Gen. Fremont, Senator Benton, was also here, and regarded the caravan scheme with favor. They proposed to import camels from Africa and use them in transporting goods overland along the route known as the Santa Fe trail. The camels were imported at a considerable expense, but the trip was found impracticable. The camels could not stand the climate. It was proposed to winter them in Texas or Southern California, but the project fell through, and the promoters of the scheme lost considerable money.

"I shall never forget," continued Mrs. Bingham, "how one bright sunny morning Gen. Fremont rode away from Kansas City on his way to California, looking every inch a soldier in his handsome uniform and military trappings. Reining his steed to one side, he said laughingly to me; 'When I come back, get your saddle ready and I will give you a ride on one of my camels.' I never had the privilege of taking that ride. Gen. Fremont soon forgot the camel scheme, and went off to new fields. The camel idea seemed perfectly feasible and practicable, but the idea of a Pacific railroad seemed preposterous. While discussing the caravan project Senator Benton said to me: 'You are young, but you will live to see the iron cars start from Kansas City and cross the mountains to the Pacific slope. I am old. I shall never live to see it. But I have confidence in the country, and I believe in the future of the railroad. This little town of 300 inhabitants will yet become one of the great cities of the world.'

"I could not comprehend such a project. I was surprised at its magnitude. Visions of my school days of the great American desert, second only to Sahara in size, the geographies said, came flitting through my brain, and I remarked:

"'But, senator, how about the great American desert? How can they ever cross it?'

"'That is nothing,' he replied. Standing in the moonlight on the portico of the famous old Gillis house, impressive and majestic in manner, the aged senator has seemed to me ever since a prophet. The caravan, which seemed so plausible, a failure—the Pacific road, which seemed so far away, a success. Who can tell what to expect?"—Kansas City Times.

The "Potato Cure."

The removal of foreign bodies from the stomach by the so called potato cure consists in requiring the patient to eat large quantities of potatoes, which have the effect of proportionately dilating the whole intestinal canal, so that the foreign body is enveloped and cannot cling to any part during its passage. Dr. Salzer showed at the clinic of Professor Billroth several foreign bodies which in this way had been removed—one of these being a weight of five and a half drams, which had been swallowed by a child; the second a set of artificial teeth upward of five centimeters long and three centimeters broad, and the third was a needle. Many gastrotomies could be obviated by this method in the case of swallowed foreign bodies.—Exchange.

Diplomacy.

"Papa," said the young mother, "I've decided on a name for baby; we will call her Imogen."

Papa was lost in thought for a few minutes; he did not like the name, but if he opposed it his wife would have her own way.

"That's nice," said he presently. "My first sweetheart was named Imogen, and she will take it as a compliment."

"We will call her Mary, after my mother," was the stern reply.—Harper's Bazar.

The Dog in Humane Literature.

Every now and then we get a letter from one of those unfortunate people who would be glad to have all the dogs exterminated. To such we would say, you might as well attempt to strike out the gospel of St. John from the New Testament as the songs, stories and pictures of the dog from our humane literature. The world has settled that matter long ago, and through the ages the dog will occupy a high place in the regard and affection of millions of human beings.—Our Dumb Animals.

It Made a Slight Difference.

Jones—I am opposed to working on Sunday. It's wicked.

Tough Citizen—Well, that's not the way you used to talk.

Jones—I know it, but I'm working for the government now.—Texas Siftings.

Cashier

Wm. E. Durgin of the Boston Loan Co., 275 Washington street, says: I recommend Sulphur Bitters as the very best medicine I have ever used. There is nothing like them to give an appetite, tone up the system, and do away with that languid feeling which is so frequent among those confined indoors.

Connecticut Democrats are not in a very harmonious condition, the disposition of the free trade element to take passession of and administer on the effects of the party being strenuously resented by the tobacco raisers and other protectionists.

A Kalamazoo census enumerator not only asked all the fool questions on the blanks, but also inquired the politics of every person he canvassed. He took the political census in a little book and now wants to realize on the information he obtained by selling the book.

The Turquoise.

The following anecdote quoted by Emanuel, a writer on gem lore, from an old treatise on precious stones, illustrates the peculiar value which this class of gems derived from superstition. "One of my relatives," runs the story, "possessed a turquoise set in a gold ring which he used to wear on his finger as a superior ornament. It happened that the owner of the ring was seized with a malady of which he died. During the whole period in which the wearer enjoyed his full health the turquoise was distinguished for unparalleled beauty and clearness; but scarcely was he dead when the stone lost its luster and assumed a faded, withered appearance, as if mourning for its master. This sudden change in the nature of the stone made me lose the desire I originally entertained of purchasing it, which I might have done at a trifling sum, and so the turquoise passed into other hands. However, no sooner did it obtain a new owner when it regained its former exquisite freshness and lost all traces of its temporary defects. I felt greatly vexed that I had lost the chance of procuring such a valuable and sensitive gem."

This is not an infrequent occurrence I think. One of my own little daughters—a child, at the time, of 9—was quite ill with a bilious fever. She wore a turquoise ring which had been presented her at Christmas, and of which she was very fond. One day she called to me in great distress, "Oh, mamma, my pretty ring is spoiled." I went to look at it, and saw that it had indeed lost its luster and its beautiful blue and was dull and queerish in tint. I then told her the story of the turquoise, and asked her to notice as she grew better if the color and liveliness came back to the stone. She did so, and it was with great joy that on her recovery the turquoise in her ring was as blue and pure as ever. Whatever her elders may say to her the child firmly believes that her ring will tell her when she is ill.—Sally Joy White in Ladies' Home Journal.

Tower of Babel.

Three different piles of ruins in Babylonia claim the distinction of being remnants of the original tower, the building of which caused the confusion of tongues. A full account of this remarkable semi-historical event may be found in the eleventh chapter of Gensis. The first of the three ruins above mentioned is the celebrated Nimrud's tower, near Akkurkef; the second on the east bank of the Euphrates river, five miles above the modern city of Hillah; third, the conical mound known as Birs Nimrud, six miles and a half southwest of the city last named above—all in Babylonia. Biblical scholars throw the weight of their opinions in favor of Birs Nimrud as being the site of the proposed heaven penetrating shaft.

The ruins at this point, which consist mainly of kiln bricks, huge stones and vitrified mortar, almost hidden from sight by sands, the accumulations of centuries, are 198 feet in height and nearly 800 yards in circumference. Sir R. K. Porter, who has given much study to the Birs Nimrud ruins, believes its vitrified appearance to be the results of numerous lightning strokes, conclusions which, taken in connection with the tradition that the tower was destroyed by fire from heaven, forms an interesting subject for thought. Porter also says that, with the exception of natural accumulation and decay, the tower is, in his estimation, almost in the exact condition as left at the time of the confusion.—St. Louis Republic.

Shooting by Motor Power.

Electricity is becoming an important factor in all calculations pertaining to warfare. The latest conception in this line is the firing of Gatling guns by electric motor power. The Crocker-Wheeler Motor company now have in their new shop a Colt Gatling gun, to which they propose to attach one of their motors, by the operation of which it will be possible to fire 1,000 per minute. The heating of the barrels will be the only limitation to rapidity of firing. By the hand method it is possible to discharge 500 shots per minute. One thousand shots a minute would soon annihilate an army.—New York Journal.

A Bandit's Wife and Son

Little Jesse James, the son of the dead bandit, is making quite an income out of the sale of pebbles from his father's grave to tourists who frequent the old homestead at Kearney, Mo. Mrs. Jesse James is a pretty, quiet little woman, who fully appreciated the devotion of her husband. She says that her husband was at all times kind and attentive, "yet he was a criminal in the eyes of the law, and finally met an ignominious death by being shot in the back by the paid assassin of Governor Crittenden."—Interview in Denver Republican.

When Lawn Tennis Was Started.

Lawn tennis was introduced in England, and first bore the queer title of sphairistike. Under this title it was patented by Maj. Wingfield, but it was not till 1876 that it really began to take the public fancy. The first championship ever competed for was held at Wimbledon on July 9, 1877, when there were only twenty-two entries.—Chatter.

Self Convicted.

He (savagely)—I am convinced, madam, that you made a fool of me when I married you.

She (calmly)—How inconsistent you are, my dear. Haven't you insisted all along that you are a self made man?—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Big Money in Theatres.

The number of new and pretty theatres which sprang up like mushrooms in the far west has fallen off, many of their projectors—knowing nothing about the theatrical business having failed; but those that have been built within a few years are marvels of beauty and convenience, not alone for the audience, but for the actors, who will not any longer dress in filthy and cold dressing rooms. And why should they when the total receipts from all kinds of theatrical performances throughout the United States during the forty-two weeks of what is called a theatrical season amounts to over thirty millions of good American dollars, worth just one hundred cents each?

The Dow Liquor Taxing law in Ohio, which the Democrats antagonized so vehemently, has brought to the public treasury the past year $2,500,000.

Woman's Column.

Free and Equal.

The following address was given by A. E. Mason at the recent Indianapolis lawn fete in aid of the equal suffrage amendment campaign in South Dakota:

We are met to celebrate the glory of equality. From of old, Englishmen declared that all men ought to be free, but it was a Frenchman who first added the words "and equal."

There is in these days a movement in society, world-wide, which sets toward human equality. Commencing in the last century, gathering power in each generation, it has increased until it forms the most significant fact of the age. It demands the abolition of all conventional and artificial inequalities in the relations of life. The flood is out, and beyond the power of man to stop. It carries on its bosom a thousand reforms.

With us, it has abolished kings and a hereditary nobility. It has equalized taxation. At death, it divides the property equally among the children. In fashion, it has done away with liveries, and dresses master and servant in precisely the same costume. It has changed the relations of parent and child, of husband and wife, of teacher and pupil, of employer and employee; has brought them nearer together, made them more nearly equal. It has placed the pew on a level with the pulpit; has achieved the extension of suffrage; has caused the State to provide equal education for its children, and equal charities for its unfortunate.

Of this movement, Burns is the poet, Dickens the novelist, Millet the artist, and John Stuart Mill the philosopher.

The woman's suffrage movement is, therefore, only a part of this great modern revolution, still unfinished, having for its object human equality. When Rousseau's splendid but diseased genius flamed across Europe, by its light men saw that the "perpetual, natural, unceasing and indefeasible sovereign" was the people. Yet the new forms of government, both in America and in France, were to some extent recast in the old mould of barbarism. The mounting wave could roll no higher. As in the most primitive stages of society, the political unit was made the family, and not the individual.

The subjection of woman comes down to us from the earliest times. It strikes its roots into that ancient law which gave the father despotic power over his children. Trace back these notions far enough, and you will find their source in caves and hollow logs, the homes of our naked forefathers. There, with foreheads an inch high and teeth an inch long, club in hand, they founded the empire of force, the despotism of the family. The fireside was the first place for the spirit of monarchy to enter, and is the last place for the spirit of democracy to penetrate.

The progress of civilization is a warfare, a war of light with darkness, of truth with falsehood, of the illuminated intellect and the rectified heart with the barbarism of ignorance and the animalism of the savage. Let us, as far as in us lies, help to carry forward civilization. Let us welcome new ideas, and every reform which seeks to destroy artificial inequalities among mankind. Let us no longer deprive woman of the ballot. Let us open to her every path in life, so that she may freely choose that for which her nature best fits her.

On the sunburnt plains of the West, this new movement is now carried on by braver pioneers than those who first penetrated its unpeopled solitudes. Let us believe that the pioneers of this reform, no less than they who crossed the plains in covered wagons and built their cabins by the river-side, are engaged in a warfare with savage barbarism. To these new pioneers, let us send to-night this message of hope, "Be of good cheer, you will overcome the world."

Mrs. Willing says, apropos of the discussion on the admission of women to the Methodist General Conference: "Miriam was in the General Conference of God's Church, for it is said: 'He led the people forth by Moses, Aaron, and Miriam.'"

Miss Eleanor McAllister, M. D., of Newburgh, N. Y., has been appointed assistant physician at the Buffalo State Asylum for the Insane. She held a similar position in Willard Asylum last winter and spring, by appointment, to fill a temporary vacancy.

A Danish lady, Froken Neilson, has founded an institution in Paris at 28 Rue Des Acacias, to supply for the sick, nurses speaking all the principal languages. These nurses can be sent to any part of France, or even to foreign countries, if desired. There is also in connection a school for the training of nurses.

The Women's Industrial Union of Vienna has 771 regular members and 94 others, is worth $70,000, and supports 16 schools and courses of study, attended by 1,666 pupils, 248 of them in a high school. Though the tuition is necessarily high to support these schools, they are completely filled. Many of the girls are educated by charity.

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is among the most distressing and disgusting ills the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the multitude of modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising.

Use of Cold Water.

Fresh cold water is a powerful absorbent of gases. A bowl of water placed under the bed of the sick room and frequently changed is among the valuable aids in purifying the air. The room in which the London aldermen sit is purified by open vessels of water placed in different parts of the room. It can be easily inferred from this that water standing for any length of time in a close room is unfit for drinking. It has frequently been observed that restless and troubled sleep has been corrected easily by placing an open vessel of water near the head of the bed.

The declining powers of old age may be wonderfully recuperated and sustained by the daily use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for September 20, and 27, contain The Change of Government in Germany, Chairs by the River, Odd Foods, Chapters from Some Unwritten Memoirs, Part II., Kings of Sweden and Holland, Cardinal Newman, The Lost Lakes of New Zealand, A Great Russian Police Officer, Robert Browning, Progress in Japan, The Modern Spirit in Rome, Dryden and Scott, Eight Days, Part IV., Five O'clock Tea, and poetry and miscellany. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price (8) is low; Littell & Co., Boston are the publishers.

HARPER'S MONTHLY for October comes laden with good things, literary and pictorial. Its papers are uncommonly interesting, bright and timely, as the following partial enumeration of the table of contents will show: Agricultural Chili which is illustrated with 14 fine pictures of life and scenes in that distant South American country; Antoine's Mooseyard, another profusely illustrated paper of much interest; Nights at Newstead Abbey, the home of Lord Byron with several spirited pictures; New Moneyes of Lincoln's Administration; Reminiscences of N. P. Welles and Lydia Maria Child; stories, poetry, etc.

HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Co., Boston; and by Sparrow Horton at the Woburn Bookstore.

The October ARENA is a credit to Boss-Boston. The table of contents embraces the names of many leading thinkers, among whom are Dr. George F. Shrady, and Prof. James T. Bixby. The No-Name paper is on the Post-master-General and the Censorship of Moral. W. H. H. Murray pleads manner for an endowed press. [A fine photogravure of Mr. Murray forms the frontispiece of this issue]. Prof. W. S. Scarborough, a scholarly colored man, whose portrait adorns a page in this issue, ably argues the cause of his people. Prof. Sheridan P. Wait writes in a most brilliant and fascinating manner on the Symbolic Characters of the Old Testament. Gen. Marcus J. Wright describes the Prorogation of the British Parliament. Rev. Edward P. Foster writes in defence of Christian Socialism. Abby Morton Diaz contributes Development of Character in Schools. Our Unchurched Millions, while distinctly radical, is provocative of thought. Rev. T. Ernest Allen contributes a short story. A short poem written by the wife of ex Senator Grover closes the leading papers of this brilliant issue. The Notes on Living Problems are as timely as they are able. Cyrus Field Willard calls attention to the evils of Trusts; Edward A. Oldham contributes a timely paper on the Great Political Upheaval in the South; C. A. Seiders criticises Senator Hampton on the Race Problem. The Editorial Notes deal with the death penalty and the alarming symptons too manifest to even casual observers of the growing contempt for law. Taken as a whole, the October ARENA surpasses in excellence any issue of this able review that has yet appeared.

The Lexington Republicans set a good example, not only by turning out in good numbers at their caucus, but by adopting vigorous resolutions commending Speaker Reed and approving the Federal Elections bill.

Brown (excitedly)—My watch has been stolen. Jones (interested)—What kind of a one was it? "It cost $500." "That's a good deal of time to lose, ain't it?"

Groom—A ring around the moon is the sign of—? Groom—Reign.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, A. M., 12 M., 2.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, A. M., 1.05, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

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Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.33, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

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Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.50, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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MARIETTA'S IDEAL.

Marietta Polli stood at the corner of one of the side streets of Naples, past which the great post road from Gaeta to Policrasta ran. She had her small, rough table near by, and she played her guitar, singing the while to her accompaniment. Her entire property consisted of the already mentioned rough and rudely painted table, a colored saucer that stood upon it and in which the passers by now and then dropped a coin, and her guitar—for by profession she was a street singer.

Every morning found Marietta at her stand. She placed the empty saucer upon the table, and taking the guitar sang from 7 until 8 o'clock sacred songs, from 8 o'clock until 12 songs from the best known operas. Then from noon until evening national love songs. During the evening she sang a miscellaneous collection of character songs. As soon as it grew dark a small lamp with a red shade was lighted and placed upon the table near the saucer. As the clock struck the hour of 11 Marietta blew out her light, drew the strap of her guitar over her shoulder, emptied the saucer of its contents into her pocket, and hanging the lamp on a bracket fastened in the wall above her stand raised the table to the top of her head and walked off. Her nights were spent in the hall of a house which was regularly closed at 12 o'clock. In this hall a shoe mender kept his working bench, and it was upon this bench that Marietta made her bed. Marietta was one of a family. Her mother made her living by selling pocket handkerchiefs, opera glasses, cigars, spectacles and any other such things which her light fingered boys picked from the pockets of strangers and residents alike.

Mme. Polli understood the business well, and knew how to keep the boys at work. But some days trade was not good and then they had to go hungry. Once a week they all met at the "grand promenade" ground. Then Marietta gave each boy an orange and some chestnuts, and to the mother some money. Soon she would leave them and disappear among the crowd. The boys passed their nights in boxes, under baskets, or on the ships in the harbor. At noon they always joined their mother in one of the "macaroni kitchen's," where they delivered their wares and fed themselves upon macaroni cooked in oil, stewed apples and fried fish, all of which they procured for fifty centesimi, and, if business had been brisk, they would spend sixty or seventy centesimi. Then they left, parting each for his place of business.

So lived this family of Polli, whether it was right or wrong, making the most of their talents.

Marietta was the most respectable of them all, for she dressed well, spent her nights regularly upon her bench, and also earned quite a sum of money. Her brothers reckoned she must make as much as three lires a day, during some parts of the year, and they often wondered whither it could be that she carried the money, and what became of it. This was a question which puzzled both mother and brothers, but only in times of great needs were calls made upon Marietta's bounty, and then she gave sparingly, but yet enough.

Marietta's beauty was well known From her father, who by birth was a Roman, she inherited her wonderfully fine figure, her clear, broad forehead, and her beautiful eyes. From her Sicilian mother, her handsome nose, the small, firm mouth, and the wealth of black, curly hair, which blew about her when she threw back her head in the act of singing, and the melancholy look which came into her eyes as she sang, but which changed into a smile if by chance some passer-by favored her with a bit of money.

With men in general she had little to say, yet, as she passed along in her singing, her neighbor upon the corner (who sat all day behind a basket of dried pumpkin seeds, across the top of which was arranged a board, upon which were displayed the seeds) would stop a moment now and then to talk. The profession of street singer had, even among her class, a certain social standing, and she was thought to be a good girl and had the respect of all, many a wealthy family helping her by gift of clothes. Even the old "Principal Dorandi," as he passed her stand each morning upon his way to the Palazzo used to speak to her, and he left her at his death ten hundred lires.

Marietta demanded a great deal of respect, and strangers who dared to smile upon her received only cold looks and scornful frowns. Even the most flattering remarks upon her beauty were without avail. A suitor from the "Hotel de Rome," with his gold braided coat, was dismissed with a great deal of contempt. This was occasioned somewhat by Marietta's ideal. Her great wish, and that which possessed both heart and mind of the Neapolitans of her standing, was that of being a proprietor of a one horse coach, which can be driven through the entire city, and which both rich and poor alike might use. Marietta not only dreamed of some one who might own one, but Sunday afternoons, when she did not sing, she, dressed in her light blue holiday dress, with the pale yellow kerchief and red gold hoops in her pink, shell like ears, would pay one lire for a drive from one end of the city to the other and back, being the entire course.

So great was her happiness in this ride that as she rode along she gazed out as proud as a queen, her eyes sparkling, and she as joyous as if it were her very own. Many were the young men who were pleased with Marietta, and many were the offers which she rejected on all sides, for none possessed the one thing necessary. Whether all coachmen came into the world married was a question Marietta often asked herself. She displayed a great deal of tact with these carriage drivers, for no sooner had she taken her seat in the carriage than she ascertained whether they were married, and she was in great despair in not being able to find one unmarried.

So time passed on, but no driver came in Marietta's way who wanted to make her his wife. The much dreaded five-and-twenty years crept nearer. At this age Italian women begin to lose their beauty, and Marietta thought with horror that she could not hope to be an exception. She knew that when another year came she could no longer stand at the street corners without being laughed at. The profession belonged to youth and beauty alone, and she had no other way by which to earn her bread. What should she do? At a school she had never been, and she was not rapid enough with her hands to procure an engagement in a factory. Then, too, in Naples there are not so many such places to be had, and what there were were filled by underpaid girls. To be a water carrier was the only thing left, and yet in every second house could be found many doing the same thing, and the business was almost overrun anyway by boys. To do as her mother did she could not, for she knew what was right and prided herself upon her honesty. There came an idea to her. From a friend who had traveled she learned that in Switzerland there were women doctors and women telegraph operators, and the friend, after telling her of several other positions held by women, ended by saying:

"They were employed at the railroad stations"

Now Marietta thought in her little head that if all these places were filled by women, and as no coachman came for her, why should not she offer herself as a coachwoman? It would be a perfectly respectable vocation, and no one could say her nay. Then, too, one would have the pleasure of riding all the long day through, and all the while receive pay for doing it. Then, as first coachwoman in Naples, she would be very much more admired than as a street singer, and in a short time she could give up and live upon the interest of the money that she had earned. This was the conclusion to which Marietta came, after hours spent in deep and earnest thought. It was not anything strange to her, a street singer; so, when she had arranged it clearly in her mind, she was very happy. She took her bank book to the wife of the shoe mender, to reckon her interest for her and she found (a fact which Marietta well remembered) that she had 930 lires, that she had saved from the money gathered on the street, and which was held in safe keeping for her at the national bank.

Beside her strong, clear voice, Marietta had a genuine ability to make a bargain; so she betook herself to a cousin of hers who was still young and had saved for herself some money. She offered her the stand with table and guitar if she would like to buy. The cousin entered gladly into the advantageous bargain, and the next morning those who passed that corner of the Strada San Ferdinando, found in the place of the stately beauty Marietta, a very sallow young person, around whose neck was the well worn green ribbon upon which hung the old guitar, and who sung to it as if she were singing out her very life, standing by the weather stained table.

Marietta hastened to the widow of a lately deceased carriage driver. She was close and hard to drive a bargain with, but she succeeded in procuring from her a rather lean horse, a carriage, painted but recently a bright red, a new rug, and two brilliant lanterns under the driver's seat. Happy was she in the possession of these costly things, for which she had been obliged to part with 700 lires. After this bargain, she went to Melito, a short distance from Naples, whence an omnibus went regularly to Naples, seating herself by the driver, who for her ride money, taught her to drive. He looked upon the affair as fun that brought in money, and he was willing to aid her. So Marietta rode eight-and-twenty times the four hours' route, and after that apprenticeship, she thought herself well taught.

One day she presented herself at the place were carriages are usually hired in Naples. It was strange to her, and a trifle awkward, too, when she placed the lacquered hat upon the curly hair and held her whip in her hand. The streets were strange, too, with the many passers by, as she stood or sat waiting for some one to drive. Hardly had she been ten minutes at her place before people began to stop and look. Soon a large crowd collected about her. The police soon followed. There were two sergeants with their large hats, two officers with their gray mantles, but without numbers, two ordinary officers with their black coats and numbers, and several others whose business it was to keep the peace. They laid hands upon horse and carriage at the same time and demanded her license papers. Marietta had none. She had not known the need.

"Your carriage has a number, but your lanterns have been cleaned—as they should be—and you have neglected to replace the numbers upon them. What have you to say? Explain yourself!"

"You have no license?" remarked one of them.

"No," answered Marietta.

"Follow us, then, to the central office, to the chief of police."

He turned and looked at one of the officers. Marietta was very pale and shook so that the horse became uneasy and pricked up his ears.

"Come down and hand over to us the horse and carriage," said the officer.

Poor Marietta began to cry, at which the gathering crowd laughed loud and long. During the conversation so many had gathered that not a few were the remarks made upon a woman being a carriage driver. They had heard of different things being done by women, but never before of a horse and carriage for hiring having a woman as a driver.

Some shouted:

"Marietta, the singer, turned coachwoman!"

For among the crowd were those who knew her, and they were very much interested to see how all this would end.

Marietta moaned and cried, but did not move to come down from the box. She knew not what she did, from fear and anger. The crowd began to take sides, they waved their hats, shouted and pushed each other from side to side. The police showed they had little control. Through the crowd a young man pushed his way, and rather impertinently, yet quickly, stood beside the carriage.

"What is the matter?" he asked, breathlessly.

"She has no license."

"I have one, but no carriage. I will take this one," he continued, in rather a loud voice.

He was a fine looking young man, but poorly clad, and in every way showing that the world had not gone very well with him.

"May I do so?" he called to Marietta, who was still upon the box, at the same time handing to one of the police a rather soiled paper which he took from his pocket. Marietta, from fright, understood nothing.

One of the police then spoke:

"The signor has a license and will be responsible for you."

Marietta did not yet understand.

"He wants to marry me?" she shouted.

At this the crowd became more noisy. The tears stood in her eyes as peal upon peal of laughter rang out upon the air.

"That I don't know," replied the sergeant, but he added, smiling: "Perhaps he will. Now, however, he will, with his license, take charge of your horse and carriage, for even had you a license, as a woman you would not be allowed to drive about Naples. You understand now?" said the sergeant.

"Yes," replied Marietta, looking the new driver full in the face.

The shouts of the crowd rent the air. They cheered him for such gallantry in taking charge of the carriage, and wished all happiness to the signorina.

Marietta left the box. Thankfully she held out her hand to her preserver, who looked pleasantly at the round face, framed in with the wealth of black curls, and her dark, sparkling eyes.

"My good people," said the sergeant, "you must follow me to the office, where the number of this carriage must be entered in your permit, before it will be correct. Do you give this horse and carriage to this license?" he said, turning to Marietta.

"Yes," she answered, and looked her thanks as she lifted her eyes to those of her new friend, who from his sallow complexion and general ways, betrayed his Neapolitan birth.

"Please seat yourself in the carriage," said the sergeant to Marietta. He till now had managed, and he intended to continue to do so. Marietta did not feel so proud as she was wont to do upon the Sunday drives, yet she was quite contented as she entered the carriage.

The young man mounted the box. The sergeant shouted, "Make room," and slowly, guarded by six policemen and followed by a large crowd, the carriage was driven to the police station.

It was but a short time before everything was arranged for all parties satisfactorily. Marietta gave up her horse and carriage to the young man with a license, but who was without a horse or carriage. So it followed that she found her ideal in reality. After a few weeks they concluded to marry, and in a short time the husband was able to keep another horse, and then their prosperity was assured. They were very happy together, although she was some years his senior, and he could never refuse her anything.

On Sunday afternoons she took her usual ride with the married man; but the difference was that the driver belonged solely to her, and was proud to have her for the occupant of his carriage.—*Translated from the German by A. M. F. for New York Ledger.*

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Literary Notices.

Noticeable in this month's ST. NICHOLAS is the article Through a Detective Camera, by Mr Black, the well-known amatuer, and illustrated with bits of child life; the street scenes are as perfect as insects in amber; the hokey-pokey ice-cream man is a *genre* picture complete, and his Italian baby is a history of a down-trodden vace in miniature. Frederic Villiers tells of his narrow escape from asphyxia. A real juvenile story is Betty's By and By. Another story with a sly moral administered is The Gwynnes' Little Donkey. This tells of the substitution of a pet donkey for the overworked drudge of a tinker's cart. A novelty is An Old English Folk-song. Other features are a short illustrated life of Edward the Sixth; a toothsome poem by James Whitcomb Riley; a bright story by J. O. Davidson; a clever poem designed to teach the hollowness of kings and queens, grandeur, and many other bright pictures, clever hits in verse, well-sustained departmental attractions, and all the serials. The man who can not find interesting reading in this number should consult his physician.

The October CENTURY opens with a frontispiece portrait of Joseph Jefferson. The last instalment of the autobiography accompanies the familiar face, an instalment which the author considers the most important of all, perhaps because it contains, at considerable detail, his own final reflections upon the art of which he is an acknowledged master. It is doubtful whether such subtle and at the same time practical suggestions can be found elsewhere from a source so authoritative. Professor Darwin, of Cambridge, England, a worthy son of a great father, contributes a paper of high and original value on Meteorites and the History of Stellar Systems. A striking photograph of a nebula, in which a system like our own solar system seem to be in actual formation, accompanies this remarkable paper. Among other fresh and able papers may be mentioned: A Hard Road to Travel Out of Dixie, Prehistoric Cave-Dwellings, Letters from Japan, The Women of the French Salons, Women in American Literature, Olivia, Brica-brac, Open Letters, Topics of the Times, etc. It is a prime number.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

Antidote for a Bee's Sting.

A correspondent of the Leeds (England) *Mercury* writes: As beekeepers, experienced and inexperienced, are now operating on their stocks stings will frequently be received. One of the most simple and effective antidotes I am acquainted with is to poison a piece of washing soda and rub the stung part with it. If this is done at once it will remove the pain and prevent swelling. Whenever I go to do anything to the bees, I invariably put a piece of soda in my waiscoat pocket.

"Just as Good,"

Say some dealers who try to sell a substitute preparation when a customer calls for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Do not allow any such false statements as this induce you to buy what you do not want. Remember that the only reason for making it is that a few cents more profit will be made on the substitute. Insist upon having the best medicine—Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is Peculiar to Itself.

Ordinary carriage varnish makes a very good cement for china. If the pieces are put together neatly the fracture will hardly be perceptible. The piece of china after being mended can be washed, provided the water used be not too hot.

The baby has its preference as well as anybody, and the taste of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup renders it acceptable to every infant. Price 25 cents.

It is a mean thing to be suffering from catarrh, still many people go on torturing themselves, when they might find almost instant relief by using Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

Failures in Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and in health. A weak heart is often an unsuspected cause of failure in life. If the blood does not circulate properly in the lungs, there is shortness of breath, asthma, etc.; in the brain, dizziness, headache, etc.; in the stomach, wind, pain, indigestion, faint spells, etc.; in the liver, torpidity, congestion, etc. Paine in the left side, shoulder and stomach is caused by heart strain. For all these maladies Dr. Miles' New Cure for the heart and lungs is the best remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

The use of heavy silk feather stitching on house dresses is quite noticeable. For blouses and breakfast jackets it seems specially appropriate, and there can hardly be too much of it.

To My Friends.

As you are well aware that I would not recommend that which I did not believe to be good, I desire to say to all who need a good, reliable, family medicine, that I believe one bottle of Sulphur Bitters will do you more good than any other remedy I ever saw.—REV. CEPHAS SOULE.

Uncut velvet ribbons are much liked, and are very pretty when combined with a satin ribbon of the same color and shade.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor, ... J. Q. A. Brackett
For Lieut. Governor, ... William H. Haile
For Secretary of State, ... William M. Olin
For Attorney-General, ... A. E. Pillsbury
For Treasurer, ... George A. Marden
For Congress, ... James A. Fox
For Senator 5th Middlesex Dist., Edwin F. Wyer
For Auditor, ... Charles R. Ladd
For Councillor 6th District, ... Byron Truell
For County Commissioner, ... J. Henry Reed
For Representative (Woburn) .. Elmore A. Pierce
For Representative (Reading) Henry G. Kittredge

TROUBLE IN THE CAMP.

It grieves us to think that candidate Fox is not finding plain sailing into General Bank's old Congressional shoes. We fear he is encountering adverse breezes, squalls, rough seas, with signs of cyclones looming up over Somerville, Arlington, etc., and that there is danger that he may not make port after all.

This bit of an item from the Boston *Herald* of Wednesday morning looks ominous for Candidate Fox. The gentlemen named in it are influential Republicans and citizens. When such men gig back in the harness it means something: in this case it means that Candidate Fox will have a rough and rugged road to go over before he gets to Congress, even if he should make the riffles at last. This is the item referred to:

"Some of the things that happened at the meeting of the 5th Congressional Republican District Committee on Monday afternoon at the headquarters, No. 2A Beacon street, have just come out. The committee labored for an hour with Hon. Edward Glines of Somerville to induce him to take the chairmanship and have charge of the campaign work of Candidate Fox, but he refused to accept the place. Beside this, Hon. John Haskell Butler of Somerville, who presided at the convention at which Mr. Fox was nominated, Warren Pierce of Arlington and George Close of Cambridge sent letters declining to serve on the committee."

This has a bad look: the JOURNAL deeply laments it.

It cannot be that Candidate Fox's little "celebration" on Mt. Washington and at Fabyan's a week ago last Sunday night had any effect in causing the above named gentlemen to decline to act as his blowers and strikers in this campaign. True, they are moral people and some of them churchmen, but it does not seem possible that they could be so narrow and hide-bound as to seriously object to Candidate Fox's little "time" with a few boon companions away up there in the Mountains out of sight and sound of everybody almost. Perhaps they do not have much of a Sunday up there anyway.

It is claimed that the gentlemen named in the above item represent a very respectable and sizeable element in the Republican party in the 5th District. If so there is trouble ahead for Candidate Fox.

The JOURNAL, as an organ of the Republican party of this District, cannot refrain from expressing its deep regret at the dissatisfaction of prominent party men over Capt. Fox's nomination for General Banks's place.

IT IS UN-AMERICAN.

Congressman Lodge of the Sixth District has an article in the October *Century* in which he tries, but fails, to show that "Patronage in Office is un-American." The most of his history is probably all right enough, but the same cannot be truthfully said of the arguments which he bases on it. He admits that Presidents Washington, John Adams, Jefferson, Madison and Jackson advocated and practiced the "spoils system," as Mr. Lodge and his brother reformers (!) choose to call the practice that has nearly always prevailed in the distribution of government offices in this country; but then, those old fogies were exceedingly "un-American" in their ideas of how administrations ought to be "run." Their notions respecting the distribution of patronage were very crude indeed, but they ought not to be blamed for that because there were no Mr. Lodges in their days to learn them better. If it had been otherwise they might not have adhered so tenaciously to the good old doctrine that "to the victor belongs the spoils," nor carried it out with so much disregard for the feelings of the other side.

But really, does it not seem funny for a young person like Mr. Lodge to set himself up as a "bigger man" than Washington, Jefferson, Jackson, and others of those old worthies whom the American people have been taught from infancy to old age to honor and revere for their wisdom and patriotism?

Everybody admits that Mr. Lodge is a very able man but modesty does not appear to be the most conspicuous of his many shining virtues.

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE.

Nobody pretends that anything can justly be said against Mr. Mark C. Felch of this city as a man or member of community; nevertheless in view of their propensity to blunder, it was a wonder that the Democratic Senatorial convention held last Tuesday nominated him to represent the 5th District. Naturally we should have looked for them to put up a man a good deal less able and on personal grounds not nearly so deserving as Mr. Felch, and just how they came to do so well in making their choice is a matter that cannot be explained on the score of precedent.

However, the Democrats of this District made choice of an intelligent and honest man for their Senatorial candidate, and it was done purely against the wishes of Mr. Felch who sent word to the convention in response to a telegram that he could not take the position.

Mr. Felch has however sent in his acceptance of the nomination and will make just as good a run as he can for an election. Of course he can't hope to come anywhere near to beating Capt. Wyer, but the two will make a very pretty fight of it and a brisk tussle always adds zest and interest to a campaign.

FOR STATE AUDITOR.

Hon. Charles R. Ladd, the present incumbent, has been placed in nomination for Auditor by the Republican State Committee in lieu of J. H. Gould who, on account of serious charges brought against his official integrity, retired from the field.

Col. Ladd should have been nominated at the Republican State convention for he was the first choice of the people, having filled the office with marked efficiency and to the entire satisfaction of the public for several years past.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDTES.

The Republicans of the 14th Middlesex Representative District held their convention in this city last Wednesday evening and nominated Elmore A. Pierce of Woburn, and Henry G. Kittredge of Reading, for candidates for the Legislature.

We know that the choice of Mr. Pierce is an excellent one, and the Reading folks say that Mr. Kittredge is equally deserving of support.

That both gentlemen will be elected hardly admits of question.

THEY ARE AFTER HIM.

The Boston Question Club are going for Candidate Fox of this District just now with picked sticks, so to speak. If his skin is anyways thin they will have it stretched across the collar-beam before snow flies.

Those professional Questioners are a tough lot.

OUR NEXT SENATOR.

The cordial reception which Capt. Wyer received at the Senatorial convention last week and the enthusiasm with which he was unanimously nominated are an assurance of a big victory for him at the polls on Nov. 4.

☞ The 17th Exhibition of the Mass. Char. Mech. Ass'n is now in full feather at their great building on Huntington Ave., Boston, and hundreds are visiting it daily. The report reaches the JOURNAL'S ears that it is one of the largest and best Fairs the Association has ever held.

☞ Senator George F. Hoar will please accept the JOURNAL'S thanks for a copy of the "Compendium of the Tenth Census."

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
City—Regis. Voters.
Mrs. Packard—Opening.
Minnie Seaver—Millinery.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
E. C. Macomber—Priscella.
A. C. Myer & Co.—Dr. Bull.
Mrs. Minnie W. Seaver—Millinery.

— Please read Mr. Bonelli's "card" in this paper.

— There was another heavy rain on Monday night.

— Wednesday morning: Rained all night like blazes.

— The weather yesterday morning was as delightful as anything could possibly be.

— Several workmen in Quinn's morocco factory struck the other day for higher wages.

— The old 5th Reg't. subdued the Attleboro rebellion last Weduesday in good shape.

— Rev. Mr. Washburn is moving to Falmouth, his future professional field, this week.

— James Little and Sullivan O'Hara have been drawn as jurors for the Superior Court.

— Last Tuesday was the 248th anniversary of the incorporation of the town of Woburn.

— Dr. George S. Dodge has been here this week looking over beats and stamping grounds.

— Weather prophets predict a long, cold winter with more than a genteel sufficiency of snow.

— The Daughters of Rebekah, I. O. O. F., will hold a Fair in Lyceum Hall on Oct. 29, 30, 31.

— The Police made some big liquor raids last Sunday. Chief McIntosh is close after the evil doers.

— Please throw your visual organs athwart the new time-table of the B. & M., So. Div., in this paper.

— Mr. Holdridge has a large stock of as good stoves and ranges as any foundry in the country turns out.

— Commodore John Ferguson is sure of a re-election to the Board of Assessors in the next city government if he lives.

— Mr. E. J. Gregory was unanimously elected a Trustee of the Five Cents Savings Bank last Friday evening. Good choice.

— Gregory has a change in his card in the JOURNAL this week in which he announces an important auction sale. Read it.

— Voters, if you know when you are well off you will read carefully the notice of the Board of Registrars of Voters in this paper.

— The 14th Middlesex District Democratic Representative Convention will be held to-morrow evening for the selection of candidates.

— The Woburn Orchestra, a fine body of musicians, played some good pieces at the fair of the Methodist ladies the other evening.

— Mr. Simon Blake of Wakefield, N. H., formerly a prominent leather manufacturer here, has recently been visiting friends in this city.

— The names of the officers of the new Relief Corps 83 Sewing Society are: Mrs. M. B. Cutler, Mrs. E. J. Wendall, and Abby French.

— Tidies and splashers are the burden of Copeland and Bowser's advertisement. We would advise our readers to drop in and see them.

— The Prohibitionists of this Rep. Dis. last Monday evening, nominated Theodore Boutelle of Woburn, and Mr. Wight of Reading for Representative.

— Certain members of the Municipal Building Junto already begin to tremble in their boots. The ides of December is rapidly approaching.

— Mr. Samuel A. Grammer had 3 of the 8 Woburn delegates at the Representative convention Wednesday evening, which was not at all bad.

— Mr. Joseph P. Shields, druggist, is about to move into the store now occupied by Mr. Walsh in Mechanic Block corner of Main and Walnut street.

— Elmore A. Pierce, one of the Republican candidates for Representative, was born in Reading, and came to Woburn with his parents when 18 months old.

— The Ladies' Fair in the old Methodist meeting-house last Tuesday evening was a very successful one. There was a large attendance and a brisk sale of goods.

— The Woburn Woman's Club will hold its first meeting after the summer recess on Friday, Oct. 17, at 3 p. m. The exercises will be conducted by members of the club.

— Last week Prior said he had the largest and best lighted all round store in Mechanic Block; now the JOURNAL says it. Put the two say-sos together and who will try to gainsay them?

— Martha Sewell Curtis, the accomplished historical and literary writer of Burlington, is assisting Editress McBride in the Woman's Department of the Mechanic's Fair this week.

— Miss Nellie Calnan's benefit ball will be given in Lyceum Hall on the evening of the 15th instant. She is a contestant for the St. Patrick's Fair piano with a fair prospect of securing it.

— Last Sunday was one of the loveliest days of the year. Everything was flooded with sunshine from morning to night and a fine western breeze enhanced the charms of the beautiful autumnal Sabbath.

— Dr. Bartlett thinks he is solid for the Democratic nomination for Representative to-morrow evening. Not if some of the Municipal Building Junto know themselves, and they rather think they do.

— Miss Wilma F. Thompson, who for a number of years was Mr. Horton's telegraphic operater, left Rye Beach, where she passed the summer, two or three weeks ago and has since been visiting friends and family here.

— The M. E. Society expect to occupy the vestry of their new church for religious purposes in the course of a couple of weeks. The old meeting house was formally abandoned last Sunday when special exercises were held.

— Mr. Alex Grant, merchant tailor, will have a change in his card next week. In the mean time the public will please be informed that he has a fine stock of fall and winter cloths, to which he calls particular attention.

— The Burlington Fair Dinner was so good and abundant that we thought to be sure it was the product of some famous caterer, whereas it was the work of the maids and matrons of the old town herself. They had reason to be proud of it.

— A Buffet in the dining-room is better than a Sideboard, more modern, more beautiful, and less cumbersome. A large line of Oak Buffets, all styles and sizes, is offered this week by Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston, at exceedingly low prices.

— Capt. E. F. Wyer, Dr. S. W. Kelley, Col. A. L. Richardson, Mr. H. L. Flanders joined the New England party of excursionists in Boston last Saturday for a visit to Tennessee and Alabama. They are property owners in the mining regions of those States.

— Editor William F. Kenney returned from the West with the baseball companies and promply resumed his position of Day Editor of the Boston *Globe* on Monday morning. He goes back to the Editorial Tripod with health just about as sound as it ever was.

— Mr. James Skinner positively declined to allow his name to be used in the Democratic Senatorial Convention at Ayer Junction last Tuesday. He prefers to prosecute a successful private business to being a candidate for office. Mr. Skinner would make a good Senator.

— Mr. W. S. York and family returned from Rockport, where they spent the summer, last Monday all well and happy. They think Cape Ann affords about the best seaside resorts that can be found on the New England coast, and that Rockport is the fairest and best of them all.

— The cost of the job of plumbing which Forrest Hooper has done on the Stephen Dow mansion this season foots up to nearly $1,500. Hooper took it from the stump and replumbed it from celler to garret. It is probably the best piece of work that can be found in this section.

— Treasurer Buck, although able to visit his office and be around among folks on the streets, is not real robust yet. His illness was severe and lasted long enough to greatly reduce his strength, but that will return in full measure by and by and then Mr. Buck will be all right again.

— Mr. and Mrs. Chase Cole of Pleasant street arrived home from New Hampshire last Wednesday. They went up in their own team some 10 days before and would have remained a week longer had they not been compelled to return on account of the illness of their cook at home.

— E. E. Thompson and wife are expected to arrive home from the West to-day or to-morrow. Last week they visited Duluth at the invitation of their Western friends with which northern city and the trip to and fro they were well pleased. Both have had a pleasant time of it while away.

— Writing in a private note about Congressional matters in this District a correspondent (once a Woburn citizen) says: "I note with pleasure that Ed. F. Johnson is in the race with substantial backing. In him the young Republicans of the District will find a man whose cause they may be proud to advocate." True's preaching!

— Stoneham shouldn't be in too much of a hurry about putting on airs—the Meigs elevated road hasn't got there yet. Neither has the Middlesex Fells narrow gauge. We hope they will get the first named pretty soon for better transportation is needed between that handsome, wideawake town and Boston.

— Company G, 5th Mass. V. M. (Mechanic Phalanx) 58 strong, Capt. W. C. Parker in command, engaged with the rest of the Regiment in a big sham fight at Attleboro last Wednesday. Many military officers besides those of the 5th Regiment were present and witnessed with much interest the sport. It was a big affair.

— The quarterly meeting of the Middlesex Central Christian Endeavor Union will be held at the Baptist Church next Monday evening at 7.30. All interested in Christian Endeavor work are invited to attend this meeting. Mr. J. W. Barr, General Secretary of the United Society, will be present and deliver an address.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— Supt. Wentworth of the East Middlesex Street Railway Co. dropped in on the JOURNAL folks the other day and they all had a good chat together. He is a Down Easter of the strictest sect—a regular Maine-ite—and it would take strong arguments and heaps of them to convince him the Pine Tree State isn't a good deal the best of the lot. His head is level.

— Prof. A. M. Smith, a skilled phrenologist, has taken rooms in the Dr. Chase residence close to the Baptist Church on the Winn street side, for the purpose of practicing his profession in this city, and where he will maks phrenological examinations and give charts to all who apply. Prof. Smith evidently understands his business thoroughly, and, know ye, phrenology is a recognized science.

— The pupils of St. Charles parochial school assembled near the Common at noon last Tuesday for a street car ride to the new Park in honor of the 248th anniversary of the incorporation of Woburn, but the rain came pouring down and the ride had to be postponed. The public schools are to have a half holiday for the same purpose, and it is probable that the teachers of St. Charles school will also give their pupils another chance at it.

— Sunday, Sept. 29, was "Old People's Day" in the Congregational church at Stoneham, and as usual it was pleasantly observed. The religious services were of a special character appropriate to the occasion and very interesting. Deacon Silas Dean of the church sent a programme to the JOURNAL office on the 4th page of which were the names of 45 members whose ages ranged from 80 to 92 years, the general average being over 83 years, which is a remarkable record of longevity.

— Good progress is being made on the new M. E. Church and it will be ready for occupation by Jan. 1 in accordance with the contract if nothing happens to prevent. The contractor, Mr. George W. Kimball, is not only rapidly pushing the work to completion but he is making a first-class job of it. The building committee and church people are well pleased with Mr. Kimball's work and the speed with which he is bringing his contract to a close. Our Methodist brethren will have a fine edifice to worship in after the first of January next.

— The introduction of electric lights has not interfered with the profits of the Woburn Gas Company any. The consumption of gas in this city is increasing continually, and the dividends of the Company are as large as they were before electric lights came along. It is so always. In some way or another gas and electricity help each other and where they are run side by side more of each appears to be demanded. The Gas Co. have no reason to complain of their competitor, for their business and profits are growing right along, a fact which if some folks could have foreseen they would not have been in such a rush to sell their stock.

— Rev. John W. Day, son of Mrs. Julia A. Day of this city, and brother of Mr. George A. Day, cashier of the First National Bank of Woburn, was installed Pastor of "The Old Meeting House," or "Old Ship," at Hingham, one of the most ancient of New England churches, last Wednesday. The services were on an elaborate scale and were conducted by several famous Unitarian clergymen besides the new pastor, assisted by a number of distinguished laymen, and it was altogether a notable affair. Mr. Day occupies a high standing in the ministry, being able and eloquent, and is held in great esteem by his brethren of the cloth, as well as by parishioners, and people generally.

— Many Woburn, Winchester, Cambridge and Somerville people know Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Drake, missionaries in South Dakota with headquarters at Iroquois, and have become familiar with their work, severe trials, and many deprivations in that inhospitable climate by the highly interesting lectures of Mrs. Drake in the places named. It must be that their churches and themselves are finding the condition of things there unusually pinching and discouraging this fall and the prospect for "the good time coming" anything but bright and cheering. Looking over the September issue of the *Dakota Prairie Pioneer*, of which Mr. and Mrs. Drake are the Editors, our eye fell on an item in which the Editor says respecting the efforts of the church people of Oceola, not far from Iriquois, to build sheds for their meetinghouse: "They can do all the work and hope to help some in other ways, but with a crop of only four bushels of wheat to the acre (only three times the seed) and no corn or flax, it is difficult to see how they are even to live and keep warm at home." In another item Editor Drake says: "There are fields (here) where they don't get twelve bushels per acre of wheat and straw altogether." At the best, the Dakotas are a poor country to try to get a living in and the missionaries there have the hardest of conditions to contend with.

— The funeral of E. J. Houghton will take place on Sunday, Oct. 19, from the Headquarters of the Kearsarge Naval Veterans, corner of Union Park and Washington St., Boston. Houghton enlisted from Woburn in Co. K, 39th Mass. Vols., was afterward transferred to the Navy, and was one of the gallant crew that helped to destroy the Rebel Ram Albermarle. Houghton was killed at Portsmouth, Va., in 1864. His brothers will take up his remains and have them laid away in his native State. His brother Andrew was in the Navy also, serving six years, and his other brother Richard was out in the 22d Mass. Vols. He was badly wounded at Gaines's Mills, and was taken prisoner with a lot of Woburn boys, among them were John L. Parker, Capt. John P. Crane, and others.

— The bare announcement in our columns of the presentation of that successful comic opera "Priscilla" will be sufficient to set amusement lovers on an edge of expectation. The fact that many of our leading singers are engaged in the affair, and the competent people who have charge of it, makes it safe to predict a thorough musical and artistic success, and is sure to meet with full houses. W. H. Dodd of Boston, who has been in every presentation of the piece save one, assumes the exceedingly funny character of Hatebad Higgins, and he also has charge of the stage. Mr. Dodd is under engagement to take this same part in the production of "Priscilla" at the Globe theatre in December. The wigs and make-ups are from the celebrated Rothe of Boston, and good judges have proclaimed them to be one of his happiest hits in character work. The rehearsals have been progressing finely, and our singers are enthusiastic in praise of the bright, pretty, catchy music and funny dialogue: the masses are universal in its praise.

— Title deeds for the Woburn Public Park have passed and now this city is the owner of 35 acres of land as well adapted to the purpose as any in Middlesex county. It is a broken piece of real estate divided into wooded hills, bare hills, patches of growth, meadow lands, rocky pastures, and such like, which, taken together in a body, is capable of being converted into a great play ground that our citizens may well feel proud of. It wouldn't require but a small outlay of money either to accomplish this. Nature has done nearly all that would be necessary, and with "a slick and a promise" here and there from the hand of art no city could show a more beautiful Park than Woburn, or one nearly so beautiful. It is the general understanding that not a great deal is to be done to the tract, but that it is to be left in a semi-reclaimed condition—about as it now is, with a little alteration here, a little mellowing of the landscape there, some underbrush removed in another place, paths made where necessary—well, that is about all, and then it will be a Park. That is enough.

— Mrs. C. Packard announces the date of her autumn millinery opening in the columns of the JOURNAL this week and we call especial attention to it. The lady has got fairly settled in her new store, No. 419 Main street (formerly Horton's Bookstore), where she will be pleased to welcome her old customers and such new ones as may favor her with their patronage. She has a fine store and in it her large stock and great variety of handsome millinery goods of the latest styles and best quality is seen at excellent advantage, and by the strong light of the large windows the merits of the fabrics are discovered. It is roomy, well lighted, handy in its arrangements, finely finished, with handsome fixtures and draperies, and as to location it is unsurpassed. Mrs. Packard takes pride in the new store and is happy to have people come in and see it, and it is not to be wondered at, for better quarters for her large and fashionable business could not be found. Mrs. Packard's stock is an elegant one. Her ribbons, velvets, feathers, flowers and other millinery wares are all of the latest styles, and better goods can't be bought outside of Boston. That she knows how to put them together in an artistic manner the ladies of Woburn and vicinity know without our telling them. Mrs. Dixon, a lady of fine taste in trimming, and well known in Woburn, will be Mrs. Packard's assistant this season.

— Mr. Amos Cummings, proprietor of the leading millinery establishment in this city, was so fortunate as to buy his goods before the prices of them were advanced by the passage of the Tariff Bill, because it enables him to sell much cheaper than those who did not do as he did—get stocks in early in the season. In the matter of velvets, plushes, many kinds of ribbons, and other goods of foreign manufacture, prices have advanced very materially in the last 30 days owing to the increase of import duties and the dealers on whom such larger duties fall will find much difficulty in competing with the more fortunate merchants who bought before the bill became a law. Mr. Cummings comes within this latter catagory. Foreseeing the probable changes in the tariff laws, and being in a condition to avail himself of the advantages of such change, he improved the opportunity, bought largely of all staple millinery goods, and now enjoys the consciousness of being able to sell at much lower prices than most of his competitors and at the same time make a reasonable profit. All this is in Mr. Cummings's favor. In due time he and Mrs. Cummings (the latter still at the head of the Millinery Department) will give their customary Autumn opening, but just what form it will assume is something that the JOURNAL has not yet found out. It is safe to say however that it will be an attractive one, and one from which the ladies of this city and vicinity will derive pleasure and profit. Mr. Cummings's millinery stock needs only to be seen to be appreciated.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

Upon vigorous health and a rugged constitution will depend largely the future happiness and success in life of a child; the choice of a food is, therefore, of the highest importance. Mellin's Food is rich in blood forming, brain-forming and bone-forming compounds, and is recommended by the highest medical authorities.

Leviticus Club—Reception Unique.

The third canonical book of the Old Testament has received special study during the past year by a number of ladies, and the duties and rites prescribed in the Mosaic law in regard to the Levites have been gone over with renewed interest and enthusiasm by the members of the Leviticus Club, so-called.

The guiding genius of this *elite* circle is Mrs. F. E. Wheeler, and those who sit at her feet are largely the members of her class in the Sabbath School: a few others have joined by special invitation.

The regular meetings—suspended during Mrs. Wheeler's absence at the West—were opened again for study last Friday evening, members being summoned by the Joshua of the Club, Miss Kate Morey, and the gathering at her home on Montvale Avenue, October 3d, so admirably planned, was indeed like unto the first fruits of the vintage.

Great was the surprise of the returned teacher! How the tapers glowed among the grapes of Eshcol!

The beautifully spread table was that of the land of Canaan: Egypt was forgotten.

The invited guests were Miss M. Louisa Bacon, Mrs. W. W. Hill, and Jennie S. Skinner.

An original "Song of Welcome" was finely rendered by Miss Clara Morey, and Cardinal Newman's "Lead kindly Light"—Mrs. Wheeler's favorite hymn—was given by the same singer.

Mrs. J. K. Murdock read an acrostic, written by Miss Kate Morey upon the Club name, as follows:

Let us while learning be loving,
Each eager with earnest endeavor,
Vieing in virtue and verity,
In ideal, impassioned inquiry,
Teaching, trust, temperance, and truth,
In impulsive, innocent industry,
Cultivate Christian charity,
Uniting, united and useful,
Searching the Scriptures sagaciously.

Miss Carter read verses of "Welcome Back;" and all, from cards, read an appropriate Scripture selection.

How delightful and interesting were Mrs. Wheeler's reminiscences of her journey Westward!

A treat, among the flowers and fruit, and a happy outlook for the winter's reading, with words of thanks, all too inadaquate to express enough to Miss Morey—their Joshua—upon whom they laid their hands as did Moses upon his successor, the company parted with a happy good night.—S.

How Her Hubby Put It.

"I am willing to work and work hard for my husband and children, but oh! I do so hate needless work which does not show the time and strength put into it. How I have washed and wrung out, and then washed again, all because the soap was one of those cheap resin affairs and did not cleanse. Now I use Brussels soap, and as hubby would put it, I save a hundred per cent. in time and labor." Thus said Mrs. B., a firm friend of Brussels soap.

Train Changes.

The following Time-Table has been arranged for Woburn, beginning October 13, 1890:

WEEK-DAY, INWARD TRAINS.

Leave Woburn.	Arrive in Boston.	Starting Point.
5.55 A. M.	6.30 A. M.	Woburn.
6.16	6.50	Wilmington.
7.00	7.37	Woburn.
7.22	7.45	Lawrence.
7.42	8.05	Nashua.
*8.15	8.55	Lowell.
8.22	8.48	Lawrence.
9.00	9.32	Woburn.
9.41	10.05	Lawrence.
10.50	11.25	Woburn.
11.37	12.00 M.	Lowell.
12.52 P. M.	1.15 P. M.	Lawrence.
1.10	1.48	Woburn.
*2.09	2.55	Lowell.
2.47	3.17	
*4.23	4.50	Wilmington.
5.12	5.35	Lowell.
*6.05	6.30	Nashua.
*6.25	7.09	Woburn.
8.29	8.50	Nashua.
*9.15	9.50	Woburn.
10.10	10.44	Woburn.

SUNDAY, INWARD TRAINS.

9.23 A. M.	9.50 A. M.	Lowell.
*11.00	11.35	Woburn.
12.00 M.	12.35 P. M.	Woburn.
12.00 P. M.	2.35	Woburn.
*3.30	4.05	Woburn.
5.03	5.32	Nashua.
6.00	6.35	Woburn.
9.40	9.40	Woburn.

WEEK-DAY, OUTWARD TRAINS.

Leave Boston.	Arrive Woburn.	Destination.
*6.05 A. M.	6.36 A. M.	Lowell.
Winch'r. 6.35	6.45 (cab)	Wilmington.
6.55	7.37	Wilmington.
7.35	8.10	Woburn.
8.05	8.29	Lawrence.
8.35	8.56	Lowell.
9.35	10.10	Woburn.
11.00	11.23	Law. & Lowell
12.10 P. M.	12.45 P. M.	Woburn.
1.07	1.35	Lawrence.
2.00	2.31	Lowell.
3.10	3.36	Wilmington.
4.05	4.39	Nashua.
4.45	5.08	Lawrence.
5.35	5.57	Lawrence.
5.52	6.02 (cab)	
5.55	6.33	Woburn.
6.15	6.42	Law. & Lowell
6.40	7.13	Woburn.
*7.35	8.08	Woburn.
9.00	9.32	Woburn.
10.00	10.28	Lowell.
11.10	11.35	Lowell.

SUNDAY, OUTWARD TRAINS.

9.00 A. M.	9.30 A. M.	Nashua.
*11.00	11.35	Woburn.
*12.30 P. M.	1.05 P. M	Woburn.
*2.30	3.05	Woburn.
4.00	4.35	Woburn.
5.00	5.30	Lowell.
7.45	8.22	Woburn.
10.15	10.48	Woburn.

The changes made are indicated by the *. New trains by a * and †. It will be seen that three important trains have been added, viz: The 6.05 A. M. outward, which will carry the mail, thus enabling Woburn to have an earlier delivery mornings. For the inward service two new trains will give us great satisfaction. The 8.15 A. M.—"Board of Trade Express"—will run to Boston without stop, thereby meeting a long felt want for former patrons of the 7.42 and 8.22 trains. Another train is the "Theatre Train" leaving Woburn at 6.25 P. M. These additions have been brought about by a Special Committee of the Board of Trade, consisting of Lawrence Reade, Postmaster, Frederic A. Flint, and Frederic H. Lewis. This Committee waited upon the new Superintendent several months ago, and were encouraged then to believe that Woburn would receive careful consideration by the new management. We can say, without fear of contradiction, that these additions are the best and most popular since the Extension of the Woburn Branch.

F. H. LEWIS,
Secretary Board of Trade.

Boston Theatres.

Bronson Howard's famous war drama "Shenandoah," has been running at the Globe Theatre this week to audiences that fairly tested the capacity of the house. Since it was last seen in Boston, "Shenandoah" has been carefully pruned, some tedious dialogue has been omitted and one or two things have been toned down so that their objectionable features are not noticeable. Then some very capable people have been put into the cast, and the result is a most enjoyable performance, and it is something more than that, for one can witness "Shenandoah" without learning an impressive lesson in patriotism and devotion to the flag. Since this piece was brought out in Boston it has enjoyed a phenomenal run. Now that we have the play with us it is easy to explain the success it has had. The cast is a remarkably good one and is well balanced throughout. "Shenandoah" will be presented for two weeks.

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Would most respectfully announce to the people of Woburn and vicinity, the production at the Lyceum Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, November 5 and 6, of that new and Charming Comic Opera, Priscilla, which has made such an instantaneous hit wherever produced. The costumes and appointments will be the same as will be used at the Boston performance the coming season, special scenery and other accessories. The chorus will be made up of about 30 of the principal singers of Woburn. Mr. W. H. Dodd of Boston will assume the role of Hatebad Higgins and will also have direction of the stage. No pains will be spared to make this event one of the most noteworthy in the amusement annals of Woburn. Notwithstanding the large expense in bringing this opera out in first-class shape, popular prices will prevail, and the sale of seats will open at Horton's Bookstore on Saturday evening previous, at 7.30. Out-of-town parties can secure seats by mail or telegraph.

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Republican Representative Convention.

The Fourteenth Middlesex Republican Representative Convention was held in Mechanics Building, this city, Wednesday evening.

F. W. B. Pratt of Reading was chosen temporary Chairman, and Francis A. Partridge of Woburn, temporary Secretary.

Alex. Grant and —— Morse of Woburn, and W. E. Twombly of Reading were chosen a committee on credentials, and they reported the full delegation of 11 present, there being 8 from Woburn and 3 from Reading.

The report was accepted.

The temporary organization was made permanent.

Alexander Grant nominated Elmore A. Pierce as a candidate for Representative, and it was carried by acclamation.

E. B. Drake of Reading nominated Henry G. Kittredge of that town as the other candidate for Representative, and it was carried by acclamation.

A committee consisting of Mr. Grant and Mr. Drake were sent for candidate Pierce, and when the latter was brought in and introduced to the Convention he accepted the trust in a neat, happy speech, telling the convention how grateful he was for the nomination; thanking them cordially for the high honor they had conferred on him; promising to do his best to represent the District with credit to all concerned, etc. His speech was warmly applauded all through.

Messrs. Twombly and Drake spoke highly of candidate Kittredge; that it was better for the District to be represented by a Republican than a Democrat, and promised as big a vote for Pierce as Kittredge in Reading.

The matter of a District Committee was referred back to the city and town.

Adjourned.

The washboard is a piano upon which women can play a tune of happiness with a cake of Brussels soap.

Meigs's Road Likely to be Built.

It is thought from present indications that the Meigs Elevated Railway is likely to be established in Stoneham, as a conference has been held with the Boston & Maine officials which it is said was very encouraging to the Meigs management. It is not thought that money enough can be raised to build the three-mile steam surface road from Stoneham to Middlesex Fells as so many favor the Meigs project.

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In this city, Oct. 8, by Rev. Daniel March, Ansel Cummings and Blanche Brown, both of Woburn.
In this city, Oct. 8, by Rev. Daniel March, George B. Robertson and Ruth E. Stewart, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Oct. 3, Hortense H. Smith, aged 22 years, 9 months, 25 days.
In Haverhill, Oct. 7, William B. Harris of Woburn, aged 80 years, 8 months, 7 days.
In Winchester, Oct. 3, Christopher Hardgrove, aged 26 years.

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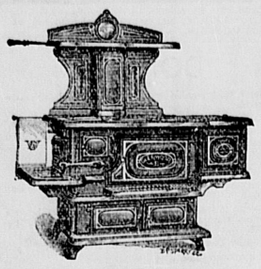

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Scandinavian Notes.

Rev. A. G. Nilson from Chicago Ill., will preach in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. He will speak in the Swedish language.

The corner stone of the Scandinavian Church, corner of Montvale and Greenwood Avenues, Woburn, will be laid next Saturday afternoon, Oct. 11, at 4 o'clock. Several American and Scandinavian Clergymen will be present to participate in the ceremonies. All are invited to be present.

The Carpenters are busily at work on the Scandinavian Church of this city and if the good and kind people in and around Woburn will contribute by their means to this worthy cause it is hoped that before long we shall have the pleasure to look at and be invited into a plain, but substantial and roomy house of worship—a home and resort for the Scandinavian people of this city, as well as from surrounding towns. This is the first time that the Scandinavians have asked for any contributions and may be the only one; it is therefore hoped that all will liberally respond, as $5000 more is needed to complete the church. C. R. Rosenquist, 7 Greenwood Ave., or any of the Pastors of the Churches in this city, will thankfully receive what you may kindly give for the Scandinavian church. Don't wait until someone calls upon and urges you to contribute, but act now of your own free heart.

Rev. A. Franson from Sweden is on a mission trip through U. S. preaching the Gospel in the Scandinavian (or any other) language, and picking up recruits to train for missionaries for China. His nearest point to this place was Boston where he was last Sunday and a great many Scandinavians from Woburn went to hear him. Mr. Franson preached several times and meetings at 3 different places in Boston during the day at each of which he preachnd to a large congregation. His sermon was in the Swedish language. He had several young men and a few young ladies who are on the way to New York City where he will open a training school the 14th of this month and where the Chinese language will be taught. A large number of conversions and 3 recruits for China was the result of Mr. Franson's labor in Boston last Sunday.—X.

A Priest from Ireland.

Rev. Father McMahon, a priest from Ireland, on a mission to this country, spoke at St. John's Church, Meadow Brook, yesterday morning. He is a clergyman of most pleasing address, and held the congregation spell-bound for over an hour in giving accounts of the present condition of the Irish isle. He predicted the day was not far distant when Ireland would have home rule It was in the hearts of the peasanty and in the air of the land. America did nobly for her enslaved sister, who yet with out-stretched arms and with a heart full of gratitude, thank the brave sons of the Stars and Stripes.—*Scranton Daily Times.*

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Growing Old Gracefully. Sunday School at noon.

METHODIST—Services at Lyceum Hall. At 10.80 a. m. preaching by Rev. George Skine of Somerville. Subject: The Value of Testimony. There will be no service in the evening.

BAPTIST.—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: Life: a Stewardship. At 6 p. m. Young People's meeting led by W. C. Murdock. At 7 p. m. a short sermon. Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach. Subject: "Eternal Life." Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. At 7 p. m. Lecture by the pastor. Subject: "The Prodigal Son." Stereopticon illustrations. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Burlington.

A mistake was made in the report of the Cattle Show dinner last week. It was stated that a Boston caterer officiated while the truth of the case was that the dinner was served under the direction of a committee of Burlington ladies, with Mrs. Samuel Walker as chairwoman.

Rev. C. Washburn preached his farewell sermon at the meetinghouse last Sunday. A large number of our townspeople were present. During his stay of two years in Burlington Mr. Washburn has gained the respect and esteem of all classes and great regret is felt at his departure. All unite in wishing him success and happiness in his new field of labor.

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The Fifth District.

The Executive Committee of the 5th District Republican Congressional Committee opened headquarters for the campaign last Monday afternoon at No. 2A Beacon street, Boston, the rooms recently occupied as the headquarters of the national committee of Grand Army encampment.

A meeting was held, at which Hon. L. M. Hannum of Cambridge, the Chairman, presided, and C. F. Rice of Somerville acted as Secretary. It was voted to keep the headquarters open to all friends of Candidate Fox, and to hold meetings of the Executive Committee Monday and Friday afternoons at 4 and 8 o'clock, respectively, the General Committee to meet Fridays at 4 P. M. W. L. Fox and H. W. Bertbrong of Arlington were added to the General Committee.

The subject of rallies was discussed, and assurances were received as coming from the Republican State Central Committee that Speaker Reed, Congressmen Lodge and Greenhalge and other distinguished speakers would speak in the 5th District, the dates not yet determined.

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Priscilla.

Here is what the Lowell *Critic* says of Priscilla in speaking of the theme: "Gilbert & Sullivan never had half so good material and it only needed authors who by birth and breeding could appreciate its character to combine the materials into the richest bouquet of stage amusement. These were found in Mr. Henry D. Coolidge, well known as Clerk of the Massachusetts Senate, and Mr. Thomas W. Surrette, conductor of the Concord Choral Society. They produced undoubtedly one of the best American operas. It was first brought out in Concord and it carried the town by storm."

This fine and exceedingly pleasing opera is to be given by eminent Boston soloists, assisted by a large and talented local chorus, in Lyceum Hall, Woburn, on the evenings of Nov. 5 and 6.

No. Woburn.

Rev. Mr. Washburn and family are about to leave here for good and all. Mr. Washburn has accepted a call to go to Falmouth on the Cape. In view of his early departure the family were tendered a reception at the church last Tuesday evening which was a very pleasant affair. The ceremonies were under the direction of Millis S. Carter who discharged the duties of the position handsomely. There was a large gathering at the church where much regret was expressed at the loss of pastor Washburn and family. The Schumann Quartette gave some very fine music which everyone enjoyed, and Professor Elmore A. Pierce and Mrs. Fred J. Ham of the Centre read several selections very effectively. The feature of the occasion was the presentation of a purse of $130 to Mr. Washburn by Mr. D. W. Danforth in behalf of the church and friends. It was a very interesting time.

Middlesex County vs. Essex County.

Players from the Middlesex County and Essex County Tennis Leagues will compete against each other in a tournament to be held on Saturday, Oct. 11, 1890, on the Courts of the Wedgemere Club at Winchester.

The seven best men from each league will be selected to play.

Playing will commence at 10.30 A. M., and all interested in the game are invited to be present. It is expected that this tournament between the two leagues will be of considerable interest and it will probably be made an annual affair. The date of this tournament is unavoidably late and it will no doubt be set much earlier another season.

Events will be best three sets in five and the playing will be governed by the usual rules.

J. F. DELORIEA,
Secretary, M. C. T. L.

Obituary.

So fades a summer cloud away,
So sinks the gale when storms are o'er,
So gently shuts the eye of day,
So dies a wave along the shore.

Aptly, indeed, do the words of the poetess describe the death of one of Woburn's well known and popular young men, Daniel F. McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McKay, who passed from this life after a short period of suffering from an abscess in his head, on the afternoon of Wednesday, October 1, at the age of seventeen years, one month and twenty-three days.

There are few persons of any age or position in this city who enjoyed such a wide acquaintance as he did or who had such a large circle of friends; in fact, it has been said of him that he never had an enemy, and a higher compliment it would be difficult to pay to a person who had passed even seventeen years of an active life in this jealous world. By his death is lost not alone the material from which a good man might be formed but also that which contained the inherent qualities of a good business man and a good citizen. Kind, amiable, generous and frank, he possessed the attributes which would endear persons to him by an innate attractiveness; honest, upright, clear-headed and energetic, he was a master far in advance of his years of the traits which would have made an honorable and successful business man; and high-minded and just, he was endowed with the principles which could not but have contributed to a good citizen, in the truest sense of the word.

His death was fully in keeping with his life, short though it was, and throughout his brief but painful illness, no murmur of the terrible suffering which he was enduring ever passed his lips, preferring to heroically endure in silence the tortures which he suffered rather than inflict upon others by complainings unnecessary pain which it was out of their power to alleviate. "Dannie," as he was familiarly called, has departed, but his memory can never fade from the minds of those who knew him. Notwithstanding that his was a constitution never too rugged, his first serious illness occurred last winter when the trouble which caused his death originated, and although he lay for days at the point of death he eventually recovered, thanks to effective medical and home treatment, and during the spring and summer has been constantly at work, apparently in the best of health.

On the Sunday preceding his death the old trouble returned and despite the most assiduous attention to it he rapidly failed. Monday and Tuesday passed accompanied by a decline which was evident; on Wednesday it was apparent that the end was near. During the afternoon he called for those dearest to him, "Mother" and "Maggie," and as the last rays of the setting sun slanted in through the windows bidding the earth a warm good night, he gazed slowly at the family at his bedside, closed his eyes and dropped asleep as quietly as a drowsy babe in its mother's arms—the spirit had departed. A smile was upon his lips and his appearance was so natural that it at first seemed as if such could not be death. It was a reality however. The body was there but the soul had winged its way to the Master who had given it life. Such a death after such a life is to be envied rather than dreaded and contains more genuine food for reflection than a world of sermons.

On last Friday the funeral took place from his home on Chestnut street. The body was first taken to St. Charles church where a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Father Slattery. The music was beautiful and appropriate, Miss Anna L. Murphy, the organist of the church, presiding in her regular place at that instrument and being assisted in the vocal rendition of the Mass by Mr. James McDonald of Woburn. Misses Mary and Teresa McKay of Stoneham, cousins of the deceased, sang very effectively "No Cross, No Crown," and Miss Lizzie Shinkwin of this city touchingly rendered "Nearer My God To Thee." The pall bearers were three of his cousins P. Henry and M. Joseph Mathews and Daniel McKay, and Thomas H. Dolan, John Mahoney and Jeremiah Carey of the St. Charles C. T. A. Society, of which the deceased was a prominent member. The floral emblems were beautiful. A magnificent pillow inscribed "Dannie" was contributed by the family, a beautiful bouquet came from his aunt Mrs. James Mathews, and a bunch of seventeen white rosebuds, (one for each year of his life) was the gift of Mrs. Bennie Mathews. Other friends also contributed several beautiful pieces. The interment was in the family lot at Calvary Cemetery.

His loss is a severe blow to his family and friends but it was God's will, to which we should bow on all occasions. It must be a consolation to them to know that with the departure of the spirit which relieved the pain-racked body from its load of suffering, the soul, in accordance with God's promise to those who follow his injunctions on earth, has left its earthly habitation for a grander home in that bright land, the hope of every Christian:

"Where farewell shall nevermore fall on the ear,
Nor eyes that have sorrowed be dimmed with a tear."

—COM.

Rev. J. Frank Winkley died at his home in this city on Thursday, Oct. 2, 1890, aged 74 years. He had been ill nearly two years, much of which period he was a great and patient sufferer. He was a Christian man and will be missed by a large circle of relatives and friends. His native place was Portsmouth, N. H., and in early life he was in business there. Subsequently he studied for the ministry and was ordained in 1861. He came to Woburn in 1877 as rector of Trinity Episcopal church, in which office he continued for several years and proved himself a good minister and pastor. He was a scholarly gentleman, benevolent, charitable, and a highly esteemed member of society.

The deceased left a widow, one daughter and two sons, Rev. Henry W., rector of the Episcopal Church of Saco, Me., and Robert L., a tutor in New York. Mr. Winkley was a brother of Rev. S. H. Winkley of Boston. The funeral took place from Trinity Church, Saturday, at 11.30 A. M. Rev. J. W. Suter of Winchester officiated.

Last Tuesday Mr. William B. Harris died suddenly at Haverhill, aged 81 years. About two years ago he was prostrated by a stroke of paralysis and has not been a well man since. The deceased was born in New Ipswich, N. H., and was a cousin of the artist and other Champneys of this place who were natives of that town, and when a boy he and his cousin Edward W. Champney went to live with an uncle at York, Me., but did not remain there long. Mr. Harris came to Woburn to reside about 50 years ago, and during all that time his life was such as to command the confidence and esteem of his fellowtownsman. In the time of the Rebellion he was a great "War Democrat" and by his zeal and activity contributed largely to the stores of Union hospitals and commissions. He was so patriotic and labored so unceasingly for the benefit of the "Boys in Blue" that he was named then and has ever since been called "The Soldier's Friend." The Veterans have always had a warm side for "Uncle William," and, before his illness, whenever the G. A. R. Posts held public gatherings he was very often their honored guest. Mr. Harris was an honest, upright man. He was kind-hearted, cordial and courteous towards all. He had been honored with public office and did his duty well. The deceased left three children, a sister (Mrs. Butters), a brother, other relatives, and many friends to mourn his loss.

The wearing of corsets is one of those mooted subjects about which there will always be two (or more) opinions; but there can only be one opinion as to the announcement in regard to them this week in our local advertising column. Messrs. Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom tell an interesting story which is crowded full of hard facts.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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WINCHESTER.

There is talk of turning the M. E. Church round and have it front on Pleasant street.

Mr. Clarke's benefit concert and ball will take place this, Friday, evening in the Town Hall.

The nomination of Raymond for State Senator made the *Star* mad clean through. The relations between Winchester and Arlington are becoming "strained."

SHOCKING ACCIDENT.—On Thursday morning of last week at half past four o'clock, Mr. Burt Kendall looking from his residence on Linden street had his attention attracted to an object lying close to the fence in front of the house. He informed his father who on reaching the spot found the body of Miss Amelia Richardson, daughter of Deacon Stillman Richardson, who lives close by, lying against the fence, shockingly burned. The poor woman's clothing was entirely consumed, and she was groaning, but unconscious, when Mr. Kendall reached her. She lived but a short time, and was burned so bad as to be almost unrecognizable. The family of Mr. Richardson, who had not arisen were entirely ignorant of the terrible catastrophe that had befallen their daughter and sister, was quickly summoned. The cause of her clothing taking fire is enshrouded in mystery. Miss Richardson arose shortly after four o'clock to make the fire and prepare the morning meal. It is supposed that a spark from the burning wood ignited her dress, and having occasion to go out of doors, the draught quickly fanned into flame. Finding that she could not extinguish it, and becuming bewildered and crazed with excruciating pain, she ran down the street and sank exhausted in front of Mr. Kendall's house. She was never known to use kerosene in starting the fire in the stove and the above supposition is undoubtedly correct. Miss Richardson was 35 years of age. Her many kindnesses in time of sickness and trouble made her truly a ministering angel, whose services were much sought after. She was a most accomplished lady, of a modest and retiring disposition, whose qualities were known to many who were fortunate in her acquaintance.—*Star.*

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Afternoon of October 25,
From 2 till 5 o'clock; the Evenings of
October 4, 14, 16, 18, 23, 24,
From 7 till 9 o'clock; and on
Saturday Evening, October 25,
From 7 till 10 o'clock, when Registration for the State Election of the current year closes.

Applicants for Registration must present a receipted Tax Bill either for the past or present year.

Naturalized citizens must produce their final Naturalization papers for inspection.

E. F. HAYWARD,
THOMAS D. HEVEY,
DAVID F. MORELAND,
PHILIP K. RICHARDSON,
Registrars of Voters.

Woburn, Sept. 23, 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Young, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of October, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of James McDonald, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary McDonald, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of October, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

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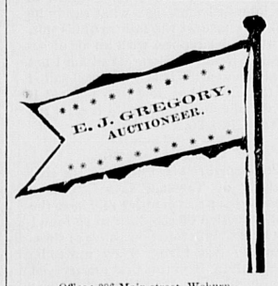

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On Saturday, Ooctober 18, 1890, at 4.30 P. M., on the premises, containg about 8,700 feet, on Lowell street, beginning at the northeasterly corner of said lot at a stake 44 feet from land of one Church, on Lowell street; thence the line runs northwesterly by said Lowell street, 100 feet to a stake; thence the line runs southwestersy on and by land of Henry Pearson, 120 feet to a stake; thence southeasterly by land of said Pearson, 105 feet to a stake; thence running northeasterly by land of said Pearson, 93 feet to a point of beginning on said Lowell street.

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Terms: $50.00 to be paid at time of sale, other terms at sale.

Don't forget the hour, 4.30 P. M.

Per order, ALEX. WILSON.

P. S.—The land adjoins the store of S. H. Church, grocer, No. 2 Lowell street.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale and for a breach of conditions contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Richard A. Gladding and Elizabeth A. Gladding, his wife, in her own right, of Boston, County of Suffolk, dated February 25th, 1890, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Libro 1968, Folio 387, and being lots on a plan made by Walter H. Sears, dated April 18th, 1888, duly recorded in said registry, numbered as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 34, 35, 36 and 37, situated on and near Maple street, in Woburn, Mass., and containing about 135,000 feet of land, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on the **20th day of October, 1890,** all and singular, said lots conveyed by said mortgage deed.

$100 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

SARAH A. HILL, Mortgagee.

Stoneham, Sept. 2d, 1890.

A. V. LYNDE, 68 Cornhill, Boston, Attorney of Mortgagee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah R. Webster, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and two codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Silas Dean, who prays that letters testamentary may be be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of October instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

HARNESS SHOP.

The subscribers would announce that they have opened for the manufacture and repair of Harnesses a shop in Mrs. Tyler's Block,

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Three-piece Knee Suits, at

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Blouse Suits, All-Wool, strong and serviceable, sizes, 4 to 14, at

$3.00, $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00.

Odd Knee Pants,

50c., 75c., $1.00 and $1.50.

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Many lots of Medium and Heavy-weight Clothing, Coatees, Three-piece and Blouse Suits, carried over from last season, marked below cost to close. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

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THE LORD'S SUPPER.

LESSON II, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 12.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxii, 7-20. Commit Verses 19, 20—Golden Text, I Cor. xi, 26—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

We pass by many most interesting incidents in the last days ere the crucifixion, and all His great discourse on the Mount of Olives concerning His coming again and the end of the age, and are brought in this lesson to His last passover with His disciples the night before He was crucified.

7. "Then came the day of unleavened bread when the passover must be killed." Or, as in the first verse, "The feast of unleavened bread drew nigh which is called the passover." This takes us back to Ex. xii, where we have the record of the last night in Egyptian bondage and their deliverance by the mighty power of God.

8. "And He sent Peter and John, saying, Go and prepare us the passover, that we may eat." These two we have found specially privileged on several other occasions: at the raising of the ruler's daughter and at the transfiguration, and we shall find them again in Gethsemane. They also are the prominent two in Acts iii and iv in connection with the healing of the lame man and the conversion of five thousand.

9. "And they said unto Him, where wilt Thou that we prepare?" This is as it always should be with a disciple of Christ. Where wilt Thou? What wilt thou? Not as I will, but as Thou wilt. Thy way, not Mine.

10. "And He said unto them, Behold, when ye are entered into the city, there shall a man meet you bearing a pitcher of water; follow him into the house where he entereth in." As when He told them by His omniscience just where and how they would find the ass and the colt; and as when Samuel by the same omniscient spirit told Saul just whom he would meet and what they would say and do (Luke xix, 30; 1 Sam. x, 2-9). So now knowing all things He directs them.

11. "And ye shall say unto the good man of the house, The Master saith unto thee, where is the guest chamber, where I shall eat the passover with my disciples?" He not only tells us when and where to go and how to act, but He also tells us what to say. In the gospel by John He very often speaks of Himself as sent by the Father, and not only so, He says the Father gave Him a commandment what He should say and what He should speak (John xii, 49). So when He sends His disciples He tells them just what to say (Matt. x, 7, 19; Luke xix, 31). When the prophets were sent forth they, too, were specially instructed to speak only the Lord's message (Jer. i, 7; Ezek. ii, 7; Hag. i, 13). And well would it be for all preachers and teachers if they were always the Lord's messengers, speaking the Lord's message.

12. "And he shall show you a large upper room furnished; there make ready." Forget not from the last verse that He must enter the house as master; and see again the oneness of Christ and His disciples. "Father, I will that those whom thou hast given me be with me where I am" (John xvii, 24). Here is a willing owner of a house; it looks as if he must be a disciple; he will offer a large furnished room, and do it cheerfully. Are our homes as cheerfully placed at the Master's disposal, and is everything excluded from the home that He would not like?

13 "And they went and found as He had said unto them; and they made ready the passover." Prompt and cheerful obedience is our part as His followers.

14. "And when the hour was come, He sat down, and the twelve apostles with Him." With God there is a time for everything, and He is never too fast nor too slow. "When the fullness of time had come He sent forth His Son." "He has appointed a day in the which He will judge the world" (Gal. iv, 4; Acts xvii, 31). Many a time they tried to take Jesus to put Him to death, but they could not touch Him till the appointed time came, and then He gave Himself into their hands. As to our salvation, the time is now; today, if ye will hear His voice; the hour now is, when they that hear shall live (Isa. i, 18; II Cor. vi, 2; Heb. iii, 15; John v, 25).

15. "And He said unto them, With desire I have desired to eat this passover with you before I suffer;" or, as in the margin, "I have heartily desired." We think of Him at the passover, at the age of 12 and at the first passover of His public ministry. We look away back to the first passover in Egypt, and think of the one in the wilderness, and at Gilgal, and the great ones of Hezekiah and Josiah and Ezra; but this one which He desired so greatly to eat with them was the greatest of all, for it was the fulfillment of all, and He who now ate it with them was on the morrow to be Himself slain, the great antetype of all the passovers that were ever kept, the true Lamb of God in whom alone is redemption and deliverance from the great oppressor.

16. "For I say unto you, I will not any more eat thereof until it be fulfilled in the Kingdom of God." If He is the true Paschal Lamb, and His death about to be accomplished, the fulfillment of all the types, then what is this that He says about a fulfillment in the Kingdom of God? If the church is the Kingdom, as so many teach, and the Kingdom has already come, then let some one who so believes please explain this verse. But if the Kingdom is postponed till His return, as He taught in chap. xix, 11-15; and if at His return there is to be a great gathering of Israel, from all the corners of the earth, as all the prophets teach; and if it shall be according to the days of their coming out of Egypt (Mic. vii, 15), then it seems to me all plain.

17. "And He took the cup, and gave thanks, and said, Take this and divide it among yourselves."

18. "For I say unto you, I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the Kingdom of God shall come." Then shall all Israel's fast days become joy and gladness and cheerful feasts. Then the ransomed of the Lord shall return and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads. They shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

19. "And He took bread and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is My body which is given for you, this do in remembrance of Me." Having kept the passover He now institutes a new feast which we call The Lord's Supper, or The Communion.

20. "Likewise also the cup after supper, saying, This cup is the new testament in My blood which is shed for you." In the same sense that He is the door, the true vine, the living bread, in that sense only is the bread and wine His body and blood, and we partake of each in grateful remembrance of His sufferings for us, whereby we become members of His body, and look forward to His coming when we shall be perfected in His likeness. Let us, when we partake of the wine, think of His blood shed for us, and pray to be such faithful witnesses that we shall be willing to seal our testimony with our blood, not loving our lives unto the death.

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You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial Bottles Free at H. L. Flanders & Co. drugstore.

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And bid your yards be gay
Up all your gusty streets and down,
For Lydia comes today!

I hear it on the wharves below,
And if I buy or sell,
The good folk as they churchward go
Have only this to tell.

My mother, just for love of her,
Unlocks her carved drawers;
And sprigs of withered lavender
Drop down upon the floors.

For Lydia's bed must have the sheet
Spun out of linen sheer,
And Lydia's room be passing sweet
With odors of last year.

The marigolds are out once more
In lanes salt with the sea;
The thorn bush at Saint Martin's door
Grows white for such as she.

So, Sudbury, bid your gardens blow,
For Lydia comes today;
Of all the words that I do know,
I have but this to say.

—New York Independent.

The Benefit of Newspaper Training.

I believe I have done everything which an editor or publisher ever has to do, from directing wrappers up to writing the biography of a president within an hour after his death. This means, if the training be continued through many years of life, and if one be under a good chief, that one gains, of necessity, the ready use at least of his own language. We newspaper men may write English very ill, but we write it easily and quickly. So that to us, who have been in this business, there is something amazing to hear a clergyman say that he occupied a week in composing a sermon, which was, at the outside, 3,500 words in length. One can understand absolute inability to do it at all, but no newspaper man understands how a man who can do it can spend thirty-six hours in doing it.

If you have to send "copy" up stairs, hour after hour, with a boy taking the slips from you, one by one, as they are written, and you know that you are never to see what you write until you read it the next day in the paper, your copy will be punctuated carefully, written carefully, and it will be easily read. That is one thing. Another thing goes with it. You will form the habit of determining what you mean to say before you say it, how far you want to go, and where you want to stop. And this will bring you to a valuable habit of life—to stand by what has been decided. Napoleon gave the same advice when he said, "If you set out to take Vienna, take Vienna."

For these reasons I am apt to recommend young men to write for the press early in life, being well aware that the habit of doing this has been of use to me.—Edward Everett Hale in Forum

Statistics of Tornadoes.

The tornado, with hardly an exception, occurs in the afternoon, just after the hottest part of the day. The time of greatest frequency is from 3:30 to 5 o'clock. The tornado season includes March, April, May, June, July, August and September, but storms of this nature may occur in any part of the year. The months of greatest frequency, as determined from a record of 208 years, are April, May, June and July. The single month of greatest frequency is May, April following next in order. The state in which the greatest number of tornadoes has occurred is Missouri, followed next in order by Kansas and Georgia.

A record of more than 500 tornadoes and "windfalls" (i. e., paths of tornadoes through forests) in Wisconsin considerably exceeds the number from any other state, but little weight can be given this comparison owing to the want of thorough investigation of the subject of windfalls in other states. From a careful investigation of the origin of tornadoes and their geographical distribution there is every reason to believe that these storms were as frequent and violent 200 years ago as now. Moreover, there appears to be no cause for any unusual change in the annual frequency of tornadoes for a like period to come.—Lieut. John P. Finley in Forum.

Cold Years.

A correspondent of The Pall Mall Gazette writes: Are we in the middle of a series of cold years? In 1842 a Mr. Luke Howard started a theory that our English seasons present themselves in cycles of eighteen years, during the first half of which—beginning with 1824—heat predominates, and in the second cold. Working this out I find that the facts do seem to square with Mr. Howard's theory, according to which we should now be in the thick of the "cold" series—1887 to 1896. At any rate there's the snowfall of June, 1888, to back the theory, and to knock a hole in the second clause of Byron's famous line, "Seek roses in December, snow in June."

Toads Drive Out Roaches.

W. R. Jennings has discovered a very effective and simple means of getting rid of roaches. It is simply to put a toad in any room that is infested with them. A large toad got into the post-office and remained there over night. Afterward the office was clear of roaches until a few weeks since, when they reappeared. Another toad was placed in the room, and the roaches again disappeared. Charles Doyle was greatly annoyed by these vermin. He was told about the remedy, and placed a small toad in his saloon, which cleared it of roaches in a very short time.—Marshall (Tex.) Star.

Late investigations have determined that the majority of deep sea depressions come from other than volcanic origin, and that the coldest waters of the ocean stand in the deep troughs instead of running, as was formerly thought to be the case.

Malaria

Literally means bad air. Poisonous germs arising from low, marshy land, or from decaying vegetable matter, and breathed into the lungs, taken up by the blood, and unless the vital fluid is purified by the use of a good medicine like Hood's Sarsaparilla, the unfortunate victim is soon overpowered. Even in the more advanced cases, where the terrible fever prevails, this successful medicine has effected remarkable cures. Those who are exposed to malarial or other poisons should keep the blood pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

When tablecloths are worn beyond mending cut square pieces from the best parts of them and hem them neatly. They make nice napkins for the little children to use at the table, and also do nicely for them to carry their lunches to school in, for if they are stained or lost it will not matter much, as your sets will not be broken.

Merit wins, as the marvelous success of Hood's Sarsaparilla shows. It possesses true medicinal merit. Sold by all druggists.

BACHELOR MANSFIELD.

There Is a Capital Reason Why the Actor Never Has Been Married.

There are few among the admirers of Richard Mansfield who have not wondered at the persistence with which he holds to bachelorhood.

Mr. Mansfield is the victim of an extraordinary and unfortunate will—extraordinary because he is left as sole heir to a considerable estate, and unfortunate because he cannot touch a penny of all his inheritance until he has found a wife to share his fortune.

Some six years ago, before the present "Beau Brummel" was as well known as he is now, and when the author of that successful play was a freshman at Amherst, the mother of Richard Mansfield died. She had been a famous opera singer in her day, and not being careless of the money her voice had earned for her, had amassed a small fortune. Richard Mansfield was her only child, and to him fell the whole of her property, which consisted principally of valuable real estate. But the will which announced this disposition of the property was a curious document. The late Attorney General Train was one of its executors. It gave all, "personal and real," to the son plainly enough, but the conditions and restrictions which it exacted were hardly what one would expect to find in the will of an opera singer.

The conditions were that the heir should not marry within five years from the date of the filing of the will, and that after that period the property should not come into his hands until he was married.

Here was a state of affairs for an actor—neither property nor wife for five years, and then no property without a wife.

In the summer of 1889 Richard Mansfield went abroad. It was rumored among his friends and even hinted at in the papers that he was to marry an English lady of some distinction, but the winter came and brought Richard Mansfield back to New York still attended only by his valet, and those who were authority for the report wondered how they could have been so mistaken. Such stories were no novelty to Mr. Mansfield. He never mentioned his mother's will.

In one of the acts of "Beau Brummel" Mansfield is asked, in regard to his intended marriage, what surety he will have against the failure of his suit, to which he replies, with an air of supreme self satisfaction, "And am I not surety enough?" It is a line well suited to the Beau, but few who marked it have understood how aptly it suits the actor.—New York World.

Trees 650 Feet Tall.

Professor Fred G. Plummer, the civil engineer of Tacoma, says: "I have been all over this country and have the best collection of the flora to be found anywhere. What do you think of these trees 650 feet high? They are to be found that high in the unsurveyed townships near the foot of Mount Tacoma, and what is more I have seen them and made an instrumental measurement of a number with that result. There are lots of trees near the base of Mount Tacoma whose foliage is so far above the ground that it is impossible to tell to what family they belong except by the bark. Very few people know or dream of the immensity of our forest growth. I wish that some of our large trees could be sent to the World's fair at Chicago. We could send a flag pole, for instance, 300 or 400 feet long."—Olympia Tribune.

Elephants Fine Food.

Dr. Livingstone speaks of elephant's flesh as excellent. "We had the food cooked for breakfast and found it delicious. It is a whitish mass, slightly gelatinous and sweet, like marrow. A long march to prevent biliousness is a wise precaution after a feast on elephant's food. Elephant's tongue and trunk are also good, and after long simmering much resemble the humps of a buffalo and the tongue of an ox; but all the other meat is tough, and from its peculiar flavor only to be eaten by a hungry man." The elephants eaten during the siege of Paris were said to be a great success, and the liver was pronounced finer than that of any goose or duck.—Scottish Review.

Advertising Costs.

No matter how much advertising pays it certainly costs. A single page in an issue of The Century, taken for advertising purposes, costs $500; in Harper's, $400 down to $100. A yearly advertisement of one column in The New York Herald costs $30,304 for the lowest and $130,000 for the highest priced columns. These figures will doubtless be of interest to men who invest $2 or $3 per month and flatter themselves with the idea that they are extensive and liberal advertisers, and that because of their investment they ought to control the columns and dictate the course of the publication.—Chicago Herald.

Chained Books.

As late as the year 1751 notices occur in the librarian's account books of procuring additional chains for the library. But the removal of them appears to have commenced as shortly afterward as 1757, and in 1761 there was a payment for unchaining 1,448 books at one halfpenny each. In 1769 some long chains were sold at twopence each, and short ones at three halfpence, and then en masse nineteen hundredweight of "old iron" at 14s. per hundredweight. Several of the chains are still preserved loose as relics.—Macray's Annals of the Bodleian Library.

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and medicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of others state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

A good way to remove ink stains from carpets is to sprinkle salt over the soiled spots and pour on boiling water, do it several times, if necessary.

If You Wish

To enjoy good health, and prevent the seeds of disease from ripening in your system, you should use the best medicine in the world, Sulphur Bitters, which will prevent your system from being all run down by making it strong and vigorous.—Rev. W. R. Snow.

KNICKKNACKS IN CARPENTRY.

Disappearance of the Odd Ways of Making an Extra Penny.

"You must have noticed many changes in your line of business since you learned the trade?" was asked of a carpenter by a reporter.

"Yes, more than I could begin to recollect. There was a time when a man could make a snug penny working overtime and making bootjacks at a quarter apiece. You hardly hear tell of them now, and what there are are patent affairs. The wood jack was good to settle cat fights, and that helped business.

"Another specialty I used to have was the making of mincemeat chopping blocks. Women folks in those days couldn't buy their mincemeat ready made. They had to make it, and the chopping was a great event in the family. The block was of hard wood, about two inches thick, with a border on three sides, leaving it open in front.

"Another household article that threw many a dollar in my path was the quilting frame. The quilting party was a joyful time, and it meant a great gathering of young and old folks. The quilting frame, when stretched for work, has to be of such size that it occupies most of the room. Then, when the wadding was enclosed between the two layers of muslin, a chalk line would be snapped across the top surface to mark where the stitches should be made. It has been many a long year since I have had an order for a quilting frame.

"Boys' stilts were another little item that used to pay. I would knock a pair together in ten minutes, and I've seen the time when I'd sell a dozen pairs a day. Boys nowadays don't seem to run to stilts. I suppose bicycles have taken their place. When you come to think of it, a bicycle is nothing more than a pair of stilts bent into a circle. The fault I find with the bicycle is that it only develops the legs. Now the perfect bicycle should develop the whole body. How could it be managed? Easily. Let the hands and arms be used for propulsion alternately with the feet. Use the whole body, as in swimming or rowing. You would gain increased speed, too.

"You remember the tally sticks the bakers used to use to keep account of the number of loaves of bread they left you? Just a stick with a notch filed in, like Robinson Crusoe used to mark the days of the week. Many a thousand tallies I've split down. They had to be cheap, of course, but they were of dry cedar, such as shingles were made of, and it was light work."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Hints to Anglers.

Fly fishing at night to those who are not used to it is a peculiar and rather uncanny experience. The rushing water looks as black as ink, and even when the sky is bright the shadows cast by the trees and bushes make the stream seem intensely dark. It is better to use only one fly and a short, stout leader. The large trout feed entirely at night during the hot weather, and after one gets used to the strange surroundings it is very charming sport, for the small fish do not trouble the fly then, and the big ones take hold sharp and with a loud splash. Large bright flies should be used as a rule, but, strange to say, in Lake Colden, in the Adirondacks, the black gnat is the most killing fly.

As a rule striped bass are not caught on any bait but the genuine article. They seem too shy and suspicious to be tempted by the various imitations. But we have heard of several instances lately where they have taken the phantom and white bait minnows. Another successful lure lately used is a gang made of one treble hook on gut with a small revolving spoon above. A sandworm is hooked on to this gang, and the bass, attracted by the glistening spoon, rushes for the bait and is captured. It should be trolled slowly in shallow water, with eighty feet of line and no sinker—a good sized swivel is sufficient weight.—Forest and Stream.

Richardson the Fire Eater.

From the following account taken from Evelyn's Diary, where it appears under date of "10 mo. 8th, 1672," it seems that fire eating freaks are not modern innovations: "I took leave of my Lady Sunderland, who was going to Paris to my lord, now ambassador there. She made me stay to dinner at Leicester house, and afterward sent for Richardson, the famous fire eater. Before us he devoured brimstone on glowing coals, chewing and swallowing them. He melted a beere glasse and ate it quite up; then, taking a live coal on his tongue, he put on it a raw oyster; the coal was blown with hand bellows until it flamed and sparkled in his mouthe, and so remained until the oyster was done. Then he melted pitch with sulphur and drank it while it flamed. I saw it flaming in his mouth."

A Queer Firm.

A Kentuckian in Buffalo has discovered there the firm of Irish & English. What is considered especially remarkable about this firm is that Mr. English is an Irishman and Mr. Irish is an Englishman. The gentleman from Kentucky has so far been unable to obtain the views of Mr. Irish and Mr. English as to what should be done with Ireland.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Porcelain manufacture originated in Meissen. At the time the Berlin manufacture was established the Meissen porcelain was already famous for its fine quality and perfection, and even today is surpassed in but very few points.

100 Ladies Wanted

And 100 men to call on any druggist for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains. For diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing up the complection it does wonders. It is the best spring medicine known. Large size package, 50 cents. At all druggists'.

The scrubbing of floors should be done with bath brick dust or sand and ordinary household soap. The object of the brick dust or sand is to whiten boards. After washing leave all the doors and windows open for it to dry very quickly, which also helps to whiten the boards.

The walls of each room should be brushed, a duster should be tied over a broom and then passed up and down. The duster must, of course, be shaken from time to time.

Fastidious Snakes.

The quickest thing next to electricity is a snake. Well behaved serpents are always interesting. But for the unfortunate information that one gave to Miss Eve before she eloped with Adam when he was head gardener of the Eden ranch, there would be snakes in more respectable families than there are today. A Cleveland snake professor says that "hissing pythons and cobras will eat at any time, except when they are blind and shedding their skin. They won't touch anything then. Another queer thing about them is that they won't eat anything but white animals. Wait; I'll show you," and taking a young rabbit out of its cage he placed it in the box with the snakes.

They did not move for about a minute. Then one of the pythons raised its head and fastened its eyes upon bunny. The rabbit's ears dropped, its eyes closed and it began to tremble. All at once the snake shot forward, and, seizing it by the back of the neck, coiled itself around it and began crushing out its life; then, turning it over, began to swallow it. The python's head under ordinary circumstances was not larger than a thumb joint on a man's hand, yet when it seized the rabbit its jaws became dislocated in such a way that it was able to start the rabbit's head into its mouth.

Then by a peculiar motion it began slowly to swallow its prey. As the snake worked backward and forward its head stretched to many times the natural size, until finally bunny's hind legs disappeared down the python's throat.

"That supper will last him a couple of weeks," said the showman, as he picked the snake up.—San Francisco Examiner.

Not Cured, but Killed.

One popular fallacy prevalent many years ago in Goshen, Mass., was that hernia might be effectually cured by putting the patient through a living ash tree, cleft and parted so widely as to allow the person to pass through without touching the sides.

The trees so devoted were not allowed to be cut down afterward, lest the felling of the tree should be the killing of the patient. This method of treating hernia received a sudden check.

An Irishman named King had taken a negro boy to bring up who was affected with the above mentioned trouble, and the cleft tree remedy was recommended.

An ash tree was cleft, wedges were inserted to keep it open, and the boy started to go through. Unfortunately, at the moment the poor little fellow was fairly within the cleft, the wedges suddenly flew out, and the parts of the tree sprang together. The negro was crushed to death.

King ran for help, and cried out to the first man he met: "Cato is kilt! I've brought death to Cato, but I niver thought to kill Cato no more'n I did yerself, Mr. Dresser!"

The honest simplicity of the Irishman saved him from legal trouble, but the tragedy killed the popularity of the ash tree remedy for hernia.—Youth's Companion.

Our Cut Flowers the Best.

Expert florists say that New York can today make a better display of cut flowers than can any city of Europe. The most skillful growers of flowers in the world are the florists in and about this city. They came from Germany, from France, from England and elsewhere, and their skill coupled with our climate has produced great results in the way of growing fine flowers. Such expert witnesses as John Morris, the veteran Jefferson market flower dealer, say that in the matter of cut flowers New York can beat Paris, and that means that it can beat the world.

At present the ladies of the city who are lovers of flowers—and what woman is not?—cannot see these exhibitions of cut flowers that they are so fond of. In Paris the mistress of the house can go to the market, and herself order the flowers that she wishes to be placed on her tables and about her house when she gives a dinner or a reception. She never delegates this matter to a bonne. She can combine business with pleasure by doing it herself, and her tastes being educated the results are good. Here a man servant is necessarily intrusted with this matter, and as a result it is attended to very badly.—New York Mail and Express.

No More Sleepless Nights.

A new wrinkle for drawing custom is the keeping open of dental establishments all night for the special accommodation of those who have to work all day and cannot afford to lose time by spending it in a dentist's chair. The idea is a practical success. The first week shows a patronage almost if not quite as large as during the day. Operators say they can do just as good work by the aid of the incandescent light as by the light of the sun, and that the quiet of the streets by night has a soothing effect on the nerves, which are not so sensitive to pain as when tensely strung by day and by the excitement of daylight surroundings. All night dental parlors seem to have come in obedience to a popular demand, and it looks as if they might become as common as the all night restaurant or as is the work of building by incandescent light.—New York Cor. Philadelphia Record.

Wished to Be Correct.

Dudily—Whom are you staring at, sir?

Cynicus—Excuse me if I insist on grammatical accuracy. Say, "what are you staring at?"—Chatter.

For cleaning windows and mirrors one of the best things is plain soft water and chamois leather, having a dry chamois leather as well to polish with afterward. This process will not answer near the sea, because of the salt in the atmosphere.

For cleaning glasses belonging to mahogany furniture, use either powdered whiting or scraped rottenstone mixed with sweet oil, and rub on with a chamois skin.

Eggs shells crushed into small bits and shaken well in decanters, three parts filled with cold water will not only clean them thoroughly but make the glass look like new.

Little jewelled gloves are admired as watch charms.

Grenadine is preferable to lace, and more fashionable.

Woman's Column.

The Material Growth of America.

The passage of the bill for the admission of Wyoming means an era in our national history. The number of our States will henceforth be forty-four instead of the original thirteen. I look with astonishment at the rapid growth of this great sisterhood of republics. Much is said of our material progress, but no one can fully realize its magnitude. To those of us who can look back sixty years (and short seems the retrospect) how amazing is the change within our brief lifetime! Then the United States numbered twelve millions, now sixty-four millions. Then not a railroad nor a telegraph; our frontier, Michigan and Ohio; our backwoods, Kentucky and Indiana; all the vast expanse from the Missouri to the Pacific Ocean an unexplored continent prairies, mountains and deserts. Now we can go from Maine to Alaska and return within a month.

In 1832, as a boy, I remember New York City less than half the present size of Boston, accessable only by sailing vessels, stage coaches and barges; the Erie Canal just opened; steamboats just beginning to ply upon our rivers, but no steamers then, or for many years afterwards, crossing the Atlantic. In 1838 I was eleven days in going from New York to Cincinnati. The Ohio river flowed for a thousand miles through an almost unbroken forest. There I found a bright, aspiring little town, calling itself the "Queen of the West," with firewood at two dollars a cord, eggs four cents a dozen, beef sirloin six cents a pound, oats twelve cents a bushel, and flour two dollars a barrel. Yet our only currency was paper, so scarce and so fluctuating in value, that it was harder to pay those small prices than it is to pay the greater prices of to-day. I think the only man in America then considered a millionnaire was old John Jacob Astor of New York. Our great fortunes were unknown. I have seen Alexander T. Stewart, afterwards a merchant prince, measuring off ladies' dress goods with his own hands behind the counter. As a school-boy I have often bought a cent's worth of broken candy from the parents of the brothers Stewart, afterwards great sugar refiners, at their little store on Greenwich street, before the modern art of sugar refining was introduced. I have in my possession a Boston directory of 1830; it contains only 12,000 names and scarcely a foreign name among them. Boston has been a city only sixty-eight years. The mills and factories of Lowell and Lawrence and Haverhill and Lynn and Fall River and New Beedford and Holyoke, of Lewiston and Saco and Biddeford and Manchester have been created within a single life-time. I was born in 1825 and decline to call myself old (not having yet arrived at years of discretion); but Lowell was incorporated in 1826, and Lawrence in 1853. Is it any wonder that in these sudden aggregations of European emigrants, in our cities and manufacturing towns, there is poverty, ignorance, vice and crime? Ought we not rather to feel surprized at the thrift, intelligence and comfort so suddenly improvised out of such various elements and nationalities? Do not charge our shortcomings to liberty. They are the products of monarchical institutions not yet wholly outgrown.

In 1840 I went from Cincinnati to St. Louis. I was a week in reaching it. In that little frontier town of 20,000, still largely French, the fur-traders fitted out their annual expeditions to the Rocky Mountains. They were absent from twelve to fifteen months. It was the darling aspiration of my boyish heart to accompany those hardy explorers into those unknown wildernesses. That was the year of Harrison campaign; "Tippecanoe and Tyler too," was the burden of our song. To-day the grandson of the Harrison of 1840 sits in the White House. But how changed are all the conditions. Then, as now, we were discussing tariff and free-trade. But there is more free-trade now in a single week between the States of this Union, than was transacted in a year in 1840. Until far into the present century the great body of our people lived upon the products of their own farms; they spun and wove their own clothing out of home-raised flax and wool, they grew their own food, fermented and distilled their own liquors (for until 1828 there was no temperance society) and traffic was incredibly limited by the cost of transportation.

When a century has made such changes as these, who can predict what another century will bring forth? To meet the problems that confront us, we need above all else an intelligent, influential, public-spirited womanhood. All the forces of wisdom and virtue will be wanted at the ballot-box. Well says Lowell:

"New occasions teach new duties; Time makes ancient good uncouth;
They must upward still and onward, who would keep abreast of truth.
Lo, before us gleam her camp-fires! we ourselves must Pilgrims be;
Launch *our* Mayflower and steer boldly through the desperate winter sea,
Nor attempt the Future's portal with the Past's blood-rusted key."

—*H. B. B. in Woman's Journal.*

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is among the most distressing and disgusting ills the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the multitude of modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising.

Precautions Against Consumption.

In a circular on precautions against consumption, published by the State Board of Health of Pennsylvania, the following advice is given: "The duster, and especially that potent distributor of germs, the feather duster, should never be used in a room habitually occupied by a consumptive. The floor, woodwork and furniture should be wiped with a damp cloth. The patient's clothing should be kept by itself and thoroughly boiled when washed. It need hardly be said that the room should be ventilated as thoroughly as is consistant with the maintenance of a proper temperature."

For polishing furniture beeswax and turpentine are very good, but plenty of elbow grease is essential.

Nipped in the Bud.

A woman who appeared to be an excursionist was walking up and down Woodward avenue yesterday with a man's hat in one hand and a large calf-skin wallet in the other, and an officer finally approached her and asked:

"Madam, are you looking for any one?"

"Oh, no," she replied, "I know right where he is."

"Are you in any trouble?"

"No, sir. I never allow anything to trouble me."

"But you——you——"

"It's just this way, sir. Me and my husband came in on the excursion. After we got here he began to frisk and cut up, and I proceeded to nip him in the bud. He's over there on the City Hall steps, bareheaded and without a cent, while I hold the key of the position."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Do not use feather dusters on furniture; a soft cloth is much better.

The large satin finish heart-shaped silver lockets are again sought for.

There is a decided liking for black hats, which are loaded with flowers.

All the new gloves are top chain-stitched on the edge with white thread.

A large hook and eye in gold is an exceedingly popular form of brooch.

To remove soiled spots from light painted doors, use kerosene on a flannel cloth.

The beauty of the chemisette has been lost by the masculine touch of scarf pin and studs.

To remove blood stains, dip the fabric stained in kerosene, and then wash thoroughly.

Becoming feather boas are made of dark green coq feathers, and must be two yards in length.

To whiten yellow piano keys rub them with fine sand-paper and finish with a piece of chamois.

To extract ink from wood, scour with ammonia and water, then rinse with strong saleratus water.

Ivory black stirred in ordinary shellack varnish, makes a brilliant varnish for iron stoves and fireplaces.

Silver gimp is the fashionable trimming in the white China silk dresses, and produces a very pretty effect.

The giddy grand dames of fashion have taken to wear moire silk overcoats with white bodices and skirts.

Feather necklets come in colors matching costumes, and are to be fastened with clasps or tied with ribbons.

A method of soldering tin cans by electricity has recently been devised and it bids fair to be quite generally used.

White paint that has become discolored may be nicely cleaned by using a little whiting in the water for washing.

Patient-leather shoes can be cleaned by rubbing with a sponge or flannel to remove all dirt, then covering them with a paste made of two teaspoonfuls of cream and one of linseed oil. Warm both the ingredients before mixing. Let the paste soak into the shoes for a few minutes, then polish them with a soft cloth.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.25, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.30, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday** at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M. *

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.24 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.22, 1.10, 2.00, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS, 1890.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.30, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.09, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.59, 8.39, 9.15, 10.39, 11.30, A. M., 12.39, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.39, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.50, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M , 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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Northern Mail, *via* Winchester, opens at 11.45 A. M. and 6.08 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 6.00 P. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 11.15 A. M., 12.45, 1.45, 4.15, 5.45, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M., 4.15 P. M.
Montvale, *via* Winchester, 7.00 A. M.
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PARTLOW'S LUCK.

The buckboard and steady going ponies of Mr. Jackson Bitts, late of boomless New Chicago, rounded a bend in the timber road a moment after a man, mounted on a racking horse, entered it from a sideway which joined the main road a little beyond the bend.

The racking of the equestrian's steed was kept from becoming monotonous by a tendency upon the part of the racker to stumble at the slightest provocation, and his rider, as he weakly reversed the horse at the sound of the buckboard's approach and came racking toward it, looked as if a persistence in that mode of traveling might speedily result in shaking him to pieces.

He was thin and wan, as if from a recent illness, and his mouth had a discouraged droop at the corners.

He begged to share the buckboard seat with Mr. Bitts, supplementing the excuse that he was in danger of being unable to long keep his joints together if forced to continue the victim of the rack.

"A feller," he said presently, with a mournful tone that was almost a sigh—"a feller must save himself all he kin—'specially when luck's agin him."

He had fastened the racker behind the buckboard and crawled onto the seat with an "Um—ah!" of relief.

The two men exchanged the civilities of "passing the time o' day," and Mr. Bitts, having done all that courtesy demanded of him, was ready to resume the attack upon the chaotic schemes with which he had been wrestling before the appearance of the other.

"When luck's agin him," his passenger repeated sightfully, "as it is agin me!"

"I reckon so," agreed Mr. Bitts, encouraging but little the evident desire of the other to indulge in reminiscencing.

Mr. Jackson Bitts, late of New Chicago, was interested more in Junction City and the financial benefit he expected to derive from the place than in the woes of the man beside him.

He had approached New Chicago six months before with the same wrestling with schemes that now tore him.

The boom at that settlement had waxed and waned, and Mr. Bitts had failed to enrich himself; but with the ever springing hope that animates the true boomer, he was now on his way to Junction City, filled with still greater confidence than he had entertained upon approaching New Chicago.

It was decided and announced that the Dakota and Gulf railway would cross the Transcontinental railway at a certain point where there was not little of nature's handiwork to be seen.

The road bed of the Transcontinental a shanty on the line between two homestead claims, an apology for a fence, another for a stable—that was about all there was to be seen.

This was at noon. A little later the agents of the two railroads and one of the proprietors of the shanty on the line between the claims were actively at work with a gang of men, and before 10 o'clock of the following day the entire section had been staked off in streets and lots.

At noon the sale of lots began, and before night many had been sold. By sunset half a dozen shanties had been "slapped up," and Junction City began to be.

The rapidity with which the news of the new born boom traveled was astonishing. The next day the building of houses and the coming of inhabitants began in good earnest.

Shanties sprang up. Others came on wheeled trucks from deserted claims and more or less excuseless settlements. Tents were plentiful. There appeared what out of courtesy were called stores. There, too, was a "hotel," the accommodations of which were little short of awful, and a saloon where was dispensed liquid comfort mostly of the "Battleax's brand.

A day later the initial number of the Junction City Pioneer was sprung upon the settlement by an enterprising gentleman who had previously founded The Sumner Pioneer and the New Paris Pioneer. There were also many other evidences of the daring and activity that a new born boom develops

Bitts passenger wriggled about on the seat of the buckboard and sighed again.

"Luck's be'n agin me ever since I kin remember," he ventured presently. "Name's Partlow—Oracle Partlow."

He paused to note the effect of this announcement.

Mr. Bitts uttered an "uh-huh" of assent, and withdrew within his shell.

"Yep," continued Mr. Partlow with pathetic pride, "I reckon I'm the unluckiest man 'twixt this an' anywhurs. I've b'en mighty nigh everything but plumb killed."

"That's bad," commented Mr. Bitts, without emotion.

"Um—ah! you bet!" pursued Mr. Partlow, warming up. "I've be'n shot by a deputy sher'f for a hawse thief. I've be'n blowed nearly out uv the county by a cyclone. I've stood on a bar'l with a rope around my neck, waitin' for a vigilantes committee to decide whether I was the feller they wanted or not, an' I was tarred an' feathered once by mistake. I've be'n held up by road agents an' robbed uv my last three dollars. I've be'n chased by a crazy man. My wife ran away with a man who owed me, an' who was reckoned by me to be sure pay. A well caved in on me once, an' kept me buried for forty hours with a half inch crack to breath through. I've had the rheumatiz off an' on for ten years, an' the ager right smart of the time. An', all things considered, I reckon luck's agin me:"

"Looks so!" agreed Mr. Bitts, mildly interested.

"Wal," resumed Partlow, after I had drifted about all over the west, I finally struck this part of the State an' settled down. a few miles south uv yere on a claim jinin' the one that Ike Blue took up next day. I 'lowed that out thar on the flat land, with little to steal an' apparently nobody to pester, I might sort o' live down my luck!"

He went on to tell how Mr. Blue and himself had erected their shanty across the dividing line of the two claims, each sleeping on the part of the cabin on his own homestead, thus making a cheap pretense of complying with the requirements of the homestead law demanding a place of residence on each claim.

Then, before they had got more than fairly settled, the Transcontinental railway put in an appearance, cutting their claims in twain, and remunerating their owners but scantily therefor.

No serious misfortune had overtaken Mr. Partlow, however, but his accustomed ill luck manifested itself often enough to keep him in mind of the fact that man is of few days and full of trouble.

The only cow possessed by the partners choked to death on almost the last of their turnips; the chinch bugs made merry with their discouraged looking wheat, and a train on the Transcontinental so frightened the team of horses that they ran away with a borrowed mowing machine and Mr. Partlow, ruining the former and endangering the life of the latter.

But all this was nothing more than he expected, he said sighfully, and it was therefore met with becoming resignation by Mr. Partlow. But Mr. Blue less familiar with misfortune, began to look with suspicion upon his partner as a sort of modern and degenerate Jonah.

"Shouldn't wonder," commented Mr. Bitts.

It had been but lately that Partlow, though feeling physically out of shape, as he expressed it had ridden to New Chicago on an errand of no interest to us, and while returning had become weak, ill and delirious and as he learned afterward, had been found wandering aimlessly about at a considerable distance from the way he should have pursued, and faithfully followed by his old horse.

Partlow had been taken in and cared for by kind souls, and was now only just recovering from a severe illness.

He was ready to prognosticate more ill luck for the future.

Prompted by what he had believed a premonition, he had, before leaving the double claim given Mr. Blue a laboriously executed document resembling a power of attorney, giving him authority over his claim during his absence.

And now it would not surprise him much, he confessed, to find that Blue, concluding he had feloniously run away with the racking horse, had indulged in some retaliatory measure. He could not see how Blue could avoid entertaining an uncomplimentary opinion of him, at the very least.

"The claims air jest over beyond the timber thar," he continued; "an' I wouldn't be surprised if"—

His further forebodings were interrupted by the appearance of a little squad of horsemen, who came galloping toward them out of the timber, just ahead.

That's Ike in front. The rest air strangers to me," he said gloomily. "Wonder what's up?"

"Ike, what"—he began, as the horsemen reached the buckboard.

"Shut up!" broke in Mr. Blue. "We've got a surprise for you!"

Partlow doubled up a little closer on the seat of the buckboard. They were half way through the timber before he spoke again.

"Wonder what they're up to!" he muttered to Bitts. "Mebby there goin' to hang me, or sump'n'! Say, Ike, I hain't done nuth'n' an' "—

"Shut up!" broke in the gentleman addressed.

"Jest my reg'lar luck," sighed Partlow. "But I hain't done nuth'n'!"

As they emerged from the timber he looked up to see the familiar outlines of the shanty on the line between the two claims.

Instead he, wide eyed and open mouthed, beheld new born, bustling, booming Junction City, with its already respectable showing of houses and tents.

There appeared activity everywhere—men hurrying hither and thither, more shanties and tents springing up, a building just rolling in on trucks, a new depot rising skyward—in short, the springing up of a prairie "city."

"W'y—w'y—I—how—where"—

Mr. Partlow threatened to collapse.

"It's part uv the surprise," grinned Ike Blue. "You an' me own half uv the town. More'n a thousand dollars' worth uv lots sold already, an' more a-goin' all the time. Prices risin' every minute. We'll be rich men yet, Ork, ole feller!"

"I—my luck"—

"Has changed at last. I found out where you was very soon after you was taken sick, but as you wa'n't in any great danger I reckoned on not lettin' you know anything about this till I could spring it on you all at once."

"I can't believe!" faltered Partlow. I"—

"Oh, it's all true!"

"Rich—luck changed—I can't believe my senses!" said Partlow, slowly. "I reckon I'm losin' my mind or sump'n'!"

He rose to step down from the buckboard, and weak from his recent illness and the excitement fell forward to the ground.

"His arm is broken in two places," was the verdict of the doctor who had arrived at the settlement in good time to be called to the cabin whither Partlow had been carried.

The sufferer uttered what sounded like a sigh of relief.

"Things air all right yet!" he said, weakly. "I hain't losin' my mind, after all. I'm still Oracle Partlow!"

—*Tom P. Morgan in Philadelphia Saturday Night.*

58 More Biscuit

Can be made with each pound of Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder than with the same quantity of any other pure cream of tartar powder.

CLEVELAND BAKING POWDER CO., 81 & 83 Fulton St., NEW YORK.

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A few reasons why you should buy Mens', Youths' and Boys' WINTER OVERCOATS, SUITS, TROUSERS, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Underwear, Cardigan Jackets, &c., &c., at MUNROE'S.

1st. We have the largest, lightest, and best arranged Clothing Store in the vicinity.
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4th. We are never undersold and always give the best goods for the money. Try us and you will find this true.

Please give us a call before purchasing and look our stock over. We will save you money.

C. M. MUNROE,
423 MAIN STREET, WOBURN.
Woburn Laundry Agency.

"They were passing the inevitable subscription paper for the benefit of the family of the "good fellow" who had suddenly died. Said one business man, "I give this little for the relief of their immediate wants, and I give that under protest. Why? Because in these enlightened days of life insurance no man has a right to leave a destitute family."

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423 Main Street, - - - - Woburn, Mass.

Antidotes To Poisons.

The following valuable lists of antidotes for poisons taken from the *Trained Nurse*, should be closely studied by every parent, so that, in the event of accidental swallowing of poison, the proper antidote can be promptly administered without dangerous delay.

When the poison is unknown, this is the treatment: Provoke repeated vomiting; give bland liquids; stimulate if necessary.

For acids—sulphuric, nitric, muriatic, oxulic: Give an alkali; provoke vomiting; give bland fluids; secure rest; stimulate if necessary.

Alkalies—hartshorn, soda, potash, lye: Give an acid, (vinegar); provoke vomiting; give bland liquids; secure rest; stimulate if necessary.

For arsenic, Paris green, Scheele's green: Provoke vomiting; give dialysed iron and salt (repeat several times); give dose of castor oil; secure rest; stimulate if necessary.

For sugar of lead: Give epsom salts; provoke vomiting (repeat several times); give bland liquids; give dose of casior oil.

For corrosive sublimate, tartar emetic: Provoke vomiting; give strong tea without milk (repeat several times); give raw eggs and milk; give dose of castor oil; stimulate if necessary.

For phosphorus: Provoke vomiting; give five grain doses sulphate of copper; give dose of magnesia, but no oil.

Lunar caustic (nitrate of silver); Give strong salt and water; provoke vomiting, repeat many times.

Iodine: Provoke vomiting; give starch and water; give bland fluids.

Opium—morphine, laudanum, paregoric, etc., chloral: Provoke vomiting, repeatedly; give strong coffee, without milk; keep up the breathing.

Strychnine: Provoke vomiting once or twice; give a purgative; secure absolute quiet.

Aconite: Provoke vomiting; stimulate well.

Jamestown weed, hemlock, nightshade (belladonna), toadstools, tobacco: Provoke vomiting; stimulate well.

Alcohol: Provoke vomiting; give hartshorn and water.

Decayed meat or vegetables: Provoke vomiting; give a purgative; give powdered charcoal.

To provoke vomiting, warm water may be used with or without ground mustard (a tablespoon to a pint of water), or ipecac (a teaspoonful of the powder, or a tablespoonful or so of the syrup, and thrusting a finger down the throat. It is best to give large quantities (that is, a pint at a time) of warm water whenever vomiting is to be excited.

Bland liquids are milk, raw eggs, some sort of gruel, etc.

Stimulants are tea, coffee, whiskey, wine, etc., or hartshorn and water. Of this a teaspoonful in a teacupful of water will be enough for a dose.

In making tea or coffee, one must not wait to do it as if for the table, but mix hot water with the leaves or grounds, squeeze them well, stir together, and give the whole—leaves, grounds, and everything. At the same time, some may be made regularly if there are conveniences for it.

Alkaline antidotes are hartshorn and water (a tablespoonful in two teacupfuls of water), soap and water, lime, whiting, soda, chalk, toothpowder, plaster, magnesia, whitewash and even wood-ashes.

Acid antidotes are vinegar and lemon juice.

At a large board school in England 300 boys are given a bath once a week.

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr. Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

In order to obtain dances for the young ladies, the proprietor of a hotel at Alleghany Springs, says the Atlanta *Journal*, advertised to take dancing young men at a dollar a day. They came in battalions. When they tired of the ball they would go on the veranda to smoke. "Gentlemen," said the proprietor, severely, "you are here to dance; go back to the ball room." On one occasion the weather became very cold. A distribution of blankets was made among the full paying guests, and there were none left for the dancing young men. They protested against the treatment, and were loud in their complaints. "You are here to dance," said the proprietor, "and if you are cold go to the ball room. There you can warm up."

A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflamation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

Two well-known citizens of Petersburg, Va., went gunning on Tuesday. They were exposed all day to a rain storm, and one of them walked home after nightfall, arriving, says the Washington Post, "in an almost frozen condition, and shortly afterward became delirious. His condition is very critical." The other man remained in the marsh during the night, and was found in the morning outside the city limits, "stiff and cold and unconcious." He subsequently died.

Forced To Leave Home.

Over 60 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call at their druggists for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicines. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggist-to-day for a *free* sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Everyone likes it. Large size packages 50 cents.

"Bridget, this is altogether too much; you have a new follower in the kitchen every week." "Well, ma'am, you see, the food in this house is so bad that no one will come here for longer than a week."

To My Friends.

As you are well aware that I would not recommend that which I did not believe to be good, I desire to say to all who need a good, reliable, family medicine, that I believe one bottle of Sulphur Bitters will do you more good than any other remedy I ever saw.—REV. CEPHAS SOULE.

The Coming Girl.

The coming girl will cook her own food, will earn her own living, and will not die an old maid. The coming girl will not wear the Grecian bend, dance the German, ignore all possibilities of knowing how to work, will not endeavor to break the hearts of unsophisticated young men, will spell correctly, understand English before she affects French, will preside at equal grace at the piano or wash-tub, will spin more yarn for the house than for the street, will not despise her plainly clad mother, her poor relations or the hand of an honest worker.

The coming girl will walk five miles a day if need be to keep her cheeks aglow; will mind her health, her physical development, and her mother, will adopt a costume both sensible and conducive to health; will not confound hypocrisy with politeness; will not place lying to please above frankness.

The coming girl will not look to Paris but to reason for her fashions; will not aim to follow a foolish fashion because milliners and dressmakers decree it; will not torture her body, shrivel her soul with puerilities, or ruin it with wine and pleasure. In short, the coming girl will seek to glorify her Maker and to enjoy mentally His works. Duty will be her aim, and life a living reality.—*Exchange.*

The Purest and Best

Articles known to medical science are used in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every ingredient is carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained. The medicine is prepared under the supervision of thoroughly competent pharmacists, and every step in the process of manufacture is carefully watched with a view to securing in Hood's Sarsaparilla the best possible result.

TREATMENT FOR BURNS.—Some time since a gentleman severely burned the balls of his fingers by lifting a piece of burning wood which he supposed to be cold. The burn was deep but the skin was not broken. He immediately applied cold water in which a large amount of soda had been dissolved (a very valuable treatment for slight burns,) but owing to the severity of the burn and the many nerves centering in the ends of the fingers, the pain was very intense. A physician present recommended the following treatment, which proved wonderfully effective: Immerse the fingers in a four per cent solution of cocaine until the pain ceases, then immediately paint the entire burned surface with collodion. This was done, and in three or four minutes the pain was relieved. After the fingers were painted as directed no more trouble was experienced from the burn.

When will the average citizen stop spending his hard earnings on cigars and tobacco? Give it up? Well, when he finds he can do without tobacco and cigars but not without Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup.

Salvation Oil, the greatest pain-cure on earth, is compounded of purest drugs. It is guaranteed to contain nothing of a poisonous character. Only 25 cents a bottle.

CARE OF THE HAIR.—Numbers of persons suffer with loss of hair, while the presence of dandruff is to others a constant cause of great annoyance. The most simple and valuable treatment we have found, both to arrest the falling out of hair and remove dandruff, is the free use of extract of witch hazel, or Hamamelis. It should be thoro

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor, ... J. Q. A. Brackett
For Lieut. Governor, ... William H. Haile
For Secretary of State, ... William M. Olin
For Attorney-General, ... A. E. Pillsbury
For Treasurer, ... George A. Marden
For Congress, ... James A. Fox
For Senator 5th Middlesex Dist., . Edwin F. Wyer
For Auditor, ... Charles R. Ladd
For Councillor 6th District, ... Byron Traxell
For County Commissioner, ... J. Henry Reed
For Representative (Woburn) .. Elmore A. Pierce
For Representative (Reading) Henry G. Kittredge

OUR NEXT CONGRESSMAN.

Who shall it be—Fox or Hoar? a Republican or Democrat? It seems to the JOURNAL that there is only one proper course for the Republicans of the 5th Congressional District to pursue and that is to turn to and elect Capt. James A. Fox, the regular Republican nominee. To do anything different from that would be disloyal to the party and detrimental to the interests of the country perhaps.

The Republicans will need all the members it is in their power to elect in the next House of Congress. The Democrats feel so sure of having a majority that they are already casting about for a suitable man for Speaker. While the Republicans do not admit the Democratic claim to be well-founded still they would give considerable to be insured a good working majority in the next House. They cannot afford to lose a man because with the loss of him the control of the body might go out of their hands.

Capt. Fox was regularly nominated at a regularly constituted Congressional convention and is therefore fairly entitled to every Republican vote in the District. On the score of ability, integrity, and clean political principles (being a Republican of the strictest sect) he is equally entitled to receive the full and hearty support of his party.

The Republicans must have the next National House of Representative for more reasons than we have space to enumerate. Speaker Reed must be sustained, and the Tariff measures must be preserved in their integrity, the logic of which is, the Republicans of this Congressional District must pull off their coats, roll up their sleeves, go to work, and triumphantly elect James A. Fox as Gen. Banks's successor.

"UNITED, WE STAND."

In the matter of Representatives to the Legislature from this (14th) District it is of the utmost importance that the Republicans stand shoulder to shoulder and give "a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together," if they would elect their candidates Messrs. Elmore A. Pierce and Henry G. Kittredge. There must be harmony in the Republican ranks. United they will be able to beat the Democracy handsomely: divided, they will get whipped out of their boots.

The Republican candidates are worthy gentlemen and deserve a full party vote. They are both sound Republicans and good citizens. Mr. Pierce has as many friends here in Woburn and as good ones as any young man among us, and there is no reason why he should not receive the ballot of every Republican in the District. We have no doubt but that he will. No man stands higher for intelligence and integrity where he is known than Mr. Kittredge. He is not only a popular gentleman at home but deserves to be. They are both good men for the Legislature.

The Republican party in Woburn have not been in such good fighting condition for years as they are now. There are no family quarrels, feuds, bickerings or heart-burnings; and if ever they were in good plight for a brush with the common enemy—the Bourbons—it is to-day.

The right thing for the Republicans to do now is to close up the ranks; make a thorough personal canvass of the District; lay plans and appoint men to get out a full Republican vote: and if these steps are taken victory, as big as life, will be sure to perch on the banners of Pierce and Kittredge on November 4 next.

REPUBLICAN RALLIES.

There will be a Republican mass-meeting in this city on the evening of Oct. 25, where Hon. Joseph H. Walker and Congressional Candidate Fox will be the chief orators.

Another rally will be held on Nov. 3 which will be addressed by Col. A. A. Wheelock, and Secretary Clarke of the Home Market Club.

These meetings will be held more especially for the benefit of Candidate Fox.

Let every Republican in Woburn be on hand and give Capt Fox a rousing welcome when he appears on the stump here.

STATE ELECTION.

The general election in this State will take place on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November next which will be the 4th day of that month.

The names of the Republican candidates to be voted for at that time are printed at the head of the editorial columns of the JOURNAL.

☞ Mr. Thomas D. Hevey, whom the Democracy placed in nomination for the Legislature last Saturday evening, is a very likely young man and would represent the District with credit. He is a member of the Board of Registrars of Voters and as such enjoys the confidence and respect of everybody. He is a clean, intelligent, well-educated and well-behaved person, and were he a good Republican we would like to see him elected. But then, Messrs. Pierce and Kittredge are equally clean, intelligent, well-educated and well-behaved, which takes away all excuse for any Republican to vote for Mr. Hevey in place of them. Republicans, stick by your candidates.

☞ The *Evening Traveler*, which is one of the best dailies in Boston, is now sold for two cents a copy except the Saturday evening edition, which is sold for three cents per copy. It is a wide awake journal, and at 2 cents is cheaper than dirt.

☞ Hon. B. F. Whittemore of Montvale will address a Fox mass-meeting at Lexington on Oct. 20.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
Caswell—Magazine.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Mrs. Maxwell—Opening.
D. H. Richards—Citation.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.

— Bonelli has a change of advertisement this week.

— Wednesday was one of the choicest days of the fall.

— Yesterday was another of those perfect October days.

— A boathouse was burned yesterday morning at Horn Pond.

— Mark the change in the real estate card of Cooper and Rand.

— Dr. George S. Dodge and Mrs. Dodge were in this city last Tuesday.

— It rained again like fury last Tuesday. It was a cold sort of a rain too.

— It should be Mrs. instead of Miss Minnie W. Seaver in her advertisement.

— They say the committee on building an Armory have decided to buy a lot near Main street.

— Mrs. Ketchum, formerly Miss Taylor, of Lawrence visited friends in this city last Tuesday.

— There was a very small blaze at the corner of Main street and Montvale Avenue yesterday morning.

— The boat-house of the Innitou Canue Club at Horn Pond was not burned as reported yesterday morning.

— The attention of ladies is called to the card of Mrs. Seaver in this paper. It is a matter worth looking into.

— The *Herald* of Jasper, Tenn., received from Mr. T. H. Hill, tells all about the late great land sale at Sequachee.

— On Oct. 31, a dance will be given at Vidette Hall by the Jolly Rovers. Look out for some lively "shaking of the hoof."

— No new names can go on to the list of registration after Oct. 25. Remember this, gentlemen candidates, and others.

— People are beginning to talk about "Priscilla." Everybody will be there to hear it. It will be a big musical treat.

— Perseverance Div. S. of T. will hold a coffee party and entertainment at Fraternity Hall Wednesday evening, Oct. 15, 1890.

— Prof. A. M. Smith, the phrenologist, still continues his stay in Woburn. During the last week he has met with splendid success.

— Since Prior has got 1-pane plate-glass windows in his new store he seems very contented and happy. He has got moved to 421 Main street.

— Mr. Kittridge, the Republican candidate for Representative to the Legislature, is a brother-in-law of Mr. Curtis Greenwood of this city.

— The "Flowers' Christmas Lesson," written by William C. Hill when he was 16 years old, will be published in the JOURNAL at an early day.

— Mr. Hayward keeps pegging away at the business census of this city. He has sent in about 150 reports already, "and still there's more to follow."

— The funeral of George Perkins, teacher, will take place from the Congregational church at 2 p. m. Sunday. It will be in charge of Post 161.

— The W. H. S. B. held drills yesterday, the first one at 11 a.m., and the second, at 3.15 p.m. The exercises were held on the St. Charles ball field on Salem street.

— Druggist Lovell has got fairly settled in his new quarters (formerly Flanders's) and is doing a good business in drugs, medicines, etc. He is a pleasant gentleman too.

— The funerals of Major J. W. McDonald and Capt. Geo. M. Buchanan took place yesterday afternoon and were largely attended. The Tripps, undertakers, conducted them.

— Hon. Solon Kendall will please accept our thanks for an illustrated copy of the "Excelsior Springs, Mo.," which is a very popular health resort where Mr. Kendall is now stopping.

— Walsh & Haggerty have opened a news depot in the corner store in Mechanics Building on Main and Walnut streets on the counters of which the JOURNAL can always be found.

— Mr. Marshall M. Tidd, C. E., has recently purchased the estate adjoining his residence property on the north and is expending considerable money on it by way of additions and improvements.

— Leon L. Dow of this city was Secretary of the Prohibitory Congressional convention for the 5th District held in Wesleyan Hall, Boston, last week, and was also put on the Campaign Committee.

— It should have been stated in Mrs. Packard's notice by the JOURNAL last week that she employs a first class Boston trimmer in her millinery establishment, whose experience and taste are appreciated by the ladies of Woburn and vicinity.

— Mr. Frank T. Robinson has just returned from a very successful trip to St. Louis and other points in the West in the interests of the Johnston Electric Train Signal Company of this city. He fetched back both pockets full of orders for the signal.

— Mr. Sherman Hoar, the youthful and dudish Democratic candidate for Congress in this District, will orate at Lyceum Hall this evening, providence permitting. If the Democracy are out in full force at the meeting Sherny will wish he hadn't stood the nomination.

— The sale of money by the Co-operative Bank last Thursday evening week was a very satisfactory one, the amount according to Secretary Whitcher's books being $4,050. This institution has done admirably from the start, and its future looks bright and promising.

— Clan McKinnon, No. 45, O. S. C., of this city, will give their 4th annual ball and concert at Lyceum Hall on Friday evening next, Oct. 24. Calnan's Orchestra will furnish the music. A good committee have the arrangements in hand and will do things up shipshape.

— Edward E. Thompson, President of the Common Council, and Mrs. Thompson have returned from a month's visit in the West, their headquarters having been at St. Paul. While away they saw a good deal of Uncle Sam's domain and had altogether a very delightful time.

— Revolving Bookcases with two, three, four, or even five shelves are a great convenience. They take little space and bring over two hundred books within immediate reach. They can be purchased very low at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston. Their catalogue is mailed free.

— The Y. M. A. held their monthly meeting and banquet at Concert Hall last evening with a full attendance. Mr. Edward K. Hood, the well known Boston elecutionist, was the guest of the Club. He entertained the meeting in a delightful manner. Other pleasant after-supper exercises were held.

— The JOURNAL Book and Job office is complete in all its appointments and has the reputation of turning out as fine work and as much of it as any printing establishment in Middlesex county. It is fully supplied with presses, all the latest styles of type, stock and men to use them, and gentlemen, your work is respectfully solicited. —tf.

— By reference to our business columns it will be seen that Mrs. Maxwell, whose popular millinery rooms are in the Frank Dodge block, has decided on the time for holding her fall millinery opening, which date our lady friends should keep in mind. Mrs. Maxwell has a fine stock of fall and winter millinery goods, of the latest styles and best quality. She will sell cheap.

— Owing to the perseverance and good sense of Postmaster Reade Woburn has now 12 mails every day to Boston, and 12 mails every day from Boston, being one each way for every working hour. He has recently perfected arrangements whereby we have two daily mails to and from Lowell and Lawrence, besides some indirect ones, and a good system with the country north of those cities.

— Our reporter applied to the wrong place for information respecting the plumbing of Mrs. Dow's mansion and therefore got things wrong respecting the cost and some other things concerning it. The fact of the case is, the work is not finished yet and nobody knows at this time what the expense of it will be. So much for not going to either the plumber or owner for a "straight" report of the work.

— At a recent meeting of Perseverance Division S. of T. Deputy G. W. P. Edgar of Cambridgeport installed the following officers: Hugh Murray, W. P.; Miss Emma Frazer, W. A.; A. Grant, Chaplain; F. Patterson, R. S.; Miss Dolly Hunt, Asst. R. S.; J. W. Stewart, F. S.; Miss Mary Whittie, Treasurer; Mr. W. S. Fetridge, Conductor; Mrs. D. Stewart, I. S.; Miss Hattie Whittie, O. S.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe has got full plate-glass panes put into his store-front which is the finishing touch to a store that for size, convenience, light and pleasantness can't be beaten by any other in Woburn. Not only has Mr. Munroe at last secured an admirable store but he has filled it with a fall and winter stock of clothing, gentlemen's under and neckwear, hats and caps, fine shirts, gloves, umbrellas, etc., which is second to no one in Middlesex county.

— On Oct. 9 a sum of money ($20) was found in the store of Mr. Henry F. Bulfinch, No. 450 Main street, by his son Wallace M. Bulfinch, and returned to Mrs. Wier, 29 South street, a widow woman who lost the purse while making purchases at the store. She was delighted to get her money back that she generously rewarded the boy for his honesty. Cases of return of money found are so rare that we think it proper to give publicity to them when reported.

— All watches are said to be compasses, and the matter is explained this way: Point the hour hand to the sun and the south is exactly half way between the hour and the figure XII on the watch. For instance, suppose that it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and 11 on the watch is exactly south. Suppose that it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun, and the figure X on the watch is due south. This is a good thing for woodmen and hunters to remember.

— Last Monday morning Capt. John L. Parker, Editor of the Lynn *Item*, and formerly proprietor of the WOBURN JOURNAL, made a brief call at our office. He was on a sorrowful erraud here: it was to arrange for the burial of his daughter, a record of whose decease appears in another column of this paper. There are a great many people in this city who will deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Parker in their sore bereavement, for up to a few years ago they were highly respected members of society here.

— A large concourse of people—old friends, neighbors and acquaintances of his—attended the funeral of Mr. William B. Harris at his residence on Lexington street last Friday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Daniel D. Winn, pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city. There were floral tributes from Posts 33 and 161, G. A. R., and from Relief corps 83 and 84, many members of these organizations also being in attendance. The bearers were Col. William T. Grammar, Capt. John P. Crane, Capt. Charles A. McDonald and Albert P. Barrett. On the way to the cemetery members of Corps 84 joined the procession.

— The lecture on "The National Spirit of Ireland" at Lyceum Hall last Monday evening by Rev. Eugene McMahon was a very interesting one indeed. The Hall was filled to its utmost capacity and profound attention was paid to the lecture from beginning to end. Rev. McMahon is an easy, graceful speaker, while the subject which he so skilfully handled was one in which all Irishmen are deeply interested. The home of the lecturer is at Carrick-macross, county Monaghan, Ireland, which was also the birthplace and early home of Mr. Edward Crosby, of Miss Mary and Kate Agnew, and near where Mr. Thomas Salmon (all of this city) was born and brought up.

— On next Monday a change of time of departure will be made in the 6,25 (Theatre) p.m. train. As at present run it is the meanest train of the whole lot. By it it takes 44 minutes to reach Boston from Woburn, whereas heretofore the very slowest trains have made it in 40 minutes. The idea of being side-tracked at Winchester 9 minutes is a strange one. But it will be remedied next Monday. And the 8.29 (formerly 8.28) p.m. train will stop here every trip, for Station Agent Greene got orders to that effect last Tuesday and has brought "Old Growler" to a stand-still every evening since.

— Mrs. C. Packard's autumn millinery opening for 1890 was inaugurated under the most encouraging auspices yesterday and will close this evening. Last evening her spacious and very pleasant millinery parlors at 419 Main street were alive with the representatives of the fashion of the city and surrounding country, and should the weather be favorable the crowd will doubtless be much larger this evening than last. The ladies are attracted by the great variety of styles which Mrs. Packard displays in bonnets, hats, and trimmings of all kinds, by the fine quality of them, and the reasonable prices at which she sells her goods.

— The "Jennette," the exhibition car of the Harris Palatial Car Co. of Boston, was brought out to this city last Sunday and during the few hours it remained here it was visited, and its beauties and peculiar mechanism seen and admired, by large crowds of people. The car was photographed while here by Hall of New York who was sent for to do it (as there is no lens in Boston large enough) and also the depot. The inventor of the car is Mr. Lewis Harris, a native of Woburn, son of Mr. Luther Harris, and grandson of Mr. William B. Harris whose funeral took place in this city last week. The car cost about $45,000. Mayor Johnson and wife and Dr. Frank W. Graves and wife and two lady friends of theirs rode into Boston and had lunch on the car as guests of the company.

— After the affair was over Mayor Johnson wrote President Amos F. Breed of the No. Woburn Street Railroad Co. a letter thanking him warmly for his kindness in furnishing free transportation to the 2000 or 2500 school children of this city to and from the new City Park on last Friday afternoon. It was a very happy affair, conceived by Park Commissioner Gilman F. Jones, and handsomely carried out without an accident by Supt. Sewell of the N. W. St. R.R. Co. and Mr. Jones. It was a sort of dedicatory pilgrimage which the children made to the Park, where they were met by Mayor Johnson, School Supt. Frank B. Richardson, Gen. Secretary Bailey of the Y. M. C. A., and others interested in the sports of the small folks who acted the part of conductors to the besieging foe. The little ones had a splendid ride in the Co's fine open cars, they had nice sport on the Park grounds, and they were as noisy a lot as could be "found in the seven States."

— The comic opera, Priscilla, to be given at Lyceum Hall, Nov. 5 and 6, is one of the most charming light operas ever written. The subject is enough to interest the general public to say nothing of the bright, fascinating music. Miss Mabel Davis assumes the role of Resignation, the middle aged spinster. This character, with that of Hatebad Higgins, being most amusing and funny. One of the most charming features in the opera is the duett "I may be wrong, I may be right," between these two characters. The part of William Bradford, Governor of New Plymouth, will be taken by Mr. Frank Cummings of No. Woburn. Miss Stella Lincoln and Miss Addie Richards are the "Mayflower buds." The remainder of the caste is from Boston, including Mrs. Bates-Rice, Mr. Chase, Mr. Bartlett, Mr. Dodd and Miss Maud Pratt. Miss Mertena L. Bancroft is the pianist, and Mr. Macomber of Boston will conduct both performances. Certainly Lyceum Hall should be crowded each evening.

— The attempt last week to organize a Democratic Club in Ward 2 was not a monumental success. In fact it was rather a failure judged by the ordinary standards by which success and defeat in such matters are measured. There was a grand flourish of trumpets by way of arousing Democratic enthusiasm in the Ward and a brilliant programme was laid out for the meeting. Not having a fear of the fate of Annanias in their hearts the movers for the Club rented Highland Hall on Fowle street for the season's headquarters and rallying-point notwithstanding it will hold ten times as many people as there are Democrats in the Ward; then they announced an array of oratorical talent perfectly astounding, among them Shermy Hoar who imagines he is running against Capt. Fox for Congress, and a host of others; a brass band was to be one of the permanent attractions at the Hall; and frequent oyster suppers and oceans of free "tangle-leg" were placed on the regular every-day bill of fare. With all the orators, oysters and rum the meeting for the organization was to be "a big thing on ice," and it made the old bummers' mouths water just to think of it. The evening came—last Friday, we believe it was—but the crowd that gathered at the Hall wasn't big enough to constitute one side of a mass meeting, or come anywhere near it. Several good judges of assemblies made estimates on the number present and their figures ranged all the way from 17 to 21, the general average being 19 1 2. There wasn't an orator present of any note unless it might have been Warren Perrigo, Esq., and if he was present he was also silent. Putting the paucity of numbers and the fact that the evening's rent of the hall must be met the presiding officer appointed a committee to go over and invite the Highland Club in and help celebrate. The latter declined to "walk into my parlor" and staid away. It was a trying experience to those present (from 17 to 21) and and if they had not been sufficiently thoughtful to fortify themselves in good shape before coming to the meeting it would have been a gloomy affair indeed. It was bad enough as it was. The men and boys lounged around, smoked, spit on the stove, discussed politics, and lamented the lukewarmness of the brethen, until they got so thirsty they couldn't stand it any longer, when the meeting adjourned sine die and the project of organizing a Democratic Club was abandoned for good and all.

This May Mean You.

Are you up with the times and do you get the best the market affords for the money you pay out? How is it out in the kitchen? Have you the modern improvements there? If you have, then this is not written for you, because you are buying and using Brussels soap. If otherwise, be wise, and when next you order soap, try Brussels and you will gain a point over hard work. It's economical.

Y. P. S. C. E.

The quarterly meeting of the Middlesex Central Christian Endeavor Union was held in this city with the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Baptist Church, on Monday evening, Oct. 13, 1890, 7.30 P. M. It was a very interesting one as the following programme which was handsomely carried out will prove:

"For Christ and the Church."

PROGRAMME.

Organ Voluntary.
Singing. "Praise Him." Young Peoples' Choir
Scripture. Prayer. By the Pastor
Singing. "Come, let us Sing of Jesus." Congre'n
Reports from the Societies.
Paper. Miss Helen H. Buck, Wilmington
Personal responsibility in Committee work.
Paper. Miss Jennie E. Skinner, Woburn Congl.
Incentive and methods for greater activity in Committee work.
Solo. Mrs. Frank Partridge
Address. Mr. J. W. Baer, Gen. Sec. U. S. C. E
Remarks. Rev. D. D. Winn
Singing. "Jerusalem." Congregation
C. E. BENEDICTION.
"May the Lord watch between me and thee when we are absent one from another."
Informal reception to Mr. J. W. Baer, and social gathering in vestry.
"One is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are Brethren."

The Middlesex Central Christian Endeavor Union comprises the following churches: Bedford Congl., Lexington Baptist, Medford Mystic, Arlington Baptist, W. Medford Congl., Wilmington Congl., Winchester Cong., Carlisle Congl., Lexington Congl., Woburn Baptist, Arlington Congl., Woburn Congl., Medford Baptist, No. Woburn Congl., Montvale Congl.

The officers are: President, Harry E. Marion, Woburn; Secretary, Miss Marion W. Webber, Bedford; Treasurer, W. M. Macomber, Medford.

Democratic Convention

Last Saturday evening the Democrats of the Fourteenth Representative District held their convention in Room 9, Savings Bank Building in this city for the purpose of nominating two candidates for the Legislature. It was a very full convention.

There were several candidates, among them Dr. George P. Bartlett, Edward E. Parker, Robert J. W. Phinney and Thomas D. Hevey.

William F. Kenney, Chairman of the city committee, called the convention to order and was chosen temporary and then permanent Chairman, and John C. Meehan was chosen Secretary.

A discussion followed regarding the representation in the convention.

The following named were chosen committee on credentials: John Short, Jacob A. Ham, P. Henry Mathews, David F. Moreland, William McDonough, James Wolf, Frank M. Doherty, all of Woburn, and Henry Robinson of Reading.

They reported 25 delegates from Woburn and three from Reading.

Mr. Bancroft of the Reading delegation stated that James Reid of that town was the choice of the Reading Democrats, and he was unanimously indorsed by the convention.

The Woburn delegation then proceeded to select their candidate, with the following named as a committee on voting: John C. Meehan, David F. Moreland, John Short, C. A. Jones.

Some nomination speeches were made, William F. Kenney speaking for Robert J. W. Phinney, and John Short for Thomas D. Hevey.

The informal vote was Phinney, 2; Hevey, 6; Bartlett, 8; Parker, 9. The first and second formal votes were alike, Parker losing 2 and Phinney 1, all going to Hevey, who now had 9. On the third ballot all but Phinney had 8 each.

On the fourth ballot Hevey had crawled up to 10, which was within three of enough to elect him, while the other men lost each one vote.

On the sixth ballot, and after a recess, all of Parker's friends went to Hevey, making 17 votes to 7 for Dr. Bartlett and 1 for Mr. Phinney.

Mr. Hevey's name was then indorsed by the convention, and a committee was sent for Mr. Hevey, and, finding him, and bringing him to the convention, the candidate made a brief speech, accepting the nomination.

Elmore A. Pierce,

One of the nominees of the convention, is an elocutionist by profession. He is also engaged in journalistic and other literary work. He is just entering the prime of life.

Mr. Pierce is a native of Reading, having been born in that part of the town known as "Hill End." He is a young man of good address and has been an active political worker. From our short personal acquaintance with him we should think that he is energetic and progressive, a combination of qualities which should tend to make him decidedly popular. He fills an important position as the agent of the Associated Press in the city of Woburn and vicinity. He will doubtless make a strong fight with good chances for an election.—*Reading Chronicle.*

Parsons—Bulfinch.

At the residence of the groom's mother in Stoneham at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening, Oct 8, Mr. Charles H. D. Parsons of Stoneham, and Miss Nellie H. Bulfinch, daughter of Mr. Henry F. Bulfinch of this city, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. W. W. Sleeper of that place.

The wedding was attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the happy couple, who were generously remembered with many valuable and beautiful presents as tokens of love and good will.

Mr. and Mrs. Parsons will reside at Stoneham.

"My feet are so slim I never can get a good fit unless I pay quite a high price." Then try Stetson at his well-known store, corner of Hanover and Blackstone streets, and see what he can do for you in the way of a Ladies' fine boot. Goat or Kid for just $2.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

Laying the Corner Stone.

The corner-stone of the Scandinavian Evangelical Free Church, corner of Montvale and Greenwood Avenues, this city, was laid last Saturday afternoon at 4 p. m. in the presence of a goodly number of people. The exercises were opened by singing the Gospel Hymn No. 29 "What a Friend we Have in Jesus," led by William Crosby, Court St., on the Corner, and Mr. J. P. Bailey Singer, followed by Invocation by Rev. A. G. Nilson from Chicago; singing Gospel Hymn No. 73; reading of Scripture, Ps. 122, Rev. Hugh Montgomery; reading of the papers deposited in the box, by Rev. Dr. March, D. D.; placing the box in its place in the vault, Charles R. Rosenquist; putting the stone in its place, C. H. Svenson and N. C. Olsen, when each one of the Building Committee, put in some mason work; prayer of Dedication, Dr. March and Rev. S. K. Didricksen from Boston; singing Gospel Hymn, 122; Address by Rev. Hugh Montgomery and A. G. Nilson; Collection; Singing Gospel Hymn 114, "Blest be the tie that Binds;" Benediction by Rev. Dr. March. The services were conducted in the English, Swedish and Danish—Norwegian Languages, and was of much interest for all present.

The Box contained the history of the first Scandinavians in Woburn—the beginning of the Scandinavian Evangelical work in this city, July 1882; its first meetings, the formation of the Scandinavian Society, June 24, 1884, of 7 members (all active to-day except one); the first preachers, the first Sunday School, the work of the Society, the beginning of raising money among ourselves in July 1888 for the erection of a church, the incorporation of the Scandinavian Evangelical Free Church of Woburn, June 27, 1889; the proposed cost of this church, names of the present members of this church, the officers of the church, the officers of the Sunday School, the buildding committee, name of the builder of the church and the men who worked on it, cost of land, cost of cellar, cost of building, names of clergymen taking part in these ceremonies, names of persons and amount contributed towards this building: American, Swedish, Norwegian and Danish coins; one copy of each of the last edition of the three Woburn Newspapers; News and Sunday school papers, printed in the English, Swedish, Norwegian or Danish languages; one photograph of the proposed Scandinavian Church; one Swedish—English New Testament: 40 Gospel Songs, O. Johnson, one of the members, the author: one copy of "Home Missionary," one of "The Sailors Magazine," one of "The Missionary Herald," and one of "The World."

Who Is Henry G. Kittridge?

He is a Reading gentleman, and one of the Republican candidates for Representative to the Massachusetts House of Representatives for the 14th Middlesex District. Any of his Reading neighbors or Boston business acquaintances whom you may happen to meet will tell you without the least hesitation that he is an intelligent man, an educated man, a man of the strictest integrity, upright and exemplary in his daily walk and conversation, and in every respect worthy of the cordial support of the Republican party at the polls.

Mr. Kittridge is Editor-in-Chief of *The Boston Journal of Commerce*, a paper that stands high with the manufacturers of textile fabrics in this and foreign countries. Years ago he was engaged in the manufacture of woolen goods in the different positions of superintendent of factories, agent for the sale of their products, and proprietor. He made a success of the business.

He stands high as an authority on textiles, and is corresponding member of several foreign industrial societies. Such was the confidence placed in him that he was appointed a juror to represent the United States of America in the late Paris Exposition.

At his home in Reading Mr. Kittridge is highly esteemed and enjoys the confidence of the town. For several years he was a member of the Reading School Board; it was principally through his instrumentality that Reading secured her Water Works; and in all matters calculated to promote the growth and prosperity of the place he has always been prominent.

This, in the fewest words possible, is Mr. Henry G. Kittridge, one of the Republican candidates for Representative to the General Court from the 14th Middlesex District.

A Pleasant Evening.

By invitation of Mrs. Gilman A. Bean her Sunday School class spent a most enjoyable evening at her pleasant residence on Fairmount street, last Friday. When giving the invitations Mrs. Bean requested each one to come prepared to give an account of any outing she had enjoyed during the summer. In response to this request some very agreeable experiences were related. For so small a number of people, only eight being present, it was surprising how much variety had been experienced, and how large extent of country had been covered. Mountains and seashore, remote villages and large cities, camp-meetings and literary assemblies, were all reported from with a brightness of perception which showed plainly that "having eyes they could see." After the notes of travel had been discussed we were invited to partake of a dainty collation served from delicate china, the table tastefully decorated with fruit and flowers. By each plate was laid a pretty souvenir in form of a leaflet enclosed in an ornamental cover and containing verses from a favorite poetess. Ten o'clock came all too soon and with many assurances of a delightful evening, we bade our kind hostess and teacher goodnight, feeling assured that such social gatherings do much to bind together the members of a class who from the circumstances of life rarely or never meet, except in the hour of study Sunday noon. —H.

Y. M. C. A.

Special meeting for Men at 3 p. m. Sunday in the parlor.

Saturday evening the meeting will be led by a young man from Somerville.

Boys meeting at 3 p. m. Sunday, and those who come will be richly paid.

The 4 o'clock Sunday meeting will be addressed by Rev. John H. Hector, the colored orator, who has been asked to relate his experience and sing some of the jubilee songs.

On Tuesday evening the opening of the Boys Branch; entertainment in evening and supper served at 6 p. m. to all members of the Branch and also to those Boys who will join before or at that time.

The annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held at Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 23 26. This will undoubtedly, be the largest Y. M. C. A. convention ever held in New England. Preparations are being made by the Haverhill association to entertain 500 delegates.

Narrow Margin.

In 1888 the vote in Woburn and Reading, which compose the 14th Middlesex Representative District, stood as follows:

	Rep.	Dem.
Woburn,	1077	1346
Reading,	459	198
	1536	1544
Dem. Majority,		8

On the Congressional vote in the two towns the Republican candidate received 1548, and the Democratic candidate, 1549.

So you see, gentlemen candidates, the margin for you to go and come on is exceedingly narrow.

The W. C. T. Unions

of Reading, Stoneham, Wakefield, Wilmington, and Medford are to join in a neighborhood meeting at the Congregational Church, Reading, on Wednesday, Oct. 29, at 10.30 a. m. The members of the Woburn Union are cordially invited to attend. Basket collation. Per order Committee of Arrangements.

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Thursday and Friday, Oct. 16 & 17.

Trimmed Bonnets and Hats, including the latest French patterns.

Mrs. C. PACKARD, 419 Main St., Woburn.

PRISCILLA.

Mr. C. E. Macomber of Boston,

Miss Mabel Davis

— AND —

Miss Mertena Bancroft

Would most respectfully announce to the people of Woburn and vicinity, the production at the Lyceum Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, November 5 and 6, of that new and Charming Comic Opera, Priscilla, which has made such an instantaneous hit wherever produced. The costumes and appointments will be the same as will be used at the Boston performance the coming season, special scenery and other accessories. The chorus will be made up of about 30 of the principal singers of Woburn. Mr. W. H. Dodd of Boston will assume the role of Hatebad Higgins and will also have direction of the stage. No pains will be spared to make this event one of the most noteworthy in the amusement annals of Woburn. Notwithstanding the large expense in bringing this opera out in first-class shape, popular prices will prevail, and the sale of seats will open at Horton's Bookstore on Saturday evening previous, at 7.30. Out-of-town parties can secure seats by mail or telegraph.

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OBITUARY.

MAJOR JAMES W. MCDONALD, a prominent veteran soldier of Woburn, died on Tuesday, Oct. 14, 1890, after a long illness. He was born of Scotch parents in Chatham, New Brunswick, about 70 years ago, came to Boston about 1843, and removed to Woburn in 1845. During the gold excitement in California he went there on the ship Duxbury, and remained there until 1852, when he returned east and worked at the tanning trade in Roxbury, Newark, N. J., Peabody and Portland, Me. In Newark he learned patent leather finishing, and about 1855 he started in the business at North Woburn, but became ill with small-pox before he was fairly under way. His factory there was burned in 1859, but he rebuilt it. When the war broke out he went to Boston and enlisted a portion of a Company of Scotchmen, which was joined with another Company, both recruiting officers being commissioned as Captains though McDonald acted as First Lieutenant. He was wounded in the Seven Days' fight and retreat from the Chickahominy to Harrison's Landing, but remained with the company of which he was Captain until Alexandria was reached, and was sent home as a recruiting officer. During Pope's campaign he was with his regiment, the Eleventh Massachusetts, and was the only man to whom Pope gave honorable mention in his report of that campaign. In 1863 he was commissioned Major. He was in the Gettysburg campaign and was severely wounded at Gettysburg. He was discharged with his regiment at the expiration of their term of service, and in 1864 was commissioned Colonel by Governor Andrews, but was not mustered in, as his regiment, the Eleventh, could not be filled. Since the war he has been at times in the leather business. Some years ago he bought out the Richardson Street Sweeping Machine, and had a contract at one time to sweep the streets of Chicago. Major McDonald invented the unhairing and other machines used in tanning and currying. He had the prominent and sturdy characteristics of the Highland Scotch, was honest, fearless and of great determination. He had a wide circle of warm friends, and wherever known he was highly respected for his integrity and love of justice. He left a widow, a son and daughter, and other relatives here who deeply mourn his death and who have the sympathy of this community in their great bereavement.—X.

CAPTAIN GEORGE MINOT BUCHANAN, son of Mr. George Buchanan, died in this city on the morning of Oct. 14, of consumption, aged about 41 years. He left a wife (daughter of Col. W. T. Grammer) and two children, with a large family circle and many friends to deeply regret his early death.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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Who They Are.

The gentlemen composing the Woburn quota of the Fifth District Republican Congressional Committee are: B. F. Whittemore, Charles F. Spear, W. N. Titus, E. F. Wyer, George C. Conn, A. Clark, W. E. Blodgett.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Married.

In this city, Oct. 11, by Rev. Daniel March, Walter F. Pettee of Somerville and Josie Burt of Laconia, N. H.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Oct. 14, James W. McDonald, aged 68 years, 3 months, 20 days.
In

[From the Cambridge Chronicle.]

NEXT CONGRESSMAN.

Hasn't the Turn of Cambridge About Come Round?

James A. Fox the Strongest Man Yet Named.

A Glance at the Man and His Official Career.

It is now eighteen years since Cambridge has had the opportunity to put forth one of its citizens for Congress. The man then selected was undoubtedly the best possible choice, and the present canvass now affords the opportunity of dignifying an eminent citizen of Cambridge with Congressional honors. If this great city has a fit candidate for the office to offer to the Fifth District, then every consideration of justice as well as party policy calls for his nomination. Let every Republican of this District candidly consider the question, is there any abler or more competent man mentioned in connection with this nomination than Hon. James A. Fox of Cambridge? In every relation with his fellow men he has invariably stepped up to leadership. He is a man whose qualities of head and heart invariably and intensely endear him to all who come to know him intimately. There is not one of his opponents who can pretend that James A. Fox is devoid of that mental furnishing which will constitute him a competent and influential Congressman. If he goes to Congress at all, he will go there on the strength of his abilities to adequately represent the Fifth District at Washington. It is beyond all question that his candidacy will strengthen the Republican canvass in this district. It cannot be claimed that any competitor for this nomination can compare with Mr. Fox in versatility, energy, and all the qualities of leadership. As an orator, Cambridge can never be ashamed of Congressman Fox. For an understanding of all the varied wants of his constituents, and for energy to enforce them in national legislation, no rival can claim superiority over this candidate of Cambridge. On the score of fitness for the position, no man can say to a single voter in the district that he should have his vote in preference to Mr. Fox. Cambridge has a right to the Congressman this year, and the friends of Mr. Fox rely upon that spirit of fairness which should dominate the Republicans of the district in making their choice to ensure his nomination. With some candidates the party might run a risk of defeat. With Candidate Fox success is sure. It may be well to again glance at the history of the man who is put forth for such a prominent position.

BIRTH, EDUCATION AND MARRIAGE.

James Augustus Fox was born in Boston, Mass., August 11, 1827, a son of George Howe Fox of Mendon, and Emily (Wyatt) Fox of Westboro, both towns in the old county of Worcester. He traces his ancestry on the paternal side to the ancient family of his name in Lincolnshire, England, which includes the old renowned scholar, and author of the famous "Book of Martyrs;" and on the maternal side to the ancient and eminent Scottish family of Forbes. His academical education was pursued in the public schools of Boston; after his graduation therefrom he prepared himself for his life profession at the law school of Harvard university, and in the office of the Hon. John C. Park. In the year 1854 he was admitted to the Suffolk bar, and commenced practice in the courts of the state. In 1848 he married Julia, daughter of Col. James Valentine of Providence, R. I., and grand-daughter of Mr. William Valentine, who was one of the original projectors of the extensive manufacturing industries of Fall River, Mass. She died in 1872, leaving three daughters Henrietta (Fox) McDonald, Julia (Fox) Webber, and Lilian Valentine (Fox) Wakefield. The eldest married Mr. William McDonald of Cambridge, and has five children, viz., Elfrida Valentine, William Valentine, James Fox, Jessie Valentine, and Malcolm Valentine McDonald. The second daughter married Dr. George A. Webber of Manchester, Mass., and the youngest was united in 1889 to Horace Wakefield, M. D., of London, England.

SOCIETY RECORD.

Mr. Fox was made a Mason in St. John's Lodge, (instituted in 1733, and the oldest in America) and received the third degree, July 6, 1857. His first Masonic office was that of Senior Deacon, Junior and Senior Warden, and finally served as Worshipful Master of that Lodge, for the years 1863 to 1864. Subsequently, and for four consecutive terms he was District Deputy Grand Master of the first Masonic District, which then included Boston and the adjacent towns. He was exalted to the Royal Arch degree in St. Paul's Chapter, Boston, April 17, 1860. After filling the several offices of principal sojourner, captain of the host, scribe, and king, he was elected in 1869 (re-elected in 1870) master excellent high priest. In 1868 he received the degree in Cryptic Masonry in Boston Council of Royal and Select Masters; and was created a knight in Boston Commandery of Knights Templars, Jan. 16, 1861. The 32d grade in the Ineffable, Philosophical and Sublime series was conferred upon him June 12, 1863; and his ability and efficiency in the various offices, and incidents of the Scottish Rite promoted his election as Commander-in-chief of Boston Sovereign Consistory for more than one term, or until the consolidation of the three then existing similar bodies, under the Charter of Massachusetts Consistory, in 1870. The 33d, and last degree was received by Brother Fox November 17, 1871, and he accordingly enrolled as an honorary member of the Supreme Council, Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General for the Nothern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States. As a mark of the fraternal esteem in which he was held by his associates in the Mass. Consistory (with its more than fourteen hundred members), it may be mentioned that there was presented to him a most beautiful 33d degree jewel, studied with precious stones, and bearing the following inscription: "PALMAM QUI MERUIT FERAT." Presented to Ill.·. James A. Fox, by Mass. Consistory S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·., Feb. 22d., 1889, in recognition of his active service in the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, for more than a quarter of a century."

In some of the prominent beneficial orders of the country, so far reaching in their benign operation, he occupies a deserved and distinguished position, being a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, in an advanced rank in the Improved Order of Red Men, and having been at the head of the Order of Knights of Pythias, serving with much acceptance as grand chancellor of Massachusetts. He is one of the two representatives to the Supreme Lodge of the World, and judge advocate general upon the staff of Major General Carnahan of Indiana, the commander of the Uniform Rank, K. of P.

MILITARY CAREER.

Captain Fox has an honorable military record withal. Commencing at an early age in the preparatory "school of the soldier"—the volunteer militia of the State—he rose from the ranks and became the commander of the Boston City Guard. When the war of the Rebellion commenced in 1861 he promptly offered his services to Gov. Andrew and being accepted, he served through the hazardous compaigns of 1861 and 1862 as the captain of Company A, 13th Regiment Mass. Volunteers, and he discharged his duties in such a manner as to receive the commendation of his superior officers, and the hearty respect and love of the men of his command.

Since the war he has been elected president of the 13th Regiment Association for several terms; and he is also a member of the Military Order Loyal Legion of the United States. He early identified himself with the Grand Army of the Republic and has continued an interested member of the organization as a comrade of John A. Andrew Post No. 15 of Boston since 1868, and was elected its commander in 1890. His addresses given on several Memorial Day occasions, and especially one entitled "The Two Civilizations" (which has been published) and another delivered upon the decisive battlefield of Gettysburg at the dedication of the Color-bearer's Statue of the 13th Mass. Regiment, are scholarly and eloquent productions, which have attracted marked attention. He was commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts in 1864-5, as also one of the appointed delegates of that corps at the 350th anniversary of the Honorable Artillery Company of Londoa—the parent of the American corps—as celebrated during the jubilee season of Queen Victoria in 1887, on which occasion he enjoyed the hospitality of that organization, including the unusual honor of a presentation at the court of St. James.

IN CIVIL LIFE.

In civil life and service, Mr. Fox has had a somewhat extended experience, first commencing as a member of the school committee of Boston and served three years. He was in the legislature of Massachusetts in 1867 and 1868, representing the city of Boston.

In 1870 and 1871 he was a member of the Honorable Senate. He was chairman of the committees on probate and chancery, military affairs and the joint special stabulary. While a member of this branch he established a reputation as a graceful and proficient orator (previously given promise of) by a glorious tribute to Maj. Gen. George H. Thomas, then lately deceased, in which drew forth encomiums from his fellow members and others.

After his removal in 1872 to the University city of Cambridge he was called to serve for two years in the aldermanic board, and subsequently as mayor of that city for four consecutive terms, in all a decided tribute to the ability and fidelity with which he discharged the duties of these positions and of the degree of confidence reposed in him by his fellow citizens.

His knowledge of parliamentary law; his dignity and tact as a presiding officer; his power to grap the salient points of a question under discussion, whether arising in public halls of legislation or the more sacred precincts of the lodge room; his correct knowledge of financial matters; all these attest his clear and comprehensive mind and great executive ability.

In all the varied relations of life, as a legislator, as chief magistrate of an important city, as a soldier, orator, officer of worthy beneficial societies, and as a true and tried man, in every responsible position in which he has performed the multifarious duties incumbent upon him with ability and fidelity.

Two years ago Ex-Mayor Fox made a gallant run for the nomination. His supporters were ardent and enthusiastic, and almost won the victory. Considering that that were several candidates in the field, each with something of a following, and taking into especial consideration the great prestige of the successful aspirant, Mr. Fox's standing in the convention was very flattering. In fact, he almost got the nomination. It must be remembered that on the formal and decisive ballot, General Banks had only one vote to spare in securing the nomination. This time, with a solid Cambridge delegation behind him, Mr. Fox will go into the convention with such an assurance of success as will encourage every one who believes in his fitness for the place, and who desires to see this district worthily represented in the National Congress.

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Wilmington.

The first entertainment of the season under direction of the Ladies Benevolent Society took place at the vestry of the Congregational Church on Thursday evening of last week.

The various parts were performed by Miss Nellie Clark of Leavenworth, Kansas, violinist; Miss Cora Clark, of the same place, reader and pianist; Miss S. Louise Bruce of Boston, Vocalist; and Mrs. Clark of Leavenworth, and Fannie Montague of Boston, accompanists.

Miss Bruce had sung before audiences in this place on other occasions and therefore very much was expected of her. No one was disappointed, for her voice seemed richer and sweeter, if possible, than at any former time. The listeners were particularly charmed by her rendition of "Herr Torno" by Mattie. Miss Cora Clark read several selections very creditably; and the rendition of piano solos by her showed a combination of natural gifts not often seen in any person. The violin solos by Miss Nellie Clark were received with prolonged applause and encore. She is a natural musician. It is needless to say that the accompanists were in keeping with high order of the other music.

North Woburn.

Within the last two or three weeks there has been a regular mad-dog panic here and with very good reason. In September Mr. Charles T. Dearborn's coach dog gave evidence of having rabies and in due time was dispatched. But before he was killed he was known to have bitten dogs belonging to J. P. Clarke, Supt. Forcar, Carr, Buck, and also the lip of a small child belonging to Mr. Dearborn. There was no mistake as to what ailed the dog and as soon as possible he was shot. In the mean time a beautiful young full blooded Irish pointer belonging to Mr. J. P. Clarke was seized with the malady and as soon as it was discovered he was confined in an outhouse. Here his ravings were terrible. The animal was so highly prized by the family that Al Watts, the celebrated Boston dog dealer, fancier and physician, came out on a summons and repaired to Mr. Clarke's to examine the pup. As soon as he laid eyes on him Watts pronounced it one of the most distinctly marked cases of hydrophobia that he ever saw, notwithstanding which he went into the building and handled the poor dog almost as familiarly as if he had been perfectly well. Mr. Clarke was informed that nothing could cure his favorite so he asked Watt to end his misery as speedily as possible. Watt let fall a drop of Prussia acid on the brute's tongue and the next instant he was a dead dog. The matter has given rise to much alarm in this village and there is no knowing what will come from it.

When the barn door of character is daubed with the black paint of calumny, rub it out with Brussels soap.

Burlington.

Mr. H. Reed has removed for the winter season from his summer residence in Burlington.

John I. Munroe has sold the Nathan Simonds farm of 200 acres in Burlington to a Mr. Raymond of Boston, who intends running it as an extensive stock farm. This is one of the finest farms around Boston, and no doubt will be brought to a high state of perfection under the new management. Mr. Raymond intends building another large barn and make other improvements in the near future.—X.

On Wednesday evening of last week, a farewell reception was given to Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Washburn. The house was well filled with the members of the church and congregation and other people of the town. During the evening, Miss Mary Foster presented Mr. and Mrs. Washburn in behalf of the citizens of the town with a small box containing $103. Although completely surprised, Mr. Washburn responded with a very happy speech of thanks.

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Boston Theatres.

Next Monday evening, Oct. 20, Rudolph Aaronson's Comic Opera Company will inaugurate their annual season of light opera at the Globe Theatre, presenting the latest New York Casino success, "Madame Angot." The opera has just been withdrawn from the Casino in the height of its success, owing to compulsory engagements elsewhere, and its record of sixty performances in that theatre is equal to that of any of the previous productions. The entire New York cast, headed by Camille Darville and Marie Halton, will appear in the production at the Globe. This is one of the finest things ever produced by the Globe management and will doubtless fill the house every night. It can be seen each evening next week at 7.45 with the usual Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at 2.

The rush to see the Shenandoah at the Globe is immense. The last performances are this, Friday, evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Commencing next week, Monday, Oct. 20, Dan McCarthy's picturesque Irish Comedy drama, True Irish Hearts, may be seen at the Grand Opera House. Everything is new. New songs and dances. It has been a great success in New York and doubtless will be also at the Grand Opera House.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

METHODIST—Services at Lyceum Hall. At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. John H. Hector, the colored orator. No services in the evening. Class meeting on Friday evening.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor; Subject The Demands of Christianity. At 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting. At 7 p. m. short sermon. Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m., the pastor will preach. Subject: "Peter's Profession of Loyalty to his Master." Young peoples' meeting at 6 p. m.; Sunday school Harvest Concert at 7 p. m. The usual meeting Wednesday and Friday evening.

WINCHESTER.

Some of our hypercritical people have undertaken to belittle the W. V. I. A. and to rob ex-President Twombley of the credit due him for public improvements in our village. It is only an exhibition of pure cussedness which warps the judgement, blunts the sensibilities of these folks, produces mental obliquity, cross-eyes, or squints, and will hurt nobody.

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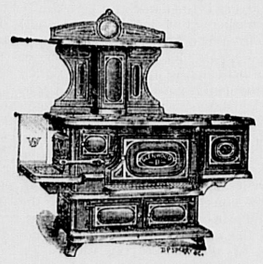

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the trusts under the will of Daniel H. Richards, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by Daniel H. Richards of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, praying to be appointed trustee under the will of said deceased, which has been proved in said Court;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said Petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Young, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of October, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah R. Webster, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and two codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Silas Dean, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of October instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of James McDonald, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary McDonald, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of October, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

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[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

24. "And there was also a strife among them, which of them should be accounted the greatest." He had kept His last passover with them, again typically foreshadowing His sufferings and death; He had instituted the supper which would keep constantly before them His humiliation unto death; He had just said that one of them, one of the twelve, should prove false to Him and betray Him; and yet all these things so little affect them that, even at such a time, instead of being in sympathy with Him, and feeling for Him in view of His approaching sufferings, they are selfishly and apparently unfeelingly talking of their own personal advantage and superiority of position in His kingdom. He had the cross ever before Him, and by plain statement as well as by parable and type was ever referring to it. They could see no cross, but only the restoration of Israel's supremacy as in the days of David and Solomon, and position and honor for themselves with Him. Their thoughts were not His, they understood Him not. He was alone among men, His company with whom He found fellowship was unseen by mortals.

25. "And He said unto them, The kings of the Gentiles exercise lordship over them; and they that exercise authority upon them are called benefactors." The Jews were chosen from among all nations to show unto all the reality of the only living and true God, one who in supernatural ways would guide, protect and care for His people who put their trust in Him; pitying and providing for them as a father, comforting and nourishing them as a mother. They were to glorify Him by an implicit and constant reliance upon Him and by being meekly subject to Him in all things. They were not to be anxious even about food and raiment, for their Heavenly Father knew that they needed such things and would surely provide them (Matt. vi, 32). Let the Gentiles who knew no Heavenly Father have such anxiety, but let Israel not so dishonor their God. And so with position and honor among men, leave all that to those who knew no better.

26. "But ye shall not be so; but he that is greatest among you, let him be as the younger; and he that is chief, as he that doth serve." This was a lesson that He was ever teaching them (Matt. xviii, 3, 4; xx, 25, 27; xxiii, 11), but one so hard for poor human nature to learn.

27. "For whether is greater, he that sitteth at meat or he that serveth? Is not he that sitteth at meat? But I am among you as He that serveth." Or as He said on another occasion: "The Son of Man came not to be ministered unto but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many" (Matt. xx, 28). The incident of the feet washing recorded in John xiii, 4-17, occurred at this time, for it is written that "He rose from supper, laid aside His garments, took a towel and girded Himself," etc.; then when He had finished He said: "I have given you an example that ye should do as I have done unto you."

28. "Ye are they which have continued with Me in my temptations." How kind of Him it was to say so. Outwardly they were with Him; they had left all for Him; they followed Him wherever He went and ministered unto Him; but as we have seen they did not feel for Him in His trials and would not believe that the cross awaited Him.

29. "And I appoint unto you a Kingdom, as My Father hath appointed unto Me." He will wean them from desire for present pre-eminence by assurances respecting their future glory.

30. "That ye may eat and drink at My table in My Kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel." Compare Matt. xix, 28, where the same promise is a little more full. There He says it will be in the regeneration, when the Son of Man shall sit on the throne of His glory.

31. "And the Lord said, Simon, Simon, Behold Satan hath desired to have you that he may sift you as wheat." Satan seems to have a special hatred of those whom the Master is about to use; he had already used the lips of Peter to say tempting words (Matt. xvi, 22, 23), and now, as in the case of Job, he has made special request for Peter to give him a sifting.

32. "But I have prayed for thee that thy faith fail not: and when thou art converted, strengthen thy brethren." If the prayers of a righteous man availeth much, how all prevailing must be the prayer of Jesus; and how quiet and thankful we should be that "He ever liveth to make intercession for us" (Jas. v, 16; Heb. vii, 25).

33. "And he said unto Him, Lord, I am ready to go with thee, both into prison and to death." Have you never, dear reader, been so conscious of the presence of God and the love of God that you, too, have felt just like that, even if you did not say it? But how long did it last?

34. "And He said, I tell thee, Peter, the cock shall not crow this day before that thou shalt thrice deny that thou knowest Me." The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked; who can know it? I the Lord (Jer. xvii, 9, 10). He needed not that any should testify of man, for He knew what was in man (John ii, 25); and He is reading us just as He read Peter.

35. "And He said unto them, When I sent you without purse, and scrip, and shoes, lacked ye anything? And they said, Nothing!" No good thing will He withhold from them that walk uprightly (Ps. lxxxiv, 11); much less from those whom He sends forth in His name.

36. "Then said He unto them, But now he that hath a purse let him take it, and likewise his scrip; and he that hath no sword, let him sell his garment and buy one." This sounds strange in view of His former teaching, that if they should seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness all necessary temporal things would be added; and also when we remember that Peter a little later used a sword and Jesus told him to put it up, saying, "All they that take the sword shall perish with the sword" (Matt. xxvi, 52). He never contradicts Himself; He never changes. The sense seems to be this: I am now going to be absent from you in person, and if you cannot trust me to take care of you and protect you though unseen then rely upon yourselves. Instead of saying, Lord, here are two swords (which proved to be more than enough), they should have said, Lord, we will rely on Thee still and die with Thee rather than use the sword.

37. "For I say unto you, that this that is written must yet be accomplished in Me, and He was reckoned among the transgressors: for the things concerning Me have an end." Very soon now—in less than twelve hours from that time—would He say on the cross, "It is finished." And just as surely as He finished the work of atonement for sin, making redemption possible, so surely shall He finish the work of redemption in His coming Kingdom.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

Forests occupy 39 per cent. of the total area of Sweden, 36 per cent. of Russia, 32 of Austria, 28 of Hungary, 25 of Germany, 24 of Norway, 19 of Belgium, 17 of France, 18 of Switzerland, 17 of Spain, 12 of Italy, 4 of Great Britain and Ireland and 19 of the United States.

Economy: "100 Doses One Dollar."
Merit: "Peculiar to Itself."
Purity: Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"ONLY A YEAR."

One year ago—a ringing voice,
A clear blue eye,
And clustering curls of sunny hair,
Too fair to die.

Only a year—no voice, no smile,
No glance of eye,
No clustering curls of golden hair,
Fair, but to die!

One year ago—what loves, what schemes
Far into life!
What joyous hopes, what high resolves,
What generous strife!

The silent picture on the wall,
The burial stone,
Of all that beauty, life and joy
Remain alone!

One year—one year—one little year—
And so much gone!
And yet the even flow of life
Moves calmly on.

The grave grows green, the flowers bloom fair,
Above that head;
No sorrowing tint of leaf or spray
Says he is dead.

No pause or hush of merry birds
That sing above
Tells us how coldly sleeps below
The form we love.

Where hast thou been this year, beloved?
What hast thou seen?
What visions fair, what glorious life,
Where thou hast been?

The veil! the veil! so thin, so strong!
'Twixt us and thee;
The mystic veil, when shall it fall,
That we may see?

Not dead, not sleeping, not even gone;
But present still,
And waiting for the coming hour
Of God's sweet will.

Lord of the living and the dead,
Our Saviour dear!
We lay in silence at thy feet
This sad, sad year.

—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

A Freak of Plant Life.

A story of one of the most interesting freaks of vegetable life is told by Ellwood Cooper, of Santa Barbara. As coming from him the story cannot be anything but strictly in accordance with the facts. Through Mr. Cooper's garden there ran some years ago a sewer made of red wood timber. This sewer was again incased by an outside sewer. Across the sewer there was built a brick wall many feet high, and in such a way that it was pierced by the inner sewer, which it inclosed tightly, while the outside sewer ended abruptly against the wall.

The outside sewer casing had in course of time decayed, and a eucalyptus tree standing some sixty feet away had taken advantage of this and sent one of its roots to the coveted spot in as direct a line as possible. Here the root entered the outside sewer and followed its course as far as it could. At last it came to the wall which shut off its course, and it could go no further, the inside sewer being perfectly tight.

But on the other side of the wall the sewer and its double casing continued, and this eucalyptus tree evidently knew how to get there. Some three feet high in the brick wall there was a little hole an inch or two in diameter, and this the eucalyptus tree was aware of, as its big root began to climb the dry wall and face the sun and wind until it found the hole, through which it descended on the other side and entered the sewer again and followed it along as formerly.

How did the tree know of the hole in the wall? How did it know that the sewer was on the other side? Did it smell, and if it did how could it direct the root to go and find the place with such precision? The roots of any plant grow always and unerringly in the direction of its food, just as the eucalyptus tree did.—San Diego (Cal.) Sun.

He Was Too Previous.

He is a young and popular business man on Second street. He passed last Sunday evening with a number of young lady friends, and "I felt sure," said he, "that there was one of them who wanted very badly to be kissed, and I made up my mind to accommodate her if I got a chance. It came when I got up to go. The lady went with me to the door. In the semi-darkness of the hall I put my arm about her gently, turned up her flower face to mine, and holding her fast pressed my face to her cheeks, kissing her on the forehead, the eyes—such eyes they are—and the rose red lips. There was a stifled scream, and I saw that she was genuinely indignant.

"'I—I beg your pardon,' I stammered.

"'Mr. Jones,' snapped she, 'if you ever come here again without having been shaved for a week I'll never speak to you. My face is just raw.'"—Seattle Journal.

A Sheep With but Two Feet.

A farmer of Switzerland county, Ind., has on his farm there a lamb which walks on two feet and in an upright position. The forelegs are perfect, but the hind ones are only stubs, and of little use in walking. So his lambship, when he desires to go uphill, just stands up on his forefeet and moves off. He presents a ludicrous appearance while on a jaunt about the farm for his morning constitutional, and is withal a remarkable freak of nature.—Ram's Horn.

It Was Not a Hobby.

Ponsonby—There's a man up town who has at least 200 clocks of all kinds and descriptions.

Popinjay—That is a remarkable hobby.

Ponsonby—Not so much so when you remember that he keeps a jewelry store.—Jewelers' Circular.

Well, He Was Right.

First Passenger—Do you know what time it is?

Second Passenger (consulting watch)—Yes. (And resumes his paper.)—Jewelers' Circular.

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. H. L. Flanders & Co., Druggists.

Mrs. Kate Williams of Denver, Col., has obtained a verdict of $12,000 against Mrs. E. S. Williams of Brooklyn, her mother-in-law, whom she claims was the cause of her husband leaving her.

If You Wish

To enjoy good health, and prevent the seeds of disease from ripening in your system, you should use the best medicine in the world, Sulphur Bitters, which will prevent your system from being all run down by making it strong and vigorous.—Rev. W. R. Snow.

WHY HE WAS LEAVING THE TOWN.

An Undertaker Explains How Ungrateful Some People Can Be.

"I remember," said the colonel, when the party reached the end of a good dinner and the waiters stood behind the chairs with lighted matches, "I remember an incident which stamped upon my mind the fact that when a man has an eye for business he has an eye for nothing else."

The colonel tells a story well, and paused here, waiting for the cigars to be lighted, and for the inspiring fragrance of the Havanas.

"I shall not tell you how long ago it was, for I am getting too old to speak lightly of decades. But when I first set foot—and it was a tender foot, let me say—in Hugo, Colo., I at once conceived a great respect for a man named Higgins. I could not help feeling a reverence for Higgins. Higgins was an undertaker. He was the only undertaker within a hundred miles, and he was getting rich. Never a day passed but my friend Higgins had a funeral on hand. He was the most cheerful undertaker, perhaps, that ever flourished.

"I remember well the day that I bade Higgins good-by. He was as light spirited as a grasshopper, and a thousand times expressed his regret that I was going into the interior, until I felt clammy lest he might be grieved at the thought that some one else might have the profitable job of burying me.

"When I next saw Higgins it was after a two years' experience of chasing wild steers. I was glad to see him, he was such a jolly old undertaker.

"'Hello, Higgins,' I said cheerfully when I walked into his establishment. 'How are you, old man?'

"Higgins shook his head mournfully, and then I stopped short in amazement, for I saw that he was nailing down boxes and packing up his stock.

"'You aren't going to move, are you?' I cried in surprise, but he only jammed a roll of crape into a dry goods box and went on with his work.

"'See here, Higgins,' I cried, 'what's the trouble? Tell me about it.'

"The old man turned on me wrathfully.

"'Ain't I been one o' Hugo's best citizens?' he asked sternly.

"'You have, Higgins.'

"'Ain't I paid my taxes?'

"'You have, my friend.'

"'Didn't I organize a board of education?'

"'You did.'

"'Wasn't I its president?'

"'You certainly were and a good one, although we haven't any school yet.'

"'Didn't I head the citizens' movement for law and order?'

"'You did, Higgins.'

"'Well, that's all. Now, how do you think this pesky town has treated its foremost citizen?'

"'Tell me, Higgins. You have my sympathy.'

"'Well, I was makin' a decent livin'. I let out contracts for the only brick building in the town.'

"'Yes.'

"'I was goin' to call it the Higgins block. I was goin' to let the volunteer fire department have rooms in my block for nothin'. I proposed to have a temperance union in the town. I hoped to have a free library. You know I'm a progressive citizen, don't you?'

"'You are, Higgins.'

"'Well, what do you think this town has done to me?'

"'Surely nothing bad, Higgins.'

"'Nothing bad!' he screamed. 'Do you know what they've done? They've lynched Bill Smith, and if ever there was a cowardly blow aimed at a foremost citizen it was that.'

"'But you can bury him, Higgins.'

"'Bury him!' he screamed. 'Bury him! Bury Bill Smith! Why, man, Bill Smith was makin' a fortune for me. He killed his man as regular as the sun went down, and I buried every one of 'em. He was worth $25 a day to me, he was. So I'm goin' to leave 'em. This town don't offer no inducements to an honest man like me. Think what I've done for 'em. I was goin' to erect a monument to our departed brothers. And now there won't be a death in this town once a month. Poor Bill!' and Higgins seized a winding sheet and tried to stifle his sobs."—New York Tribune.

Dr. Vincent.

Acting Chancellor George E. Vincent, of the "New Chautauqua," is described as a strongly built man, with a bright eye and genial manner. He has wonderful executive ability and manages affairs at Chautauqua with remarkable tact. As a public speaker he has few superiors. He has frequently addressed audiences of from 4,000 to 6,000 persons. Few men are more ready with expedients than Mr. Vincent. It is very seldom, indeed, that he is disconcerted. If a break or hitch in the programme takes place he sees his way out of the difficulty at once. Mr. Vincent is a graduate of Yale college. He is a great traveler, and has visited almost all of the principal enlightened countries on the face of the globe. His residence is at Buffalo.—New York Telegram.

A Rat Hunter.

A pet snake on a farm near Parkersburg, W. Va., is said to be an indefatigable exterminator of rats and mice. "Jim," as the reptile is called, is perfectly tame and docile, and answers to his name as promptly as the family dog or cat. He is fond of being petted by the family, and seems to highly appreciate acts of kindness. He is over eight feet long, and has been an adjunct of the farm for twelve years.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Hold It To The Light.

The man who tells you confidentially just what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's Balsam to the light and look through it; notice the bright, clear look; then compare with other remedies. Price 50c. and $1.

Some boys who were annoying a Chinaman at Sedalia, Mo., were astonished when he suddenly mounted one of their bicycles and rode away, his queue projecting like a rudder as he went off like the wind.

The sweeping Republican victory in Covington, Ky., is a political straw of no little significance. What makes the matter more aggravating to the Bourbons of the South is the fact that the triumph was achieved under a form of the Australian system.

HANDLING FARM TRUCK.

Constant Changes in the Methods of Successful Farmers.

"In the handling of farm truck," said a dealer, "changes go on with the demands of the times, as in all other branches of business. The packing houses of Maryland employ an army of workers in the busy season—just how many I do not know, but considerably over 10,000. Then the truckers themselves, the pickers or gatherers, the extra hands to convey the truck to the wharves, the extra men employed on steamboats and railroads, the sorters, trimmers and packers, the commission merchants, the sellers, the buyers or 'order men,' the wagoners and their helpers, and the tally keepers will make fully 10,000 or 12,000 more persons who are given employment by the truck business in its season.

"Within a year or so a great change has been made in the manner of shipping fruits and vegetables, particularly that class which does not bear a great deal of handling. Time was when the old flour barrel, with holes cut in its sides by means of a hatchet, and the oblong tomato box, with its two compartments, reigned supreme. Both of these have now abdicated in favor of the splint basket, and though the old style of packages is still frequently seen, its reign is over.

The box, holding about seven-eighths of a bushel, was largely used in shipping peaches, tomatoes, peas, pears and fruits and vegetables of that class. The growers, however, found that the half bushel splint basket presented a much more attractive appearance, besides which the fruit could be examined with such readiness that the basket of fruit brought just as much as the box, though it contained nearly a peck less.

"Like wise men the growers adopted the half bushel basket for shipping their fruit and tomatoes. Half barrel and barrel baskets of the same order have largely replaced barrels and crates for the shipping of peas, beans, kale, spinach, apples, etc. They are cheaper than new barrels, though they cannot well compete with old ones. The splint baskets are also made for shipping bananas, being made in size to hold one, two and three bunches of the fruit. Their great point of superiority is lightness and strength rather than cheapness. A basket that will hold a barrel of apples will weigh just about half as much as an old flour barrel, and in shipping produce long distances they save a good deal in freight charges.

"A strawboard half bushel basket is also used, but this produce, men say, is not very satisfactory, particularly if the weather happens to be damp. The splint baskets are made in Baltimore. A poplar or gum log which has been thoroughly steamed, and which is as long as the basket is high, is put into a machine which clamps it tightly, lathe fashion, at each end. This revolves, and a long knife is pressed against the log, cutting off a shaving or veneer about one-sixteenth of an inch thick. As the shaving comes off it passes into a clipping apparatus, which cuts the shaving into strips. This and the sawing out the round bottoms of the baskets are the principal parts of the work done by machinery. Putting them together is largely done by hand."—Baltimore Sun.

High Priced Cigars in Detroit.

"It's the fourth in the eastern trade."

"No."

"Yes."

"They are referring to Detroit with reference to the cigar trade," remarked a bystander in explanation. "Our friend, the cigar dealer, says that Detroit is next to New York, Boston, Buffalo and Chicago in the matter of sales for high grade cigars."

"That's right," replied the cigar dealer. "I claim that it's my experience that Detroit is one of the best of our markets for high grade goods. We sell more cigars here and better grades than in many eastern and southern cities twice the size of Detroit. The people here have a better educated taste. We sell more two-for-a-dollar, three-for-a-dollar and two-for-a-quarter cigars than we do nickel goods. Yes, sir, I maintain that the general standard of taste in Detroit in the matter of cigars is very high."—Detroit Free Press.

This Is on Astronomy.

Professor Asaph Hall, who has used the big telescope at the United States observatory in Washington for measurements of Saturn during the last fourteen years, finds the time of rotation of the planet to be about 10 hours 14 minutes 24 seconds. This is nearly fifteen minutes less than the period stated in most of the astronomical text books published in the latter half of the present century, but is remarkable as being only one hundred seconds less than the period assigned to it by Sir William Herschel. That astronomer of a century ago obtained his results in this particular by the aid of an instrument far inferior to many of the so called smaller telescopes of today, and the fact is testimony to the wonderful ability of the man whose name was for years given to the planet he discovered, now generally called Uranus.—Chicago Tribune.

Hair Powder.

On Feb. 23, 1795, Mr. Pitt proposed a tax on persons wearing hair powder, which he estimated would bring to the revenue £210,000 annually, but was the death blow to the custom, for its use was immediately discontinued. Those persons who continued to wear it were termed guinea pigs, because one guinea was the amount per head of the tax.—Notes and Queries.

To enjoy one's self thoroughly under all circumstances, one must enjoy perfect health. Catarrh, a much prevailing disease can be readily cured by using Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

Parents will get rest and the baby will be relieved from pain by using Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, a harmless but reliable remedy. Price 25 cents.

For the first three months of the current financial year, the net increase of the revenues over expenditures as compared with the corresponding period last year was about $3,000,000. Thus is the Republican party "bankrupting the Treasury."

People who remember the chorus of approval with which the English press greeted the Mills bill and compare it it with the hostile comments upon the new law, will not find it difficult to understand which of the two measures is favored "abroad" and which is in favor of American labor and American products.

Whose Footprints, Adam's or Buddha's?

The many curious legends concerning Adam which have already been published would lack in completeness were we to omit giving an account of the Mohammedan superstitions regarding an impression, supposed to be a footprint, found in the solid rock on Adam's Peak, or Mount Samanala, a high mountain in Ceylon. According to the Mohammedan legend, Adam, after the fall and expulsion from the garden, was taken by an angel to the top of this mountain, where his mind's eye saw a panorama of all the ills that should afflict mankind. These harrowing sights were such a weight on the man, who, notwithstanding his sin in the garden, was yet a good man, that his foot left its imprint on the solid rock, his tears forming a lake, both the print and the lake being still visible.

The Buddhists have their own legend of the Sripada or Sacred Footprint, according to which Buddha, ascending to heaven, left the impression where last he touched the earth on the rocky sides of Samanala. The Brahmins also and the Chinese have their legends, and for more than 2,000 years all have worshiped in their own way around the gigantic imprint.

The footprint itself is 5 1-4 feet by 2 1-2 feet; the site in a rocky basin, much faith and a lively imagination being necessary to aid one in discovering a very great likeness of the outlines to that of a human foot. To perform a pilgrimage to this shrine, and to lay an offering upon it, is to the Buddhist what a visit to Mecca is to a Mohammedan. Tradition tells us that the iron chains fastened in the rocks to give safety to the pilgrims in crossing rocky canyons near the Sacred Footprint were put there by Alexander the Great.—St. Louis Republic.

A Harlem Boy's Sport.

A mischievous Harlem boy came very near wrecking the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street cable railroad the other day. He started from the Third avenue corner, and slyly walked to the opening or slot where the grips slip through and catch on to the swift moving cable on the uptown track, and taking a big tomato can from beneath the skirts of his well worn coat he slipped a long wire through a hole in the end of the can. Then he dropped the other end of the wire down into the slot. The wire was bent like a hook and caught the cable instantly. Away went the can, bobbing up and down and dancing like a jumping jack. The big, bright red label on the can made the thing look like a new danger signal. A policeman saw the boy just after he sent the can off on its trip to Riverside park and gave chase, but the boy scampered off up the avenue and eluded his would be captor.

A cable car flew after the tomato can, and the gripman wondered what "the durned thing was." On went the can, oscillating from side to side. At the Eighth avenue crossing a police man fell in trying to hit the thing with his club. The men who shift the cable at Amsterdam (Tenth) avenue, where the Washington Heights cars turn to go up the steep hills, made frantic dashes with long sticks to knock the dancing can off the track, but they hit the air. The Fort Lee ferry car sped along after the can, which by this time straightened itself up and bowled smoothly to the end of the line on Manhattan avenue, beating the car a block. Pedestrians on the route enjoyed the fun, but the mischievous Harlem boy lost it all through the interference of a "copper."—New York Telegram.

Back Window Conversation.

Margery is the name of a pert, dressy and rather good looking young girl who from her kitchen window keeps the occupants of a certain block of apartment houses up town fully posted on the petty gossip of the neighborhood. Margery's father is a well to do butcher, and Margery's most intimate friend is the grocer's daughter, who enjoys frequent talks with Margery from a back window opposite the back window of the butcher's domicile. Margery's voice has been silent in the neighborhood for the past fortnight, and the grocer's daughter has had nobody to talk to out of the window except a smart parrot next door. "Where's Margery?" asked the parrot one morning last week. "Gone to Newport," replied the grocer's daughter, proud to impart the information to the neighborhood.

"Yes, Margery has gone to Newport," explained the butcher's energetic wife, addressing herself to all of the back windows opposite her kitchen. "She has got some fine friends there, and I told her that she might play the lady for a while, but she'll be back in time to get out next Monday's washing or I'll know the reason why."

"Ha! ha!" laughed the parrot. "Gone to Newport!"—New York Times.

What the Humble Penny Does.

The humble penny is a potent factor in our modern civilization. We all know the wonders it has achieved in the departments of the post and the newspaper press, and it is now doing as marvelous a work in our means of locomotion. In the last financial year the North Metropolitan Tramways company alone carried as many as 70,000,000 passengers at penny fares, so that the aggregate number who traveled in London by omnibus or car for that coin must be something prodigious. Cheapness has fostered traffic in such an extraordinary way that although conveyances are constantly multiplied they are all better filled than in the days of high fares.—Pall Mall Gazette.

The River Orinoco has recently risen and flooded an enormous extent of country. In the town of Ciudad Bolivar 350 houses have been washed down, and upward of 2000 persons have been rendered homeless and destitute. The loss is estimated at $3,000,000, but the amount will be much larger, as the river subsequently rose higher and many plantations were then damaged and a large number of cattle drowned.

Recent flower shows have indicated a return of the old-fashioned double dahlia to popularity. With all its prim stiffness this flower is gay and varied in color, and admirably adapted to decorative purposes.

It is said that there are scores of Indians on the Puyallup Reservation in Oregon who are worth from $50,000 to $75,000 each. One widow is worth $250,000. She owns the best ranch in the reservation.

A Collector of Handkerchiefs.

To the eccentricities of the confirmed collector there is no end. Collectors collect everything, and the possible limit to the list will only be reached when every collectable article under the sun shall have its band of enthusiastic gatherers. Collectors of postage stamps, book plates, play bills, broadsheets, coins and medals have attained a recognized standing; those of thimbles and walking sticks will soon do so, and there is an indication that they will be followed by victims of the pocket handkerchief mania. The late Mr. Fagin and his compeers were scarcely of sufficiently respectable standing to give vogue to the cult of the pocket handkerchief collector, but now that the pursuit has been shown to be the life passion of a man who was once a wealthy tradesman, the proper impetus will be given.

Caspar Eiles is the gentleman's name, and an absorbing passion for pocket handkerchiefs would seem to be his whole nature. Starting as a wealthy man to set up his museum, he paid whatever price was asked by the ladies of his acquaintance for whatever pocket handkerchiefs they might be carrying. He was delighted, we are told, "at their sight and flavor"—an odd expression which might bear some further explanation. Sometimes he had to pay enormous prices, but this never deterred him. We are not told whether the thing was ever actually done, but it would be almost an insult to female acuteness to suppose that so good an opportunity to acquire a respectable dot by the purchase and sale of a dozen or more pocket handkerchiefs was never observed and taken advantage of.

By this channel all Caspar Eiles' money vanished, and as he could buy no more handkerchiefs for his museum, the obvious course was to steal them, which he did. He has now been caught for the second time, his confidence in his own dexterity leading him to attempt two pockets at once, after a fairly successful career as an amateur artful dodger extended over several years. "Collectors" of purses, watches and chains and diamond pins may henceforward be expected to appear in great force at our police courts.—London Globe.

The Original Form of the Horse.

The wild horse of Dzungaria is an animal the size of the hemione and more robust in its proportions, in which it resembles the pony. Its head is large, with ears smaller than those of the hemione; the shoulders thick, especially in the male; the limbs robust and stubbier than those of the hemiones and the asses. The mane is short and straight, and the moderately long tail is terminated by a tuft of long hairs in much more abundant supply than in the tail of the hemiones. It has warts on the hind legs as well as on the fore legs—a peculiarity of the horse, distinguishing it from the other species of the genus, which have warts only on the fore legs. The hoofs are full like those of the horse, and not compressed as in the other species, and the lower parts of the legs are furnished with long hairs falling to the crown of the hoof, a feature which the hemiones lack.

Likewise characteristic is the color of the pelage, a pale gray, almost white, passing into dun on the head and neck, and blending insensibly on the flanks with the pure white of the belly and limbs. The mane, the brush of the tail and the long hairs of the lower legs and hoofs are black. There is no trace of the dark dorsal stripe running from the mane to the tail which is characteristic of the hemione. The hairy covering is long and undulating, especially in the rigorous winter of that northern region.—Dr. E. L. Trouessart in Popular Science Monthly.

Why Diamonds Sparkle.

Many persons have been puzzled to account for the ceaseless motion of diamonds in the earrings worn by ladies. It makes no difference that the head of the wearer is in perfect repose and that she is speechless, the twinkling goes on, greatly enhancing the flashing beauty of the gem.

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This Will Prevent Many Accidents.

The New York Central railroad has adopted a newly invented fusee signal which will lessen the danger of collisions between trains going in the same direction. In case a train is losing time from any cause one of the signals is lighted and thrown on to the track, where it will give warning to the train following. These signals are so constructed that they will blaze in the most violent storm, and will burn eight, ten or twelve minutes, like the colored lights used in theatres.—New York Journal.

Perhaps no local disease has puzzled and baffled the medical profession more than nasal catarrh. While not immediately fatal it is among the most distressing and disgusting ills the flesh is heir to, and the records show very few or no cases of radical cure of chronic catarrh by any of the multitude of modes of treatment until the introduction of Ely's Cream Balm a few years ago. The success of this preparation has been most gratifying and surprising.

Last year in Germany there were 13,000 cases of conviction for evasions of the customs laws. Yet our Administrative Customs bill, with its wise precautions against fraud and undervaluations, is hotly denounced by the Democratic press as an insult to the honest and incorruptible merchants of Europe.

Landlady—"Mr. McGinnis, may I ask what you are trying to find in that cream pitcher?" Boarder—"I am trying, Mrs. Irous, to rescue an unfortunate fly from a watery grave."

Woman's Column.

Woman's War Service.

Although it is impossible to discover just how many women gave their services in the fields and hospitals during the Civil War, Captain Ainsworth, who is at the head of the pension division of the War Department, has recently prepared a table giving an idea of the vast number who did what they could for their country by nursing and caring for those who took active part in the struggle.

The records are incomplete, but as far as can be ascertained there were probably 10,000 women, with and without regular authority and pay, who performed the duties, wherever they happened to be. Of these, 778 were hired by contract by the War Department; 371 went by the appointment of Miss Dix; 248 were Sisters of Charity; 31 were provided by the Sanitary Commission, and 96 by the order of the surgeon-general. In addition to those who went as nurses, there were matrons, cooks, laundresses, etc., making, it is thought, no fewer than 40,000 women in all, three-fourths of whom were white and from the North.

There are now on the pension rolls the names of 200 women who acted as nurses, and these were placed there by a special act of Congress; but as yet nothing has been done for most of these noble women, many of whom are old, feeble, and nearly forgotten.

Representative Belknap, of Michigan, an ex-soldier, reported a bill to the U. S. House of Representatives, placing on the pension list at twelve dollars a month "all women employed by the surgical department of the United States service as army nurses, or otherwise officially recognized as such during the late War of the Rebellion, and who rendered service in hospitals, in the camp, or on the battlefield for a period of six months or more and who were honorably relieved therefrom, and who, from the results of such service or the infirmities of advancing age, are unable to earn their own support." But there is no prospect that the bill will pass at this session. It would be different if the Woman's Relief Corps had votes.

The impertinent question is again up whether married women shall be allowed to teach in the public schools. This time it is in Cincinnati. A movement has been a long time on foot there to prohibit married women from occupying positions as teachers.

The campaign is evidentally proceeding. Gen. Collins is out with his annual prediction that the Democracy will sweep Massachusetts this year. There has not been a campaign for 20 years that has not witnessed the gallant General's enthusiastic prophecy of victory. We nominate him for Rainbow-Chaser-in-Chief of the Democracy of New England—the same place which Col. Brice holds with the Democracy of the West.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.30, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.55, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.55, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday** at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.18, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, then every half hour until 8.05, then 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, then every half hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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Northern, 7.00 A. M.
Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
Lawrence, 8 A. M., 4.45 P. M.
Lowell 8.30 A. M., *via* Winchester 12.30, 4 P. M.
Nashua, 4 P. M.
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TRIBUTE TO REV. CHARLES H. WASHBURN.

The last day of his stay arrived,
And I had lost all hope
Of seeing him at the Old Folks Home
And was disposed to mope.

Not so, for at the eleventh hour
'Twas said that he was here,
I hustled out of bed to see
Once more, the Pastor dear.

And gathered all the inmates were
To greet him with a jest
And then, that prayer—Oh! such a prayer,
With inspiration blest.

Oh! treacherous memory of mine,
That I could not retain
The golden words, dropped from his lips,
I ne'er shall hear again.

For, oh! he is going far away
To labor in another field;
Oh, may his work, divinely blest
An abundant harvest yield.

In temporal things too, may he thrive,
And have a good supply
To feed the hungry at his door,
Not feel he must deny.

With peace and plenty thus in store:
Sweet children, lovely wife,
May he enjoy a heaven on earth
While, journeying through this life.

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Oct. 19, 1890.

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BY JENNIE E. SKINNER.

[The following paper was read by its author before the Middlesex Central Christian Endeavor Union at the Baptist church in Woburn on Monday evening, Oct. 13, 1890.—EDITOR OF JOURNAL.

The Christian Endeavor movement first saw the light in a beautiful city by the sea, whose grand old oaks, graceful elms, slender poplars and sloping hillsides make it a unique scenic picture, and whose marginal and terminal railroads give it an important and prosperous position among our Atlantic seaboard cities; inviting through its safe and deep harbor—the best from Halifax to New York—the commerce of every clime, the storm tossed ship of every build, here finds a welcome and refuge.

Dear old Maine, with its revered poet who called this city of Portland native, with its leading statesmen, Blaine and Reed: we accept his ruling, and count our quorums of Christian Endeavors, as they count them in the National House. There can be no neutral souls present at meetings of Christian Endeavor whether these gatherings are religious or secular. But Portland, lift thy head, for in thy cultured domain was born of prayer, wrestling with discouragements, this grandest of modern systematic Christian effort, the movement for Christ and his Church. Born of God, a child of the Covenant, art Thou, dear, growing, prayerful Christian Endeavor.

With Portland's native poet we will say, and surely this must be an incentive to greater activity in Committee work:

"We can make our lives sublime,
And departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time."

"Footprints," activities in the Master's work, organized for advancement all along the line, these must be recognized else there has been a mistake in nominations.

Do members of committees wait for introductions; this should no be. No introductions? are needed in the Home whither we all are hastening. Christ is our all-in-all; our Sun and Centre; we are all one in him; and are we not known by our blessed bond of worship? Sons and daughters of the Lord God Almighty. O my dear workers upon committees, let these narrow formalities go, and know each other, for Christ's sake and join hands and go to work.

The greatest evangelist of our time has said that the best Working Committee he has ever known was made up of three persons: one, when organization and work came to hand, was out of town, necessarily; another, ill and in bed; the work, Mr. Moody quaintly adds, was well and promptly performed by the one member. This is individuality in committee work. Dear members of committees, do not be too modest—if it is modesty; if the chairman elect is dillitory do not be a member; suggest, go to work, wake up the chairman kindly. Christ's work must not languish; you are just as responsible to the Society as is the chairman, so called; you are Christ's workman.

Just here friends, remember the new motto of Christian Endeavor: "One is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are brethren." Our beloved Society is inter-denominational in its character. Who of us did not feel as though the grandest of all God's grand promises was being fulfilled when at St. Louis, Saturday evening, June 14th, the marriage ceremony of the Flags took place? The Union Jack; the Stars and Stripes; and thus are these nations wedded in Christ and for His work. What God hath joined together let not us by unfaithfulness in special work put asunder. What limitless opportunity comes to us through this movement! A Society in the Wisconsin State Prison numbering 100 members, 53 of them active, has been formed, and if the action of an official faction of that State has long ago caused us pain we can take courage and see through the Christian Endeavor faithfulness of Chaplain W. D. Gibson, and such as he, a light that will brighten even the darkness of that Court decision.

It has been said that in these modern days every church is a cemetery of buried talents. In no department of life are so many precious gifts allowed to go to waste as in religion. There are men gifted with natural eloquence who sit dumb in assembles of Christians week after week. There are strongly atttactive men, men of influence and power, who draw young men to them in politics, business and letters, like strong magnets, and yet in the church they are cold and unresponsive and inactive; unwilling, it would seem, to devote a tithe of their God-given power to the interest of Him whose vows they bear. And, saddest of all, there are women possessed of all the sweetness of womanhood, the graces of loveliness, charms of culture and good breeding, who are professed by Christ and yet spend all their talent in the world. Young girls look up to the briliant, successful men of the community, and in either case, as the example is, so the influence will be.

This problem of the buried or misdevoted talent confronts the devoted Christian in every church. The Christian Endeavor movement has been the means, in more cases than we can here mention, of constraining professing Christians to use their gifts in the service of Christ; still many stand back from the work as a rule. The active forces in our churches are the humbler and less ably equipped, and often the younger members perform most of the Master's service. Many, so far as Christ's service is concerned, bury their talents and fold them away in elegant and aristocratic napkins; they have a great place in the world but a small place in the kingdom. The church sadly needs its scholars, its eminent thinkers, its men of affairs and of wealth and its men of influence and social position.

Here is work for special committees of Christian Endeavor,—"go for" the indifferent in the church. This is your work; it is not easy, not pleasant, but the Master's voice stills your heart-throbs as you go on your mission and says, "Lo I am with you. The work is mine; we are co-workers." No worldly institution could prosper if it harbored such a mass of idle capital as do our churches. The great hope of the people of God today is in the faithfulness of the members of Chrstian Endeavor Societies and Sunday School workers. We know no denominational walls. The Epworth Leagues of the Methodist churches (God bless them) should be renamed: they are Christian Endeavor Societies and we need no break in the ranks. He who from the Epworth parsonage went forth with such mighty power was too grand a soul to belong to *one* denomination. No walls can keep his influence within them, and let us have the Epworth Christian Endeavor Societies of the Methodist church own allegience to the nonsectarian universal Christian effort, born at Portland, in faith and prayer, keep the honored word Epworth, but let it be a branch of our grand, dear tree of Christian Endeavor in name as it is in effort.

But, dear Christian friends, there is no incentive, no method, for greater activity in committee work conceived or put into practice that is successful, but what is the outcome of prayer and faith. The patient Benedictine Brothers who preached and prayed on the hill-slopes of ancient Breton could not then see the many churches scattered o'er that pleasant land but they preached and prayed and trusted, and today one of the leading Christian nations of the world carries on the work, begun in weakness, but strong in prayer and faith across the English Channel: the message went from Finistere. We can all recall the beautiful story of their faith and toil which the dear Master, our Master, so wonderfully blessed. We do not need method as much as we need an increase of faith and prayer: take it all to Jesus. It may be to repeat the little story in verse, so old, yet so new, will help up to greater earnestness in prayer in the work of Committees. And may we, as did the Benedictine Brothers so long ago, do faithfully every part of the work allotted to us and having done all to watch. Watch therefore and help answer our own prayers, as did they of the olden times.

In a quiet sheltering valley
Underneath a furzy hill,
Where their light from rocky ledges
Silver threads of water spill,

Patient Benedictine Brothers
Thatch their cot with russet fern,
Singing "Ave, Maris Stella!"
To the flowing of the burn.

They have come from southern regions
To the wastes of Finistere,
Without scrip, or purse, or weapon,
Trusting in the might of prayer.

In a pleasant sunward hollow
Of the barren purple fell,
They have built a rustic chapel,
Hung a little tinkling bell.

There alone in Christ believing,
Wait the Brothers God's good time,
When shall spread the gospel tiding,
Like a flood, from clime to clime.

Now the Brothers cut the heather,
Stack the turf for winter fire,
Wall about with lichened moor-stone
The enclosure of their Byre.

Next they drain a needy marish,
Praying in the midst of toil,
And with plough of rude construction
Draw slight furrows through the soil.

Then seek wheat—It was forgotten;
All their labor seems in vain;
The barbarian Kelts about them
Little know of golden grain.

Said the Prior, "God will help us
In this hour of bitter loss."
Then, one spied a Robin Redbreast
Sitting on a wayside cross.

Doubtless came the bird in answer
To the words the Prior did speak,
For a heavy wheat ear dangled
From the Robin's polished beak.

Then the Brothers, as he dropped it,
Picked it up and careful sowed,
And abundantly in autumn
Reaped the harvest where they strewed.

Do you mark the waving glory
O'er the Breton hill slopes flung?
All that wealth from Robin Redbreast's
Little ear of wheat has sprung.

Do you mark the many churches
Scattered o'er that pleasant land?
All results are of the preaching
Of that Benedictine band.

Therefore, Christian, small beginnings
Pass not by with lip of scorn,
God may prosper them, as prospered
Robin Redbreast's ear of corn,

Oh friends! there is no better incentive for increased activity in committee work than Consecrated effort. "Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord to Thee."

Cleveland's Again as always Ahead.

Present U. S. Gov. Chemist, A. F. Underwood, says:

July 16, 1890.

"Having examined and thoroughly tested the leading brands of baking powder, purchased by myself in open market, I find

Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder the best in quality, the highest in leavening power, and perfectly wholesome."

A. F. Underwood

U. S. Govt. Chemist, 1890.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

Harmony in Decoration.

The most important point in house furnishing and decorating is harmony. I wish I could instil this into everyone's mind—that it is not so much what you have in your rooms, as that everything should harmonize. Harmony, then, is what you should strive for above every thing; this should be followed by simplicity and suitability. Modern decorations have undoubtedly been terribly overcharged with frivolous so-called "ornament." Not only have different styles and periods been indiscriminately mixed, and colors utterly neglected, but the rooms have been too often filled with common-place articles, incongruous in design and bad in taste, with wall-papers and carpets that jar and clash against each other and with inartistic draperies which hang in festoons around glasses and pictures, and are neither useful nor beautiful, and which are intended to decorate the rooms, but only succeed in disfiguring them. So, when the housewife fails in her attempts to make her rooms pretty, it is probably either because she has not the natural taste, or else lacks the knowledge to apply it.

Thousands Poisoned.

In a recent work on Heart Disease, Dr. Franklin Miles—the noted specialist—gives many new and startling facts. Thousands of people are slowly poisoning themselves, weakening their hearts by the use of tea, coffee, tobacco and alcohol. These are Heart Whips, causing it to beat rapidly, thus gradually wearing it out, producing shortness of breath when exercising, pains in side and shoulder, hungry and faint spells. Finally heart failure and sudden death. For weakened and irritated hearts the press everywhere highly recommend the New Heart Cure discovered by Dr. Franklin Miles, which is for sale by Charles H. Buss.

Literary Notices.

The numbers of THE LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for October 4th and 11th contain John Henry Newman, Rome and the Romans, The Unattached Student, Water in Australian Saharas, The Vale of the Manor and the Black Dwarf, A Hot Morning, Chelsea Botanic Garden, Mutual Aid among Animals, Janet, Montaigne, Excavations in Judea, The Story of a Revolution, The Battle of the Eggs, Sedan, Richard Jefferies, the continuation of "Marcia," by W. E. Norris, and poetry and miscellany. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price (88) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

100 Ladies Wanted

And 100 men to call on any druggist for a *free* trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains. For diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing up the complection it does wonders. It is the best spring medicine known. Large size package, 50 cents. At all druggists'.

MUNROE'S

Clothing Store.

A few reasons why you should buy Mens', Youths' and Boys' WINTER OVERCOATS, SUITS, TROUSERS, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Underwear, Cardigan Jackets, &c., &c., at MUNROE'S.

1st. We have the largest, lightest, and best arranged Clothing Store in the vicinity.
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"They were passing the inevitable subscription paper for the benefit of the family of the "good fellow" who had suddenly died. Said one business man, "I give this little for the relief of their immediate wants, and I give that under protest. Why? Because in these enlightened days of Life Insurance no man has a right to leave a destitute family."

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Valuable Suggestions.

Melted butter is a good substitute for olive oil in salid dressing. Many prefer the butter to oil.

Grease spots may be taken out with weak ammonia in water; lay white paper over and iron with a hot iron.

A sour sponge may be thoroughly cleansed by rubbing a fresh lemon into it, then rinse several times in lukewarm water.

In using yolks of eggs, it must be remembered that a broken egg must be closely covered in the dish in which it is kept until desired for use.

An antique Indian slipper, rich with needlework in golden colors, with its curious eurled-up toe, is a dainty wall pocket to hang at the side of the dressing-table to receive combings.

There is no prettier material for a piano-cover than a piece of antique brocade. In the case of the upright piano, now so universally used, a piano scarf or a wall hanging of embroidery is an ornamental addition.

It is Foolish

To send for the doctor every time you don't feel just right. My doctor's bill for years was over a hundred dollars a year, which made a pretty big hole in my wages. For the past two years, I only spent ten dollars, with which I bought a dozen bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and health has been in my family since using them.—Robert Johnson, Machinist.

Jokes for All.

Dolly—That chicken I ate for dinner doesn't set well on my stomach.

Gazzem—Perhaps it wasn't a hen.

When the milkmaid is awkward and fretful the cow generally turns pail.

Judge—What is the man charged with?

Officer—Electricity, your honor. He stole a battery.

Woman (to tramp who had eaten a whole mince pie)—You seem to have a good appetite.

Tramp—(with tears in his eyes)—Yes, madam, this is all I have in the world which I can rightly call my own.

Jack—I say, Marie, if 32 degrees is the freezing point, I wonder what the squeezing point is?

Marie—I don't know, Jack, possibly two in the shade.

Grocer—I'll sell you that melon for fifteen cents.

Customer—That melon doesn't suit me.

Grocer—What's the trouble with it?

Customer—It's green, and I'm not.

If you are afflicted with rheumatism, neuralgia, gout or other bodily pain, or if you have a sprained wrist or ankle you ought at once to procure a bottle of Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain. It only costs 25 cents a bottle.

"Lo! the poor Indian!" dying with cold. Won't some "good Samaritan" send him a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup?

A pretty thing in feathers that is not obtained by blood-guiltiness are the toques, made entirely of small ostrich tips. They will be among the swellest things for fall wear, and, so far as intrinsic suitableness goes, will be admirable to wear through the winter.

When you are not plaided this fall, you'll be very likely, if you aim at being fashionable, to find yourself spotted. Polka dots, wafers, spots of all sizes, are in great vogue. Sometimes the spots are strewn on the plaids — mild, retiring plaids.—*New York Saturday Review.*

Woman's Column.

Mrs. Ida Buxton Cole, wife of Rev. H. M. Cole of the Congregational Church of Lamar Mo., filled her husband's pulpit and took entire charge of the parish work during the month of August, while her husband was on a business trip East.. The audiences were large and appreciative.

Mrs. Millicent Garrett Fawcett and her brilliant daughter, Miss Philippa Fawcett, who stood above the Senior Wrangler, are coming to this country next summer. They will receive a royal welcome. It is hoped that they may be persuaded to come early enough to be present at the National-American Woman Suffrage Convention in Washington in February.

A new and lucrative business for women has been opened by the amateur photography craze. Ptinting photographs is an occupation for which women are specially adapted, and their work in this branch is said to be superior to that done by men. The genial and alert "Listener" of the Boston *Transcript* knows of a young woman who put $2,000 in the bank last year, representing the clear profits of one year's work in printing photographs.

The word male should be stricken out of the constitution, because disfranchisement weakens the will power in women, and transmits feeble, irresolute character to both sons and daughters, thus directly ptomoting vice. Again, the word male should be stricken out because it creates an irresponsible class in society, directly tending to make one sex the unfortunate victim of the other, in theory and perhaps in fact, instead of creating mutual guardianship of pure morals in the interest of society.—*Mrs. Maria G. Frost.*

Mrs. Ella May Bennett was ordained a minister in the Universalist Church at Stony Brook, Long Island, on Thursday evening, Sept. 25. The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. Phœbe A. Hanaford, of New Haven, who also composed a hymn for the occasion. Rev. Frank Masseak, of Brooklyn, Rev. L. B. Fisher, of Bridgeport, and

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor, ... J. Q. A. Brackett
For Lieut. Governor, ... William H. Haile
For Secretary of State, ... William M. Olin
For Attorney-General, ... A. E. Pillsbury
For Treasurer, ... George A. Marden
For Congress, ... James A. Fox
For Senator 5th Middlesex Dist., Edwin F. Wyer
For Auditor, ... Charles R. Ladd
For Councillor 6th District, ... Byron Truell
For County Commissioner, ... J. Henry Reed
For Representative (Woburn) .. Elmore A. Pierce
For Representative (Reading) Henry G. Kittredge

GRAND REPUBLICAN RALLY. "COME ONE: COME ALL."

By reference to our business columns it will be seen that the Republicans of Woburn and vicinity will hold a grand campaign rally at Lyceum Hall on to-morrow (Saturday) evening which will be addressed by several distinguished speakers including Senator Hoar and our Congressional candidate Capt. James A. Fox of Cambridge. Other political orators of note will speak.

Hon. Edward D. Hayden, late Congressman for this District, will be President of the evening, and the Woburn Brass Band will furnish a fine musical entertainment.

The ladies, in an especial manner, are invited to lend interest to the occasion by their presence, and for their exclusive use the galleries of the Hall will be reserved.

Republicans of Woburn, this is going to be a great rally. The principal speakers are eminent men. To listen to Senator Hoar on the tariff question will be no small privilege. Everybody will want to see and hear what kind of a man Capt. Fox, our next Congressman, is. Therefore

"Come One: Come All."

A FAMILY QUARREL.

An intestine war is raging in the Democratic party in this city more fiercely than ever before. Absolute disruption of the organization is threatened.

The outbreak was caused by the rejection of Dr. Bartlett as a candidate for the Legislature. He was supported by the "White" Democrats and "Old Liners" and commanded a very respectable following numerically and otherwise. The chances for his nomination at the Representative convention looked for a while bright and cheerful.

The "Young Democracy," captained by City Clerk Moreland, put up for a candidate one Edward Parker, a sort of free-trade Mugwump, and supported him. Thomas D. Hevey too had friends in the convention. The fight was a pretty one, Bartlett and his people standing well up toward the front through it all.

Convinced that there was no chance for Parker, the Captain of the "Young America" columns ordered him to be dropped as a candidate and the delegates to go over to Hevey *en masse*. They did as commanded and left poor Parker out in the cold (Some of Parker's friends and not a few of Bartlett's claim that it was planned that way on the start, and that Hevey was really to be the candidate).

"Young America" laid out the "Old Liners" colder than a wedge, and the latter at once threw down the glove. Each party to the fight would like to drink the heart's blood of the other and is trying to get the knife at the other's windpipe.

It is war to the knife, and knife to the hilt, and it will be the chief end and aim of Bartlett and the "White" Democracy to defeat Hevey and every candidate who has the support of the "Young Democracy" at the polls on Nov. 4 next.

REPUBLICANS, REGISTER!

The Republican party of this city will do well to bear in mind that the registration of voters closes tomorrow evening, Oct. 25, at 8 o'clock, and act accordingly. This (Friday) and to-morrow evenings is all the opportunity that is left in which to get the names of Republicans on the lists therefore no time should be lost in attending to the duty.

It is of paramount consequence that the name of every Republican voter should be found on the poll lists when the registry closes to-morrow evening. There are important things that ought to be accomplished by them on the 4th of next month but which will not be accomplished if registration is neglected. Brackett and the whole State ticket; Fox for Congress; Capt Wyer for the State Senate; Pierce and Kittredge —all these gentlemen must receive a full Republican vote in Woburn, and certainly will receive it if Republicans attend to the duty of registration in the short time which remains in which to do it, and work with all their might for the accomplishment of the object in view.

We print an appeal to "Republicans of Woburn," issued by Capt E. F. Wyer, Chairman of the Ward and City Committees, in this issue of the JOURNAL and commend it to the special attention of Republican voters.

☞ The JOURNAL predicts that Capt. E. F. Wyer, candidate for the State Senate, will run considerably ahead of the Republican ticket in this city on Nov. 4. He is an up-and-down, square-edged man and there are a great many Democrats who like just that kind. The Captain will poll a very large vote: stick a pin there!

☞ Hullo! Carl Schurz turned up again? And still hammering away at "reform?" It seems so, for the Boston Mugwamps had him in tow last Monday night.

THE SOBER SECOND THOUGHT.

The Republicans who were opposed to the nomination of Capt. James A. Fox for Congress from this District are recovering from their disappointment and becoming reconciled to the situation. Our candidate will receive the entire Republican vote of the District and be elected.

Hoar, the Democratic candidate, don't impress the masses very favorably and he will fail to secure a full party vote. He lacks the elements of popularity, is cold, repels personal advances, and is not the sort of a man the rank and file of the 5th District Democracy swear by.

Candidate Fox's friends are putting in good work all over the lot—indeed the party are alive, wide awake, and, having made up their minds to win the battle, are sure to do so.

TALK OF MAKING IT UNANIMOUS.

Judging by the reports that reach us from the central and western parts of this Senatorial District it is safe to say that the voters there are going to make Capt. Wyer's election unanimous. The farmers of those old towns like him, irrespective of party, and word from them indicates that he will be handsomely supported all along the line.

Capt. Wyer is well known throughout the District and in all places where they know him the best he is the strongest. He will get a much larger vote than was given the Republican candidate last year, and it is probable that his majority will exceed 1,000.

☞ *The Andover Townsman*, a bright, clean, readable paper published weekly, carrying at its masthead the names of John N. Cole and George A. Higgins as Skippers, was three years old last week and now enters on Vol. IV, with a merry soul and pockets full of "tin." Good luck to the *A. T.*

☞ The citizens of Reading are unanimous in praise of Henry G. Kittredge, Esq., as a citizen and a man. They will give him a big vote over there.

☞ It is asserted on the best of authority that Capt. Fox will receive a large vote from the Cambridge Democrats.

☞ Somerville is solid for Fox. Let Somerville alone for getting back into the traces in season to vote right.

☞ The friends of Elmore A. Pierce are promised more than a party vote in Reading for him.

☞ The Republicans are solid and enthusiastic in their support of Fox for Congress.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
Alice O'Brien—Piano.
M. L. Graham—Piano.
Daugh. of Rebk.—Fair.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
5th Rep. Con. Com.—Rally.
Mrs. Annie Vaughn—Millinery.
W. Box 2155—Complete Combustion.

— Don't fail to register to-night.

— City Auditor Blodgett's monthly statement is at hand.

— Capt C. K. Conn is local editor of the *City Press* again.

— Mrs. J. W. Sawyer and the Captain are visiting in Maine.

— See that the name of every Republican is on the voting list.

— The Board of Trade held a regular meeting last Tuesday evening.

— Miss A. B. Hayford has gone to Northampton, this State, for a visit.

— Latest advices from Montvale Avnuue state that Dea. Gage is on the mend.

— Mr. O'Neil, a Boston gentleman, is now Managing Editor of the *City Press*.

— There is to be a testimonial ball to Mrs. Susie Talty at Hibernian Hall, Oct. 28.

— Read Auctioneer Gregory's advertisement of administrator's sale in this paper.

— Everybody seems to be looking forward to hearing "Priscilla" with great pleasure.

— Mr. and Mrs. James Walker have a daughter visiting them from Lewiston, Maine.

— Registration closes to-morrow night. Don't neglect to see that your name is on the list.

— A fall time-table for the North Woburn Street Railroad has been issued by Supt. Sewell.

— Republicans, this and to-morrow evening is all the time there is left to register for the election.

— Let everybody get ready for the grand Republican rally in Lyceum Hall to-morrow evening.

— Conductor Abbott of the B. & L. Div. gets the *Record* conductor's lantern by a large majority.

— Gentle reader, run your eye over Postmaster Reade's list of mails published in the JOURNAL to-day.

— Mr. L. W. Cooper expects to return to Woburn to live next spring. His home is now at Taunton.

— A daughter and grandchild from Providence, R. I., are visiting Mrs. B. A. Stearns on Pleasant Street.

— Col. O. J. Hart, the veteran conductor, was handsomely sustained by the craft for the *Record's* lantern.

— Holdridge has a large stock of the best and most popular stoves, ranges and heaters and sells cheap.

— Come out to the Republican Mass Meeting at Lyceum Hall to-morrow night. Fox is going to be there.

— Mr. Frank Dodge's windows and show-cases are filled with the best stock of gold and silver watches ever seen in this city.

— James Fitzgerald was killed at Walnut Hill Station last Wednesday by a train. He was an employe of the B. & M. RR. Co.

— The Hibernians, one of the most solid of the Irish societies in this city, will hold an important meeting in Hibernia Hall this evening.

— An alarm was sounded a little after six o'clock for a fire in an unoccupied house on Park street. Probable cause, incendiarism.

— Rev. Mr. Parker, pastor of the Unitarian Church, and a large number of his flock attended a conference at Reading last Wednesday.

— Mrs. Denno, wife of Rev. Denno of New Hampshire, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker of Church Ave., this week.

— There has been no advance in the price of carpets at Willard Smith's. Boston's lowest prices still prevail notwithstanding the new tariff.

— We print an interesting paper on Christian Endeavor on page 1 of the JOURNAL this week. It was written by Miss Jennie E. Skinner.

— Nahmeokee Council, No. 17, D. of P., will hold an apron and necktie party in Red Mens Hall, Main Street, Wednesday evening, Oct. 29.

— The new officers of Merrimac Club are: President, William Thompson; Vice President, Frank Graham; Secretary, Andrew Thompson.

— Officer James Connolly, who has been a severe sufferer from rheumatism for a long time, manages to get about the streets again and is slowly improving.

— Mrs. William Gage, a sister-in-law of Dea. G. R. Gage, is sick with gastric fever at the residence of Mr. George E. Kimball in Hingham where she has been visiting.

— Mr. B. H. Nichols' grease factory on Conn street was totally destroyed by fire Thursday evening. It is reported that there was no insurance on the building nor contents.

— Sister Curran of *The City Press* has, we understand, taken into her employ an Assistant Editor to do up the "locals," etc. Wherein she acted the part of a wise woman.

— Ladies who would have their laces and ribbons cleansed in the finest shape should take them to Miss L. F. Hurd, 24 Winn street, who does those thing in the best of shape.

— During the rain storm on Sunday and Sunday night, and the one which partially cleared off on last Friday afternoon, 4 3-4 inches of rain fell as measured by Mr. Rufus Smith.

— Supt. L. L. Whitney and his associates are nearing the end of the season's labors on the Salem street cemetery in which they have made material improvements since last spring.

— Mrs. Mary L. Graham, pianist, publishes a professional card in the JOURNAL this week to which we call especial attention. The lady is well educated musically and is a good teacher.

— Last Tuesday morning Levi T. Allen, colored, was sentenced to six months in the House of Correction in the District Court for maltreating his wife Ada. He is a "tuff nut," so Ada says.

— We were down at Hall & Jaquith's grain mill last Saturday and found them running four teams delivering meal, etc. to their customers. That speaks well for the business of the mill.

— We are in receipt of a handsomely printed Order of Exercises at the Installation of Rev. Charles H. Washburn over the First Congregational church at Falmouth which occurred on Oct 15.

— "Priscilla" was given at Clinton last week, and very recently at Salem and Marlboro, under the same management that will produce it here on Nov. 5 and 6, and gave immense satisfaction at all those places.

— Capt. Wyer, Harry L. Elanders, Dr. S. W. Kelly, and others returned from Cardiff, Tenn., last week. They think Cardiff is destined to become the metropolis of the coal and iron regions of the Cumberland Mountains.

— The Innitou Canoe Club are making arrangements for their grand annual concert to be given in the second week of December next. They will have Gad Robinson, the famous Banjo Soloist, again this season.

— Owing to its similarity to Woburn, the Post Office Department at Washington has decided that some other name than Waban must be selected as the name for a post office at that village.—*Watertown Enterprise.*

— The members of Bellevue Club presented their fellow-member, Mr. John M. Wallace, a beautiful ice-pitcher on returning from his bridal trip to the South in token of the high regard in which he is held by the Club.

— Mr. George H. Ellison and Miss Grace A. Riley were married last Wednesday. The groom was once a pupil in the JOURNAL office and graduated from that venerable institution with honors. We wish them a long and happy life.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., presided at the Sherman Hoar rally at Lyceum Hall the other night. Leonard Thompson, Esq., introduced him. Both gentlemen ought to belong to the Republican party. They have no business to flock with the Great Unwashed.

— At the regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Methodist Social Union held in Berkeley Hall, Boston, last Monday evening, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the Woburn M. E. church, gave an encouraging account of the fight here against the rumsellers.

— Col. Charles H. Porter of the old 39th Mass. Vol. Regiment has accepted an invitation from Company K to come over here from Quincy on the 5th of Nov. next and give the "boys" an address on "Five Oaks." It is to be an anniversary occasion of no little importance.

— Mr. Wilber D. Brown told Supt Sanborn of the Southern Division of the B. & M. Railroad the other day that he hadn't had the privilege yet of taking a drink from the fountain in the depot at the Centre which reminded Supt Sanborn that he had forgotten all about telling Mr. Brown several weeks ago that he would put in a fountain there right away and hadn't done it. He renewed the promise and Mr. Brown expects to enjoy a draught of pure Horn Pond water from a fine drinking fountain in the depot at an early day. We hope he will not be disappointed.

— The New York Comedy Company played to good houses at Lyceum Hall on Monday and Tuesday evenings last and were well received. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather the box-office panned out in good shape, and the Company gave the audiences their money's worth.

— Albert Thompson will not open his Boston studio until quite late in the season. He prefers to finish up some orders for large cattle pieces which he has here at home rather than to take them to Boston, which will delay somewhat his settlement in his old city quarters permanently for the winter.

— The 38th annual meeting of the Middlesex County Teachers Association will be held in Tremont Temple, Boston, on Friday, Oct. 31, at 9-30 a.m. A good programme has been laid out for it. Hon. Congressman Greenhelge of Lowell will deliver the Address, and S. N. Cutler of Boston will preside at the organ.

— The Fifth Annual Convention of the Young Peoples' Societies of Christian Endeavor of Massachusetts will be held in the People's M. E. Church corner of Columbus Avenue and Berkeley streets, Boston, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct 29 and 30, being at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and closing Thursday evening.

— The authorities have designated polling places for the next election as follows: Ward 1, National Bank Block at 397 Main street; Ward 2, Fifield Block on Fowle street; Ward 3, Steamer House at No. 1 Winn street; Ward 4, Fox Building at 424 Main street; Wards 5, 6, 7 at their respective hose houses.

— The 5th annual ball and concert of Clan McKinnon, O. S. C., will take place in Lyceum Hall this evening. Calnan's Orchestra will furnish the music with J. R. Thomas prompter, besides which there will be songs, music on the bagpipes, etc. Mr. Hugh Murray, Secretary, will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for "Comps."

— The annual convention of the American Missionary Association was held at Northampton last Tuesday. Hon. Joseph G. Pollard was the delegate from the First Congregational church of Woburn and attended the convention in that capacity. Mrs. E. V. Bridgham and her sister Miss Lydia J. Valentine of Court street in this city also attended.

— A good table is an indispensable thing in every house. The most convenient and useful Table imaginable is sold for only $5.75 at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston. It is of richly grained oak, with hinged top, made to lock down automatically when in use, and capable when folded of stowing away in a few inches of space.

— Mr. Willard Smith has got in a good stock of fall and winter dry, dress, fancy and other goods, carpets, etc., which he is selling on a very small margin. His stock consists of all the staples in great variety of styles and quality. He keeps a good line of carpets and it is a fact that he sells them just as cheap as, and in some cases cheaper than, Boston houses.

— The Republicans of this city are perfect accord on the nominations and everything else this year. Complete harmony and good fellowship reign in their ranks, Capt Wyer will have the hearty support of the entire party and make a little different showing from what the Republican Senatorial candidate did last year. He'll crowd Felch to the wall even in this Democratic stronghold.

— It is a genuine treat to attend the millinery opening of Mr. Amos Cummings now in progress at his great store. It began yesterday and will close this evening and has so far been attended by a great number of ladies of this city and vicinity. They all speak in the highest praise of Mr. Cummings's stock and low prices. If the weather is favorable there will a big rush this afternoon and evening.

— The Woburn Woman's Club held its first meeting after the summer recess on the afternoon of Tuesday, Oct. 17. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather there was a fair attendance. The two excellent papers on "Housekeeping and Home making," and "Co-operative House-keeping," given by members of the Club, were thoroughly enjoyed as they presented subjects which demands one's consideration.

— Mr. John R. Carter in selling his share of the ice business of Carter & Nichols to his partner, Mr. Frank C. Nichols, reserved the Richardson Pond business and will work it for the wholesale trade in the future. Chemical analysis has demonstrated that the Richardson Pond water is of unusual purity and of course the ice cut on it is No. 1 in quality. Mr. Nichols will continue the retail trade in this city.

— Mr. Macomber, the director of the opera of Priscilla, wishes us to announce in our locals the special engagement of Mr. J. C. Bartlett of Boston for the tenor role in the opera of Priscilla and to further say that no better tenor is to be found anywhere for this part. The management have certainly shown great liberality, for in bringing Mrs. Rice and Mr. Bartlett we are to have two stars of the first magnitude.

— The polling lists are posted in the several Wards as follows: Ward 1, in Municipal building, Common street; Ward 2, Highland hose house, Prospect street; Ward 3, Steamer house, Winn street; Ward 4, hook and ladder house, Montvale Avenue; Ward 5, in William McDonough's grocery store, Montvale; Ward 6, inside of Post-office, North Woburn; Ward 7, Post office, John Cummings, 2d's, grocery store, Cummingsville.

— Mayor Johnson has agreed to open the Grand Fair to be run by the Daughters of Rebekah at Lyceum Hall on Oct. 29, 30, 31 instant. Besides that, the Fair is going to be one of the largest, most varied in wares, and the most attractive one ever held here. See their advertisement for full particulars. Mark its numerous drawing features. Don't overlook that Baby Show—that single item in the programme will be worth more than the admission tickets cost. See what a variety of tables there will be to cull from. Read the advertisement all over carefully, and then be sure to go and liberally patronize the Rebekah's grand Fair.

— Mr. Horace L. Cummings, a younger brother of Mr. Amos Cummings of this city, died at his home in Reading last week, to the great sorrow of many good neighbors and warm friends. He was a gentleman of high social and business standing there and had long been a trusted public servant, and he will be greatly missed by the community. Mr. Amos Cummings was with his brother in his last sickness almost continually.

— The North Boston District of the Epworth League will hold its Fall Convention at Gardner, Mass., Nov. 5, '90. with morning, afternoon and evening sessions. Prominent League workers will be present and an enthusiastic gathering is assured. The local Methodist Young People's Society is requested to report to G. R. Hoskins, Gardner, Mass., as soon as possible if it will be represented. Full programme and details will be published within two weeks.

— Burdetts Business College, 592 Washington street, Boston, is the most popular institution in New England for acquiring business knowledge. It is especially a favorite with Woburn young men and young women who seek this kind of an education because the Burdetts are Woburn citizens and highly esteemed as such. The College has always had a great many pupils from this city, scores of whom are now occupying lucrative positions in commercial or mercantile houses through the knowledge they gained at it.

— Mr. George E. Parkhurst, C. E., formerly Superintendent of the Woburn Water Works, subsequently sent to Russia by Blake and Co. of Boston to set up and put in operation some of their famous steam pumps (a job which he successfully accomplished), is now employed by the Portland (Me.) Company to superintend the construction of the "Complete Combustion Boiler," in which Dr. S. W. Kelly of this city is largely interested. The Company made choice of the right man for the responsible position.

— Mr. Charles Trull, an old and highly esteemed resident of Woburn, died after a very short illness at his home, No. 2 Auburn street, yesterday morning. He was in the enjoyment of good health up to last Saturday night when he was taken ill with what was supposed to be indigestion, but he failed to rally from it and died as above. He was about 84 years old, although none would think him over 73, so straight, smart and active was he. He left a widow, other family connections, and many warm friends, to mourn his loss.

— Last Sunday seemed like a late November day. The rain poured in torrents from 9 o'clock to dark, and early in the evening it set in again and rained powerfully all night. The wind was high through it all; leaves were blown from the trees leaving the latter nearly barren of autumn foliage; and everything outdoors was dark, dank and cheerless. The Sabbath ought not to have any gloom about it, but last Sunday could not have been called a pleasant one without great stretch of the imagination. Monday wasn't much better.

— Bishop Foster of Boston will preach at the opening service of the new M. E. Church, next Sunday at 10-30. Preaching at 7 P.M. by pastor. Special services will be held through the week. Preaching on Monday evening by Rev. E. M. Taylor of Charlestown; on Tuesday evening by Rev. G. A. Crawford, of Bromfield Street, Boston; on Wednesday evening by Rev. C. H. Hannaford of East Cambridge; on Thursday evening by Rev. C. E. Davis of Lowell; on Friday evening by the pastor. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

— The present exhibition being held by the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association in their building on Huntington Avenue is one of the finest and most complete ever given by the Association. The entire space of the immense building is filled with handsome and useful exhibits from the basement to the topmost gallery. It is a grand, entertaining and instructive sight, and the public show their appreciation of and interest in it by daily crowding the vast halls. The music is especially fine and is alone worth the price of admission—25 cents.

— A few eyes looked askance, some winked knowingly, and others — well, there was nothing under the sun in the jug which Uncle Levi C. Teel carried into No. 15 Church Ave. the other day except the very newest and sweetest and purest of cider from apples raised on his Cambridge street farm—not a thing intoxicating about it— and only a gallon, at that. So, those sly winks were away off, and those who looked askance didn't know so much as they thought they did. It was simply new cider of 1890 vintage — some that Uncle Teel brought over in a neighborly sort of a way for the— women folks to make mince-pie with. That's all.

— Last Wednesday morning we met Rev. Alfred Newhall who, with his devoted wife, has recently returned from a long term of successful missionary service in India (both broken in health), in the pleasant study of Rev. Dr. March in the Congregational Church and enjoyed a treat. The return of Mr. and Mrs. Newhall to the mission field at some future period will depend on their health, especially that of the latter, who of the twain is the more seriously worn down and ill. If they should fully regain their health and become robust once more their return to India will follow, but not otherwise. They expect to make their home at Rochester N. Y., while waiting the issue, and will go there in a few days. We said we had a treat, and so indeed we had. Dr. March is a missionary enthusiast, and Rev. Mr. Newhall is as deeply interested in the work as his more venerable friend. The Doctor has travelled over almost every important missionary field on the continents of the earth and the isles of the sea; and Mr. Newhall too has had an experience that makes him an interesting missionary narrator. It was edifying to listen to them, and not a little amusing. One would state a fact or relate an anecdote which would, as the lamented Lincoln used to say, "remind" the other "of a little story" which he would tell and thus contribute to the pleasure of the meeting. When Mr. Newhall, at the suggestion of Dr. March, exhibited for the reporter's edification a couple of scorpions from India — the real Bible article of scorpion too — it seemed to loosen and lubricate the organs of speech of the whole company, and the stories and anecdotes which the ministers told about scorpions would fill a 4-page pamphlet, or more, and make interesting reading besides. When the scorpion question became exhausted the JOURNAL man quietly slipped away leaving Dr. March and his good missionary friend Newhall to continue to enjoy the bright sunshine of the Doctor's library, and discuss matters appertaining to foreign missions to their heart's content.

For the Twin's Sake.

"I am sick and tired of this chromo business, and from now out I shall separate my art collection from my bar soap trade." Thus spoke a weary house keeper who had been taking inferior soap at a high price, because with it went a two-cent chromo. And then for the twin sakes of economy and ease, she laid in a stock of that best of all Brussels soap.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board of Aldermen held a meeting in the Aldermanic chambers of Municipal Building last Tuesday evening at which all the members were present except Aldermen Place, Linscott and Ramsdell.

Johnson Richardson applied for additional State aid: Dr. Seth W. Kelley and 15 others for an electric light at the junction of Garfield and Jefferson Avenues. Referred to committees.

Francis A. Buckman, as Warden of Ward 3, and Elmore A. Pierce, as ballot clerk of Ward 3, resigned. Accepted.

The Mayor appointed and the Board confirmed the following appointments, to fill the vacancies: Eliphaz Prior, as Warden of Ward 3, promoted from deputy inspector; Harry E. Marion, ballot clerk, Ward 3 and Frank H. Clarke, deputy inspector, Ward 3.

A communication was received from the Manager of the Woburn Electric Light Company granting the privilege of placing the fire alarm gong at its station.

A communication was received from Mrs. Golden, presenting a crayon portrait of her late husband, Alderman Golden, to the City Council. Accepted.

The monthly report of the city Auditor was received and put on file.

An order was passed transferring $4000 from schools to evening schools.

State aid was recommended for John C. Whitten.

The warrant for election and an order establishing voting places was passed.

Burial of George Perkins.

The funeral of George Perkins of Montvale, who died of consumption a few days before at 49 years of age took place last Sunday afternoon and although the rain poured in torrents and the wind blew a gale it was well attended by Woburn and Boston people. There were appropriate religious exercises at the late home of the deceased in Montvale at 2 o'clock, after which the body was then brought to the First Congregational church, at the Centre, where a service was held under the auspices of Post 161, G. A. R., of which deceased was first commander, and a prominent and influential member. The full ritual of the Grand Army was carried out by the officers of the Post. Rev. Dr. March was the officiating clergyman, and the church choir rendered several selections. The post turned out in good numbers, and there was a delegation of masters and teachers of the Phillips school, Boston, and also of the class of '90 of that school. There were elegant floral tributes from the Submasters' Club of Boston, the classes of '90 and '91 of the Phillips school, Post 161, G. A. R., Relief Corps and others. The body was dressed in full Grand Army uniform, and the casket was draped with the American flag with a cap and belt on top.

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Mr. C. E. Macomber of Boston,

Miss Mabel Davis

— AND —

Miss Mertena Bancroft

Would most respectfully announce to the people of Woburn and vicinity, the production at the Lyceum Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, November 5 and 6, of that new and Charming Comic Opera, Priscilla, which has made such an instantaneous hit wherever produced. The costumes and appointments will be the same as will be used at the Boston performance the coming season, special scenery and other accessories. The chorus will be made up of about 30 of the principal singers of Woburn. Mr. W. H. Dodd of Boston will assume the role of Hatebad Higgins and will also have direction of the stage. No pains will be spared to make this event one of the most noteworthy in the amusement annals of Woburn. Notwithstanding the large expense in bringing this opera out in first-class shape, popular prices will prevail. The sale of seats will open at the Box Office of Lyceum Hall on Saturday evening, Nov. 1, at 7 30. After that date tickets will be on sale at Horton's Bookstore and Leeds's Drug Store. Out-of-town parties can secure seats by mail or telegraph. Price of tickets 35, 50 and 75 cents.

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Harvest Concert.

Notwithstanding the severest rain storm and fall gale was raging at 7 o'clock, P. M. last Sunday the Harvest Concert at the First Congregational church at that hour was a complete success. Over 200 people were present and only three of the pupils who had parts assigned them were absent. There was a fine display of vegetables which were given to the needy on Monday morning.

Superintendent John R. Carter and Assistant Superintendent Charles F. Lyford were both on hand in spite of the great commotion of the elements, and under their leadership the followiog programme was well carried out and an excellent concert given. A half yearly report ending Sept. 30, 1890, was read by the Treasurer, and the Superintendents submitted a gratifying showing of the condition of the school during that period.

1. Organ Voluntary.
2. Singing. "O Lord of all divine."
3. Reading of Scripture and Prayer.
4. Response. "And now the Autumn tide."
5. Responsive Reading.
6. Recitation. "Thanking the Father." Sybil Fox
7. Singing. "What Seed."
8. Recitation. "Hill by Hill." Bertha P. Trull
9. Singing. "Sow in the Morn thy Seed."
10. Responsive Reading.
11. Recitation. "Thanks for the Harvest." Isabel Cutler, Bessie Warnick, Bertha Smith, Cora Buxton.
12. Singing. "He that goeth forth with Weeping."
13. Recitation. "The Ancient Word." Ella Bates
14. Recitation. "The Gleaner." Bessie Luce
15. Singing. "Sound, sound the Truth Abroad."
16. Recitation. "The need of Reapers." Marion Holland
17. Recitation. "Gleaner." Mamie Miller
18. Recitation. "Brave Reapers." Clara Larsen
19. Singing. "Fair waved the Golden Corn."
20. Recitation. "Count the Mercies." Grace Alexander, Grace Norris, Sarah Norris, Bertha Munroe, Sarah Graham, Edith Harding.
21. Singing. "Needed Service."
22. Collection.
23. Address. Dr. March.
24. Hymn. "Come ye Thankful People, Come."
25. Benediction.

Selected for Woburn Journal by a Cast-off Friend.

What worth is Eulogy's blandest breath
When whispered in the ears of death?
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Speak it while I'm alive to hear.

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The Committee.

At the Democratic Representative Convention held last Saturday evening the following were chosen District Committee:—Ward 1, John J. Short; Ward 2, John Magure; Ward 3, Dr. George P. Bartlett; Ward 4, Edward T. O'Neil; Ward 5, Lawrence Martin; Ward 6, Edward E. Parker; Ward 7, Frank M. Doherty; Reading, Charles C. Wright.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Oct. 20, Annie J. McGrath, aged 18 years, 10 months, 20 days.
In this city, Oct. 21, Mary S. Lawton, aged 74 yrs.
In this city, Oct. 22, Mary Hersey, aged 35 years.
In this city, Oct. 22, John Fitzgerald, aged 72 years.

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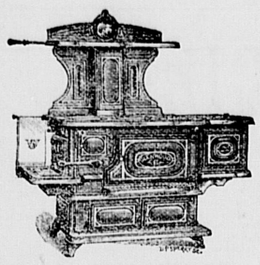

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Funeral of Edward J. Houghton.

Two weeks ago the JOURNAL was requested by Mr. Richard Houghton of Boston to inform the public that the funeral of his brother Edward J. Houghton would take place at the Hall of the Kearsarge Naval Veterans in Boston on Oct. 19, which request was cheerfully complied with.

Edward J. Houghton of the U. S. Navy died in 1865 and was buried in the Naval Cemetery at Norfolk, Va., where his remains have rested until his brother, Inspector Andrew Houghton of Boston, succeeded a short time since in getting permission to remove them to Edward's old home in Boston. Last Sunday they were consigned to their last resting place in Holywood cemetery being conveyed there by a large concourse of people comprising the Kearsarge Association of Naval Veterans of Boston; 15 members of Co. K, of Woburn; members of other Companies of the old 39th M. V. R. of which K was one; and many veterans and citizens of Boston and vicinity who knew the history of the destruction of the Rebel Ram Albemarle by a party of 13 naval heroes of whom only Lieut. Cushing and Houghton lived to get back to the Union fleet to which they belonged.

The funeral services were held in the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Boston, and consisted of an eloquent eulogy on the hero Houghton by Rev. Fr. Doonan, S. J., organ voluntaries, solos and choruses by eminent singers, and other exercises. Although a fearful storm raged there was a large attendance and a long procession followed the bier to the grave.

The remains arrived in Boston from Norfolk on Saturday and lay in State at the Naval Veterans Hall until the close of the funeral. The floral tributes were numerous, rich and beautiful. That presented by the Woburn members of Co. K represented the badge of the Army Corps to which the 39th belonged. It was made of white carnations and blue immortelles on a base of dark, rich ivy leaves and was one of Mr. Edward McGregor's finest pieces of floral work, unsurpassed by the numerous pieces contributed.

Edward J. Houghton enlisted in Co. K, 39th M. V. Regt. at Woburn, and was subsequently transferred to the Navy in which arm of the service he was distinguished for bravery and fidelity to duty. The Rebel Ram Albemarle had just been completed and lay at Plymouth on Roanoke river ready to pounce on the Union fleet lying outside, when the brave Lieut. Cushing volunteered to destroy her if he could get men to embark on the hazardous scheme with him. Thirteen fearless marines stepped forward and offered to go with him and among them was Houghton. All know the history of the heroic enterprise. The Rebel Ram was blown up, but at the cost of the life of every man of the expedition except Lieut. Cushing and Houghton, who alone got back to the fleet.

For their gallant conduct in blowing up the Albemarle Congress awarded medals to Lieut. Cushing and Marine Houghton. It was the most brilliant, daring and important exploit of the whole war.

The members of Co. K, 39th who attended the funeral of Houghton last Sunday were Capt. Luke R. Tidd, who commanded the Company; John Gilcreast, Abijah Thompson, Geo. E. Fowle, Loren Searles, Albert P. Barrett, Chas. K. Conn, A. D. Carpenter, C. H. Johnson, W. H. LeBarron, T. Morton Parker. The members of the Co. from other places were Oscar Persons of Hudson; W. P. Brown of Cambridge; G. W. Linscott of Boston; William McDevitt of Boston. Col. Chas. H. Porter, Mayor of Quincy, represented the 39th Regt.

Republicans of Woburn.

On Nov. 4 you will be called upon to assert your faith in Republican principles by your votes. If you believe in the principles of your party and desire to make them successful in the future, do not fail to do your whole duty. See that your name is on the voting list. If there are any possible Republican Voters in your neighborhood or among your acquaintances that have not as yet registered, urge them to do so at once. If there are any who are unable or unwilling to register on account of the tax, assist them personally, or make their cases known to your Ward Committee, who will assist all deserving and needy ones.

You have but three day more, viz: Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 23, 24, 25, when registration will close. When this duty is attended to, the next will be to come out on election day and sustain the Republican nominees by your vote, also to see that every other Republican does the same. Do not wait to be sent for by the Rallying Committee but come promptly, cheerfully, and manfully to the discharge of this great privilege and duty.

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Y. M. C. A.

On Oct. 28, the Auxiliary will meet at 3 P. M.

Saturday evening: Subject, "Saved to Serve."

Boys' Meeting at 3 P. M. Sunday. Subject, "Lesson in the Battle Life of Waterloo."

Last Sunday Rev. J. H. Hecter gave one of the best talks and in spite of the driving rain a good number were out.

Men's Meeting at 4 P. M. Sunday. To be led by Mr. E. H. Cotton: all young men, middle aged men, and old men are invited to be present.

Yesterday the State Convention met at Haverhill. The Woburn delegates were: J. R. Carter, W. W. Hill, J. K. Murdock, C. E. Tripp, Leon Dorr, L. Staples, W. C. Murdock, A. B. Dimick, C. H. Lyford, and General Secretary.

The opening of the Junior work was last Tuesday, when 33 boys out of 38 (the membership of the Branch at present) took supper in the rooms at 6.15 P. M. They invited the Board of Directors to eat with them, and 10 of the 14 were present. After supper the Directors spoke words of cheer to the boys. At 8 o'clock all adjourned to the Hall, where an entertainment was provided by Prof. George E. Emerson's Marrionettes and Mr. B. H. Tripp in Magic. At 9.30 all went home well satisfied with the evening thus spent.

One of our exchanges says: "The prospects of a watermelon plantation in this section would be very slim owing to the large colored population." This is a base slander, as the colored people are honest and readily recognize the value of and economy in using Brussels soap.

The Woburn Conference

Will meet with the Church in North Reading on Tuesday, October 28, 1890. The following programme will be carried out:

9.30. Devotional Service.
10.00. Business.
10.30. Topic for Discussion.
Loyalty to the Church as the body of Christ.
1. In its material interest, Rev. Edwin Smith.
2. In its Doctrines and Beliefs, Rev. Frank S. Adams.
3. In its Spiritual Life and Power, Rev. James L. Hill.
12.00. Collation
1.30. Business.
2.00. Topic of the day, continued.
3.00. Communion.
4.00. Adjournment.

Boston Theatres.

The Soudan is still playing to crowded houses at the Boston Theatre. The situations are startling and the music of an unusually fine order. This romantic play is given with magnitude of effects beyond anything yet seen on the Boston stage. The battle scene is at 9.45 and Trafalgar Square at 10 o'clock thus giving plenty of time to suburban visitors to reach their late trains. An Elegant Soudan Souvenir will be presented on the occasion of the 50th performance, Wednesday, Oct. 29. Doors open 1.30 and 7.15. Begins at 2 and 7.45.

Rodolph Aronson's Comic Opera Company will remain one week longer at the Globe. This magnificent success played for sixty nights at the New York Casino and brings to the Globe the same disguished artists who appeared during the run in New York. Evenings at 7.45 and the usual matinees Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at 2.

At the Grand Opera House next week J. C. Stewart and his musical comedy, The Fat Men's Club, will appear and guarantee any amount of fun. A warm welcome is assured this ever pleasing comedian and his company.

Only three more performances of True Irish Hearts at the Grand Opera House this week. Don't miss the chance.

"I have prescribed your Mellin's Food for years, and know of nothing to take its place; I often use it for grown patients also," writes a physician.

"Priscilla."

The story of Myles Standish's courtship is one that always has interested the lovers of poetry and tradition. And the fact that it is to be repeated here for the benefit of the Woburn public will be certain to draw a good house. The story which has been arranged in the form of an operetta by Mr. Surrette of Concord, will be told by some of our best singers assisted by the finest Boston talent. They have had several rehearsals here and each succeeding one proves more and more satisfactory. The original version has been revised and the result is a comic opera that deserves the name. When it was played last winter in the neighboring towns the houses which greeted the production were crowded every night. Its fame has preceded it and we predict that there will be few in the city who will miss the treat.

Special scenery by the celebrated scenic painter, Story, showing accurately Leyden street, Plymouth, Priscilla's cottage, etc., will be used at the production of "Priscilla." The costumes, wigs and make up are said to be by good judges well worth the price of admission. Mr. Macomber, the manager, is evidently sparing no pains or expense to give us a first-class rendering of the popular piece.

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Resolutions.

At a regular meeting of the St. Charles C. T. A. Society held in their hall Oct. 9, 1890, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our beloved companion and fellow member, Daniel F. McKay, be it

Resolved, That while we bow with humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well we sincerely mourn the loss of our brother who has been called from our midst to rest.

Resolved, That we tender to the family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of affliction, recognizing the loss sustained in the death of a son and brother ever true and kind.

Resolved, That these resolutions be inserted in the records of the Society; published in the WOBURN JOURNAL, *Woburn City Press* and *Woburn News*; a copy framed and presented to the family of the deceased and also hung up in the rooms of this Society.

JAMES H. MURPHY,
EDWARD MCDONALD,
THOMAS D. HEVEY,
THOMAS DOLAN,
FRANK MCSHEFFREY,
Committee on Resolutions.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m., the pastor will preach. Subject: "Revive thy Work." At 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Preparatory Lecture, Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor, Friday evening.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor; Subject "Crime and Criminals." At 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. short sermon. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Church Covenant meeting Friday evening.

METHODIST—Services at the new church. At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Bishop Foster. At 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Fountain Opened." Preaching every evening next week except Friday when there will be the General Class.

Givadam Jones of the Lime Kiln Club says: "If I had my choice, I belieb I'd radder hab a box ob de economical Brussels soap dan a gross of de finest rayzers."

Burlington.

Mr. Augustus Prouty failed to secure the District nomination for Representative at Bedford last week solely because the choice of candidate was not accorded to this town, as tacitly agreed on last year. He had a solid Burlington delegation, several Lexington and other delegates, and would certainly have got a majority of the convention if Concord had not stepped in and paralyzed everybody by the monumental cheek they showed in demanding the candidate against the wishes of almost every other town and the right of Burlington. Mr. Walker advocated the cause of Burlington and Mr. Prouty ably, but Concord's brass was too many for him and Barrett of that town won the prize. But, if he lives, Mr. Prouty will be the candidate next year.—X.

Substantiates the Above.

Elmore A. Pierce of Woburn, and Henry G. Kittredge of Reading, for candidates for the Legislature have been nominated by the Republicans of the 14th Middlesex District. Of Mr. Pierce, the WOBURN JOURNAL says: "that the choice is an excellent one." A personal acquaintance with this gentleman substantiates the above in every respect, and we wish him success.—*Winchester Star*.

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Card.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E Church, Woburn, take this opportunity to thank the Woburn Orchestra, the citizens for their generous donations, and all friends who so kindly assisted them in making their "Good Bye Time" of Oct. 7, a success.

MRS. J. E. FOWLE, Secretary.

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WHICH ARE WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL CLASSES IN THIS TOWN.

The Grand Christmas Voting Carnival in *The Boston Daily Globe* offers Christmas gifts to be given by vote to the most popular policeman, fire company, letter-carrier, militia company, mechanic, school teacher, saleswoman, newsman, wage-earner and railroad employe in New England. The list comprises $10,000 in gifts, including a $3500 house, and offers one of the most popular programmes ever devised. If we are alive some one in this town may secure one or more of the gifts. Get *The Daily Globe* at once and see what is offered.

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WINCHESTER.

A Lodge of Pilgrim Fathers has been instituted here.

Alexis Cutting has sold out his lumber business to H. A. Emerson and others.

Dr. Church is shooting wild duck, brant and geese at Biddeford Pool, Maine.

The Congregational S. S. gave their annual Harvest Concert last Sunday evening.

The annual ball of the W. C. T. A. S. will be given in the Town House on Nov. 14.

Esquire Ayer thinks there is nothing equal to White Mountain air to build a fellow up. Mrs. Ayer is of the same opinion.

Mrs. Sarah E. and Miss Alfreda Andrew are guests at the Russell House in Lexington where they will remain until winter.

Lester F. Smith is at present located in the thriving town of Westford engaged in the laudable pursuit of teaching the young idea how to shoot.

Tickets for the Y. M. C. A. series of lectures and concerts are selling rapidly. It is going to be a course of entertainments worthy of a liberal patronage.

Between all the grumblers and fault-finders Col. Nat Richardson, our accomplished Street Commissioner, and the W. V. I. A. are having a tough time of it.

The *Star* argues that Winchester ought to follow the example of Woburn and have a Park, on which point, as almost always on every other, the *Star's* head is perfectly level.

The regular meeting of the Winchester Woman's Suffrage Club will be held on the 3d Tuesday of each month, in the parlor of the Grand Army Hall, (old Library room), Brown-Stanton Block.

If Henry Johnson expects to see a rod of good road in Winchester during the present regime, I advise him to hitch up one of these fine mornings and take our Street Selectman over to Arlington where by an hour's observation and a few hints from Supt. Kimball he can, if an apt scholar learn more about building then he ever knew before in all his life.

Mr. S. W. Twombly sold a lot on Wildwood street recently on which is to be erected a fine residence. He lately sold one of his new houses on that street and the prospect is that a wealthy syndicate will purchase all the real estate that Mr. Twombly has for sale. The West Side is a very popular part of the town.

The Y. M. C. A. are doing a good work here. They are destined to grow into a very strong and highly useful organization. Good, earnest, Christian men are at the helm. The newly elected Directors of our Association are: Preston Pond, E. H. Rice and Harrison Parker, 2d., Congregational Church; W. P. Palmer, J. W. Rice and F. V. Wooster, Baptist Church; H. S. Underwood, T. A. Appolonio and G. L. Dunham Episcopal Church; Wm. F. Fitch, F. L. Ripley and W. L. Knox, Methodist Church. The officers of the Association were chosen from the above list as follows:—President, F. V. Wooster; Vice-President, Preston Pond; Treasurer, Warren L. Knox; Recording Secretary, J. W. Rice.

OBITUARY. The death of MR. HARRISON PARKER, which occurred at his home here on Oct. 3, 1890, not only removes a venerable landmark from this community but creates a vacancy in social circles that never will be filled again. Mr. Parker was closely verging on four score years of age (although none would have taken him for a man who had lived three score years and ten—the allotted space of man's existance here below—with almost another ten added) and for 15 years had been engaged in no active business, having retired in 1875. Still, his was a familiar face and form in Winchester where he had lived in peace and plenty nearly sixty years and where he was known only to enjoy the confidence and respect of everybody and to be deeply mourned when taken away to return no more. The following from the *Star* gives a brief outline of Mr. Parker's life, and it is therefore appropriated in lieu of an original sketch from this pen.

By his death the community has lot one more of the rapidly disappearing business landmarks of half a century ago. Born in Reading and left an orphan at two years of age, he spent the early part of his life in the family of an uncle, and learned the trade of cabinet maker.

In 1832, before he had reached his majority and against the advice of his more conservative friends, he leased a waterpower in Woburn and commenced the manufacture of vinegars. His courage and energy were rewarded with success, and few years later he purchased mill property in the centre of Winchester where he continued in the above business for twenty-four years.

In 1864 he leased a store in Boston for the sale of the mill product, and started the firm of Parker & Sleeper, which with various changes in the partnership still continues under the name of Palmer & Parker.

In 1860, B. F. Sturtevant of Boston advanced the idea of shaving veneers instead of sawing them. Perceiving at once the value of the invention, Mr. Parker bought the necessary rights and built the first machine of the kind which revolutionized the veneer-cutting industry.

In 1875 he retired from active business and resided quietly in Winchester until his death. He was an upright citizen and a good neighbor. Pre-eminently a quiet man, his voice was rarely heard in public controversy, but his influence was always for right and justice, and none were ever in doubt as to which side of any moral question he would espouse. In his family life the finer traits and tender sympathies of the man unfolded themselves and endeared him to all the household. Hospitality was a part of his creed, and in the most simple and unaffected way he made all come within hiss walls feel most literally "at home."

Many of the older citizens of Woburn who remember him will learn with regret of his departure. He leaves a wife, the eldest daughter of the late Josiah Richardson of Woburn, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. Irving S. Palmer.

Mr. Harrison Parker, one of the pioneers in the mahogany business in Boston, died at his home in this town on Friday, Oct. 3, at the age of 78. He was formerly a cabinet maker, and while engaged in his trade invented the first veneer cutting machine. He then established the house of H. Parker & Co., now Palmer, Parker & Co., mahogany manufacturers. A widow and an adopted daughter survive him. Mr. Parker was counted one of the most estimable citizens of Winchester, and was a gentleman universally respected for his many virtues of head and heart. He had hosts of friends and many relatives who are among the best of our citizens, and by all of these the death of Mr. Parker will be deeply lamented. —*Boston Journal*.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all persons interested in the estate of Lorenzo Winship, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Susan Winship of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of November next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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Hon. JAMES A. FOX,
Of Cambridge, the Republican Nominee for Congress in this District.

Capt. PATRICK D. CONLON,
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At Public Auction, Tuesday, Oct. 28, 1890, at two o'clock, P. M., at store 45 Main street, Woburn, for the purpose of foreclosing a Mortgage and pursuant to the provisions thereof said Mortgage being given by Walter W. Noyes to the Boston Loan Company, dated the twenty-second day of December, A. D. 1885, and by said Boston Loan Company assigned to Edward J. Gregory, by assignment dated the twenty-sixth day of June, A. D. 1890, both said mortgage and said assignment being recorded with the records of mortgages of the City of Woburn (and of the Town of Woburn) will be sold at auction at 45 Main street in said Woburn, all and singular, the property conveyed by said mortgage and therein described, namely:—200 lbs. of leaf tobacco, 20 lbs. of Coun. leaf Wrappers, 55 2d hand Cigar Moulds, 11 new Moulds, 3 Cigar Presses, 4 Rolling Boards, 20 Packing Forms, 2 Cigar Benches, 1 Black Walnut Counter, 1 Show Case, 1 Counter Scales, 1 Stove, 1 Desk, 1 Wall Show Case, 118 Cigar Boxes, sizes 50 and 250, Clock, Lamp, Chairs, 1 lot mixed Candy, 2 Elgin Watches, etc., etc.

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From 7 till 9 o'clock; and on
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From 7 till 10 o'clock, when Registration for the State Election of the current year closes.

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DAVID F. MORELAND,
PHILIP K. RICHARDSON,
Registrars of Voters.

Woburn, Sept. 23, 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the trusts under the will of Daniel H. Richards, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by Daniel H. Richards of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, praying to be appointed trustee under the will of said deceased, which has been proved in said Court;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said Petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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JESUS IN GETHSEMANE.

LESSON IV, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 26.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxii, 39-53. Commit Verses 40-43—Golden Text. Isa. liii, 3—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Heffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

39. "And He came out and went as He was wont to the Mount of Olives; and His disciples also followed Him." After the last lesson we must listen to His most gracious words as recorded in John xiv, xv, xvi, then we hear them sing a hymn, and then bow our heads and hearts in deepest adoration as we hear Him pray as never man prayed before (John xvii). He prayed so earnestly for them, and for us who believe on Him through their word, and again as He thinks of His finished work the glory fills His vision, and He asks that for us, too. Then they follow Him, no doubt silent and wondering, having heard such strange things about another to take His place as their comforter, teacher, friend. He had often gone to this mount before in the evening (chap. xxi, 37; John viii, 1), but perhaps never so late as this; and now it was the last time, and He was more alone than ever as far as human sympathy went. His disciples follow, but they do not understand.

40. "And when He was at the place He said unto them, Pray that ye enter not into temptation." They had all joined Peter in saying that they would never deny Him (Mark xiv, 31), and now they are about to have a little test of how far they can go with Him and how much they can bear for Him. According to Mark, He left the eleven (perhaps just inside the garden), and took Peter, James and John, and began to be sore amazed and very heavy, saying, "My soul is exceeding sorrowful unto death." As He enters into the deepening shadows of the cross only these three are privileged to come near.

41. "And He was withdrawn from them about a stone's cast and kneeled down and prayed." The shadows still deepen, and these, too, must be left.

42. "Saying, Father, if thou be willing remove this cup from Me; nevertheless, not My will but Thine be done." He cannot mean the cross and His being made a curse thereon, for to that He steadily and unflinchingly journeyed; but this is another cup, a sore conflict with the enemy of which we can understand but little. Let me state it as I see it and then prove it. In His great atonement which He came to accomplish He was to be made a curse by being hung upon a tree (Gal. iii, 13). His hands and feet were to be pierced (Ps. xxii, 16); yet not a bone was to be broken (Ex. xii, 46). Thus His death by crucifixion was plainly foretold and must be fulfilled. Now if Satan could manage to kill Him in this Gethsemane conflict, then the work that He came to do would be undone. This seems to have been the aim of the adversary. And if the Father should so will it, Jesus would submit.

43. "And there appeared an angel unto Him from heaven strengthening Him." One of those blessed ones so ready to wait upon Him and upon all who are His; who announced and heralded His birth, and who waited upon Him at His resurrection, and spoke to Mary and the other women so kindly.

44. "And being in an agony He prayed more earnestly; and His sweat was, as it were, great drops of blood falling down to the ground." Being strengthened He continues the conflict and is victor; but who can tell the agony which caused this sweat like drops of blood?

45. "And when He rose up from prayer and was come to His disciples He found them sleeping for sorrow."

46. "And said unto them, Why sleep ye? Rise and pray lest ye enter into temptation." It was a poor fulfillment of their readiness to die with Him; but as He said, "while their spirit was willing their flesh was weak," and He pitied them.

47. "And while He yet spake, behold a multitude, and he that was called Judas, one of the twelve, went before them, and drew near unto Jesus to kiss Him." He has been contending with the adversary in person, and now He is about to meet him in one of His professed disciples, who while professing friendship has murder in his heart. From the supper Judas went out, Satan having entered into him (John xiii, 27). And having received from the chief priests a band of officers and men, they came with lanterns and torches and weapons to arrest Jesus (John xviii, 3). From being treasurer of the twelve, and outwardly a disciple of Christ, he has now come out in his true colors as an adversary, a devil. While of the number of the twelve he had never been a truly chosen one (John xiii, 18).

48. "But Jesus said unto him, Judas, betrayest thou the Son of Man with a kiss?" Mark says that Judas said, "Master, master," and kissed him.

49. "When they which were about Him saw what would follow, they said unto Him, Lord, shall we smite with the sword?" Had He not spoken of sword and advised their obtaining them? This, then, was surely the time to use them. But ah! they knew Him not, they understood Him not, they had not much of His spirit; while we may lawfully defend, we must not attack.

50. "And one of them smote the servant of the high priest and cut off his right ear." The servant's name was Malchus, and it was Simon Peter who blundered (John xviii, 10). Had Peter been watching and praying instead of sleeping he had not acted thus rashly and unbidden.

51. "And Jesus answered and said, Suffer ye thus far, and He touched his ear and healed him." Suffer ye thus far is not as if He said to Peter, You have gone far enough, be content, for Peter had gone too far and Jesus gently rebukes him, and also adds, "Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to My Father, and He shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels?" (Matt. xxvi, 51-53). But He says to those who would apprehend Him, who were probably making noise enough about Peter's act, and ready to kill Peter, "Bear with this, suffer this much, for I will remedy it," and at the same time He restores the man's ear. His last act of healing is upon an enemy who has suffered at the hands of one of His disciples.

52. "And Jesus said unto the chief priests, and captains of the temple, and the elders, which were come to Him, Be ye come out as against a thief, with swords and staves?" Had He been some robber chief they could hardly have made greater preparation to take Him. But when we consider that He was the Prince of Peace, the meek and lowly Jesus, harmless as a dove, how strange it all seemed!

53. "When I was daily with you in the temple ye stretched forth no hands against Me; but this is your hour and the power of darkness." The triumphing of the wicked is short (Job xx, 5), yet he often has his triumph over the righteous here in this world for a little season.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

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AT LAST.

When on my day of life the night is falling,
And in the winds from the unsunned spaces blown
I hear far voices out of darkness calling
My feet to paths unknown,

Thou who hast made my home of life so pleasant,
Leave not its tenant when its walls decay;
O love divine, O helper ever present,
Be thou my strength and stay!

Be near me when all else is from me drifting
Earth, sky, home's picture, days of shade and shine,
And kindly faces to my own uplifting
The love which answers mine.

I have but thee, O father! Let thy spirit
Be with me then to comfort and uphold;
No gate of pearl, no branch of palm I merit,
Nor street of shining gold.

Suffice it if, my good and ill unreckoned,
And both forgiven through thy abounding grace,
I find myself by hands familiar beckoned
Unto my fitting place.

Some humble door among thy many mansions,
Some sheltering shade where sin and striving cease,
And flows forever through heaven's green expansions
The river of thy peace.

There from the music round about me stealing
I fain would learn the new and holy song,
And find at last beneath thy trees of healing
The life for which I long.

—John Greenleaf Whittier in Churchman.

Man's Small Toe.

The small toe in man has recently been made a subject of study by Herr Pfitzner. It is well known that thumbs and great toes are two jointed, and the other fingers and toes generally three jointed. In many human skeletons, however, the small toe is found to be two jointed, the middle and end phalanges being fused into one piece, though still distinguishable. This variety occurs in about 36 per cent. of cases, and as a rule in both toes simultaneously; and there are more instances among women (41.5 per cent.) than among men (31.0 per cent.). One naturally thinks here of shoe pressure causing union of two bones originally separate.

But it appears that in children, from birth to the seventh year, the fusion occurs about as often as in adults. Further, the material of examination was not from a class of people who wear tight shoes. Herr Pfitzner concludes that the small toe in man is in course of degeneration (Ruckbildung), and that without apparent adaptation to external mechanical influences. Processes of reduction are also observed in the connected muscular system. The question arises, has the tendency reached its limit, or have we merely the first act of a total degeneration of the fifth toe?

The author inclines to the latter view, but desires an extension of these researches among peoples who do not wear shoes or sandals, or have only of late begun to wear them. In living persons it is not difficult to determine, by stretching and bending, whether the small toe is two or three jointed; and in this way adequate data might be had for determining any percentage differences in occurrence of the old and the new form in different races; also, for investigating the inheritance of acquired characters, members of several successive generations being examined.—Humboldt.

Mamma's Doings.

Daisy was lost. From garret to cellar they searched for her, and then went out to rouse the neighbors and scour the town. At last, near nightfall, the little girl was found sound asleep by the side of a haycock in a neighbor's field.

Disturbed by the joyful outery about her she began to cry, and was only comforted when mamma rushed through the groups and cuddled her to her heart. Then the happy procession went home, and in half an hour Daisy was asleep in her little bed.

Papa, however, had gone in another direction, and came home tired and anxious to hear the good news.

Now that there was no longer cause for worry he grew a little cross at having suffered such needless fright, and in the morning when Daisy appeared at the breakfast table tried to greet her with judicial severity.

"Well, little runaway," he said in a vain attempt at gruffness, "how do you find yourself?"

Daisy looked up at him with eyes shining in limpid innocence.

"I didn't find myself," she replied simply. "Mamma found me."—Youth's Companion.

Tobacco in American Civilization.

The development of the American colonies, their rapid growth in the century preceding the American revolution, depended in a large measure on a botanical accident, viz., on the introduction of tobacco into the commerce of the world. No contribution from newly discovered lands has ever been so welcomed as this so called noxious weed. No new faith has ever traveled so fast or far among men as the habit of smoking. In scarce a century from the first introduction of the plant in Europe its use has spread to nearly half the peoples of the Old World.

The eastern coast of America from the Hudson southward to South Carolina is peculiarly well suited for the growth of the tobacco plant, and the rapid extension of the British colonies in America, which brought their population at the time of the revolution to a point where they numbered about one-sixth part of the English people, was largely due to the commerce which rested upon the use of this plant.—Professor N. S. Shaler in Scribner's.

Personally Conducted.

Master—Where's Bridget today?

Mistress—Off on a little jaunt with her young man.

Master—I see. One of Cook's tours personally conducted.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

The Wonderful Tower.

The highest structure in the world is Eiffel Tower, at Paris, 1,000 feet high. But the great discovery of Dr. Franklin Miles is certain to tower far above it in promoting human happiness and health. This wonderful nerve medicine builds up worn out systems, cures fits, sparms, headache, nervous prostration, dizziness, sleeplessness, monthly pains, sexual troubles etc. Mrs. John R. Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., gained 20 pounds a month while taking it. Finely illustrated treatise on "Nervous Diseases," and a sample bottle of the Restorative Nervine, free at Charles H. Buss's.

One reason for hoping for a cold winter is that the rose bug family will be discouraged from increasing at the rapid rate noticed during the warm weather of the past few winters. Rose bugs are now working downward, preparing for cold weather.

Leading authorities say the only proper way to treat catarrh is to take a constitutional remedy, like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE PREMATURE BURIAL HUMBUG.

Medical Men Do Not Know of a Single Authenticated Case.

The subject of premature burial has been of late revived in this country by the appearance of sensational paragraphs in the daily press. Not long ago the public were horrified by a story from Leeds of a gravedigger having heard sounds proceeding from a coffin recently buried. It required a coroner's inquest and the evidence of Mr. Scattergood, the lecturer on forensic medicine, to reassure the public that the rumor was false, the deceased woman having died a perfectly natural death, while, although its cause was typhoid fever, the burial had been by no means hastened, and it was clear that death had occurred at the time stated by those around her.

More recently there was a sensational story from Southampton of a clergyman who stopped the interment of a friend, whose funeral he had come from a distance to attend, on the grounds that he saw some sign of life, which proved to be simply his own imagination. So far as this country is concerned there has not been a single authenticated case recorded of premature burial, though there have undoubtedly been cases where persons have revived after apparent death, and many alleged cases of premature burial in addition to those previously alluded to. But all these have the appearance of sensational stories manufactured for the "penny dreadfuls" and those newspapers which thrive on sensation.

Even on the Continent, in America and in other countries, where in consequence of the intense heat burial must take place within twenty-four hours after death, the authenticity of the stories of alleged premature burial has never been proved, and it may be safely asserted that one genuine case would have led to an alteration in the law and the postponement of burial until after a longer period.

In England, on the contrary, there is less reason to complain of too speedy burial as of too prolonged an interval between death and burial. Mr. Seymour Haden's suggestion of burial within thirty-six hours was not favorably received, and is, indeed, for this country too short an interval. A universally exact interval cannot be laid down; it must vary according to the time of year, the weather and other circumstances. In these days of cheap disinfectants a body can be kept without prejudice to the living for four or five days after death, which interval is long enough to satisfy the wishes of the most timid. There is a circumstance well known to the profession which, if it were better known to the public, would go far to reassure those whose minds may have been disturbed by these sensational paragraphs.

Every day bodies apparently lifeless are received at metropolitan and provincial hospitals, having been found in every variety of posture, clothed, half clothed or naked, and under varying circumstances. At the hospital the resident surgeon must give a prompt and decisive answer to the question, "Is he (or she) alive or dead?" To send a corpse to the ward or to keep it unduly long in the reception room would be a very stupid blunder; to send a living person to the dead house would be a crime. These cases amount in the aggregate to thousands annually, and yet we have never heard of a mistake being made. It is probably this circumstance which makes members of the profession skeptical of these stories of so called premature burial, and causes them to reject with an incredulous smile the suggestion that so horrible a fate might occur to any of us.—London Lancet.

When Traveling.

I cannot imagine why people are so suspicious of one another in this world. Start a car full of people out of a depot, and for the first hundred miles of the way they look askance at each other, as though doubtful whether to keep their pocketbook under watch or not. This world has lots more nice people in it than bad, just as a summer meadow has more flowers and birds than snakes. Only cowards and idiots go through the land ignoring all the wealth of blossom, all the shadow and shine of summer weather, to keep a perpetual outlook for snakes. Snakes are occasional, but flowers and sunshine, thank God, are perpetual. Do you know, I rather fancy suspicious people are very mean themselves, and knowing their own capabilities for evil they suspect and seek in others the similitude of themselves, as magnetized iron searches out steel.—Chicago Herald.

A Man Who Was a Mascot.

"If you won't use my name I'll tell you a story on myself," said a man in the crowd on Madison street.

"Not long ago a man hired me to edit a weekly paper for him. I began in the morning. In the afternoon he came to me and said: 'C——, I think you are a mighty poor editor, but you are a mascot. You've been here only one day and we've sold the paper. We've been trying to get rid of this property for a long time, but have never succeeded until the present time. We credit our good luck to your employment, and shall take pleasure in recommending you to our successors—as a mascot.'"—Chicago Tribune.

For Her Great-Grandson.

Her majesty has sent a splendid cradle, richly gilded, to her great-grandson, the infant of the duke and duchess of Sparta, and the whole outfit for the child was bought in England by the Empress Frederick.—London Truth.

Ask Your Friends About It.

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The death of Mrs. General Booth was announced by the organ of the Salvation Army as follows: "Mrs. General Booth, the beloved mother of the Salvation Army, promoted to glory from Clacton-on-the-Sea, October 4, 1890."

A correspondent thinks the puzzle of "six odd figures added together to make 21" is like the boy who when asked how old he was replied that when on his feet he was 9 and when on his head he must be 6.

AMERICANS WHO VISIT THE QUEEN.

Our Secretary of Legation Says They Are Democratic and Dignified.

Mr. Henry White, secretary to the American legation in England, is visiting his relatives and friends. Mr. White has been secretary to foreign legations since 1883, having been first appointed to the court of Vienna. He remained there but a short time, as the climate did not agree with the health of his wife, and at his request he was transferred to the court of St. James in 1884, and has been there continuously since that time.

Mr. White is a pleasant and interesting talker. As the charge d'affaires of the legation it is his duty to present to the court all Americans who desire the privilege. No discrimination, he says, is made in ceremony. All Americans who wish to attend a presentation can have their wish gratified, provided they are au fait morally. They make their desire known at the legation and their names are sent to the lord chamberlain by the charge d'affaires, and the names are placed among those who are to be received at the next presentation. The queen is more generous to men than to women. The former have eight opportunities during the season of attending a "levee," as the reception for gentlemen is called, while for the girls and yearning mammas but two "drawing rooms" are held, one in March and one in May. Unmarried gentlemen and ladies are never admitted together except under rare circumstances. A man may accompany his wife, or vice versa.

The court officers are punctilious on these occasions in the matter of dress, and many a woman's heart has fluttered in direful anticipations when preparing her toilet for these occasions for fear she could not pass muster. The trains must be of a prescribed length, and dresses are invariably cut decollete. The rule is strictly observed, the only exception being in case of sickness. To be admitted otherwise even in such cases permission must be secured beforehand from the lord chamberlain. The men adorn themselves for these occasions in the dress of their respective countries, and it is bad taste to appear otherwise. The Americans, of course, appear in the conventional evening suit of black. No sword is required, and, altogether, from the democratic nature of the United States government, Americans are given more license than other nationalities.

American travelers have been very much calumniated, Mr. White says, by writers who depict them as resorting to all sorts of petty schemes to obtain audience with the queen. While occasionally a shoddy person might be encountered whose impudence is greater than his good taste or judgment, and who gives occasion for the ridicule that Americans are frequently made to hear, it is nevertheless the rule that citizens of the United States are not pushing, and that they show more indifference to distinction by notice from royalty than do travelers from other countries. He has seen affluent merchants who have come from the humblest walks in life deport themselves with more grace, dignity and self possession at a levee than many whose intercourse with royalty had been more extended.

European travel by Americans, he says, has wonderfully increased of late years. Four or five of the largest hotels in London are nearly always filled with them during the season. Many, of course, come to the legation, but the great majority do not. They go quietly and systematically about their travels, as they do about their business at home. In alluding to democracy Mr. White says it may astonish one to hear it, but he thinks it is a fact that there is as much if not more democracy in England than here. Many a peer, he says, would willingly exchange his title for a seat in the house of commons. A man may inherit a title, but if his merits do not command respect and admiration his empty title will not secure them to him.—Baltimore Sun.

How to Measure Wheat.

About the time that Daniel Drew began his Wall street career he was up in the country one time to visit some friends, and two farmers called upon him to decide a case. One had sold the other five bushels of wheat, and proposed to measure it in a half bushel and sweep the top of the measure with a stick. The other objected, and Uncle Daniel was asked to decide.

"Well, legally speaking, a bushel is only a bushel," he answered.

"And can the measure be swept off?"

"I think it can."

"What with?"

"Well, if I was selling wheat I should probably use half the head for a flour barrel."

"Which edge of it?"

"Gentlemen, that is a point I cannot now decide on," sighed the old man. "If I was selling to a widow or a preacher I am certain that I should sweep the measure with the straight edge, but if I was selling to a man who pastures his cows in the road and his pigs in his neighbor's corn I'm afraid I should use the circular side and scoop a little to boot."—Wall Street News.

Old Church Floors.

Church floors present many interesting details. In York cathedral, on the pavement, there used to be certain stones that marked the places where the leading personages were to stand in ceremonials. In Westminster Abbey there used to be a straight line of small stones in the middle of the paved floors to enable processions to keep in the center of the ambulatories, portions of which may still be traced.—Gentleman's Magazine.

If you want to have your baby healthy and beautiful, four things are necessary: Fresh air, good food, bright sunshine and Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

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Democratic hopes of carrying Ohio are growing beautifully less and less. The taste of Democratic administration which the people of Ohio have been having has been such as to disincline them to any more of it. Events in the Buckeye State are affording new proof of the profound truth of the adage, that give the Democratic party rope enough and it is sure to hang itself.

Congressman Vaux has practically accepted the independent nomination in his Philadelphia district, and the souls of Mr. Mills and Mr. Kilgore and the other Southern Democratic leaders will be vexed by the fear that Mr. Vaux may be re-elected.

Homes of Sea Urchins.

The sea urchin gets its name from the spines which cover its shell. The true name, echinus, meaning a hedgehog, has been corrupted into urchin, with plain injustice to small lads. These curious shellfish have acquired strange habits on the coast of France. They are found at home in cavities of the rock on the shore. The diameter of the cavity is often greater than that of the entrance, and the creature is so large that he could not leave his cell even if he very much wanted to do so. It is said that thousands of these may be seen thus domiciled in the granite rock.

It is not doubted that the creatures make these holes for themselves, but how they do this is a question not yet satisfactorily answered. It has been suggested that the rock has been somehow acted upon chemically, but this theory has to be given up when the nature of the rock is considered, and the fact that no acid has been proved to exist in the animal.

The matter has been studied lately by a French naturalist, who refers the excavation to mechanical means. His explanation is that the creature "probably bites the rock, the sucker feet are also attached and a rotary motion is imparted to the body, the prickly points gradually wearing down the surface." This work would certainly occupy the animal a good part of his lifetime, and the wonder is that no observer has yet seen the excavation going on.

An attempt is made to conceal these holes by means of mussel and other shells. The rocks in which the cavities occur are in general thickly covered with sea weed. A number of other animals are known to penetrate rocks, and it is supposed that they do it by mechanical means. In the hard limestones of Algiers spotted snails were found in holes four or five inches deep.—Youth's Companion.

Famous Art Treasures.

Though the late Sir Richard Wallace left rich and valuable collections in his two Paris residences the most precious of his possessions were those which for nearly twenty years he stored in his house in Manchester square. Startled by the events of the Commune, Sir Richard reconstructed his London mansion and stripped his Paris galleries to furnish and enrich those of London. In Manchester square there are no fewer than seventeen Meissoniers, ten paintings by Paul Delaroche, thirty by Horace Vernet, twelve by Eugene Delacroix, and numerous examples of the old masters.

There are five grand galleries—one devoted to modern and another to ancient paintings, one to Oriental arms, one to arms of all epochs, and a renaissance gallery. There are four spacious saloons, three of them named after the painters whose works adorn them—Valasquez, Guardi, Greuze. The fourth is fitted with paintings of the English school. The staircase is enriched by what is believed to be the finest Boucher in existence. Sir Richard was also a great collector of rare furniture, sculpture, bronzes and carvings. In his galleries are to be found a hundred clocks of marvelous workmanship and bronzes of every age, thousands of wood carvings and of rare enamels, Sevres vases, cameos, intaglios and precious stones. At the time of his death Sir Richard was engaged in compiling a catalogue of his priceless treasures.—London Chronicle.

She Traveled on Her Muscle.

She stood at the Union depot gate, largely clad in a white dress that did not fit her. There were lovely big bunches of green on her bonnet. Her feet were large, and seemed to be continually getting in the way and hampering her movements. Her hands were clasped, and drooped down before her with a suggestion of pensiveness. Not more than nineteen soft, summery summers and as many hard winters had passed over her head.

As she stood thinking huge thoughts a brassy cheeked hackman approached with a howl of "Cab, miss?" Still she was held in the toils of thought. With a repetition of his yell the hackman just placed his hand on the soft loveliness of that shoulder. With lightning like rapidity the hands unfolded, and the unshaven hackdriver received a rebuff alongside the jaw. He looked hurt. In an awful falsetto voice the rural beauty shouted: "No, you varmint. I don't want no kerridge, and you slopsided city dude, with a sign on yer hat, don't you put your dirty hands on me agin. Hear? And if you don't want me to pull yer hair and knock yer down don't call me miss. Hear? I married Silas Prett last year, you ignoramus. Git before I hit you agin." The hackman got.—Albany Argus.

Save Your Sea Robins.

Did you ever hear an old salt reel curses out by the yard when he catches a sea robin? Fishermen dislike catching the sea robin, although their meat is as sweet as that of any fish that swims, but very few fishermen are aware of this fact. The fish is gamey, but very peculiar looking.

Its head is large and flat, with small almond eyes, a large mouth, slender body and a rough skin without scales, and when landed it makes queer noises. When the sea robin is skinned and its head taken off its flesh is as white as snow. When fried with butter it makes very palatable eating. It also makes fine chowder.

An old boathouse keeper at the Rockaway trestle told me that he is in the habit of gathering them up every evening after his boats come in with the fishing parties, who have no idea of their good qualities.—New York Herald.

A century of progress has not produced a remedy equal to Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh, cold in the head and hay fever. It is not a liquid or a snuff, but is perfectly safe and easily applied into the nostrils. It gives immediate relief and cures the worst cases.

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The County Medical Society of Philadelphia has taken a stand against hypnotism, and has appointed a committee of physicians to draft a law that will restrict hypnotism to its legitimate channels.

Old-fashioned huskings have by no means fallen into disuse. In country regions of various parts of the country corn-husking matches, with dancing, supper and country games, are now the rage.

A Lesson in Politeness.

The late Professor Morren related once in our hearing a rebuke which he gave to a high strung Beacon Hill damsel, which is worth repeating for the moral it carries. The young lady was one of his pupils and made herself particularly obnoxious by her haughty and even insolent bearing, displaying her contempt for all about her so markedly that it became at last unbearable.

"I knew her mother in France," said the professor, whose broken English there is no need of producing here, "and she was a most exquisitely modest and unassuming woman. But the daughter was so insolent that she had to have a lesson, so I said to her:

"'Will you be so good as to remain after the lesson? I have something to tell you.'

"She stayed, and in her haughtiest manner she said: 'You wish to speak to me?'

"'Yes. You are Miss So-and-So?'

"'Yes.'

"'And you live at No.—Beacon street?'

"'Yes.'

"'And your father is Mr. So-and-So?'

"'Yes.'

"'And your mother is the lovely and sweet Mrs. So-and-So I have met in France?'

"'Well?'

"'Oh,' I said, 'you are sure there is no mistake?'

"'No mistake! What do you mean?'

"'I am exceedingly surprised that you come of such a family and so well born.'

"'Sir!'

"'I am much surprised. I have been sure you came of a new rich family—some parvenue'——

"'Sir!'

"'You think, mademoiselle,' I said, softening my manner, 'that haughtiness is aristocratic. Now, you will pardon an old man if I remind you that the contrary is true. I have known your mother so long that I dare to be frank with you. You have been very insolent in the class.'

"'Insolent, monsieur?'

"'Yes, mademoiselle. You have mistaken this for a mark of aristocracy. You would much better copy your mother—your gentle, lady mother.'

"And I made her my best bow and left her to think about it. And she was a good girl afterward—a very good girl."—Boston Courier.

He Wasn't Extravagant.

Cautious people are sometimes too cautious. The story of a man who considered seriously for a week whether it would be wise for him to pay $500 for a lot, and after deciding in the affirmative learned from the real estate man in a more careful conversation that it was $500 per front foot, is a case in point.

A few days ago a stranger, while passing a haberdasher's store, was attracted by a display of shirts, which were further distinguished by a placard on which was printed the legend, "These are 75 cents." It happened that in the same case were a few silk umbrellas, which command about $6 each on a pleasant day, with a slight tendency to rise if clouds gather. The pedestrian gazed long and earnestly into the window; then he wandered away, only to return soon and gaze again. This was repeated several times.

Finally he entered the store and asked to look at the umbrellas. One was brought out and he opened and examined it with the utmost care. It seemed to suit him exactly, and he turned to the proprietor and remarked, "I'll give you an even sixty cents for it." The proprietor evidently didn't think he understood aright, for he leaned forward and said, "What?" The stranger again informed him, "I'll give you an even sixty cents for the umbrella." The proprietor was dazed. Then he began to recover.

"How much do you think it costs?" he inquired.

"Seventy-five cents."

"And have you been debating all this time whether you would give that amount for a silk umbrella?"

The stranger said he had.

The proprietor led him gently but firmly to the door. "My friend," he said tenderly, "you are too far from home, and you'd better scoot before some hungry car horse gets a chance to nibble at you and makes a funeral of you before the mistake is discovered."—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

A Journalistic Chinaman.

That very shrewd Americanized Chinaman, Mr. Wong Chin Foo, is a smooth specimen of the Mongolian race. He is a rapid young man, "allee samee 'Melican man," but will only meekly admit that he manages to buy enough rice to keep him alive. His occasional dips into journalism only produce a meager income, and he accounts for his undeniably prosperous appearance by mysterious allusions to some governmental service he performs. He encourages outside barbarians to believe that his own race in this city are frightfully incensed against him, but there is a well founded impression that Mr. Wong's real avocation is to keep his countrymen well posted as to the doings of those who might interfere with the peculiar amusements and customs which they have brought from the effete east.—New York Telegram.

The Uses of the Bell.

"This bell," said a well meaning sexton, when showing the belfry of an interesting village church to a party of visitors, is only rung in case of a visit from the lord bishop of the diocese, a fire, a flood, or any other such calamity."—London Figaro.

The repair of the portion of the Alhambra which was injured by fire will cost $60,000.

Lightning struck a tree at Lumpkin, Ga., a few days ago, and killed fourteen hogs that were sleeping under it.

A man at Calliope, Iowa, has been sent to jail for refusing to pay his wife $400 that he borrowed of her before marriage.

At the request of the New York Board of Education two of the railroads in that city have granted low fares to children.

There is some misapprehension as to the tin plate provision of the new Tariff law. The increase of duty does not take effect until July 1, 1891.

The only tree planted in London streets is the plane tree, chosen because it renews its bark.

The Reciprocity Idea in Congress.

The strength of the reciprocity idea among the Representatives, as developed by the canvass of the Philadelphia *Press* (Rep.) will surprise the country. Of 161 Republican Congressmen interviewed as to their attitude toward reciprocity with Latin America, only 12 doubted the practicability of the measure and only three expressed themselves as decisively opposed to it. It was not thought that the idea enjoyed this large degree of popularity. A great many of the Representatives spoke very cautiously in committing themselves in favor of the plan, and signified a desire to have more time for the consideration of the subject, which is perfectly natural. For the question is a very large and important one, and attractive and dazzling as the idea of Pan-American reciprocity is upon first appearances, Congress cannot afford to be precipitate in giving it even a qualified indorsement. It is interesting to note that almost as many Democrats as Republicans approve of the idea. But the friends of reciprocity, if they give heed to the lessons of the past, will not count too implicitly upon Democratic assistance. The Democratic politicians are just now loudly pretending that reciprocity with our Southern neighbors would be the first step toward the realization of the Democratic policy of free trade. It is a matter of record, however, that of recent years when a reciprocity proposal has really assumed tangible shape, the free traders have opposed it on the ground that its ultimate effect would only be to extend the wall of protection. A reciprocity which does not involve the opening of the American market to the free entry of the products of Sheffield, Manchester and Birmingham apparently finds no great favor with the politicians of the Democracy.—*Boston Journal.*

A farmer at Moscow, Wash., raised 111 bushels 7.3-4 pounds of wheat on an acre of land this season.

It is said that many of Georgia's new legislators cannot spell or write the English or any other language.

Florists are said to add perfume to flowers by dipping them in some fragrant essence.

A miller at Oothcaloga, Ga., in two days, last week, took out of the water wheel 360 pounds of eels.

At the funeral of an aged lady at Woolwich, Eng., her seven sons, all clergymen of the Church of England, were present.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return,** 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.37, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday** at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.37, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8,51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.15, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5 10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING.

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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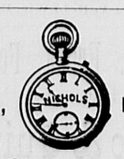

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WOBURN'S FIRST LAWYER.

The preparation by Mr. William R. Cutter, Librarian of the Public Library in this city, of matter to fill the space allotted to Woburn in the new History of Middlesex County (Mass.) now nearly ready for publication, has lately given something of an impulse to local historical research which has resulted in bringing many things to light which before were wholly or partially hidden away from public view. Diligence in delving for them has been rewarded by obtaining many facts in the history of Woburn not before generally known, and they will be presented by Mr. Cutter in the important work above mentioned.

While engaged in collecting such material the legal profession came under review and naturally an effort was made to find out, if possible, the name of the first person who practiced law in this venerable town. Research among old records, histories, biographies, etc., etc., established the fact beyond controversy that JOSEPH BARTLETT was Woburn's First Lawyer, and to him must be accorded the honor of being the pioneer in the profession and the first "Counsellor and Attorney at Law" to hang out his "shingle" in this town.

JOSEPH BARTLETT was a cosmopolitan of the first water, with a strong leaning towards Boston for a permanent home. He lived a good deal in London, England, where his career in society and at the clubs was characterized by a Bohemianism, and not unfrequently a recklessness, which had a very depleting effect on his revenues and sometimes deprived him of his personal liberties. Tradition, the memories of clubs, and the Court records, of London are not at all times flattering to the purity of BARTLETT'S daily life in the world's metropolis.

BARTLETT'S was a unique character, but he was a loyal American, which in those days covered a multitude of sins.

We believe the people of Woburn, especially the legal fraternity of the city, will appreciate the following outline of the career of Woburn's First Lawyer which the kindness of Librarian Cutter enables us to give in the columns of the JOURNAL this week. The pen-sketch is interesting and, in our judgment, worthy of being preserved for future use. The first contribution is by Librarian Cutter, which is supplemented by a chapter from the History of York County, Maine, to which is appended a short account by the Editor of the JOURNAL of the book above referred to by Mr. Cutter.

The precise date of BARTLETT'S settlement in Woburn is not definitely known, but he was called Captain in the records of this town from 1789 to 1796, which will give some idea concerning it. His residence and office were at Central Square, at that period the business centre of the town, where the latter still stands, and the former disappeared only a few years ago.

[From Cutter's *Bibliography of Woburn* (MS.)].

Joseph Bartlett, the first lawyer by profession to settle in Woburn, published one or more specimens of his literary skill. One entitled "Aphorisms on man, manners, principles and things" (Portsmouth, 1810) is found in the Woburn Public Library. The author styles himself "counsellor at law," and the book was printed at the "Oracle office" in Portsmouth, where he then apparently resided. It was printed "for the author" who dedicated it to his "enemies." These persons are assumed to be the rich, who had "persecuted him" from city to city, he says. He asks to be distinguished by their "hatred;" hoping that his book will be brought to "more general notice," from measures that "will injure and vilify" the author. How much the sale was affected by such aid we do not know. The author claimed originality for the aphorisms presented in his work: they contained his "observations and reflections for years." He was "too proud to copy," and his confidence in himself was too great "to ask aid from others." It was, too, his "first essay" in publication. He had also a desire, it would appear, to advance American literature; for he says "that in a country so young as ours," no measure should be used "that will paralyze exertion, or deaden a laudable ambition for literary fame." He also published a volume of "poems." Allibone mentions an edition of the latter, published at Boston in 1823, and dedicated to John Quincy Adams. Appended to this collection were the "Aphorisms on men, manners," etc., already mentioned. Allibone also says that the author delivered in 1799, a poem on Pysiognomy before the Phi Beta Kappa Society of Harvard University. His name is not found in the volume entitled "Poets of Portsmouth" (Boston 1865); but we imagine his writings were not pecuniarily helpful to their author.

George A. Hobbs, of Woburn, has a copy of the "Aphorisms" (Bost. 1823), with dedication to J. Q. Adams, which copy contains also "Physiognomy: a poem" (16 pp.); also an essay, entitled, "The Blessings of Poverty" (16 pp.)—C.

Mr. Cutter adds the following:—

Joseph Bartlett probably settled in Woburn about August, 1788. By the first of January, 1789, he had fairly established himself as a resident. On August 25, 1790, his house was "raised;" but by June 20, 1797, he had removed from Woburn to Cambridge. His house in Woburn was known by the name of the "Black House," from its color, and was called by that name as long as it stood, which was after the year 1850. It stood on the estate now numbered 732 Main street, near present Central Square—the estate on which the present writer now lives, opposite the new Woburn Park.

The low, one-story building, now occupied as a dwelling at Central Square, near the junction of Main and Vine streets, but located on Main street, and sometimes called the Pooie house by the older citizens, is said to have been erected for his law office. This point in his day was an important business centre in Woburn, being on the line of two important stage routes, and conveniently reached. His practice was probably as fair as the circumstances of the town warranted. He possessed a singular taste for his time in house-decoration. In Woburn his house was painted black, with white window-sashes and green doors; at Saco he built a house of round form, and painted it a fiery red. The places of his residence after he had left Woburn, were Cambridge, Portsmouth, Saco, and Boston. When he died (in 1827) his "sun," it is said, descended "in a cloud." He was married, but had no children. The notice in Loring's "Boston Orators" gives the date and place of his birth, the name of his wife, and other interesting particulars. He composed the following epitaph on a friend:

"God takes the good,
Too good by far to stay,
And leaves the bad,
Too bad to take away."

The name of the military company he commanded was the Boston Republican Volunteers (infantry), of which he was captain in 1788. He died in Boston, Oct. 27, 1827, aged 66 years.

[From "Bench and Bar" in History of York County, Maine. Philadelphia: Everts & Peck, 1880.]

In 1803 came to Saco, [Maine] Joseph Bartlett, an eccentric man, and one of the wits of the bar. He was born June 10, 1762, in Plymouth, Mass., and graduated, with honorable standing, at Harvard in 1782; his scholarship being such as to entitle him to membership in the highest literary society of the college,—the Phi Beta Kappa. He pursued the study of law for a while at Salem, but at the close of the Revolution went to England, where he led a wild, irregular life with boon companions, in whose society his wit and reckless manners made him acceptable. He passed his time in London in gambling and dissipation and, getting into debt, was thrown into prison, from which he procured his release by writing a play, in which he appeared as one of the actors. He then procured upon credit, a cargo of goods, with which he set sail for America, but his vessel was wrecked on Cape Cod. We next hear of him among the forces of Massachusetts raised to put down the Shays Rebellion, where he appears as Captain of Volunteers, but returning to the law again after the war. He commenced practice in Woburn, whence he removed to Cambridge in 1796, and became zealous in the affairs of the town and college. He seems to have been still honored by the Phi Beta Kappa, for in 1799 he delivered a poem before that society, which was considered a talented performance in his peculiar vein of wit and satire. In a trial at Plymouth between a mother and son, during the time of his residence in Cambridge, he delivered a speech, or rather a serio-comic argument, some passages of which will illustrate his manner of mingling the pathetic and the ridiculous. He commented upon the sadness of such a quarrel between a parent and child, and, said he, "It is a shame that such a thing should occur here in the old town of Plymouth, under the shadow of the hill on which were the graves of the forefathers, and on which I have myself often picked huckleberries."

In Saco he took the popular side in politics, being an ardent Democrat. By his long experience, his readiness as an advocate, his fastidious and agreeable manners, he became very popular, and for a while had a great run of business. He was elected to the Senate of Massachusetts in 1805. He afterwards attempted to set up Daniel Cleaves as a candidate for Congress in opposition to Col. Richard Cutts who was first elected from that District in 1800, and held the office by six successive elections, through the administration of Jefferson and a part of Madison. In attempting thus to usurp the management of the party against such leaders as Col. Cutts and Dr. Thornton he over estimated his personal strength vastly, and in the rash and egotistical attempt was the chief sufferer. The organs and leaders of the party opened upon him with great severity and withered him and his business together into insignificance. Although he brought an action against Nathaniel Willis of the *Eastern Argus* for libel and imprisoned him and recovered damages, it did not help his cause; while it put money in his pocket it ruined his business in Saco, and he was obliged to move out of town. He left the State in 1809 or 1810 and lived afterwards on his desultory literary labors. He drifted about from place to place, and finally turned up in Boston where, on the 4th of July, 1823, he delivered an oration in the hall of the Exchange Coffee House, and recited an Ode entitled "The New Vicar of Bray," which are mentioned by Mr. Loring in his "Hundred Boston Orators." The same year he published an edition of poems dedicated to John Quincy Adams to which he appended "Aphorisms on Men and Things." While living in Saco he edited a paper called *The Freeman's Friend*, and on the 4th of July 1805 delivered an oration in Biddeford [Me.]. In 1827, at the age of 65, he wrote the following epitaph upon himself:

"'Tis done! the fatal stroke is given,
And Bartlett's fled to hell or heaven;
His friends approve it, and his foes applaud,
Yet he will have the verdict of his God."

"BARTLETT'S WORKS," the book alluded to above by Mr. Cutter, is a small, thin volume, and bears evidence on one of its fly-leaves of having been bought by G. L. Sibley, the price as marked being six shillings, ($1). On August 2, 1829, it was presented by Samuel Shaw, a prominent citizen of Palmyra, Somerset County, Maine, to John Harvey of the same place, and subsequently, probably near 1842, it came into the possession of George M. Mason (my step-father), a lawyer residing at that time at Canaan, Somerset County, Maine. It is likely he obtained the book from Harvey. I am not clear in my recollection as to how I came to have it, but as I was at home in 1844 it is fair to presume that I got it of Mr. Mason at that time. It has been in my possession ever since—45 years, or more.

The volume contains all the literary productions of JOSEPH BARTLETT so far as is known. They are "Aphorisms on Men, Manners, Principles, and Things;" "Physiognomy, a Poem;" "The Blessing of Poverty;" and it was printed in Boston by Jonathan Howe in 1823. The book also contains a "Dedication to the Honorable] John Quincy Adams," and a preface which bears date January, A. D. 1823.

Considering that the volume is 67 years from the press it is in a good state of preservation and may be read as easily as any freshly issued printed work.—G. A. H., EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL.

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OYSTER ON THE HALF LOAF.—Drain the oysters and sprinkle with salt and pepper or with pepper sauce, roll in cracker crumbs or corn-meal and fry. Cut several pieces of bread in half, butter and lay on them the oysters and thinly sliced pickles; heat in the oven and serve hot.

APPLE PRESERVES.—Make a syrup of three-quarters of a pound of loaf sugar for every pound of apples; add a sliced lemon. Pare and quarter good, tart apples and put in; boil until transparent, and put in a glass jar; boil the syrup thick, and pour over.

MERINGUE PUDDING.—Line a deep pudding dish with slices of sponge cake, cover with rich fruit jam, pour over custard and bake, ice like cake, set in the stove to dry, take out and cover with meringue. Serve without sauce.

VANILLA CREAM SAUCE.—Two beaten eggs, four tablespoonfuls granulated sugar, two cups sweet milk (or one each of milk or water), butter size of hickory nut; stir over the fire in double boiler, until as thick as very rich cream. Do not boil. When cold add a very little vanilla. Use sauce cold.

He Yelled Kemp's Balsam.

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Great Discoverers.

What Bell and Edison are to the telephone and electricity, says the Pittsburg *News*, Dr. Franklin Miles, the well-known specialist in nervous diseases, is to the nervous system and nerve fluid. Among his numerous discoveries the Restorative Nervine is undoubtedly one of the greatest. It is unsurpassed in nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, epilepsy, neuralgia, backache, melancholly, sleeplessness, change of life, etc. *Free trial bottles* of it may be had of Charles H. Buss, Druggist. All should read his "*New and Startling Facts for the Afflicted*," a very able, interesting, and finely illustrated book. Free to all.

Some Documents Received.

From Senator Hoar: "Comparison of the Customs Law of 1883 with the New Law of 1890, with Index, to which is Appended the Administrative Custom Laws of 1890." This is a very useful pamphlet for it gives not only the Tariff Law of 1890 but directly beneath each section of it is printed the Tariff Law in operation prior to the adoption of the present one.

List No. 35 of *The Defender*, a weekly paper published by the American Protective Tariff League, which contains "Export Discounts,"; also List No. 36 of the same publication which contains "Wage Earners under Protection and Free Trade", and other valuable papers.

"Hatch Experiment Station of the Massachusetts Agricultural College. Bulletin No. 10." This treats of special fertilizers for greenhouse crops, and also of small fruits.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

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Telling Time by Flowers.

There is not an hour of the day that is not the beloved hour of some blossom. Linnæus, the clebrated bontanist, conceived the pleasant notion of a flower clock. Instead of a rude metal bell to thump the hour, there is a little flower bell ready to open at 3 o'clock, a flower star that will shine forth at 4, and a flower cup, perhaps, will appear 5 o'clock to remind old-fashioned folk that it is near tea time. Claude Lorraine, although he did not, like Linnæus, make a clock of four-and-twenty flowers in his garden, was a landscape painter most familiar with nature, and when he was abroad he could at any time know what o'clock it was by asking the time of the flowers of the field.

It is Foolish

To send for the doctor every time you don't feel just right. My doctor's bill for years was over a hundred dollars a year, which made a pretty big hole in my wages. For the past two years, I only spent ten dollars, with which I bought a dozen bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and health has been in my family since using them.—Robert Johnson, Machinist.

Paste This on Your Thanksgiving Plate.

Unique pen or key racks are made out of the legs and feet of turkeys. The legs are dried and cured and the black claws polished, and then the legs are gilded with gold paint. Two little round sticks about the width and length of pen holders are also gilded, and fastened with an invisible wire to the legs. A fluffy bow of ribbons at one corner, and another bow of a contrasting shade at the corner diagonally opposite, give an artistic touch to this very odd and pretty wall ornament.

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An Ingenious Invention.

An English genius has invented a tray containing a night-lamp and a small sauce-cup for holding infant's food. This mechanical arrangement can be attached to the bedpost, and is invaluable in a home where there is an invalid or a baby and a few or no servants. The night lamp emits sufficient heat to keep the childs's food warm. When not required for service the tray is a convenient place for a book.

Flounces of point d'aigeille are $75 a yard.

Jackets are the garments now in demand.

Very little trimming is used on cloth dresses.

The newest shoulder capes are lined with fancy silk.

A Hungarian at Scranton, Pa., sold his wife for $115.

Black and gray astrakhan cloakings are in great demand.

Vulture feathers in the natural tints are used for boas.

Willow green is to have a run of popularity this winter.

Walking skirts are very plain and skirts train slightly.

The newest fishnet veils are irregularly dotted with "beauty spots."

Long cloth ulsters are trimmed in military style with braid or frogs.

A great many silver belts are worn in New York with street dresses.

Lady Randolph Churchill is clever, both as an artist and a musician.

White silk mourning handkerchiefs are embroidered in white or black.

There is a furore predicted for bands of trimming made of ostrich feathers.

Dresses button on the left side just over the shoulder and under the arm.

The yearly income of the Princess Frederick is reported to be $350,000.

Mourning handkerchiefs have transparent black borders dotted with white.

"Necklets" and "throatlets" are two words coined for use at the present moment.

Jeweled belts will be a conspicuous feature of feminine attire the coming season.

Eifteen-dollar silver rattles for aristocratic babies are in the New York market.

What an Electrical "Volt" Is.

A definition of a "volt," which although somewhat unscientific, may prove suggestive to lay readers, is given in a Western daily paper in the following terms: "The volt gives one blow of a specified force. As volts are added together the force of the blow is increased until the endurance limit is reached.

The Woburn Journal

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Governor, ... J. Q. A. Brackett
For Lieut. Governor, ... William H. Haile
For Secretary of State, ... William M. Olin
For Attorney-General, ... A. E. Pillsbury
For Treasurer, ... George A. Marden
For Congress, ... James A. Fox
For Senator 5th Middlesex Dist., Edwin F. Wyer
For Auditor, ... Charles R. Ladd
For Councillor 6th District, ... Byron Truell
For County Commissioner, ... J. Henry Reed
For Representative (Woburn) .. Elmore A. Pierce
For Representative (Reading) Henry G. Kittredge

A FAITHFUL SERVANT.

For more than 25 years Capt. E. F. Wyer has been one of the most active and influential Republican workers in Woburn. By his devotion to party interests and successful management of political affairs placed in his hands he was long ago by common consent of his co-leborers given the leadership among them, the wisdom of which has been demonstrated time and again in the results of the elections which have taken place.

Capt. Wyer was never ambitious for leadership. A position among the rank and file always suited him just as well as any other. It never made any odds to him at which end of the procession he marched—he has been a WORKER from the start; his object always has been to MAKE POINTS, to accomplish results—to bring something about which would be beneficial to his party.

Capt. Wyer has always worked solely for the advancement of the interests of the Republican organization. A more disinterested person never mingled in political affairs. Although he has been a successful laborer and leader for more than 25 years he has never yet asked for an office—not only has he never asked for an office, or any other political favor, but has persistently refused to accept the suffrages of his party at all primaries, conventions and at the polls, during that long period.

Many times, as would be naturally the case, Capt. Wyer has been urged to accept nominations to official positions which were equal to elections, but that was not what he wanted or was after.

Republican success was the only consideration that could induce him to work, or whose claims he honored, and if others wanted the offices he was perfectly willing that they should have them.

Capt. Wyer did not this year accept the Senatorial candidacy in this District willingly although his election would be assured. He did not care for it and would not have taken it had not certain things occurred which need not here be mentioned. He preferred to work for someone else. But he has many staunch friends all over the District and these insisted that, in token of his valuable services last year and previousiy, he ought to take the nomination and must. He finally yielded to the solicitations of these friends, and here we find him, for almost the first time in his life, running for office.

The JOURNAL has been constrained to submit the statements herein made, not that they are needed to help assure Capt. Wyer's election, but that justice in some small degree at least might be done to a worthy and very successful local Republican leader, and a gentleman who is influential among and is highly esteemed by political lights all over the State. It is right and proper that we should say what we have in this article, for it is truth and Capt. Wyer is fairly entitled to the statement.

In no way can Woburn Republicans do more honor to themselves next Tuesday than by giving Capt. Wyer a vote that will send him AWAY AHEAD of the general ticket.

REPUBLICANS, DO YOUR DUTY!

If the Republican party in this city do their whole duty next Tuesday they can finish the race neck and neck with the Democracy, if indeed it may not lie in their power to get under the wire just a little ahead of the old enemy. All they want to do to accomplish this desirable end is to go to the polls and vote—every man of them! DON'T FAIL TO VOTE!

The Republican party here are not engaged in striving one against another. There is harmony all along the line. Party takes precedence of men in this campaign and that spirit has united the Republicans solid, and placed victory even in this city within their reach.

Every Republican candidate in the field is worthy of the cordial support of the party. Brackett, Fox, Wyer, and for Representatives Pierce and Kittredge — these are all honorable men, good members of society, upright and intellegent — can anybody give a reason why the party should not put forth special efforts to elect them?

Everything in the world the Republicans of this city need do to beat their opponents IS TO VOTE. If every Republican will be sure to go to the polls himself and sees that his neighbor also goes, the result of next Tuesday's fight will be the biggest surprise party the Democracy ever went to.

Republicans, do your WHOLE DUTY next Tuesday. Let there be no stay-at-homes in Woburn!

FOX'S ELECTION SURE.

Reports from all quarters of the District agree in this, that the election of Capt James A. Fox as General Bank's successor is a foregone conclusion. He will gain the victory by a large majority too.

The more the District have come to know about Capt Fox the better they like him, and it would be a task of no little difficulty to find a Republican who is not wideawake for his triumph at the polls.

It is confidently predicted by gentlemen of good judgment and the best means of knowing, that Capt Fox will tie Shermy Hoar in that notorious hotbed of Mugwumps, Cambridge, and if he does, his majority in the District will be almost equal to Hayden's in his second run which footed up considerably in excess of the average usually won by the Republicans.

One reason for Capt Fox's popularity is that he is emphatically "one of the people." He is an every-day sort of a man; plain and unpretentious; a modest gentleman, esteemed by all classes of community and enjoying the confidence of everybody who knows him.

The little ripple of disappointment over Capt Fox's nomination has entirely disappeared and the Republicans all around the District are working shoulder to shoulder for his election, which is as certain as that the sun rises next Tuesday morning.

VOTE FOR FOX!

ANOTHER GREAT MEETING.

The Republican Congressional Committee for the 5th District have appointed another grand rally and announced the time and place for holding it in the columns of THE JOURNAL to-day. It is their intention to close the campaign in a blaze of glory.

The speakers for this mass meeting are the best on the stump in the State. They always draw great crowds and keep them there until the speaking is over. They are eloquent gentlemen and handle the great political issues of the hour in a manner which always delights good, sound Republicans.

Republicans, let this closing meeting of the campaign be a buster. Let it be the capsheaf. Let it be such a gathering as will strike terror to Democratic hearts. No good Republican will fail to be there sharp at 7.15 P. M. unless prevented by sickness or death.

"COME ONE: COME ALL!"

REPRESENTATIVE CANDIDATES.

The Republicans of the 14th Middlesex Representative District have nominated two firstrate men for Representatives to the General Court and it is gratifying to hear favorable reports of their prospects in both Woburn and Reading. The general belief prevails that Messrs. Pierce and Kittredge will be elected by good majorities.

Republicans can give no sufficient reason for voting for the Democratic Representative candidates and it is not to be presumed that any will do so.

Pierce and Kittredge are receiving handsome support all along the line. A good many Democratic ballots will be thrown for Pierce in this city, and we are informed that Reading's vote will show the same thing. Both deserve the support of all clean, intelligent men.

Republicans, look carefully to your ballot and be sure you don't cast it into the box unless the names of Elmore A. Pierce and Henry G. Kittredge are on it.

VOTE EARLY.

It is never safe to postpone the duty of casting one ballot until afternoon. The old adage says: "there's many a slip 'twixt cup and lip," and if one puts off voting until the after part of the day he is never sure that his ballot will get into the box.

It is dangerous to thus put it off.

Many things are liable to happen to prevent one from voting, and the danger is increased by postponing it till towards night.

Brethren, go to the polls the first thing you do after breakfast next Tuesday morning and deposit your ballot that it may be sure to count for the Republican ticket and good government.

Brethren, don't wait until you come out from Boston before you vote, but vote before you go in, then you will enjoy all day the consciousness of having performed your duty as good citizens, and be happy.

THE STATE TICKET.

Every one of the men chosen by the Republicans to fill the State offices from Gov. Brackett down is absolutely certain of being elected if he lives until next Tuesday comes around. Death is the only contingency that can possibly happen to prevent it.

Nevertheless it behooves the Republicans to go to the polls and vote the straight ticket and thus swell the Republican majority in the State to its utmost dimensions.

☞ Capt. E. F. Wyer commands the respect of everybody for his ability and honesty, by which token the size of his vote will be a surprise to Felch and his friends.

☞ Pierce is a very popular gentleman in Woburn, and Kittredge is a very popular gentleman in Reading. That means their election.

☞ Mr. Kittredge will poll more than a party vote in Reading and will make a strong pull on Woburn.

☞ Just watch and see how much less Felch's vote will be this year than Mr. James Skinner's was last.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Cahill—Whitney.
Caswell—Stetson.
Mrs. Garry—For Sale.
Neil McColgan—Lost.
Mrs. Emerson.—Board.
H. Dodd—About Shoes.
B. F. Whittemore—Lost.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
J. I. Munroe—Real Estate.
5th Cong. Dis.—Rep. Rally.
L. L. Whitney—Ex. Notice.
Fritz & Stanley—New Fruit.
W. H. Smith & Co.—Auction.
H. N. Shepard—Mortgagee Sale.
City of Woburn—Evening School.

— It rained again last Wednesday.

— Read "Board Wanted" in this paper.

— Read "A Double-barrel Shot Gun" in this paper.

— Those who miss "Priscilla" will miss a rich treat.

— Note the change of date for sale of tickets to "Priscilla."

— Yesterday was a sunny day — that is to say, it was reasonably sunny.

— The election of Elmore Pierce is generally conceded by all parties.

— Hon. B. F. Whittemore has lost his cow. See notice of same in this paper.

— Post 33 will be inspected by Comrade Myron J. Ferrin of Stoneham on Nov. 13.

— Bear in mind the Grand Republican Rally at Lyceum Hall next Monday evening.

— Mrs. A. R. Randall has taken the house No. 5 Second, street this city for the winter.

— Amos Cummings carries a very large stock of all kinds of ribbons, and sells them cheap.

— Mrs. Garry at 458 Main street up stairs has some fine counters and show-cases for sale.

— The best Democratic authority predicts that Mr. Felch will run several score behind his ticket.

— Voters in the St. Charles Total Abstinence Society will support Pierce for the Legislature to a man.

— Over 60 Vice-Presidents have been chosen for the great Rally next Monday evening at Lyceum Hall.

— It will pay any of our readers to visit Whitney's Linen Store, Temple Place, Boston, for Holiday Goods.

— Mrs. W. B. Randall and family left for Lynn yesterday morning where Mr. and Mrs. R. will make their future home.

— When the vote is counted next Tuesday night Sherman Hoar will wonder what has become of all the Woburn Democrats.

— There is a slight change in the time-table of the B. & M. (B. & L.) railroad this week. Nothing to speak of hardly.

— There are no Republican "kickers" against Capt Fox for Congress in this city. He's a good man and a true Republican.

— We would like to have some one tell us what Friday it was when there was no big rain storm. Don't all speak at once.

— Copeland & Bowser have filled their shelves very full of new fall and winter dry goods. There stock is varied and choice.

— It is reported that the John Cummings tannery is soon to start up full-handed. The report names Beebe as the lessee or purchaser.

— Prof. A. M. Smith, the genial phrenologist, still continues in this city. He describes individual make-up in the most wonderful manner.

— Wherever the comic opera "Priscilla" has been given it has "taken the town." It is the finest thing ever enjoyed by lovers of such music.

— The grey eagle which Merchant W. E. Church of Central Square shot last Friday morning measured 5 feet and 6 inches tip to tip of wings.

— Officer McDermott has been attending Court at East Cambridge considerably of late. Officer McKenna fills his place—in good shape too.

— Particular attention is called to the card of Mrs. Annie Vaughn in this paper. She is doing a very successful business at her rooms on Court street.

— People are getting impatient for Nov. 5 and 6 to get along so they can enjoy the comic opera, "Priscilla" which will be given at Lycenm Hall on that date.

— Supt. Wentworth's fall time-table for the East Middlesex Street Railroad appears in full in the JOURNAL this week. The half-hour Sunday trips will be continued.

— On Thursday evening, Nov. 6th, Brewster Colony, No. 19 U. O. P. F., will work the Initiatory Degree, after which an entertainment will be given to the members' wives.

— Capt. E. F. Wyer, Alec Grant and Candidate Elmore A. Pierce went over to Reading to hear Congressman Lodge make a speech and were well paid, Wednesday night.

— On the 7th prox. Quealy Court, M. C. O. F., will give their 10th annual Ball. The arrangements are in the best of hands and the affair is bound to be a brilliant success

— The Sunday School of the First Congregational church have generously given the Building Committee of the new Scandinavian church $100. "Sweet is the tie that binds," etc.

— Attention is called to the card of Mrs. Annie Vaughn in this paper. The lady is doing a fine business at her millinery rooms 4 Court street and her customers come from all the neighboring towns.

— The solos in "Priscilla" will be given next Wednesday and Thursday evenings at Lyceum Hall by some of the best Boston and Woburn talent who will be supplemented by a very large chorus.

— Mr. Benjamin Champney and wife will return to their winter home in this city from their summer one at North Conway on next Monday. Miss Alice Champney came back last Saturday.

— Property left in the hands of E. J. Gregory for sale is always faithfully attended to and sold at good advantage. A few days ago he sold the C. H. Svenson property for $2,800, a big advance.

— The Woburn Woman's Club will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 7, at 3 P. M. Miss O. M. E. Rowe of the Boston City Hospital will lecture on "The Heredity of Character and Ability."

— The farmers are taking especial interest in the election of Capt Wyer. Out in the central and western part of the District the Captain will get a big vote (as well as at home)—more than a party vote by considerable.

— The anniversary of the Battle of Five Forks will be duly observed by Post 33 G. A. R., on Nov. 5 next. Col. Porter, Mayor of Quincy, will deliver the address which will be followed by appropriate exercises.

— Hoar will not get over two-thirds of the Democratic vote of this city for Congress, if old, level-headed Democrats know what they are talking about. Democratic candidates who wear kid gloves never command the whole strength of the party.

— Messrs. W. H. Smith & Co., real estate dealers in Woburn and Boston, have a notice of sale in the JOURNAL to-day to which we call attention. The auction will take place to-morrow afnoon when a large amount of personal property will be disposed of.

— The Woburn Democracy propose to spread themselves to-morrow night at Lyceum Hall. The speakers are to be Shermy Hoar, who imagines he is running for Congress against Capt. Fox, Micheal J. McEttrick and Thomas B. Hevey. It will probably be a big time—in a horn.

— Evening schools in this city will re-open on Monday, Nov. 10. The fostering care of Supt. Richardson with the employment of peculiarly competent teachers have brought these schools up to a point of proficiency where they have become a strong educational agency in this city.

— The Boston *Globe* publishes on every Monday morning the sermons of various clergymen on the day before, and last Monday it devoted considera-space to that of Rev. D. D. Winn of the Baptist Church, this city, who spoke on "Crime and Criminals." It was an able sermon well reported.

— We were premature in our statement last week that Mr. O'Neil of Boston had taken the management of the *City Press*, and that Mr. Conn was to take an Editorial Chair on the same. However, there are changes going on in the management of that paper and all we can do is wait developments.

— Mr. George Clarke, a member of the famous Ruggles Street (Boston) Quartette, has, through Mr. John I. Munroe's popular real estate agency, bought the Russell Duren farm in Ward 7, this city, and will make it his future summer home. Mr. Clarke is the kind of emigrants Woburn warmly welcomes.

— A splendid present for an invalid or aged person is on of the great Easy Chairs, with fendered sides to shut off all draughts of air, and broadly cushioned arms and shaped back. There is a fine chair of this description now being sold at a very low price by Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Capt Ed. Wyer was born and raised in Woburn; Felch is a recent comer. Capt Wyer feels an interest and pride in his native place: all Felch cares for Woburn people is to make as much out of them as he can, and get political honors if possible. For the latter *this* isn't his year. He'll have to wait.

— The ball given by Clan McKinnon last Friday evening turned out to be a gratifying surprise to the managers and the Clan generally. And well it might considering the weather. The concert which preceded the ball was a fine one, everything passed off in the very best of shape, and everybody was well pleased.

— Fitz & Stanley, proprietors of the popular Boston Branch, have got in a big supply of Thanksgiving goods in all the varieties of nice things that can be mentioned. This firm are famous for the fine quality of their groceries and the low prices which prevail. Good housewives, read what Fitz & Stanley have to say in the JOURNAL this week.

— John I. Munroe has recently sold four farms ranging from 25 to 200 acres — two in Woburn, one in Winchester, and one in Burlington, to business men in Boston — realizing good prices. Those having any kind of property to sell, or let, will do well to consult him as he gives special attention to the management and negotiation of Real Estate.

— Our friend, Mr. Albert A. Clement, is making a visit to his native town Warren, N.H., where he spent the early part of his boyhood in catching fish and hoeing potatoes. Warren is one of the most beautiful towns in New Hampshire and is situated at the base of Mooshillock, which was visited this summer by one of Woburn's famous school- teachers.

— The Foresters have laid things out for the largest and best ball they have ever given in Woburn. It will be held in Music Hall on Friday evening, Nov. 7. Calnan's Orchestra will furnish the music, with J. R. Thomas as Prompter. The price of tickets is only $1. From all accounts this annual Ball of the Foresters is to be a very grand social affair.

— About the best place in this city at which to spend a pleasant evening hour is at the Republican Headquarters in the National Bank Block. At the Rooms may be met many prominent Republicans, pleasant gentlemen, and information can always be gained there respecting local political affairs. The Headquarters will be open every evening until the charter election.

— City Clerk D. F. Moreland addressed a large meeting in St. Mary's Hall in Lynn last Tuesday evening on political themes. The Lynn reporter of the Boston *Globe* said that "David F. Moreland was received with cheers." If he had discharged his duty faithfully and conscientiously he would have told his deluded hearers that Dr. Everett can't whip one side of Cabot Lodge in the Congressional contest over in the Sixth, and that the best thing they conld do next Tuesday would be to vote for Lodge and make his election unanimous.

— This city did fairly well in registering for the November election, although they might have done a hundred or two better without straining a nerve very much either. The condition of things at 10 o'clock, P.M. last Saturday, when registration closed, was as follows: 421 names were dropped and 434 added. The total registration in 2640, as against 2627 last year.

— The Woburn conference held their quarterly meeting at No. Reading last Tuesday in the Congregational Church. The programme published in the JOURNAL last week was carried out. The banquet and social intercourse were not among the least of the pleasures of the occasion. A full barge load went over to the meeting from the First Congregational Church in this city.

— Rev. Dr. March, of Woburn, will deliver the address before the Winchester Auxiliary of the McAll Mission at its annual meeting to be held in the Congregational church, on Sunday evening Nov. 20, at 7 o'clock. A very rich treat will be expected by all who know of Dr. March's thorough acquaintance with missions, and felicity and ability as a speaker.—*Winchester Star.*

— Republicans, look sharp and do not misplace the Xs on your ballots next Tuesday. Be sure that one is made opposite the name of Brackett, Fox, Wyer, Pierce, Kittredge. Of course you are expected to vote the whole Republican ticket. but Woburn wants to see Brackett, Fox, Wyer, Pierce and Kittredge go out of this city with a majority that will be an eye-opener to the Democracy.

— Can't something be done to stay the ravages of the hen thieves? They are on the rampage and within a fortnight or so several owners over towards Reading and near Montvale and at Winchester Highlands have had a great many valuable fowl stolen in the night time, and still no clue has been discovered leading to the thieves. Sheep-stealing is an honorable employment compared to robbing hens-roosts.

— At a recent election of the Unitarian Club of this city the following officers were elected for the year then ensuing: President, Julius F. Ramsdell; Vice Presidents, Col. William T. Grammer, Herbert B. Dow, Hon. Edward D. Hayden, John I. Munroe, Edward B. Parkhurst; Treasurer, Henry C. Hall; Collector, Daniel H. Richards; Recording Secretary, Chas. W. Bryant; Corresponding Secretary, Marcellus Littlefield.

— And now Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. church and champion temperance man among us, wears his buckthorn cane as well as the rest of us. His friends had a fine buckthorn straight from the bogs handsomely mounted in gold and then presented it to the pastor in token of the high esteem in which he is held by his church-people, temperance folks, and citizens. Being an Irishman Mr. Montgomery cherishes his handsome buckthorn.

— It looks as though the Woburn Democracy are turning the cold shoulder to Candidate Felch. Last week the *City Press* "damned him with faint praise," and an exhaustive search this week by our reporter has resulted in a total failure to find Mr. Felch's name on any of the Democratic posters or dodgers so plentifully flying about the streets. We greatly fear that Mr. Felch will fail to receive a full party vote in this city. The managers are not working for him very much.

— Mr. Walter O. Bacon of Canal street in this city has been in the employ of Chickering & Son, the famous piano makers, at their Boston establishment, for 17 years, the last 10 of them as confidential business man. Fidelity to the interests of his employers and capability have brought him a gratifying promotion and next week he goes to take an important position in their New York establishment. Mr. Bacon will, of course, make his home at New York hereafter.

— Inspector Andrew Houghton, of Boston, accompanied by Lieut Daley and others, came out to Woburn yesterday evening and formally presented to the survivors of Co. K, 39th volunteers, the headboard which for 25 years past marked the grave of his brother, Edward J. Houghton, in the Norfolk Naval cemetery. The presentation took place in Burbank Hall. Capt Tidd received the relic, on behalf of the comrades of Post 33. The board has been polished, framed and suitably inscribed.

— Johnny Kelley, son of John Kelley and grandson of Mr. Michael Kelley of Everett street, this city, who lives with his maternal relatives at Lynn, was playing on the street in that city last Tuesday evening when he was struck by a horse and run over. The little fellow's left arm was broken in three places and a gash was cut in his forehead. Drs. Meader and Morse were called. It is thought that the boy may lose the use of his arm. Five stitches were taken to close the gap in his forehead.

— The October number of "The University Magazine," N.Y., has for its frontispiece a very finely engraved portrait of "Ephriam Cutter, M. D., LL.D., F.S.Sc." as the line underneath the picture reads. On 368 and following pages of this same number is a comprehensive biographical sketch of Dr. Cutter by William Ludden, which gives his advent into this stormy, contending world as having taken place at Woburn, Mass., in 1832. Dr. Cutter stands in the front ranks of scientists not only in America but in Europe.

— Mr. Charles F. Kelley of New York City, son of Mr. Joseph Kelley of Church street, in this city, has been visiting family and friends here this week and will leave to-day for home. It was nearly seven years ago that Mr. Kelley left the Boston Postoffice and engaged with a prominent hardware firm in N. Y., with which house he has remained ever since. He has however made very satisfactory arrangements with Charles J. Healy, a prominent cutlers dealer at 106 Chambers street, N. Y., and will take charge of his large establishment to-morrow. Mr. Kelley is a good business man who believes that in dollars and cents (to say nothing about any higher reward), "honesty is the best policy." Good luck to him.

— On the first page of this issue of the JOURNAL is printed "Woburn's First Lawyer" which, we have no doubt, will prove interesting to many people in this city, by whom it should be preserved. It cost considerable time and research to get the facts embodied in the paper, but the labor was well rewarded in bringing to light so much of Lawyer Bartlett's eventful career and so many of the eccentricities of his character. Woburn lawyers will doubtless prize this sketch of the life of their forerunner with deep interest.

— Go slow, boys! Not *too* slow—but just slow enough, you know. This is Halloween—quite a superfluous announcement no doubt so far as you boys are concerned—quite; but the announcement is here made for the benefit of those who may possibly—just barely possible, you know—want to save their front gates and things to-night. Careful there, lads: don't carry the fun *too* far—just far enough for fun, and not quite far enough for shotguns. You understand—clean to the outer edge of fun, but still within the bounds of propriety and good breeding. Lots of fun, boys, but no serious devilry.

— "The Middlesex Investment Company of Manchester, N. H.," is the name of a new enterprise that has recently been started in this city and just begun to do business. We shall have more to say about it hereafter. The Home office is at Manchester, N.H., and the General Agency is established at 387 Main street in this city. Its officers are: President, Benjamin A. Tripp; Vice-President, Charles E. Tripp; Treasurer, Charles H. Kimball; Secretary, Horace N. Conn; Clerk, George W. Cook. This seems to be an institution based on correct principles, and it certainly would not have the countenance and support of the above named gentlemen were it not an honest enterprise.

— The monthly meeting of the Managers of the Home for Aged Women will be held Tuesday, Nov. 4. It is very desirable that all should be present as some important matters will be discussed. The friends of this Institution will remember October is the month the yearly subscription of one dollar is due, all who are not personally solicited are requeeted very earnesly to hand the amount to the collector, Mrs. Sullivan Simonds, who may be found at the residence of Dr. Chalmers on Pleasant street. As the support of the Home should interest all alike, do not, we beg of you, require ladies already burdened with many duties to wait upon you at your homes for this small amount.—X.

— It stands everybody in hand to attend the Fair of the Daughters of Rebekah, I. O. O. F., at Lyceum Hall this evening and see who gets the prizes. It will be an exciting season. Mrs. Hovey has charge of the floral decorations which means that they will be fine. There are all kinds of "tables"—a real good chance to spend all the money one has a mind to and get his mouey's worth every time. The Past Grand badge which has been on exhibition in one of the big show windows of Mr. C. M. Munroe's popular clothing store, 423 Main street, all the week. There will be dead loads of genuine fun at the Fair on this (Friday) the closing night. Go early, gentlemen and ladies, and "get the best." The Fair will be open this (Friday) afternoon and between 2 and 4 o'clock the great Baby Show will take place. Nobody will want to miss the Baby Show. Go early.

— Mr. Alfred H. Fisher who carries on the harness business in the JOURNAL building, with his wife and child, left here last Monday week for No. Carolina where he has considerable property in real estate left him on the death of the widow of the man by whom he was raised. He went South last spring and made his right to the property secure and has gone this time to look after it. In his youth Mr. Fisher was legally adopted by a citizen of Cape Cod who many years ago settled in the South at a place called Southern Pines in N. C., where some time ago he died leaving a widow. She also died not long since and by process of law her estate fell to Mr. Fisher by virtue of heirship. The administrator of the woman came across the adoption papers, and just here is where Mr. Fisher comes in. The administrator would take no action on the will until Fisher was found, if he was alive, and after some little correspondence he was discovered in this city.

Are You Sure You Do?

Do you know a good thing when you see or hear about it? If you do you are wise beyond the average of your generation. Some, you know, plod along in the olden ruts of work and worry, keeping house on the old-fashioned plan—that employing much bone, sinew and muscle—but others there are who have modern ways. For instance, they use Brussels soap and save much labor. It's economical.

He Knows Nothing Derogatory.

The following is an extract from a letter written by Hon. Chester W. Kingsly of Cambridge, addressed to Mr. Starbuck, Editor of the Waltham *Free Press*, and President of the Suburban Press Association:

"I know nothing derogatory to the character of Capt. Fox as a candidate for Congress. He was elected mayor of our city four consecutive years, and of course failed to please everybody. He is a Republican and a nominee of the Republican party. So far as I can see the only vital question to be settled in deciding whether to support him or not is this—shall we have as our Representative one who will support the administration in its work of this session so well begun, or a Democrat who will do just the contrary? * * * * I hope all Republicans will unite and elect our candidate, sinking all minor matters in considering the greatest matter of good, honest governmeut, north, south, east and west."

A Card.

We embrace this time and method to return our sincere thanks to Posts 33 and 161, and Relief Corps 83 and 84, for their beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of our father, Mr. William B. Harris.

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PRISCILLA.

Mr. C. E. Macomber of Boston,

Miss Mabel Davis

—— AND ——

Miss Mertena Bancroft

Would most respectfully announce to the people of Woburn and vicinity, the production at the Lyceum Hall, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, November 5 and 6, of that new and Charming Comic Opera, Priscilla, which has made such an instantaneous hit wherever produced. The costumes and appointments will be the same as will be used at the Boston performance the coming season, special scenery and other accessories. The chorus will be made up of about 30 of the principal singers of Woburn. Mr. W. H. Dodd of Boston will assume the role of Hatebad Higgins and will also have direction of the stage. No pains will be spared to make this event one of the most noteworthy in the amusement annals of Woburn. Notwithstanding the large expense in bringing this opera out in first-class shape, popular prices will prevail. The sale of seats will open at the Box Office of Lyceum Hall on Friday evening, Oct. 31, at 7.30. After that date tickets will be on sale at Horton's Bookstore and Leeds's Drug Store. Out-of-town parties can secure seats by mail or telegraph. Price of tickets 35, 50 and 75 cents.

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Y. M. C. A.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock prayer meeting.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Boys meeting.

The Men's meeting at 4 P. M. Will be reports from the State Convention. Mr. W. W. Hill in charge.

Ladies Auxiliary met last Tuesday afternoon and held one of the best meetings that has ever been held. Ladies from No. Woburn were present. Afternoon tea was served at 4.30.

At 8 o'clock on Monday evening, Nov. 3, all who desire to join the Vocal Class, whether members of the Association or not, are invited to meet in Concert Hall, when Prof. Russell will be present to explain what work is to be done.

Rehearsals are in progress on a Cantata, for solo voices, choruses and orchestra. It is founded on Longfellow's poem. Mr. James Kimball has the musical part of the programme in charge, assisted by the Woburn Orchestra and the Ladies Schumann Quartette and others. Mr. Morse of Mansfield will with the stereopticon illustrate the Cantata on canvas. This is to take place December 4th 1890.

A PREDICTION.

That great aspirant, William Russell,
Has made a most tremendous tussel,
And wrought till he can work no more
To be elected Governor.
But all his efforts will be vain,
He can't that position gain,
The Democrats can't elect him,
Republicans they will reject him
And send him where he was before
His sad misfortune to deplore.

A VOTER.

Woburn, Oct. 26, 1890.

Fine House Lots.

J. I Munroe laid out the Capt. Crane land on Main & Cross St. in houselots last Tuesday and Wednesday and sold two They are choice and cheap. The number is limited and will sell quick. Those wishing perfect land on line of horse-cars and at depot should call at once.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

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Carter Harrison, ex-mayor of Chicago, says: "Since I have used Brussels soap, I have been led to believe there is some good in me yet."

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Married.

In Fryeburg, Maine, Oct. 23, by Rev. Edwin P. Wilson, of Woodfords, Me., Helen B., daughter of Henry Walker, Esq., and Alfred T. Carter of Woburn, Mass. No cards.

In Wilmington, Oct. 24, by Rev. Elijah Harmon, Howard M. Horton and Lizzie T. Sheldon, both of Wilmington.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Oakland, California, Oct. 21, 1890, Annie Josephine, oldest daughter of Fred P. and Annie B. Kendall, aged 4 years, 4 months and 6 days.

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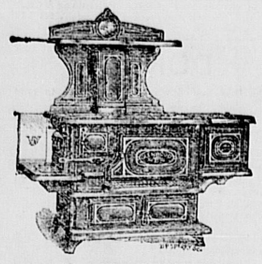

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The Woburn "Laddies."

Close on to 5000 people witnessed the firemens exhibition last Tuesday evening. For an hour before it came off the principal streets were lined with men, women and children anxious to see the sight. It was a merit trial of the various companies by the Engineers, and as such it was successful.

Mayor Johnson pulled box 62 on the corner of Main and Park streets at 7 o'clock, P. M. and two minutes later the companies were scampering like whiteheads for their respective hydrants assigned by the Board. The first alarm brought out the following companies: Hose 1, hydrant at flagstaff on common; time, 1m. 16s. First water, 59s.; second water, 1m. 29s. after arriving at hydrant. One hundred feet of hose was used. Hose 5, hydrant at Orthodox church; time, 2m. 20s. Water on first line, 1m. 15s. In this case first water came through the second line of hose. Hose 6, hydrant at Savings Bank building, 4m. 27s.; first water, 1m. 58s.; second water, 2m. 11s. In each of the above cases 100 feet of hose was laid. Hook and ladder truck No. 1, reached the City Hall, got a ladder on the building and a man at the top of it in 4 minutes.

The general alarm mustered in double-quick time Hose 2, hydrant at corner of Main and Walnut streets: time, 9m. 55s. and water on in 1m. through 450 feet of hose. Hose 3, hydrant at public library; time, 6m. 38s. and first water in 2s. through 650 feet of hose. Hose 4, hydrant at Dow's block, Main street; time, 8m. 45s. from the second line of hose, through 550 feet of hose. A test was made of adding a piece of hose and the time was as follows: Hose 1, 1m.; hose 2, 55s.; hose 3, 45s.; hose 4, 48s.; hose 5, 50s.; hose 6, 65s. The streams singly and nine at once were highly satisfactory, the pressure being about 65 pounds. Even when nine streams were thrown any one of them would have reached the top story of the highest building.

The exhibition demonstrated the fact very clearly that Woburn may well feel proud of her Fire Department. As a working display the affair was a splendid success. Mayor Johnson and the Board of Fire Engineers were highly pleased with it.

The subsequent banquet in Hook & Ladder Hall, prepared by Tufts, the famous Boston caterer, was highly enjoyed by the firemen and their guests. Chief Ferrin presided. Some of the guests of the Board were Mayor Johnson, Aldermen Kenney and Kendall, Councilmen Emery, Shaw and McGowan, ex-Chief Engineer Perham, ex-Assistants Poole and Devlin, Water Registrar Albert P. Barrett, Clerk of Council Lounsbury, Capt. E. F. Wyer, William P. Cutler, A. C. Symmes of New Bedford and others.

The principal speakers were Mayor Johnson, Prof. Elmore A. Pierce, Capt. E. F. Wyer, ex-Chief Perham, Water Registrar A. P. Barrett, Colonel Charles K. Conn, Councilman McGowan, Mr. Emery and others.

To spend $500 in raising and training a horse and then to have him win only a $10 race is like trying to economize by using any other soap than Brussels.

For The Public Good.

Now is the time to secure choice house lots. John I. Munroe has for sale: 50 in Cummings Park, 5 minutes to Centre Depot. 75 at the head of Fowle St., 5 minutes to Highland Station. 50 on Green St. 8 minutes to depot. 40 on the Hart estate, 1 minute to Central Sq. station. 25 on Kilby St., 4 minutes to horse-cars, 8 to depot. 6 in Montvale Park, 4 minutes to Walnut Hill station, on line of horse-cars. 30 at North Woburn near depot and horse-cars. 60 on Vernon St., half way between Woburn and Montvale stations, the two best depots in Woburn.

The Capt. Appleby place, elegant 11 room house, fine barn, horse stable, cow stable, hennery for 1000 hens, 7 acres choice land, large amount of all kinds of fruits. Will sell house lots from this estate. Also a great number of farms and residences all sizes and prices on easy terms, in Woburn, Burlington, Wilmington, Winchester, Medford, Somerville, Arlington and Lexington. Plans and particulars at Office, 369 Main St. morning and evening. Boston office, 35 Congress St. Room 35, hours, 11 to 2.

10 lots near Capt. Crane's factory, fronting on Cross and Main streets in close proximity to depot and horse cars.

"My feet are so slim I never can get a good fit unless I pay quite a high price." Then try Stetson at his well-known store, corner of Hanover and Blackstone streets, and see what he can do for you in the way of a Ladies' fine boot. Goat or Kid for just $2.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 30 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

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Stylish Fall Garments.

It is a 27-inch Jacket of Diagonal Cheviot with full vest, shawl collar, entire garment bound with silk braid.

We have a good assortment of styles in Beaver and other cloths.

Our Seal Plush Sacks are very pretty, of good quality and at very low prices.

C. Willard Smith

399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

It Was a Great Meeting.

The Republican Rally at Lyceum Hall last Saturday evening was a rouser in every sense of the word.

The great hall including the galleries was filled with one of the best looking and most intelligent audiences that ever assembled at a political meeting in this place.

Hon. B. F. Whittemore, Chairman of the sub-Congressional Committee, introduced Senator George F. Hoar, and subsequently Capt. James A. Fox, candidate for the U. S. House of Representatives, and Capt. Patrick D. Conlon, in words that were patriotic to the core, and brought out shouts of applause that made the rafters of the building tremble. Nobody can do these things in finer style than Hon. B. F. Whittemore, and he was at his best on Saturday evening.

Hon. E. D. Hayden, ex-Congressman from this District, was advertised to preside at the Grand Rally but business called him to New York City and he could not get back in season to occupy the Chair on that very notable occasion.

The Woburn Brass Band discoursed the livliest and best of music in the street and hall and contributed largely to the interest and pleasure of the occasion.

Senator Hoar was the first speaker. He laid down sound Republican law and gospel in good style. He has a brain and tongue capable of great oratorical successes. He is clear in his ideas and logical; his language is clean-cut; he argues convincingly; he captivates the understanding instead of charming the ear with his rhetoric; and when he gets through his audience seem to feel as though they have been listening to things from the tongue of one in authority. Senator Hoar is a great man.

A large number of prominent citizens occupied seats on the platform. We have not space to name them all, but there were Jacob Brown, Esq., Rev. Hugh Montgomery, Hon. J. G. Pollard, Chairman E. F. Wyer of the Ward and City Committee, Mr. Fred J. Brown, Clerk of the same Committee, Judge Charles D. Adams, Alva S. Woods, Esq., Hon. John M. Harlow, Councilman P. McGowan, E. E. Thompson, Esq., W. N. Titus, Esq., Prof. Elmore A. Pierce, Charles F. Spear, Esq., and others.

When Capt. James A. Fox stepped to the front of the stage in compliance with Mr. Whittemore's graceful introduction he was greeted with the wildest cheers, proving beyond a peradventure that there were chords under many waistcoats there from which just the sight of our next Congressman called forth quick and generous greetings. When quiet was restored Capt. Fox launched out into one of the best speeches that have been made this campaign. He is a pleasant, effective stump orator and commands the strictest of attention while speaking. He left a very favorable impression on the minds of his audience both as to the matter and manner of his address, and there can be no doubt but that his appearance and oratory added many to his long list of warm political friends in this city.

Capt. Patrick D. Conlon wound up the speech-making of the evening. Truly it might have been said that "the best of the wine was kept for the last of the feast," for the Captain's speech was a big one. It was emphatically a vote-making effort, and there wasn't an ear in that great Hall which did not strain itself to the utmost to catch every word that fell from the eloquent speaker's lips. He took the house by storm and the general regret was expressed that the time allotted to Capt. Conlon was altogether too brief.

Thus ended one of the best political mass meetings ever held in Woburn.

The quality of shoes is truly the essential thing, as is well said in Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom's advertisement in this week's paper. A thorough reading of their advertisement will save money for every purchaser of shoes, as their mailing facilities are such that they send shoes everywhere and guarantee the fit of them.

The dietary of an invalid differs materially from that of a person in robust health. He needs light, nutritious food, and it is essential that besides being nutritious it shall be easy of digestion. Mellin's Food is very nourishing and is assimilated as soon as taken into the stomach.

The Bishop Preached.

Last Sunday was held the opening service in the new Methodist Episcopal Church. The sermon by Bishop Foster was eloquent and practical. A large audience gave earnest attention. The following is a brief outline:

The text consists of two passages, one in doctrine and one in spirit; one from the Old Testament and one from the New.

The one from the Old Testament is found in Proverbs, Chap. III. 27th verse: "Withhold not good from them to whom it is due when it is in the power of thine hand to do it." It is the nature of a command, a negative sort of command.

The second is found in Galatians, Chap. VI. 10th verse: "As we have therefore opportunity let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith."

You will observe in both of these passages the same idea, that believers should be engaged in doing good. The first enjoins that we should not withhold good when it is in the power of our hand to do it. There is a limitation in this, which is very broad. It covers our ability. We should do good when its fulfilment lies in our power. It would seem to some people that they might be excused from doing it. The idea they might have of some, is, that they were unworthy and undeserving, and that they ought not to do good to them that give offence but only to those who deserve it. If God acted upon this principle what would become of us? He does not give unto those who deserve it only, but causes the sun to shine upon the just and the unjust giving blessings unto all men so far as they will receive.

One man attaches great importance to the external observance of his church. His religion largely consists in observing the external laws of the ritual of his church. He makes great account of the fidelity to the services of the church. He would consider himself very blameworthy as he would be, if he did not strictly attend to the so called means of instruction furnished by his church.

Another man is not particularly strong in in that line; he does not attend the services regularly; he does not feel under strong obligation in that way. He is intense in his sense of obligation to obtain an honorable and honest character. External morality is but the essence of religion.

Still another differs from both of these. He wants his heart to be right; he separates that of the world from things of God.

Another differs from all of these. He wants to have his creed right, wants to have his faith right.

So these different forms of Christian phases of Christian character turn up in every community.

In every true Christian character, in every fully developed man and woman, all these things which just mentioned, are brought together in perfect unity and harmony.

So far as is possible this enlightened and well developed Christian attaches great importance to the services of the house of God. He knows there is a strict connection between what a man believes and what he does. It is the inward faith of the man that expresses itself in his outward life. It is not difficult to tell what the nature of a man is, when you know him outwardly.

When we go to church we think the church is to make us happy. We have an idea that when we come home after going to church, if the sermon has not lifted us up and made us feel more happy and comfortable it is a lost day. It is not the most profitable sermons that make us feel the most delicious. You know sometimes if a preacher will tell a touching story, making us cry, we feel that we are happy but we are no better, we do not add anything to our spiritual condition. It does not prove that we are over righteous. A sinner cries just as easy as a saint.

If you should judge his righteous state by his emotions, why! he would be as righteous as any of us.

The sermon that is important to us is the one that makes think, makes us determine to live aright. It is the doctrine that comes from the pulpit to settle us in a purpose to reach a high and noble standard of character that goes with us home, makes home right, makes every day right. That is the kind of a sermon we want. Several illustrations were given and many grand truths uttered that can not be given through want of space. He closed with a most earnest appeal to all present that they might realize "the path of life" as a road but once travelled therefore to be passed over with great care and faithfulness so that none might desire to live their life over but with joyous expectation go on to hear the welcome, "Well done thou good and faithful servant enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

Attention! Attention!

A vote for Capt. James A. Fox for Congressman from the 5th District is a vote for HON. THOMAS B. REED for Speaker of the National House of Representatives. Vote for James A. Fox for Representative to Congress because he represents the principles and will vote for the measures in Congress which you believe are for the best welfare of the country.

Vote for James A. Fox because you want a Congressman who will represent this District on the issues of the hour with no uncertain voice.

Your X at the right of the name of James A. Fox on the ballot will add one more to his majority in this District.

Your vote for James A. Fox will be one which will strengthen the administration of President Harrison and the reciprocity plan of Hon. James G. Blaine, Secretary of State.

VOTE FOR JAMES A. FOX!

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich.

Boston Theatres.

Only a few more performances of Mme. Angot will be given at the Globe Theatre. The production has met with unqualified and well-deserved favor, and has added another success to the New York Casino company's long list of Boston winnings and to the able management of the Globe.

Offenbach's most popular opera will be produced at the Globe Theatre, commencing next Monday, Nov. 3. "The Grand Duchess" is to have all the splendor of the New York Casino production, with D'Arville, Halton and and others of the metropolitan cast. Seats are now on sale at the box office. This is one grandest plays ever seen at the Globe and will doubtless draw immense audiences each evening.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

WINCHESTER.

Henry Cabot Lodge, our distinguished Congressman, will address the citizens of Winchester on political themes this, Friday, evening.

Mr. Thomas Holland head gardner at J. Newman & Son's, Florists, has in their conservatory, through his own care and industry, a choice lot of fine chrysanthemums in full bloom.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

Congregational.—At 10.30 a. m., the pastor will preach. Subject: "Living unto the Lord." At 2.30 p. m Communion service; at 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. monthly concert; mission reports. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Methodist—At 10.30 a. m. Communion and reception of members; at 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by Pastor; Subject: "Two Evils." Special meetings Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Baptist—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor; Subject: "The Triumph of Moral Goodness." At 2.30 p. m. Communion service; at 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. Mission Concert and an address by Rev. A. A. Newhall. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

ABOUT SHOES.

Quality is the essential thing in Shoes.

The quality of mercy is not ever strained half as much as the quality of Shoes.

They should therefore be made of the best of leather, tough and firm.

Carefully sewed with linen thread.

Smooth finished without nails or tacks.

So shaped over common-sense lasts that they don't need "breaking in."

Have all leather soles.

We know *our* shoes will meet these requirements.

The price is as noteworthy as the quality of the shoes.

For Father, Splendid Seamless Congress or Lace,	$2.87
For Mother, French Dongola Kid, Button,	2.23
For Brother, Strong Seamless, Lace,	1.49
For Sister, Selected Goat, Regular or Spring Heel,	1.87

These are representative offers. We have Shoes of every style, quality, and price.

HOW TO ORDER BY MAIL.

Take a piece of paper, and standing upon it in stocking feet, trace around outside of your foot with pencil. The diagram will look something like this.

Send us this sketch, and we will, by return mail, quote you price for any quality shoe you desire, delivered free to you by mail, and guarantee the fit.

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Monday Night,

Nov. 3, 1890.

At Lyceum Hall,

ANOTHER GRAND

Republican Rally

"Come One: Come All."

Close Up the Ranks.

"RALLY ONCE AGAIN."

The Republicans of Woburn will close the campaign by the Grand Mass Meeting of the season at Lyceum Hall at 7.30 o'clock sharp next Monday evening.

SPEAKERS:

Col. ANTHONY MUNINGHAN, of Cambridge.
Hon. W. W. WHEELOCK, of New York.
Gen. J. H. SULLIVAN of Boston.
ELMORE A. PIERCE of Woburn.

WOBURN BRASS BAND

Will furnish music.

Ladies especially invited. Gallery reserved for them.

COME ONE! COME ALL!

Per order of the Congressional Committee.

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Mrs. V. respectfully announces to the public that she has opened her Fall Stock of Latest Styles of Millinery, and solicits a continuance of public patronage.

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A bright red cow, good size, tips on her horns, hair rubbed off her left rump. A suitable reward will be paid for her return to

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A Double Barrelled Shot Gun in a case. Finder will be rewarded.

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The Largest Stock. The Greatest Variety. The Lowest Prices.

Special Bargains in a few Surplus Lots, the result of closing up and consolidating our Branch Stores. These we shall sell without regard to worth or cost at

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New Valencia Raisins,	8c.	per lb.
" Ondara "	10c.	" "
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" Lemon Peel,	20c.	" "
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Notice that these are all new goods.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Nathan G. Green to Albert Gates, Jr., and by said Gates assigned to Harvey N. Shepard, trustee under the will of Mary I. Proctor, dated 30 December, A. D., 1885, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, So. Dist., Libro 1733, Folio 114, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the twenty-second day of November, 1890, at three o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on Central street, being Lot "R" on a plan of the "Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's Purchase" recorded in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 11, Page 29, containing sixteen thousand square feet, more or less, and bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by land of William Morgan, late of William Totman, and Elisha J. Mann, about two hundred feet; easterly by land of heirs of Ellen Marlow, formerly belonging to Bowen Buckman, about eighty feet; northerly by land formerly belonging to Elisha J. Mann, about two hundred feet; and westerly by said Central street, about eighty feet.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

HARVEY N. SHEPARD, Trustee.

Boston, 28 Oct., 1890.

By W. H. SMITH & CO., 162 Salem street, Woburn, and 17 Tremont street, Boston, Auctioneers and Real Estate Agents.

Public Auction IN WOBURN.

Will positively be sold at public auction on the premises, on

Saturday, Nov. 1, 1890,

At 2 o'clock, P. M., sharp, all the STOCK and TOOLS on what is known as the Pollard estate, on Vernon street, between Montvale Ave. and Green street, Woburn, owned by Albion P. Maxwell, consisting of 1 fine work or carriage Horse, 6 years old, weighs 1200 lbs., sound and kind, a valuable animal, acclimated; 2 Cows, 1 light Express Wagon, 1 heavy Express Wagon, Hay Wagon, Tip Cart, 3 Wheelbarrows, Concord Buggy, several sets of light and heavy Harness, Paug, 2-Horse Plough, Hay Cutter, Grindstone, Harrow, 3 or 4 cords of good Manure, lot of Lumber, Boards and Plank, Hoes, Rakes, Drain Pipe, Cider Barrels, Boys' Gig and Harness, and some Household Goods.

TERMS CASH. Goods to be removed at once, as the estate is sold. Further particulars of Auctioneers.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all persons interested in the estate of Lorenzo Winship, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Susan Winship of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of November next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of Mary A. Young, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Woburn, Mass., Oct. 28, 1890.

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Years Paid.	Cash Value.	Paid-up Value.
2	$39.21	$86.51
3	63.70	156.58
4	89.27	185.38
5	115.93	233.42
6	143.70	280.56
7	172.82	326.77
8	203.15	372.04
9	234.82	416.34
10	267.92	459.74
15	457.47	662.63
20	696.10	842.46
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— AND —

Drawing School.

All persons desiring to attend the above schools are requsted to hand their names to the Superintendent of Schools

Before November 10, 1890.

☞ The School will be held in the High School Building on Main Street.

The Term will commence on Nov. 10, 1890, and there will be sessions on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of each week.

[Acts of 1887.] Chapter 433.

An Act relating to the Employment of Minors who cannot read and write in the English Language.

Sect. 2. Every person who regularly employs, or permits to be employed, a minor fourteen years of age, or over, who cannot read and write in the English language, providing such minor has been, since reaching the age of fourteen, for one year continuously a resident of a city or town in this Commonwealth wherein public evening schools are maintained, and is not a regular attendant of a day or evening school, shall, for every such offence, forfeit not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, for the use of the evening schools of such city or town.

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Always to be obtained by all who are in want of

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In all Weights and of the Latest Shadings and Styles.

The many who have availed themselves of the bargains offered by us in the past can testify to this, and all in want in the future are invited to send for samples and prices before supplying themselves elsewhere and be convinced.

All the Remnants and Imperfect goods made at the Assabet Mills also sold by us, and they are offered at PRICES LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the trusts under the will of Daniel H. Richards, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

Greeting:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by Daniel H. Richards of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, praying to be appointed trustee under the will of said deceased, which has been proved in said Court;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of November next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said Petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week for three successive weeks, in the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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Mrs. Minnie W. Seaver will take orders for making and trimming hats and bonnets the coming season, at her home,

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JESUS ACCUSED.

LESSON V, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, NOV. 2.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxii, 54-71. Commit Verses 66-70—Golden Text, Isa. liii, 5—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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54. "Then took they Him, and led Him, and brought Him into the high priest's house. And Peter followed afar off." John says that they took Him and bound Him, and led Him away to Annas first (John xviii, 12, 13). Matthew and Mark both say that then all the disciples forsook Him and fled, but John adds that Peter and another disciple (no doubt himself) afterward followed (Matt. xxvii, 56; Mark xiv, 50; John xviii, 15). When Jesus surrendered Himself to them He asked that the disciples might be allowed to go their way (John xviii, 8), but yet by their forsaking Him what became of their assertion that they would die with Him rather than deny Him (Mark xiv, 31)?

55. "And when they had kindled a fire in the midst of the hall, and were set down together, Peter sat down among them." This is surely a down grade. For a few verses now we leave our Lord in the hands of His captors, and consider Peter being sifted. And what a contrast between the disciple and his Master! The one faithful unto death, the other in the company of those who hated Him and were seeking His life.

56. "But a certain maid beheld him as he sat by the fire, and earnestly looked upon him and said, This man was also with Him." We are observed when we least think it, and by those whom we think see nothing. Let a person go from home, and being among strangers, and unknown (as he thinks), let him do the least thing that he would not do if at home, and it will surely be carried abroad and at some time brought home to him. But Peter was here accused of nothing wrong, he was simply pointed out by this maid as a follower of Jesus, and judging from his previous confessions in Matt. xvi, 16; John vi, 68, 69, we would have expected him to stand by his colors and rejoice to own Jesus as his Lord. But he was alone now and in the midst of scoffers. How have you acted under similar circumstances?

57. "And he denied Him, saying, Woman, I know Him not." Did you act that way when you found yourself among the scoffers? Or if you did not openly say that you were not a Christian, did your silence when He was ridiculed, or the Bible sneered at, give consent? Or do you always by word and deed proclaim yourself on the Lord's side?

58. "And after a little while another saw him and said, Thou art also one of them. And Peter said, Man, I am not." Another opportunity of confessing Christ is given to this poor erring man, but again he loses it and adds sin to sin.

59. "And about the space of one hour after another confidently affirmed, saying, Of a truth this fellow also was with Him, for he is a Galilean."

60. "And Peter said, Man I know not what thou sayest. And immediately, while he yet spake, the cock crew." Matthew says that he now began to curse and swear (Matt. xxvi, 74). What a sink of iniquity is the heart of man! How desperately wicked!

61. "And the Lord turned, and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered the word of the Lord, how He had said unto him, Before the cock crow thou shalt deny me thrice." The Lord had seen and heard it all, and no doubt it grieved Him to His heart, and Peter had added to His much sorrow, but He loved His sinning one through it all, and this look now turned upon him must have been full of tenderest love, mingled with deepest sadness.

62. "And Peter went out and wept bitterly." That loving look pierced his heart and brought him to his senses.

63. "And the men that held Jesus mocked Him and smote Him." We now turn from Peter, who failed, to Peter's Lord, who faileth never. Peter they only spoke to and accused of being with Jesus; but Jesus they mock and even smite.

64. "And when they had blindfolded Him they struck him on the face, and asked him, saying, Prophesy, who is it that smote thee?" Lose not sight of the fact that this ill-treated one is God manifest in the flesh. The Lord of Hosts, the God of Israel, the mighty one of Jacob, the only Redeemer of men, and thus is His treatment from those whom He came to save. Not for Israel only did He suffer thus, but for you too, dear reader, and for every scholar in your class.

65. "And many other things blasphemously spake they against Him." Buffeted, mocked, spoken against, but He fails not.

66. "And as soon as it was day, the elders of the people, and the chief priests and the scribes came together, and led Him unto their council." The fearful night had passed and the more fearful day had come.

67, 68. "Art thou the Christ? tell us. And He said unto them, If I tell you, ye will not believe; and if I also ask you, ye will not answer me nor let me go." He knew that they meant to kill Him, and that their question was an idle one. He knew that His hour had come to be offered up, and that this was the way to the cross.

69. "Hereafter shall the Son of Man sit on the right hand of the power of God." Matthew adds, "And come in the clouds of heaven" (xxvi, 64). He has not yet been brought before the Roman governor. He has been before Annas and Caiaphas, and now He is still before the Jewish council, and He reminds them of the words of their prophet Daniel (vii, 13) concerning the coming of the Son of Man in glory.

70. "Then said they all, Art Thou then the Son of God? And He said unto them, Ye say that I am." He acknowledges that it is even so. He is the Son of Man and the Son of God, the Divine human Messiah, the God man to sit in due time on David's throne. He has by word and deed proved Himself to be the one foretold by the prophets, and now they are by their conduct fulfilling other prophecies concerning Him, as Peter afterward told them on the day of Pentecost (Acts ii, 22, 23). They will not believe it now, but some will later, and many never. Whosoever will may. All unbelievers must perish.

71. "And they said, What need we any further witness? for we ourselves have heard of his own mouth." So because He said He was what He truly was, and what God the Father had on two occasions said from heaven that He was (Matt. iii, 17; xvii, 5), He has in their judgment committed an unpardonable sin and must be put to death. Well, let us not wonder if to this day the wrong is often uppermost and right goes to the wall; it will be so till He come. But let us overcome by the Blood of the Lamb and by the word of our testimony, not loving our lives unto the death.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

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VIRTUE IN CEDAR BLOCKS.

An Impecunious Traveler Had Them in His Valise, But the Veteran Caught On.

A well dressed stranger walked briskly into the Tremont house one morning, placed a large valise on the desk and his name on the register. The veteran Cobb assigned him a room, but it was noticed that the clerk followed him with his eyes until he was lost to sight, and then, if the brown study into which he plunged was an indication, he continued the chase mentally. Then he turned to his French assistant, Mike O'Brien.

"Mike," he said, "I have suspicions of that man who just registered."

"Indeed," quoth Mike. "And why, pray? He certainly appeared all right."

"Ah, perhaps to you, my boy, perhaps to you," the veteran responded, "but when you have been in the hotel business for the best part of half a century you will have become suspicious of any man who takes the trouble to place a heavy valise on a desk instead of setting it on the floor, as would be most natural and easy to do. Now, that man put his valise on the counter, and therefore I am suspicious."

M. O'Brien has an infinite respect for the veteran's opinion, and he confessed that in this instance in particular his opinion was well founded.

"In fact," he said, "I had a queer kind of feeling myself pass through me when he registered. I didn't know what it was at first, but now I know it must have been a suspicion."

A little later, when the veteran had made up his mind that the proper thing to do would be to demand payment in advance the housekeeper asked him to step to the new comer's room. He did so, and found lying open on the bed the valise where the housekeeper, entering the room to see if it was in order, had found it. In one side was a linen duster, a pair of soiled collars and cuffs; in the other side four large cedar blocks, presumably to give it weight. With feelings of mingled wrath and self congratulation the veteran returned to the office, where the guest in question after finishing his breakfast appeared.

"One moment, please," Veteran Cobb said to him as the guest laid his key on the desk and started to depart. "It is customary for strangers stopping here without baggage to pay in advance."

"But I have baggage," the stranger said without turning a shade. "My valise; you saw it when I came in."

"Pardon me, you are right," said Mr. Cobb blandly. "But permit me to ask what you have in it."

"My clothes."

"Your wardrobe is extensive," rather sarcastic like. "By the way, what are the cedar blocks for?" asked Mr. Cobb, by way of a settler. But the stranger wasn't settled, neither did he settle, for looking his interrogator in the eye he replied: "Oh, they are to keep the moths out. Cedar's great for that," and before Mr. Cobb could recover from his astonishment lit a cigar and walked out of the hotel.—Chicago Post.

Catching Gold Fish.

The Ford-Whistler quarrel called forth in a club cafe half a dozen good stories about Whistler. One concerned an amusing performance of his in Florence. He and a brother artist were lodging together on a high floor of a big house, and just below their windows were those of the landlady's apartments. One morning Whistler discovered a jar with gold fish setting in one of the windows below, and he at once announced his intention of going a-fishing. Baiting a pin with a bit of bread crust, he deftly lowered it into the bowl and soon landed a fish.

The operation was repeated until all the fish had been caught, and then Whistler proceeded to cook them just as they were. The first taste of the fish was enough for both artists, however, and Whistler quietly lowered them all back into the bowl. On Whistler's return from a day's outing that evening the landlady gravely informed him that the sun had been so extraordinarily hot during the day that her gold fish were actually boiled to death in their bowl. How the good woman accounted for the appearance of the fish that the artist had tasted Whistler does not explain.—New York Star.

A Famous Criminal Lawyer.

A little man, say 5 feet 4 inches, with his head set well back on his shoulders, is Abe Hummel, of the law firm of Howe & Hummel. He has been excessively caricatured in New York papers, but he is a good deal better looking than his pictures. His name is the most Hebraic thing about him. His heavy mustache is blonde and his eyes are brown. He dresses very plainly in gray, and shows almost no jewelry. Twenty years ago Hummel was an alert newspaper man and picked up news about the police courts. Now he is the junior of the law firm most frequently mentioned in New York papers. Howe & Hummel have the pick of the big divorce cases. The criminal calendar is their meat. All of the about town people of prominence who get into trouble go to them.—Saratoga Letter.

Something to Ponder Over.

McWiggins—Yes, I maintain that a really smart man will modestly make it a point to hide the fact as much as possible.

Mrs. McWiggins—Well, then I should say that you are certainly the smartest man on this earth, without a doubt.

McWiggins mused.—Detroit Free Press.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers eveywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

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TOM CRUSE'S CAREER.

A Story That Illustrates the Ups and Downs of Western Life.

The history of the thrice millionaire banker of Helena, Mont., Thomas Cruse, illustrates the ups and downs of western life, and sets in strong contrast the two extremes of absolute, groveling poverty and extraordinary affluence.

"Six years ago Tom Cruse," says Thomas M. Long, "was only a common, ordinary laborer, a prospector and a miner. He had spent almost his last nickel, was out of luck, and being out of money it naturally followed he had very few friends. Indeed he was so poor that I well remember the day when he was actually refused credit for a fifty pound sack of flour. He did odd jobs about town—anything so long as he turned an honest dollar. One day he took a tramp into the mountains. When he came back to town he astonished everybody by reporting the discovery of what turned out to be one of the richest silver mines in Montana.

"He pre-empted the place and made everything solid in his own name. This mine was the famous Drum Lummond, in the mountains near Maysville, twenty-one miles from Helena. A syndicate of capitalists hearing of his great find went out to investigate it. The result far surpassed even their expectations, and on their way back to town they sought old man Cruse. Would he sell the mine? Yes. How much? Five hundred thousand dollars, spot cash. That was too much, they thought. 'Well, gentlemen, if you think it is too much don't take it,' said Cruse. 'This offer is good until noon, but no longer. I'll have another price on it after that.' They thought he was bluffing. The next day, after further investigation, they came back to Cruse. They told the old man they were ready to pay the $500,000, and for him to draw up the papers.

"'My price today is $1,000,000, boys,' said Cruse. Of course there was no deal possible under the circumstances. Cruse could then get all the capital he wanted to work his mine. Before three months had passed he had pulled out $200,000 worth of ore, and there was still unlimited quantities—millions, in fact—in sight. The syndicate came back to him and actually paid over $1,000,000 for a two-third interest in the Drum Lummond.

"Since that time Cruse has bought other mines, the Iron Mountain, for instance, in the Cœur d'Alene region, and others. He is worth today $5,000,000. He was married a couple of years ago, but his wife died, leaving him a child. 'Old Man' Cruse, as he is called, is a good old fellow, who delights now in talking about his hard times. When he came to Montana, six years ago, he walked all the way from Salt Lake City. That's the way fortune smiles sometimes."—Chicago Times.

Chicago's Mayor.

This story is told by The Chicago Post on Carter H. Harrison: One of "Our Carter's" characteristics is a smooth tongue and a cultivated mind. He can charm most people with the polish and variety of his conversation. He once attended a party given at the residence of a leading citizen, and was there introduced to a lady who did not catch his name. She enjoyed a half hour's conversation with Chicago's mayor immensely. After he had left her she asked a friend who had bowed to the gentleman: "Do tell me who that delightful gentleman is with whom I have been conversing. He is perfectly charming." Why, don't you know? That's Mayor Carter Harrison," replied the friend. "Is that really Carter Harrison?" she said. "Well, I declare that he looks and acts like a perfect gentleman. I thought from reading about him in the newspapers that he must be a highway robber and a thug."

An American Abroad.

Says an American in Lucerne: "There are seventeen old ladies from England at my hotel at Lucerne, and all of them wear white caps. As they sit all in a row at dinner they look like the pictures I have in memory of the assembled saints of old village quilting bees. All the well to do old ladies of England seem to revel in doing worsted work on the piazza of Swiss pensions. That young Englishman who sits opposite to me at table has Mark Twain at his tongue's end.

He thinks that the United States is distinguished mainly by having given birth to Mark Twain. There are two young girls at the Schweitzerhof who sing. One of them sings very well and the other thinks she sings very well; but there are those with whom her vocal pyrotechnics disagree. The great cross of the evening at the hotel is to have to sit for an hour and hypocritically applaud singing that contains no more melody than a fatal case of chronic bronchitis.

A Plague Among Bees.

A "nameless bee disease" has appeared during the last few years, and the bee keepers have had to lament not only depleted hives, but large numbers of diseased bees. The bees look black because of loss of hair, much as do robber bees, or old bees in the spring, and frequently make strange motions in front of the hives, as though dancing or in convulsions. The disease is supposed to be due to fungoid attack. The remedy is found in superseding the queen with a healthy one, and also in having a plentiful supply of salt water close to the hives, where the bees can gain ready access to it.—New York Telegram.

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FORCED TO DROP 100 FEET.

Four Workmen in Pittsburg Unwillingly Do the Brodie Act.

What might have resulted in a serious accident occurred to some workmen engaged in building the extension to the Smithfield street bridge. While the James G. Blaine was passing under the bridge, on her way up, her smokestacks came in contact with a platform which swung from the bottom of the bridge. Capt. Cook saw that the boat must strike the platform, and called to the pilot to sound the whistle. The men realized their dangerous position, and got off the platform and caught hold of an old iron bar which runs from pier to pier not a moment too soon, as the smokestack of the Blaine struck the obstruction as the last man stepped off the platform. One of the steamer's stacks was broken in two by the force of the collision, and the swinging platform snapped from its fastenings and fell to the water.

The four men remained hanging by their hands, their only means of rescue being to let go of the stringer and drop to the water below, nearly 100 feet. Several men were attracted, and pushed out skiffs to rescue them.

Finally one of the four was compelled to relinquish his hold through exhaustion, falling into the water. He disappeared beneath the water, arose again and tried to swim to the skiff, but before reaching it the little strength which he retained gave out and he sank. He arose for the second time, and the occupants of the skiff succeeded in catching hold of him and pulling him into the boat.

The poor fellow became unconscious, but the rescuers could not give their attention to him, as the other three workmen were still hanging to the iron bar. All three held on for dear life for fully ten minutes, when they could no longer retain their grasp, and one by one they fell to the water and were rescued by the men in the skiff, who were by this time re-enforced by another boat from the shore. The first man who fell soon recovered, and was taken ashore, where all three received medical attention on the Brownsville wharfboat. After resting awhile they were sufficiently strong to resume work again.

During the excitement a large crowd gathered on the shore and shouted at the men to do different things, which badly disconcerted them, and if they could have held to their positions a few moments longer they would have been rescued without getting a ducking. The workmen would not give their names, but say it is their own fault, as they should not have blocked the channel with the ladder.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Floated, but Died.

The story of the fat man who fell overboard in New York harbor and floated around for an hour or two until he was mistaken for a whale and towed to shore unhurt has set the old watermen and wharfmen all agog with reminiscent talk. They tell peculiar tales of happenings to fat men which have occurred under their eye, and in which they took a part.

John McClain, the veteran watchman on the Thomas Clyde pier, above Chestnut, told a number of incidents concerning the floating tendencies of fat men.

During the war Mr. McClain was a night watchman on the piers at Washington avenue. One dark night a government receiving vessel came up the river, and when it neared the Washington pier two sailors jumped overboard to make their escape. One was a gigantic fellow and the other a man of medium size.

Before jumping overboard the fat man fastened $200 in double gold eagles in a leather belt which was strapped around his waist. He could not swim a stroke. When they touched the water he floundered around, but did not sink. Shortly afterward a tremendous swell carried him under the pier, where he was knocked senseless by the piling. When the body was found, several hours afterward, it was not at the bottom of the stream, but plump against the planks of the pier, with the head above the water. The man never sank, but was drowned while insensible. Superstitious sailors concluded that it was the gold that kept him on the top of the river.—Philadelphia Record.

Mark Twain's House.

You should see Mark Twain's house, the most picturesque and most elegant of all those Farmington avenue houses on the road to West Hartford. It is a dark, rich red, with showy windows, one of deep blue, surrounded by green; hilly lawn, overlooking a meadow gay and flowery, not foggy and froggy, as is the manner of some meadows. There's a cool, retired, covered platform at the back of the house where, during the warm days, the children's playthings and the tables and easy chairs of older ones are brought. The kitchen is on the front ell, very near the street, "so that the kitchen folks can see who is going by in the road without having to go through all the rooms in the house." The elegance is suggestive of Mrs. Twain, but the kitchen joke standing there always, to make us laugh every time we pass there, was, of course, made by Mark himself.—Hartford Cor. Springfield Homestead.

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Torquoise is to be very fashionable.

Conquering a Pupil.

A Maine boy who is now a professor in one of our New England colleges used to teach town schools while fitting himself for his university course. Seated opposite to him on a railway train a while ago he related to me some of his early experiences in teaching the youthful idea. One strapping great girl, a woman grown, caused him considerable trouble because of her indifference to the beauties of education in general and "gogerfry" in particular, for which neglect he caused her to put in considerable time after school in making up.

It reached the teacher's ears one day that this maid had declared to an admiring group that she wouldn't have her lesson on that afternoon, and if the teacher kept her after school he would have the privilege of sitting up one night with her at any rate before she would make the lesson up. This idea caused much excitement among the pupils, who are usually ready to enjoy a teacher's discomfiture.

According to the programme the young lady's lesson that afternoon was a complete failure, and she was told to make it up after school. When the session ended the other pupils lingered about with an air of expectancy to see the outcome of matters.

The teacher politely showed them out of the room, however, and then went in and shut the door. There sat the damsel with her arms defiantly folded, and the book closed on the desk before her. The pedagogue cordially invited her to open her book and begin operations, but this had no effect whatever.

"All right," said he, taking out his watch. "I'll give you just thirty minutes to get that lesson, and if it is not ready at the end of that time I'll take you across my knee and give you one of the most comprehensive, unabridged and able bodied spankings that have occurred since Julius Cæsar was an infant."

Then he took a chair with his back to the enemy. Surprise, mortification, tears and sobs ensued, but at the end of the half hour the lesson had been learned—two lessons, probably.—Lewiston Journal.

Distance and Echo.

Did you ever figure on the exact distance that one may be removed from a reflecting surface and yet hear the echo of his own voice? It is said that one cannot pronounce distinctly or hear distinctly more than five syllables in a second. This gives one-fifth of a second for each syllable. Taking 1,120 feet as the velocity of sound per second, we have 224 feet as the distance sound will travel in one-fifth of a second. Hence, if a reflecting surface is 112 feet distant, the initial sound of an uttered syllable will be returned to the ear from a distance of 112 feet just as the next syllable starts on its journey.

In this case the first fifth of the second is consumed in the utterance of a syllable, and the next fifth of the second in hearing its echo. Two syllables would be echoed from a reflecting surface 224 feet distant, three syllables from 336 feet, and so on within the limits of audibleness. It is evident that a sharp, quick sound, the duration of which is only one-tenth of a second, would give an echo from half the distance, or 56 feet. The above estimates are for a temperature of 61 degs. Fahrenheit, at which the velocity of sound is a little over 1,118 feet in a second. The velocity of sound when the mercury stands at freezing is 1,086 feet per second.—New Orleans Picayune.

Saving His Books.

There is a story told on Hon. H. G. Struve which has not as yet been made public property. It is said that during the raging of the great fire, in which Mr. Struve with all the rest of Seattle was a heavy loser, he rushed up into his office to save some of his most valuable books. It is well known that he had accumulated a vast amount of material, which he purposed working up into a history of Washington. This material and some of his books were very precious to him. So as the fire came sweeping down toward his office he rushed up stairs and began to select the books most valuable.

"Ah, this one I will save. No, I guess this one is more valuable." Thus he hesitated, and among his many books, all of which were dear to him, he was unable to decide which ones to save. Just then the cries of firemen were raised, and the judge was urged to come down and save his life. Being thoroughly alarmed and still undecided, he turned and grabbed the first book in reach and rushed out of the building. Reaching the pavement he found he had saved—the city directory.—Seattle (Wash.) Press.

Care of Baby's Food.

A visit to the buttery in the Babies' hospital of New York, in East Fifty-fifth street, shows the care with which every mouthful of food is prepared. There are great cans of milk, bottles of the best of baby foods, rare beef and its juices, delicious bread—everything suitable for all the different baby needs. Out in the cold room there is a large case of "postoffice boxes." Each baby has one, labeled with its name. In it is daily placed the food he or she needs, apportioned and chosen with the greatest exactness, and in bottles queerly corked with baked cotton batting. This is done because the doctors and wise men have found out a strange thing. The air we breathe is full of floating bits—germs of disease—and these cannot get through cotton batting and poison the babies' milk.—New York World.

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Literary Notices.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for November is a very handsome late Autumn issue and as good as it is handsome. Nearly a dozen of its articles are profusely illustrated by the most talented of artists whose pictures are of the finest. The literary contents are original, fresh and timely, while the Departments are complete. HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company of Boston, and Sparrow Horton at the Old Woburn Book-store, this city.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for November is an uncommonly interesting number. Its literature is of the best class, being furnished by writers of note; the music is new; the illustrations are more than good; while the fashion, domestic and other every-day departments are filled with the very freshest of matter from experienced pens.

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ST. NICHOLAS has completed seventeen successful years, and begins its eighteenth with this November number. From the first it has had a policy of its own and has adhered to it without wavering. The magazine seems to stand alone as a repsentative of the growing modern conviction that influence and example are better than preaching and teaching, and that cultivation of good taste is no less important than training the intellect. The new volume will, it is announced, contain a number of serials by prominent writers for the young. J. T. Trowbridge will contribute a long serial entitled, The Fortunes of Toby Trafford; and Noah Brooks whose exciting book The Boy Emigrants, is well remembered, will write a similar and yet different serial, The Boy Settlers, the scene of which is the Territory of Kansas during the border troubles. Both of these stories begin in this number and are full of wholesome interest.

Some of the remaining papers of the number are David and Goliath in Modern Warfare, Found in The Forecastle, Little Vemba Brown, A Story I told the Pirate, The Mules and the Electric Car, Jack and Jill Reynard, The 'Gator, An Old Friend, and others.

The complete novel in the November number of LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE is contributed by Mrs. Jeanie Gwynne Bettany, the clever author of "The House of Rimmon." The story is entitled "A Laggard in Love," and the scene is laid in England, principally in what is known as the "Black Country." The homes and characters of the rustic people dwelling therein are described with a wonderfully graphic pen, for Mrs. Bettany possesses a touch and genius something akin to that of George Eliot, which enables her to weave a thrilling romance out of the lives of humble people. The birth and development of an overmastering passion in the heart of a young country maiden, and the tragic force which it becomes, is pictured with the hands of a master. A great variety of characters, representing different phases of English life, are introduced, and all are capitally portrayed. Without obtruding itself, the moral of the story is a strong and healthy one. In addition to these are A Philosopher in the Purple, My Lady Waits, "Bonds," The Famous Sonnet of Arvere, When Others Envy, Accidents and Trifles, British Side-glances at America, Journalism versus Literature, Book-Talk, etc.

A Thanksgiving Feast is offered in PETERSON for November. It is especially rich in illustrations. A Medieval City is as interesting as a romance, and capitally illustrated. Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis contributes one of her best stories, and Minna Irving a charming poem accompanied by a pretty landscape. House Plants will be welcome to all flower-cultivators. His Thanksgiving is worthy of its illustrations. Knick-knacks and Necessaries tells what a woman's ingenuity devised, and appropriate designs show the success of her efforts. We cannot particularize further, though every tale, sketch, and poem deserves mention. The Fashion and Household departments teem with novelties and information. Next year, PETERSON will reach its fiftieth anniversary of successful publication. It has stood at the head of ladies' periodicals during all those years, and for the coming year the publishers announce a large increase of pages, more abundant illustrations, finer paper, and other improvements that will add greatly to its attractiveness and strengthen its claim as a model magazine for the family. Terms: Two Dollars a year. Club rates: Two copies for $3.50; three copies for $4.70, with a handsome premium to the getter-up of the club; four copies, $6.40; six copies, $9.00, with an extra copy of the magazine for one year to the getter-up of the club. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. A sample-copy will be sent for five cents.

A man of truly heroic make was Dr. Samuel Gridley Howe, whose life-story is told by his daughter, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, in the November WIDE AWAKE; the article takes its title, A Modern Hero, from Whittier's noble poem of which Dr. Howe was the subject; the article is accompanied by a portrait of this great champion of the blind and of all distressed souls, painted in his young manhood, by Miss Jane Stuart, the daughter of Gilbert Stuart, the artist. Golden Margaret, by James Purdy, an episode of the Civil War, is the initial story of the number; further on appears a Southern dialect tale of great strength, Lucy Perveay, by Margaret Sidney. A Western story, How Tom Jumped a Mine, is from the pen M. E. S. Stickney. Miss Risley Seward gives Part II. of a true ancestral war-romance, A Story of 1812, with Commodore Perry for one of its heroes. Mrs. Fremont contributes the last of her series, The Will and the Way Stories. An excellent school-tale, Herbert Pender's Translations, is by William B. Chisholm. Miss McLeod's Acadian story, Boy Blue of Grand Pre, is one of the most interesting of the Canadian series. Crinoids, by H. H. Ballard, Thanksgiving at the White House, by M. S., Mrs. Claflin's Margaret-Patty Letter, A Mother Goose Plum Pudding, and several poems, together with the Men and Things pages of anecdote, conclude a good number. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

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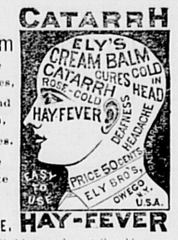

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.03, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL, at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.45, 10.25, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.53 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.31, 11.20 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

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Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING.

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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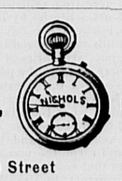

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AN ABRIDGED SERMON.

BY REV. D. D. WINN.

Preached on Prison. Sunday, Oct. 26, 1890.

Matt. 25: 36. "I was in prison and ye came unto me."

It is a pleasing fact that Christ claimed the man in prison for a brother of his own humanity; that being a prisoner does not obliterate the man, that though in prison, he is still a man and therefore has claims on our practical sympathy. The demand for such sympathy is greater today than at any former time, for the number of prisoners was never so large in this land as now. We have on our hands today four hundred thousand prisoners of all classes — criminals, juvenile delinquents, idiots and insane persons. Of this number four thousand are murderers, thirteen thousand are burglars and twenty thousand are common thieves. The average age of criminal prisoners is 26 1-2 years. The average age of juvenile delinquents is 13 1-2 years. The number of criminal prisoners in the State of Massachusetts at the present time, is abouts even thousand.

Last year there were 7,961 persons committed to Massachusetts prisons who were boys and girls in our schools 11 years ago, and nearly 2300 of this number had not been more than 6 years out of school when they were committed to prison. This is an alarming fact.

These prisoners are maintained at an enormous expense. The cost of maintaining the Boston House of Industry at Deer Island last year was $159,000. The maintenance of the Suffolk County House of Correction at South Boston, was $101,362. The total net cost of all the institutions of the city of Boston, criminal and pauper, was near $600,000. The maintenance of the Police force of Boston costs annually more than a million of dollars. These are direct expenditures for protecting the cummunity from criminals. It is estimated that the cost of maintaining the State prisons of the country is $15,000 000 per year; and that the aggregate expense of the police department is $15,000,000 more. Think of it, $30,000,000 expended every yeur in order to protect the community from criminals. This subject is one which ought to interest the tax-payer as well as the philanthropist. Now let us consider some of the causes which lead to crime and to the prison.

In the first place, I remark that unhappy undisciplined homes are the cause of crime. Parents harsh and cruel on the one hand, or on the other hand loose in their government, wickedly loose in their government are raising up a generation of criminals. A home where scolding and fretfulness, cursing and swearing, vulgarity and obscenity, are dominant is blood relation to the gallows and the penetentiary. Birth is a dire misfortune for many children for such is their inherited tendencies and such their early education that it is hardly a possible thing for them to pass through youthhood without becoming criminals. When Warden Brush of Sing Sing is asked "What is the particular cause that sends most of our men to prison? invariably gives this answer: "The want of family discipline." The indulgence of the father and mother who allow the child to grow up without any discipline to form character, leads almost inevitably to evil ways and consequently to prison. Any bad habit, any wrong act in the parent leads the child to the same habit and wrong act and on to even worse and greater.

Another cause of crime is an indolent life. Every young man without daily employment is severely tempted, and in peril every hour. An idle man tempts the tempter to tempt him, and no wonder he goes to the bad. Lounging is sinning and leads to sin. Indolence, where there are brain heart and hand to be engaged, is outright crime and leads to crime. An idler is a thief and lives on the hard earnings of others. A large majority of criminals become so when in a state of continued voluntary idleness. A young fellow in our State prison who was serving his third sentence in the State prisons of United States was discharged the other day. The Chaplain said to him, "Charlie what are you going to do?" He held up his pale white hands and answered: "Chaplain, these hands never worked; do you think they can learn to work? My father was a thief and I have stolen one fortune at least since I was twelve years of age." This is the history of most thieves. Idleness is one of the chief causes of crime; and as long as there is a multitude who seek to get a living without honest work, so long our prisons and reformatories will be filled with criminals. There are only four ways of getting money—only four: by inheritance, by earning it, by begging it, by stealing it. We know that thousands among us who live in idleness are well dressed, well fed and have plenty of money. How do they get it? Not by inheritance, not by earning it, not by begging it. They get it by deception, by fraud, by stealing it. The number of men in our cities who are trying to get their living by their wits, by sleight of hand, by fraud and by stealing is all the time on the increase. If all the thieves in this country received their merited punishment, instead of having in our prisons twenty thousand thieves we should have five hundred thousand.

And still another cause of crime is bad literature. Few are aware of the number of bad books and papers which are published in our large cities, the means employed to give them a wide circulation and the mischief they are doing. A worse literature than that which is spread before the youth of this country it would hardly be possible for the mind of man to conceive, or his hand to execute. This infamous trade is carried on for money, but its work is to degrade the intellect, to fill and pollute the imagination with gaudy, distorted and vile pictures of human life, to develop and inflame the passions; and the results are sin, vice and crime. A large proportion of the crimes committed in this country are committed by youths under twenty years of age; and the common confession of these criminals is that they got the inspiration for the life of crime from the reading of "blood and thunder stories." We often read of youthful murderers and highwaymen who are plainly the victims of the "dime novel" indulgence. Alas: it is sad to believe and realize how pernicious books and newspapers are everywhere at work, enticing, corrupting, demoralizing, rising generation, desolating thousands of homes, and filling our jails and reformatories with blasted lives and blackened souls. But this is not all.

There is yet another and greater cause of crime, viz.: the dram shop. We have in our large cities and scattered over this fair land two hundred thousand dram shops and every one is steadily at work making criminals. It is generally admitted that more than three fourths of the crime of the nation is caused by the liquor traffic. Wherever dram shops abound crimes of all sorts abound. It is everywhere seen that the number of crimes committed in any State or city is in exact proportion to the number of legalized dram shops in that State or city. In Massachusetts, during the year ending 1888 under legalized rum seventy-two thousand were arrested for criminal offences and over thirty-two thousand were committed to her prisons. In the State of Iowa, under prohibition, with a population of a hundred thousand more than Massachusetts, the total arrests made last year for crimes were but fifteen thousand, and the total commitments were only eight hundred and thirty-eight, and fifty-nine county jails were without an inhabitant. No fact in social science is more assured than that the overwhelming majority of criminals are the products of alcohol. Judge Allison of Philadelphia has said "that of the hundreds of murder tiials which had come before him, during more than a quarter of a century, the cause of the crime in fully ninety-five cases out of every hundred was the use of intoxicating drinks."

Chief Justice Noah Davis in a charge to the Grand Jury in New York said "An experience of more than 20 years of judicial life has taught me that more than seven-eighths of the crimes committed in this country—which involve personal violence were traceable to the use of intoxicating liquors." Judge Pitman of Massachusetts says, "that from two-thirds to nine-tenths of the crime brought before the courts of justice is due to intoxicating liquors."

Col. Haynes who was the Warden of the Massachusetts State Prison at Charlestown for several years said "that of 2000 convicts at least 80 per cent. owed their incarceration directly or indirectly to intemperance: that during the time he had been at the prison, 21 men had been there for killing their wives and two for killing a parent; that of these 22 were habitual drunkards and were actually drunk when they committed the crime." One hundred thousand drunkards are annually imprisoned for crime and two hundred thousand helpless children are reduced to beggary and want. Every liquor seller knows he is preparing his victims for the prison and innocent children for suffering poverty, sin and shame. I impeach every dram seller as a participant in the crimes of those who are maddened by his liquor, and in all the sufferings endured thereby by innocent children. All our criminals are not in prison. Where there is one in prison there ought to be if justice were done, fifty. The blackest criminals, in my judgment, are the retail rumsellers. In the spirit, if not in the letter of the law, they are guilty of man-slaughter for the law says whosoever accelerates the death of a human being is guilty of the crime. Dramsellers ought to be held responsible in law for all the panperism and crime and deaths they produce. They form the most tremendous curse in the community. They are stealthily killing their victims and murdering the peace and industry of the community and thereby converting happy homes into hells of misery, unthrift, poverty and rags. They are a blighting curse in every neighborhood where they are found, and all good men and women are praying everywhere that they may be either speedily reformed or summarily uprooted.

But has society any responsibility for the existence of criminal classes? we say yes, and responsible until we have to the full extent of our ability removed at least the chief causes of crime. We ought to put a stop to publishing and selling pernicious literature. Bad blood, unhappy homes, depraved example, and loose government are not the only causes of youthful crime. The influence of improper reading is sometimes a far greater cause of crime. The newspapers of the country that teem with stories of crime and of shameful conduct are the active cause of many of the offences they report with such avidity, and with so much of disgusting detail.

We ought to close the dramshops, and thus remove the greatest cause of crime. The low dram-shops and the gilded saloon are alike the creators of criminals and the great hindrance to their reformation. It is in these haunts that criminals congregate. It is there we find the thief, the burglar, the prostitute, the murderer, and the anarchist. The fugitive from justice is there, and the police know where to find him. It is our duty to close and keep closed these manufactories of criminals, and make it possible for every man, after his day's work is done, to go to his home free from temptation too strong for him to resist. Until we do this we are in complicity with the infernal traffic, and are responsible for the pauperism and awful crimes produced by it all over the land. Close the dram shop in America, and you arrest three fourths of the crime, and remove the great hindrance to criminal reformation.

Last year more than eighteen thousand prisoners were discharged from the county prisons of Massachusetts, outside of Boston. As the prisoner goes forth into the world, how is he received? His great need is a friend and work: but who extends to him a friendly hand? Who gives him work? Who makes him feel that somebody is interested in him? Ex-prisoners are generally considered irreclaimable and are shunned, feared, and neglected. The consequence is they often get discouraged, and coming into adverse circumstances and bad surroundings, and with saloons flashing their light all around them wherever they chance to go, they slip back into their old ways of sin and crime. How many are lost beyond recovery whom kindness and helpfulness would have saved. There are thousands in this State who have been prisoners, and who are to-day good citizens. Hundreds are leaving prison every week who will prove a blessing or a curse in the community, and it is left largely with us to determine which it shall be. We *can* suppress the drink traffic, the unqualified curse of the prisoner. We *can* bring to him the Gospel of Christ which has power to save, to cleanse, and make him a good citizen and fit to stand before the throne of God, and meet for the company of the white robed throng in heaven.

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The Newark *Daily Advertiser* says: "The immediate effect of the McKinley bill on Newark and vicinity will be to start up many spindles which have been long idle in the Marshall Linen Thread Works, in Kearny, and others in the Barbour Works at Paterson, and to add considerably to the plants of both these concerns, giving employment to an increased number of hands. There is no end to this thing. There are five or six concerns in Massachusetts and Pennsylvania for which Marshall & Co. have already made samples, and the manufacturers have altered their looms to make linen fabrics, and are making up goods for next season's trade."

Marvellous Endurance.

The vast amount of labor performed by the heart in keeping all portions of the body supplied with blood is not generally known. It beats 100,000 times, and forces the blood at the rate of 168 miles a day, which is 3,000,000,000 times and 5,150,880 miles in a life time. No wonder there are so many heart failures. The first symptoms are shortness of breath when exercising, pain in the side or stomach, fluttering, choking in the throat, oppression, then follow weak, hungry or smothering spells, swollen ankles, etc. Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure is the only reliable remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

A curious art imposition has been discovered in Paris. An ingenious person stole bronze and marble busts from the cemetery of Montparnesse, Paris, touched them up, and sold them as effigies of famous heroes, statesmen and orators. He did not find it difficult to pass off the busts of departed grocers as Demosthenes or some celebrated General.

He Yelled Kemp's Balsam.

I yell "take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." I always do when I hear a man cough, and I can't help it. It saved me and it will cure you. I was threatened with pneumonia last winter and it broke it up. It helps the children out when their throats are sore, cures their coughs, and tastes so good. The first dose helps you. So writes A. R. Arnold, engineer on the West Shore Ry., at Canajoharie, N. Y.

At Amherst, N. S., recently, Rev. Dr. Hartley lost a valuable ring. He advertised, but got no tidings, until a dream revealed to him the fact that the ring was under his bed, and he found it on one of the slats.

No Other

As good. This is the statement of Professor Smith, Analytical Chemist: I have analyzed all of the popular blood purifiers and medicines now sold. Many of them I found to be worthless, some dangerous to use. Sulphur Bitters contains nothing poisonous, and I think it is the best blood purifier made.

It is very pathetic," says the *Tribune*, "to hear a crowd of Tammany statesmen in a gimmill den uncing the McKinley act because under its operation there will be a slight increase in the price of imported Bibles." The "Bible tax" is one of the few "iniquities" of the McKinley bill that have been ignored by the Democratic press and politicians of this State. There seems to be a tacit agreement that it is a tax which will not greatly disturb the Massachusetts Democracy.

An infallible sign of physical decay is sleeplessness: if this is dangerous in an adult, it is deadly in early childhood. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will always assist in comforting the baby.

It has proved undoubted usefulness we refer to Old Saul's Catarrh Cure. Price 25 cents.

The schoolmistress at the workhouse in Westbury-on-Severn in England has been suspended on charges of ill-treatment of the pupils. Her style of treatment is illustrated by these statements: She threw sixteen buckets of water over one girl, and fourteen bucketsful over another; she caned boys until their hands bled, and sometimes beat them when they were naked; she pushed one boy down a flight of fourteen steps, injuring his knee; and she lashed another's naked body with a bunch of leather laces.

Everybody knows scrofula to be a disease of the blood, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best remedy for all blood diseases.

A man in Houston county, Ga., in order to save the extravagance of a wife and the expense of hiring a cook, shells his corn, and before carrying it to mill spreads it on the floor before the fire, where it is parched. The corn is then ground into meal, and when he starts to work in the morning he makes up a mash of meal and places it out in the sun to dry. As the meal is already cooked, it will be ready for his dinner when he comes in from work.

Quebec customs officers were outflanked by a shrewd maneuvre of some smugglers the other night. The officers received a hint that two carts with four casks of whisky were to be found on the Beauport road at midnight, and they spent several hours on the watch. They captured the carts and the contents, and while taking them into Quebec the smugglers landed 148 casks on the Island of Orleans.

"Hey, what's that?" demanded the guest. "Room No. 496 on the top floor? Not much: I kick." He looked like a Texas Congressman, and the hotel clerk hastily gave him a front parlor on the ground floor.

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Of Baking Powders, recently made, under authority of Congress, by the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., furnishes the highest authoritative information as to which powder is the best. The Official Report

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"Public Analyst, Ontario."

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, NOV. 7, 1890.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

CAPT. WYER ELECTED.

The Republicans in these parts managed to save a nest-egg last Tuesday and that was about all. Capt. Ed. Wyer was elected State Senator for the 5th district, scoring the only Republican victory we can hear of.

But there is a good deal of comfort to be got out of his election. He was not only elected but he ran ahead of his ticket right here at home. If you want to know what a man is go and ask his neighbors about him. By that token Capt. Wyer has nothing to be ashamed of.

We rejoice over the Captain's victory because he is a true Republican, an earnest worker, an honest man, and an attempt was made by Republicans to slaughter him.

We congratulate him on his triumph at the polls.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

Gov. Brackett has issued a proclamation in which Thursday, Nov. 27, is appointed as the day to be passed in thanksgiving and praise by the people of Massachusetts.

It was lucky for all of us, the Governor included, that the proclamation was issued before election, otherwise the day might have been set apart for fasting and prayer.

CONGRESSIONAL DEFEAT.

There was a huge political upheaval among the Congressmen last Tuesday in this State. They got only 5 out of the 12, whereas they should have had all but one.

Fox in this District was knocked out in the first round by almost 3,000 majority against him.

Lodge was re-elected, and that was a lucky thing for the Commonwealth.

THE STATE.

The result of Tuesday's election was a surprise to everybody. Russell, the Democratic candidate, was elected by nearly 10,000 plurality.

The entire Republican State ticket was successful except Gov. Brackett and Auditor Ladd, both of which positions were captured by the unterrified. Who would have thought it?

THE COUNTRY.

The Republicans got about as roughly used on election day elsewhere as in Massachusetts. Pennsylvania was snowed under; McKinley was defeated for Congress in Ohio; Wisconsin elected a Democratic Governor — well, these are only specimen bricks of the misfortunes which befel the Republicans last Tuesday.

A GOOD RECOMMENDATION.

The City Council, almost without an exception, are in favor of Alderman W. C. Kenney for Mayor to succeed Mayor Johnson. The fact is highly complimentary to Mr. Kenney's qualifications and may lead to his nomination by the Republicans.

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE.

We have the best of authority for saying that Mayor Johnson will not, under any circumstances, be a candidate for re-election next month.

Many tax-payers will regret the Mayor's decision, but it is probably unalterable.

☞ Capt. Wyer had no reason to complain of the vote he received in this city last Tuesday, and we haven't heard that he felt very badly over it. He ran 19 ahead of Brackett, the party color-bearer, whereas Felch ran 63 behind his ticket. Capt. Wyer can't have much chance there for fault-finding.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
J. H. Cahill—Hallett.
Baptist Church—Entertainment.
Mrs. Hanson—To Let.
84 Pleasant St.—Found.
C. H. Meutzer—To Let.
Mrs. Rogers—Boarders.
J. I. Munroe—To Lease.
Royal B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Y. M. C. A.—"Hesperus."
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Woburn—Reg. Vot. Notice.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

— See bag found in advertising columns.

— Capt. Tay will cater for Co. K. this evening.

— Gregory advertises an administrators sale to-day.

— "Priscilla" was a success in every sense of the word.

— The Democratic caucuses will be held next Monday evening.

— Gregory has sold the Murray real estate on Park street at a good price.

— Look at Copeland & Bowsers picture gallery in the JOURNAL this week.

— Jacob Ellis has had considerably much needed street sprinkling done this week.

— Read what Mr. John I. Munroe says about leasing the Cook shop in this paper.

— Post 161, G. A. R., will be inspected on Nov. 17, by Comrade F. O. Waterman.

— Mrs. Alice May Bates Rice was simply perfect in the character of "Priscilla."

— Quealey Court hold their grand ball this evening. Fine music has been secured.

— The Democrats haven't looked so happy for years as they did last Wednesday morning.

— The Middlesex Investment Company is established on sound principles and the character of its officers is a guaranty of its honesty.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus," Dec. 4.

— The *Herald* went like hot cakes here all day Wednesday. Piles of them were sold.

— There wasn't much of a stir here on election day. Things were as quiet as Sunday almost.

— In the Democratic town of Burlington Capt. Wyer beat Felch 2 votes. How's that for high!

— We were pleased to note that Capt. Wyer ran ahead of his ticket in this city last Tuesday.

— We have had several frosty nights this week, but the days have been full of sunshine, joy and life.

— Yesterday was one of the loveliest November days that ever made the heart of man rejoice.

— The Lodge of Free Masons had a banquet last Wednesday evening. Capt. Tay was the caterer.

— "Priscilla" didn't show a more brilliant star than Mabel Davis. Boston hasn't many better singers.

— Dea. Gage is more than holding his own. The opinion exists that he has been doing so nearly all his life.

— Maud Pratt, Addie Richards and Stella Lincoln made a very pretty trio of Mayflower Babs in "Priscilla".

— Mrs. Helen Hanson advertises a nice house for rent. It is a pleasant place and will be let at a reasonable price.

— Now that the election is over we hope to be able to settle down and give local affairs more of our time and attention.

— John I. Munroe, as real estate agent, is doing more than any other man towards getting people to come to Woburn and settle.

— Voters, read the notice of the Board of Registrars of Voters in this paper. Don't fail to see that your names are on the lists.

— Miss O'Brien of Church Ave., one of the most accomplished music teachers in this city, is enjoying a gratifying public patronage.

— Make a note of the fact that the Y.M.C.A. Week of Prayer will be observed by the Woburn Association. Next week is the time appointed.

— "Angelus", mentioned in another article in to-day's JOURNAL, was sold a few days since for $40,000 more than the proprietor paid for it a year ago!

— Mrs. H. C. Mentzer of 185 Lexington street advertises a part of her house (the William B. Harris home) to let. See card. It is a pleasant place.

— Prior's new store, 421 Main street, shows off in fine style in the evening. With its arc and incandescent lights and stacks of handsome goods it is a brilliant looking place.

— In response to a request for aid from Wilmington Mayor Johnson sounded an alarm at box 62 between 1 and 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and the aid asked for was sent.

— The display window in Mrs. Packard's fine millinery store makes a very pretty picture and attracts a great deal of attention. It is filled with beautiful millinery goods.

— Marvin Parker played the "Reformed" Indian in "Priscilla". He did his part firstrate, but it would have puzzled a Philadelphia lawyer to have told where the "reformed" came in.

— Candidate Pierce went down with flying colors and in good company—we were all snowed under in a heap. He made a good fight and fared as well as a majority of his fellow-Republicans did.

— Miss Emma Fosdick is as competent a teacher of the banjo and guitar as can be found anywhere. Her pupils always make satisfactory progress in their studies, and she has a good many of them.

— The name of Hon. John Cummings of this city, President of the Shawmut National Bank of Boston, appeared in the *Traveller's* last Saturday evening's list of "Representative Men of Boston."

— We wish our business men would step forward and furnish us 4 columns of good advertising at reasonable prices and thus help the Editor over the rough winter road which stretches away before him.

— A good piano is an article highly prized in every household. Such a piano is the Hallet & Cumston of Boston. Their pianos are made of the best material by skilled workmen and are in every respect a superior piano.

— Burning of the old B. & L. depot at Wilmington Wednesday afternoon was the reason for calling on the Woburn Fire Department for help. The boys did not get there in season to save the depot but prevented several other buildings from burning up.

— The gentlemen whose names will be presented at the Democratic caucus in Ward 5 next Monday night for Alderman are: James Cogan, John J. Walsh, John Quigley, William McDonough. For Councilman: James Cullen, James McVoye, Frank McGarry.

— William Winn, Esq., of Pleasant street in this city, who for several terms represented the Burlington District in the General Court, voted last Tuesday and it made the 60th consecutive time he has voted at a State election. Mr. Winn is about 82 year old but hardly anybody would take him to be over 68 or 70.

— The First Baptist church of this city has advertised to give a grand turkey supper, entertainment, and Art Loan exhibition on Thursday evening next, Nov. 13, which we'll be bound to say will be a very fine affair. We advise everyone to patronize it. Read the announcement in another column.

— If everything went off as planned Post 33 had a big time at their anniversary last evening. A fine banquet was one of the features, nice music, and an address on "Five Forks" by Comrade Charles H. Porter Mayor of Quincy, were others. Comrade and Post Commander A. P. Barrett was in his glory, and he was not the only one who circulated around as spry and chipper as boys—if all the connections were made, of which the JOURNAL has no doubt.

— A Colonial High Back Rocking Chair in English Oak, hand carved, finely upholstered in silk plush, with polished brass trimmings, and mounted on long easy rockers, can be purchased at Paine's Furniture Warerooms on Canal street, in Boston, at the low price of $4. It is a wonderful bargain.

— Mrs. Rogers, No. 9 Bennett St., has had her house thoroughly renovated, newly papered, and otherwise improved, and is now prepared to give boarders better satisfaction than ever, if possible. Hers is a favorite with table or weekly boarders, for she provides liberally, everything is as neat as wax, and the best of satisfaction is given.

— The Democrats of this city celebrated their victory last Wednesday evening by a torchlight procession, and band and chin music on the Common. The saloons made more out of it than anybody else. W. F. Kenney of the Boston *Globe*, and City Clerk Moreland were the chief speakers, and Frank Curran was Master of Ceremonies.

— Dr. Joe. P. Shields has hit the right idea exactly concerning the entrance to his new drug store. It is just the checker according to the JOURNAL's architectural notions and will be found a big improvement. Cyrus Lamb has the job, which is a sure sign that it will be a good one. Just when Dr. Shields will move into his new store may be learned by referring to his advertisement in this paper.

— Everyone interested in the welfare of Woburn especially in its splendid Fire Department ought to ponder well on an article in this paper headed "$10.00 in Gold," signed by the officers of Highland Hose Co., No. 5, and then turn to and help the Co. secure the library. All the boys and girls to turn in bushels of coupons for the "Highland" and let us see if we can't bring that *Globe* prize to Woburn.

— Mr. Wiggin, who has been a driver for Potter & Wrightington, Boston wholesale dry fish dealers, for many years, was killed by a train at Wilmington last Saturday morning and the team badly used up. He made regular visits to Woburn and was well known by many of our people. It was strange that a person of so much experience should attempt to cross a railroad track when a train is near at hand.

— The rooms of the City Council and those adjacent thereto were not at all comfortable for Republicans last Tuesday evening. The JOURNAL man felt like a cat in a strange attic and kept out of sight of the crowd as much as possible. There was too much "Rebel Yell" present to make it agreeable for a true-blue G. O. P. man, so at a moment when he thought himself least noticed he buttoned his ulster and silently stole away.

— Mr. A. C. Floyd, who by the grace of General Banks, has occupied a lucrative position in the Treasury department of the U. S. Government at Washington since January 1, 1871—almost 20 years—has been visiting his old "stomping grounds" here this week and renewing the friendships of his boyhood days. The Department must think well of Mr. Floyd's services else it would have dispensed with them long ago. He's about as clean as they make 'em *this* season.

— Mr. Cyrus Cumming has recently purchased the Taylor tobacco store opposite the postoffice and has it in successful operation. Mr. Cummings has put in a fine stock of all kinds of goods and is prepared to furnish the choicest imported cigar, pure tobacco, or anything else in that line. Mr. Cummings's character and standing in the community are a guarantee that the establishment will hereafter be one that will deserve the patronage of the best portion of Woburn's male population.

— The Woburn Board of Trade will hold a special meeting at their rooms at 8 o'clock this evening to consider the the scheme of utilizing the Carter rink for manufacturing purposes. Secretary Lewis in his notice to members says concerning it: "Parties stand ready to come to Woburn and locate their business here if arrangements can be made to furnish them suitable locations and buildings. Any business connected with this subject can be acted upon at this meeting. Members are especially urged to attend and extend the invitation to Citizens generally to be present with us."

— The Woburn Woman's Club have engaged as one of the speakers Mr. John Baker now of Boston, a Russian Refugee, whose statements of his own experiences, and those of other members of his family, are most thrillingly given. Mrs. Livermore pronounces him superior to George Kennan, whose lectures on the same subject have been listened to with such interest by immense audiences in Boston. In order that the husbands and other friends of the Club may have an opportunity to listen to Mr. Baker the meeting will be held in the evening instead of the afternoon. Particulars next week.

— Miss Celia Reade, chief clerk in the Woburn Centre postoffice, has kindly furnished the JOURNAL with the following figures for publication. They indicate that under Mr. Reade's energetic and liberal administration of the affairs of the office its business has grown beyond belief almost. It should be borne in mind that these figures relate solely to the work of the carriers and have nothing to do with the inside delivery business of the office. Number of carriers at $850 per year, 5; number who make 3 daily delivery trips, 3; 2 daily delivery trips, 1; 4 daily delivery trips, 1. In collecting 2 carriers make 4 trips a day, and 3 make 3 trips. These carriers handled the following mail matter during the month of Oct. 1890: Registered letters, 35; letters delivered, 26,584; postal cards delivered, 5,943; 2, 3 and 4th class matter delivered, 16,641; local letters collected, 1,661; mail letters collected, 8,743; local postal cards collected, 1,242; mail postal cards collected, 1,778; 2, 3 and 4th class matter collected, 748; making a total number of pieces handled by the carriers in that time 63,075.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus," Dec. 4.

— It is announced that the board which marked the grave of the hero Houghton in the Norfolk Naval Cemetery for 25 years and was taken away when the remains of Houghton were removed to their final resting-place in Holyrood Cemetery, has been framed and will be presented to the trustees of the Woburn Public Library with appropriate ceremonies this evening. The visitors from Boston will be Capt. White, Lieut. Daley, Inspector Houghton, brother of the brave marine, and others, by whom the presentation of the slab will be made After the ceremonies a collation will be served. The occasion will be one of much interest no doubt.

— In the death of Mrs. Celende T. Dow, relict of the late Stephen Dow, a prominent and wealthy business man and citizen of Woburn, which occurred last Saturday afternoon at her residence in this city after a somewhat protracted illness, the community lost one of its oldest and most highly esteemed members, and the poor and needy a friend whose place it will be hard to fill. She will be missed and sincerely mourned by a great many people, for she was kind and charitable without ostentation towards all, and nobody will ever know just how much good she did here until the records are examined in the world above, for Mrs. Dow was a christian woman who never let her right hand know what her left one was doing.

— We have been saying good things about "Priscilla" and telling people what it was like for over four weeks and it all came out just as we said it would. There is no better or more pleasing comic opera than "Priscilla" extant and it was produced in Lyceum Hall last Wednesday and Thursday evenings in the best of style to good audiences. It is full of mirth and jollity, humor and laughter — not the button-busting kind but — hearty, happy, fat-making laughter. Mr. Macomber is a splendid Director, and where can a better pianoforte accompanist than Miss Mertena Bancroft be found? And there are few finer soloists than Miss Mable Davis, and the Boston artists were all first class. These were the people who floated "Priscilla" so charmingly at Lyceum Hall: Mr. C. E. Macomber of Boston, Director; the part of "Priscilla" was admirably acted by Miss May Bates Rice, and Miss Maud Pratt appeared as Barbara. Harry L. Chase as Miles Standish; W. H. Dodd as Hatebad Higgins; Miss Mabel Davis as "Resignation;" Frank Cummings as Gov. Bradford, while the Mayflower buds were Miss L. Maud Pratt as Barbara; Miss Stella Lincoln as Faith, and Miss Addie Richards as Prudence. The chorus was large and composed of choice singers, whose names were; Mrs. E. B. Blanchard, Mrs. Charles L. Grammer, Mrs. H. B. Clewley, Miss McLaine, Miss Ellard, Miss Richards, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Remick, Miss Edie Davis, Mrs. Capt. Parker, Miss Lucy Woodside, Z. W. Atwood, Henry B. Wood, Mr. Clewley, George Cutler, Will W. Crosby, Mr. Story, Clarence A. Pierce, Edward Q. Brackett, Frank Cummings. If there were any more the JOURNAL reporter failed to find them. The affair gave great satisfaction to all.

For the Realm Beyond.

The writer, familiar with the woods and woodcraft, has hunted all animals in our nothern forests from the lynx down to the rabbit and is familiar with the habits of all. Not one of them but what takes some form of bath each day. In nature cleanliness follows the appeasing of hunger and here humanity gets a solid lesson. Take it to heart, add Brussels soap, and thus make clearer your path to the celestial realm.

A Silver Wedding.

The celebration of the 25th anniversary of the wedding of Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Montgomery in the vestry of the M. E. Church last Monday evening by their hosts of warm friends was a very pleasant affair. A large company were present from Boston and other cities in addition to the home visitors, all of whom were happily entertained.

The celebration was under the management of Mr. Frank W. Legg, and on behalf of many generous donors Mr. Warren P. Adams presented the pair with a purse containing $180 in silver and other good things. Mr. Montgomery replied to Mr. Adams's neat words of presentation appropriately and feelingly, and both were listened to with much interest.

Among those from whom letters containing contributions to the purse were received were: J. D. Flint, Fall River; D. O. Means, Worcester; E. H. Haskell, Boston; Henry H. Faxon, the celebrated temperance champion of Quincy; John K. C. Sleeper & Co., Boston; Samuel May, Strawbery Hill, Liecester; A. G. Hill, Florence; W. W. Rice, Worcester.

The occasion was one which will be long remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery and all who participated in it.

An Important Correction.

The following is a correct statement concerning the collection of taxes by City Collector Maguire which requires no explanation to be understood. The figures were taken from the collector's books:

1889.

Commitment,		$157,127 72
Taxes Collected in Sept. 1889,	$16,644 00	
" " " Oct. 1889,	94,179 28	
" Abated by Assessor,	133 68	110,956 96
		$46,170 76

1890.

Commitment,		$154,722 50
Taxes Collected in Sept. 1890,	$11,239 42	
" " " Oct. 1890,	102,079 88	
" Abated by Assessor,	296 48	113,615 78
		$41,106 72

The Fair.

The Fair given by the Daughters of Rebekah on three evenings last week was an immense success. The ladies who had it in charge know how to do such things, are enterprising, and carry in their vocabulary no such word as fail. The attendance was very large each evening, and everyone who went was delighted. The voting on the various schemes was very spirited and resulted in many surprises. In the baby contest the prize went just where it belonged. The sales of confectionery, etc., were full up to high-water mark and money was made from them. On the whole the Fair was a big enterprise and great success.

City Election.

The figures of last Tuesday's election in this city need no prefatory remarks from the Editor's pen. And besides, the Editor is in no mood to indulge in long-minded speculation over the matter, but, rather, to let the whys and wherefores slide. The simple truth about the business is, the Republican party in this city got beautifully whipped. We met the enemy and we were theirs in a hurry. We were the "under dog in the fight" from the start, and ought to be thankful that we got out alive. The figures show some queer politics; but then, that is the way figures have on off years, and sometimes in other ones.

Well, it is tough; but the Republicans of Woburn have been licked so many times that they don't seem to mind it much now. Here are the returns kindly furnished by City Clerk Moreland.

	Wards.						
FOR GOVERNOR	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Brackett,	122	157	145	181	39	103	63
Russell,	258	282	231	177	109	79	99
Blackmer,	8	13	13	17	6	8	2
LIEUT. GOV.							
Hale,	124	191	144	184	147	106	62
Corcoran,	253	269	223	164	104	72	92
Kempton,	7	13	9	18	3	7	0
SEC'Y OF STATE							
Olin,	123	156	136	180	41	104	58
Crittenden,	6	13	12	20	5	9	1
Cushman,	252	273	225	169	104	74	91
ATTOR. GEN'L.							
Pillsbury,	122	158	138	181	45	103	58
Maynard,	243	266	216	162	98	68	89
Hamlin,	5	11	9	19	3	9	0
TREASURER							
Marden,	127	156	140	182	45	107	56
Gleason,	5	13	10	21	2	8	2
Munn,	248	264	218	155	103	70	91
CONGRESS							
Fox,	120	143	135	169	42	104	63
Hoar,	253	285	232	186	104	72	88
Roberts,	3	11	8	18	2	5	1
SENATOR							
Wyer,	134	156	143	179	41	105	71
Felch,	245	264	235	171	97	68	83
Whitford,	2	14	12	18	5	10	1
AUDITOR							
Ladd,	106	130	127	151	136	82	45
Trefry,	245	263	216	165	102	67	89
Smith,	6	19	10	24	3	14	3
COUNCILLOR							
Truell,	122	158	130	177	42	99	56
Pillsbury,	9	13	12	22	3	8	0
Hayward,	244	260	223	166	98	73	94
CO. COM.							
Reed,	122	153	138	181	46	99	55
Potter,	240	259	220	164	99	70	91
Underhill,	4	14	7	18	4	9	1
REPRESENTATIVES							
Pierce,	98	136	149	134	45	89	53
Kittredge,	111	137	114	162	41		
Hevey,	266	292	250	180	99	75	102
Reid,	238	256	203	161	93	70	96
Wright,	4	13	9	23	1	4	1
Bontelle,	7	21	7	22	4	10	1

14TH MIDDLESEX REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

	Woburn	Reading	Total
Pierce,	704	274	978
Kittredge,	707	352	1059
Hevey,	1264	129	1393
Reid,	1118	252	1370

Amendment to the Constitution to prevent the disfranchisement of voters because of a change of residence within the Commonwealth.

Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Yes,	108	133	131	139	53	71	37
No,	53	84	45	19	15	21	22

Amendment to the Constitution relative to soldiers and sailors exercising the right of franchise.

Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Yes,	130	169	145	115	51	77	47
No,	33	33	18	60	12	13	15

Y. M. C. A.

The "week of prayer" will be observed next week.

Cantata, "Wreck of the Hesperus" to be given by the best of Talent December 4.

Special Prayer Meeting Saturday evening at 8 o'clock for men. We desire to welcome all members of the Assopiation.

Sunday, 3 p. m., Boys meeting, and boys those of you who do not attend will miss a good talk. Mr. Robson will sing to you.

Next Sunday will be observed the 12th anniversary of the organization of the Association. Mr. H. M. More of Somerville will speak in the evening at union service.

Special talk to men by Evangelist Smith next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Every man should hear him. Mr. Smith comes to us highly recommended. Mr. Robson who was with us last year will be with him.

The Singing Class met last Monday evening and the lessons will commence Nov. 17. To this class all persons who would enjoy to learn to sing are invited. Mr. E. P. Russell, Music teacher in the public schools, is the instructor. Join before Nov. 17.

PROGRAMME FOR WEEK OF PRAYER.

Sunday, Nov. 9. 4 p. m. Men only. Evangelist Smith and Robson.

Monday, Nov. 10. 7.30 p. m. Men only. Deputation from Boston Y. M. C. Association.

Tuesday, Nov. 11. 7.30 p. m. Men only. Deputation from Harvard College Y. M. C. Association.

Wednesday, Nov. 12. 7.30 p. m. Weekly Church Meeting in churches. Subject: "Our Boys."

Thursday, Nov. 13. 7.30 p. m. For all Mr. N. S. Greet, Chalk Talk. Subject: "Captive Maid."

Friday, Nov. 14. 7.30 p. m. Young People Societies and all others. Evangelist Smith and Robson.

Saturday, Nov. 15. 7.30 p. m. Men only. Evangelist Smith and Robson.

Sunday, Nov. 16. 12th Anniversary.

The day will be observed at all the churches; sermons in the morning to Young Men by city pastors.

Afternoon meetings; Anniversary Exercises in the Congregational Church in the evening at 7. Speakers will be announced later.

A Woburn Man.

L. W. Cooper, after a successful business career of thirteen years in this city, has disposed of his piping business—stock, fixtures and good will—to W. R. Park & Son. It was founded by W. L. Jordan in 1875. He was an old apprentice of Mr. Cooper and was helped by him to start with a good outfit of piping supplies, but at the end of two years his affairs were far from being in good shape, and to make the best of a bad thing Mr. Cooper bought his stock. By the new management things were put upon a paying basis, and by hard work evolved to their present success. Many of the large steam plants about the city stand as proofs of Mr. Cooper's skill and sound judgment. Among his customers have been the largest manufacturing establishments, while he has associated with and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the prominent dealers and capitalists in his line of business. His career has been marked by high integrity and financial standing. The many people who have gathered at his shop—smoked his ever-handy pipes and listened to his stories—will deeply regret his retirement from business, but these thirteen years have been a period of constant activity—have been broken by scarcely a holiday, and the leisure which he will now enjoy has seldom been more thoroughly earned. There are few kinder hearted men, few whose good deeds are more quietly done and few who are more truly and honestly esteemed than our friend.—*Taunton Gazette.*

Mr. Cooper expects to return to this city about next April and take up his permanent abode. He has many friends here who will welcome him back.

$10.00 in Gold.

Highland Hose Co., No. 5, of Woburn, have entered the *Globe* voting contest, their object being to obtain the $300 library offered to the fire company receiving the highest number of votes. The company make the following offer;—

A $5 gold piece will be given to the boy or girl sending in the highest number of coupons between Nov. 4, and the date of closing the contest.

To the boy or girl sending the second highest number of votes, a $2.50 gold piece.

To the boy or girl sending the third highest number of votes, a $2.50 gold piece.

Votes to be sent in as often as possible, accompanied by the name of the sender. Votes will be marked by the Co. To be left at "*The News*" Office, No. 325 Main street, Woburn.

All responses to the above will be gratefully appreciated by the members of the company.

JOHN H. BATES, Foreman.
H. L. ANDREWS, Clerk.

"Wreck of the Hesperus," Dec. 4.

Storage Battery System

The latest report on the subject of electric propulsion makes it appear that the storage battery system, even at its present stage, is cheaper than horse power. If that is the case, perhaps it would be just as well to worry along with the latter for a few years more, rather than permit the erection of poles and wires in the heart of the city, however desirable they may be in the outskirts.—*Boston Traveller.*

Recent experiments at St. Paul demonstrated to the entire satisfaction of the large number of electricians and representatives of street railway companies who were there to witness and possibly to profit by them, that the storage battery system even in its uncompleted development, was a signal success as applied to the running of street cars, and could be safely relied on for the power necessary and to meet satisfactorily all the demands of the business. Many street railway companies in the West are now using the storage battery system, and it is only a matter of a short time when the employment of it will become universal. It is generally understood that President Breed of the No. Woburn and East Middlesex Street Railroad Companies and principal stockholder in both, as well as the chief owner and President of the Lynn and Boston line, is only waiting for a solution of this question satisfactory to his own mind to adopt electricity as the motive power on those roads, and that it would not be at all surprising if the change was made next spring. President Breed is a wide-awake, intelligent, 19th century sort of a man who keeps square up with the best "modern improvements" in his business, and knowing this to be true we shall be not a little surprised if the No. Woburn and East Middlesex Companies are not running cars on their routs with electricity employed by the storage battery system by May 1, 1891.

According to common report these lines of street railway have had a prosperous business year since Jan. 1, 1890 came in. There has been a large increase of travel on both, and the prospect for a still larger one next year is flattering. With wise and judicious management at the head of the Companies, and hard work directed by the good judgment of Supt. Sewell of the No. Woburn, and Supt. Wentworth of the East Middlesex (both thorough-going and experienced street railway men) it was expected that the patronage and net revenues of the lines which they manage would grow right along, and such, reports say, is the truth.

With such encouraging statements and fair prospects for these lines, coupled with the fact that electricity as a motive power is here to stay, and that the storage battery system is certain to prevail over all others and that too very soon, we think the belief that the cars on the N. W. and E. M. roads will abandon their horses for lightning within a year is a very reasonable one.

A careless and extravagant man will wade in mud until it is up to the straps of his boots, and care nothing about ruining them, but he will growl like thunder if his wife don't economize by using Brussels soap.

A Wonderfully Varied Array.

At the seventeeth triennial exhibition of the Massachusetts Charitable Association the big Mechanics Fair, on Huntington Avenue, Boston, art and science, the practical and the æsthetic, are so interwoven in the thousand or more different exhibits brought together from all parts of New England, and carefully arranged in the big Exhibition Building, that individual tastes, however widely they may differ, are sure to find many things of great interest. There is a wonderful variety—from a superb oil painting to a big casting or a grind-stone; from that wonderful piece of machinery, the loom, or the cotton gin, so invaluable to the cotton manufacturer; or the hundred other machines of notable notable worth, down through all the stages to a top or automatic toy for a boy; from those remarkable inventions, the telephone and the phonograph, to the plain, uninspiring pressed brick—surely here is an array that must interest the artist, the inventor, the capitalist, the working man, the teacher and the pupil; in fact, everybody. The fair enters upon its fifth week under the brightest auspi es, and though the attendance has been remarkably large, there is no doubt that still greater crowds will assemble during the remaining weeks.

"My feet are so slim I never can get a good fit unless I pay quite a high price." Then try Stetson at his well-known store, corner of Hanover and Blackstone streets, and see what he can do for you in the way of a Ladies' fine boot. Goat or Kid for just $2.

The "Angelus."

Concerning Millet's celebrated painting "The Angelus," now on exhibition in Boston and drawing great crowds of people daily the Boston *Herald* of Oct. 31 says:

At last the "Angelus," the famous painting by Millet, arrived in Boston! It was at once placed on exhibition in connection with the Verestchagin pictures. Among the people who thus improved the first opportunity to see a work so celebrated were many of the leading artists, art lovers, and persons prominent in Boston society.

It is likely that the picture may be seen here for only a few days.

The scene yesterday was much like that before a venerated shrine in a chapel, the beholders sitting in silence in the seats before the picture, almost as if in devotion, in sympathy with the subject.

The beautiful arrangement of the exhibition, with its magnificent hangings, is much admired by visitors. Too much can hardly be said in praise of the skill and taste of Mr. Brandus in taking what was substantially a barn in its huge bareness and transforming it in such short order into a series of picture galleries worthy of a permanent art museum.

North Woburn.

I am glad to see Miss Florence Wyman up and about again.

Mr. C. J. Levers has recently built an addition to his factory on Pearl street. This means a large business.

A large number of our citizens attended the comic opera "Pricilla" and were very much pleased with the performance.

Many of our citizens think we should have a later train to Boston, the 5.59 P. M. train being the last one to leave our station for the Hub.

On Friday evening, Oct. 31, Vidette Hall was the scene of a very well attended dance which was managed by "The Jolly Rovers." Music was furnished by a good orchestra.

I am happy to see that the Supt. of the Highway has at last taken measures to repair our streets. It is indeed time that something should be done as they are a disgrace to our Ward as well as to the city.

Owing to the great increase of business Mr. Charles E. Eaton, manufacturer of shoe stock, has found it necessary to build a larger factory on his estate at Pearl street. The building is two and one-half stories high, and is heated with steam.

All good citizens should encourage home enterprise and buy their boots, shoes and rubbers of Herman F. Page, 87 Elm street, directly opposite Count Rumford's birthplace. A good steady Barber should be able to earn a fair living in this Ward.

"Wreck of the Hesperus," Dec. 4.

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Public Library Notes.

Special attention is directed this month to the Bulletin of accessions for the year. In its arrangement it is somewhat different from those preceding, being a classified list of the books alphabetically arranged with author and subject indexes; also a synopsis of the classification showing the general arrangement of the classes. It is hoped that this new method will greatly facilitate the process of finding books, and will be found a great assistance to those looking for works on special subjects. This, together with the card catalogue of all the bulletins catalogued by author and subject, and the class list of 1879, brings the entire library within the range of the reader.

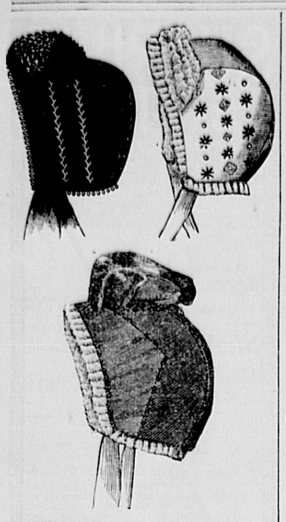
It is true that one of the most encouraging signs of the times to one who is interested in noting the great amount of reading matter which is forced upon the attention is the condensed and abbreviated form in which knowledge is presented. The short biographies of historic personages which are being published are a great relief to a large class of readers. Among these are "The English Men of Action," American Reformers," and "Famous Women Series." Miss Sarah Bolton is the author of several books which are a great delight and profit to the reader. Among the latest are "Famous European Artists," and "Famous English Authors." She says that since all these distinguished workers possessed untiring industry and a resolute purpose to succeed, to read about them may be stimulating and encouraging to all those who would make the most of their opportunities. The author gives simply and clearly a full and fair sketch of the life and works of each person. "Cardinal Newman" by Richard Hutton was ready for the press before the death of this one of the most commanding figures in the religious world for in his singleness of purpose and the devotion to the main object of his life it would be difficult to find many men that could rival him.

Life of Dorothy L. Dix by T. Tiffany is the story of the founder of great and enduring institutions of mercy in America and Europe, living to the advanced age of eighty-five, and never pausing in her career of beneficient work till fully eighty; a woman of great excellence and dignity of character who said at one time "My reputation and my services belong to my country; my history and my affections are consecrated to my friends. I am not ambitious of of nominal distinctions, and notoriety is my special aversion." She rallied to her side a band of able men like Palfry, Channing and Sumner and interested them in hospital work and public institutions for the poor and unfariunate. In addition to the "Famous Women of the French Court," already noticed in previous notes as being valuable both as history and a study of human nature, is "Marie Louise and the Decadence of the Empire." This covers the intensely dramatic decline of the French Empire from the Russian Campaign when the wife of the Emperor "had the world at her feet" to the desperate campaign of 1814 which concluded her brief and brilliant reign.

European Days and Ways" by Alfred E. Lee, late Consul General of the U. S., is a book of travels of a higher grade than the usual volume which come from the hands of an ordinary traveller. This book covers Germany. Switzerland, Italy and Spain with many interesting criticisms especially on works of art. Stories by Rudyard Kepling, whose books are receiving so much attention in this country and in England at the present time, are stories of Anglo-Indian life and society—life of the people of their white rulers and of the private soldier. It is said that he has for the first time shown English readers what India is like, how full of various life and romance. He seems to have seen and known and been able to make real and vivid the manner of life of all classes in that continent.

"Ascutney Street" by Mrs. Whitney holds up an attractive ideal of character and life not impossible of attainment. Mrs. Deland who our readers will recognize as being the author of the popular book "John Ward Preacher" has published another story called "Sidney" which not unlike the former, abounds in dramatic incidents and is pleasing and entertaining.

"The Anglomaniacs" is bright and vivacious and those who have crossed the Atlantic on a few voyages will not fail to find amusement in the portrayal of scenes upon a European steamer. And will no doubt recognize a familiar character in the British dowager. "Manual Training" is by C. M. Woodward, a person who has given much thought and time to this important matter. No doubt this subject has grown in the minds of the people both in America and England greatly during the last few years and in this work the author discusses most fully the strictly educational bearings in manual work and it is hoped that it will help on in the cause of this rational and most useful education. A writer has said that nations write their histories in three ways: in the book of their Deeds, in the book of their Words and in the book of their Arts. To read one of these



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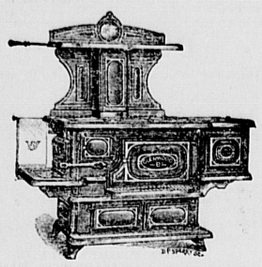

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Glenwood Cook

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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

The Gypsy Moth.

This part of the State has recently learned with alarm that the range of the Gypsy Moth is increasing, that it is journeying north, and that the Mystic Valley is in peril from its ravages. For some distance around Medford, where the exotic was first discovered in America, the blighting effects of its voracious appetite are suffered, and an enlargement of its field of operations is viewed with the gravest apprehension.

A couple of years ago, or so, members of the Gypsy Moth family, whose native land is France or thereabouts, found their way to America and settled in Medford. When first discovered their presence excited no fear because nobody knew what they were, but the investigations of gentlemen skilled in the science of insectology demonstrated that the foreign visitor was the veritable Gypsy Moth, which greatly alarmed the fruit and tree cultivators of Medford, for some of them had read that he was a tough customer to handle.

Grave consultations were held, and as soon as the next Legislature convened a committee of Medford gentlemen appeared before it with a petition for protection from the destructive invader. A legislative committee recognized the justice of Medford's appeal for succor and forthwith reported a bill to meet it. It provided for the same old remedy that the Legislature always resorts to for healing all kinds of real or imaginary public ills—namely, a Commission. A Commission was raised and an appropriation voted with no unnecessary delay. In Massachusetts a Commission is considered the great panacea for every public disease. The State is full and running over with them. Two-thirds of them are asylums for broken-down and poverty-stricken politicians.

The Board of Commissioners met, organized, and provided for a fair division of the appropriation. After a while they began to think something about exterminating the foreign pest. That was what they were there for, although at first the fact did not seem to be fully appreciated.

The first step of the Board was to get a large quantity of paris green, a number of sprinklers and a corps of experts to use them. Every tree in Medford suspected of harboring the enemy was filled full of paris green, after which a danger signal was nailed to its trunk informing the public that it had received its squirting and was in no condition to be fooled with. The black and white placards greatly enhanced the beauty of the trees.

So enthusiastically did the Board and their employes go into the work of extermination that they "doctored" trees which did not need it, and a couple of weeks ago Mr. J. T. Foster sued the Board to recover $300 damages which he alleged their recklessly used paris green had inflicted on his fruit trees. Notwithstanding which the Commissioners continue to hold fortnightly meetings and draw their salary with the same regularity as before.

Finding that the Moth seemed to thrive, multiply, and increase its domain on paris green, a little while ago the Commission bethought themselves of feather dusters as a weapon of defence. The brilliant thought was immediately acted on: a load of feather dusters was bought, a small army of men experienced in feather dusters were hired, and the battle reopened. But the bulwark of feather dusters turns out to be no bulwark at all; the Moth sits on the limbs and laughs at his enemies; he is covering more territory daily; and what is to be done?

The JOURNAL is no alarmist, but it thinks heroic measures ought to be taken to advert the threatened calamity.

Why not increase the appropriation? or try the experiment of making up the Board on a non-partisan basis?

It's economical—Brussels soap.

This Is One

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OF OUR

Stylish Fall Garments.

It is a 27-inch Jacket of Diagonal Cheviot with full vest, shawl collar, entire garment bound with silk braid.

We have a good assortment of styles in Beaver and other cloths.

Our Seal Plush Sacks are very pretty, of good quality and at very low prices.

C. Willard Smith

399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

Boston Theatres.

The English version of Offenbach's "Grand Duchess," which recently held the stage at the New York Casino for 100 nights, is the attraction now offered by Manager Aronson's company at the Globe Theatre. It will be continued one week longer and is drawing immense audiences each evening. Unusual care has been taken in putting the opera upon the stage, and some idea of the lavish expenditure for this purpose can be gained from the completeness of other productions by Manager Aronson in this line. The first act scene is a winter encampment of the troops, with the trees and the ground covered with snow, and the entrance of the grand duchess is made in a Russian sled. The second act is a white and amber salon. The first scene of the third act is a corridor in the castle, and the last scene of all is a duplicate of the first act scene, but painted in a summer effect. A military band and drum corps appear in the first act. A sabor dance is introduced in the first act, and a waltz minuet closes the second act. The costumes have all been renewed for this production, and those to be worn by Camille Darville, who appears in the title role, were especially designed by Baron de Grimm.

The laughter-making comedians, Evans and Hoey, "old hoss and me," will present their great success, "A Parlor Match," at the Grand Opera House next week, introducing a number of new features. The piece is sparkling from beginning to end, and in its latest form is more popular than ever. "Old hoss" will continue to collect for the auction room, and I. McCorker still pursues his literary avocation. "A Parlor Match" leads all farce comedies in the amount of money made.

Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL HERALD, published by Oliver Ditson & Co. in Boston is the leading musical publication in the country. The November number contains pieces of new music and many other things in which musical people will be interested.

THE NEW MOON for November is as bright as a dollar just from the mint. Everything found within its covers is firstclass. It has always been a mystery to us how such an excellent publication as THE NEW MOON is could be afforded at so low a subscription price—only $1.00 a year.

OUR LITTLE ONES for November is a beauty. Its pictures are many and fine. If a large share of its portraits are not from "life"—genuine photographs—then we miss our guess. OUR LITTLE ONES is one of the best youth's magazines, and is published by the Russell Publishing Company, Boston.

The frontispiece of the November CENTURY is that familiar picture "Lincoln and his son Tad." This sterling and very popular magazine celebrates its twentieth anniversary with the November number—a number which is intended to exemplify the best that an illustrated magazine of our day can do for its innumerable readers. In the editorial on the event the editor claims for THE CENTURY a sane and earnest Americanism, an Americanism that deems the best of the Old World none too good for the New. Instead of viewing at length the literary and artistic achievements of the magazine the editor considers it best to celebrate the astonishing progress in magazine printing during the past twenty years in an illustrated article by Theodore De Vinne of the De Vinne Press. There is a profusion and variety in the illustration of the November number which is remarkable even for THE CENTURY—varying from the actinic reproduction of rapid pen work to the exquisite engraving of Cole in the Old Master series—(a full-page after Signorelli.) The literary matter is all of the best, every piece of poetry, tale, sketch, etc., being choice. The November number is a brilliant one.

The merit of Mellin's Food consists not only in its superiority over other substitutes for mother's milk, but also in the readiness with which it is prepared. It is a real blessing to the busy or tired mother, for a very few minutes night and morning are all that are necessary to prepare the baby's food for twenty-four hours.

WINCHESTER.

Miss Rogers of New York is a guest at Sunnyside.

An election of officers of the W. H. G. will be held at 7.30 p. m. Nov. 8.

Mrs. W. P. Greeley and Miss Emma Greeley are in Illinois for a month.

Mrs. Joshua Coit of this town has been elected a vice-president of the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Hen thieves are are prowling about this town stealing all the poultry they can lay their hands on. A hen thief is, it anything, worse than a sheep-stealer.

The second entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. course was given on Tuesday evening, Nov. 4. It consisted of readings and impersonations by Prof. Churchill.

The Auxiliary of the McAll Mission held its annual meeting in the Congregational church last Sunday evening. Rev. Daniel March, D. D., delivered the address.

"Tom Kaul, Sr." poured a newspaper broadside into the W. V. I. A. through the *Star*. It was in the nature of a sockdollager. It must have made some folks squirm.

A pear tree on the grounds of A. J. Edwards, Water street, presented a peculiar phenomenon last week. One half of the tree contained ripe fruit, while the other was covered with blossoms.

One hundred members of the Calumet Club of this town dined at Young's Hotel Wednesday evening week. Plans for a club house were discussed. The organization is in a most flourishing condition.

A competitive examination for the West Point cadetship vacancy in the sixth Congressional District will be held in the City Hall, Lynn, Nov. 15. Samuel W. McCall of this town is Chairman of the examining board.

Editor Wilson of the *Star* has one of the nicest, neatest and trigest newspaper establishments in Middlesex county. He makes a tip-top paper too, in which work the footprints of *Mrs.* Editor Wilson are plainly discernable.

A number of friends of John Daley called at his house on Cross street Saturday evening and tendered a surprise party to his son. The young man was presented with a stylish set of harness to go with the horse which his father had given to him.

Mrs. Susan J. Smith observed her ninety second birthday at Sunnyside, Winchester, at the residence of her nephew, Mr. George H. Gilbert, on Oct. 30. Mrs. Smith has two sons, Mr. John H. D. Smith, Treasurer of the Boston Belting Company, and Henry F. Smith of Concord, Mass.; also a daughter, Mrs. Charles R. Bliss of Chicago. Her sister, Miss Lavinia Farnham, who resides with Mrs. Smith, was 84 in August last.

Lawyer McCall is President of an association organized to bring about the abolition of the poll tax as a prerequisite to the exercise of suffrage. He was never in better business politically in his life. The poll tax is a relic of feudal times and rightfully has no place in the political economy of this Republic. Only three or four states have laws requiring the payment of a poll tax requisite before the right to vote can be exercised. I hope Lawyer McCall will keep right on until this absurd law now on our statute books is repealed.

The following is the excellent showing of the condition of the Winchester Savings Bank on Oct. 15, by the Board of Trustees:

ASSETS.

Mortgages,	$101,175
Bonds,	102,911 30
Personal Notes,	73,900 00
Bank Stock,	36,006 25
Taxes paid,	507 60
Expenses paid,	526 35
Cash on hand,	24,371 71
	$439,398 21

LIABILITIES.

Due depositors,	$410,669 32
Guarantee fund,	9,449 01
Premium fund,	4,019 13
Interest accounts,	11,260 75
Due on Mortgage,	4,000 00
	$439,398 21

A dividend of two and one quarter per cent was declared.

EDWARD A. SMITH, Clerk.
DAVID N. SKILLINGS, Treas.,
THOMAS P. AYER,
JAMES F. DWINELL,
MOSES A. HERRICK,
STEPHEN THOMPSON,
Committee of Investment.

As winter draws near the subject of Lamps is often discussed. A good lamp is a household blessing, and a poor one often proves a curse to its owner. There is an advertisement headed "Lamps" in this paper which combines instruction with timely information on this important subject, and we advise a careful reading of it by our readers.

Burlington.

Rev. Mr. Murphy of Middleton preached at the church last Sunday.

The Agricultural Society held their annual election, Saturday evening. The following officers were chosen: J. F. Rice, President; Thomas Pollock Vice President; H. H. Nichols, Secretary; W. W. Skelton, Treasurer; Chas. McIntire, David O'Brien, William Graham, Directors.

Vote of Burlington:

GOVERNOR.

John Q. A. Brackets,	29
William E. Russell,	31
John Blackmer,	2

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

William H. Haile,	30
John W. Corcoran,	31
George Kempton,	2

TREASURER AND RECEIVER GENERAL.

George A. Marden,	26
Edwin L. Munn,	28
William H. Gleason,	2

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS. FIFTH DIST.

James A. Fox,	30
Sherman Hoar,	30
James H. Roberts,	2

SENATOR FIFTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT.

Edwin F. Wyer,	30
Mark C. Felch,	28
Hiram Whitford,	2

REPRESENTATIVE, NINETEENTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT.

Richard F. Barrett,	30
Arthur H. Jewett,	30

Mr. Lester B. Skelton recently shot two raccoons.

It is the street car conductor who remembers Lot's wife. He never looks back.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

You can generally get a point on insect life by making yourself familiar with the bee.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

LAMPS.

There are six essential points to a good lamp. It must be tasty in design, perfect in finish, non-leakable, produce the greatest possible light with least expenditure of oil, and be reasonable in price. We know our Lamps fulfil these requirements.

This Banquet Lamp is of finely polished brass, 36 inches high, and has duplex burner. Beautiful muslin, silk fringed shade. A real gem, costing only **$2.49,** that will give you splendid service for a lifetime.

Parlor Lamps with delicately colored bisque base, hand-decorated shade, lift-out fount, unbreakable chimney, with patent extinguisher, are a real pleasure, and at **$2.69,** our price, are not luxuries, but a necessity in every house.

We have lots of patterns and mounts, and can suit a full or lean pocket.

10 cents buys a real cute medium-size hand lamp, fully furnished with chimney and wick. See illustration.

If you have any idea of purchasing any kind of a lamp, you will lose money if you do not write us and let us give you our price for it delivered free at your home.

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Turkey Supper,

Entertainment and Art Loan Exhibition will be given on

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ICE CREAM served during the evening.

Supper at 6.30.

Tickets 30 Cents.

For sale at the door.

Hallett & Cumston

Have a beautiful assortment of Upright Pianos, in a great variety of figured woods, such as English Oak, Mahogany, Blister Walnut and Magnolia. They sell on easy monthly instalments, as well as for cash, and will take second-hand pianos, of any manufacture, in exchange. They have also a large number of entirely new Pianos to rent. Please call and examine before buying elsewhere.

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TWO SPECIALTIES.

$2.00 choice, foreign wood handles, fast colors; cover to match; tassel and steel tip, 26 and 28 inches.

$2.50, scented wood handle (latest), fast color, close folding, very durable, 26 and 28 inches.

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As a whole or in part, Cook's shop, 489 Main street, Woburn. Will extend lower story to line of street, and put on modern store front. Will refit entire building to suit tenant. Power if wanted. Enquire of

JOHN I. MUNROE.

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In Woburn, Sunday, Nov. 2, a Ladies' HAND BAG. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying charges. Call at

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The Largest Stock. The Greatest Variety. The Lowest Prices.

Special Bargains in a few Surplus Lots, the result of closing up and consolidating our Branch Stores. These we shall sell without regard to worth or cost at

$5.75, $6.00, $8.00, $10.00.

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WE ARE Still in It

Our prices are always the same as in Boston. Read the bargains we are offering.

New Valencia Raisins,	8c. per lb.
" Ondara "	10c. " "
" California "	10c. " "
" Currants,	6c. " "
" Leghorn Citron,	20c. " "
" Lemon Peel,	20c. " "
" Orange "	20c. " "

Notice that these are all new goods.

Boston Branch

Tea and Grocery House,

327 & 329 Main St.

FITZ & STANLEY.

By E. PRIOR, Auctioneer,
Office, 421 Main Street, Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Nathan G. Green to Albert Gates, Jr., and by said Gates assigned to Harvey N. Shepard, trustee under the will of Mary I. Proctor, dated 30 December, A. D., 1885, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, So. Dist., Libro 1733, Folio 114, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the twenty-second day of November, 1890, at three o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on Central street, being Lot "R" on a plan of the "Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's Purchase" recorded in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 11, Page 29, containing sixteen thousand square feet, more or less, and bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by land of William Morgan, late of William Totman, and Elisha J. Mann, about two hundred feet; easterly by land of heirs of Ellen Marlow, formerly belonging to Bowen Buckman, about eighty feet; northerly by land formerly belonging to Elisha J. Mann, about two hundred feet; and westerly by said Central street, about eighty feet.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

HARVEY N. SHEPARD, Trustee.

Boston, 28 Oct., 1890.

City of Woburn.

The Registrars of Voters

Will be in session at their Office in MUNICIPAL BUILDING, on Common Street, to receive applications of Registration on the

Afternoons of November 20 & 22,

From 2 till 5 o'clock; the Evenings of

November 8, 18, 20, 21, 22,

At 7 o'clock.

Registration for the Municipal Election of the current year will close at 10 o'clock on the evening of November 22.

Applicants for Registration must present a receipted Tax Bill either for the past or present year.

Naturalized citizens must produce their final Naturalization papers for inspection.

E. F. HAYWARD,
THOMAS D. HEVEY,
DAVID F. MORELAND,
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Woburn, Nov. 1, 1890.

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Nice House To Let,

A Nice House: 8 rooms: pleasantly located in good neighborhood: convenient to steam and horse cars, schools, churches, business, etc.; modern improvements. Inquire of

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A House To Let.

A House of 6 Rooms at 185 Lexington street, Woburn, to rent at a reasonable price. Inquire of

MRS. C. H. MENTZER,
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Miss Alice O'Brien,

TEACHER OF PIANO-FORTE

Will RECEIVE PUPILS, on reasonable terms, at her home

No. 20 Church Ave., Woburn, Mass.

MRS. ANNIE VAUGHN.

Fall Millinery.

Mrs. V. respectfully announces to the public that she has opened her Fall Stock of Latest Styles of Millinery, and solicits a continuance of public patronage.

No. 4 Court St., Woburn.

Mrs. Mary L. Graham,

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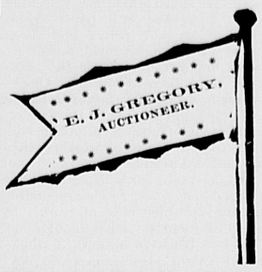
Pupils may call at Mrs. Jennings's, 408 Main street, Woburn.

Terms reasonable.



Office, 396 Main St., Woburn.

Administrator's Sale

—OF—

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Will be sold on the premises, No. 11 and 13 Lake Avenue, rear of Jefferson House, **Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1890,** at 2 o'clock, P. M., sharp, will be sold the entire furniture of the house of the late Mary Ann Duffy, consisting of Parlor, Dining and Kitchen Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Curtains, Drapery, Pictures, Mattresses, Chairs, Lamps, Tables, Bureaus, Bed Springs, Hat-tree, What-not, Clock, Ice Chest, Glass, Crockery, Wooden and Tin Ware, Woolen Carpets, Looking-glasses, together with a large variety of goods not mentioned. All goods will be sold without reserve to the highest bidder. Terms Cash.

Per order of J. E. DUFFY,
Administrator.
E. J. GREGORY, Auctioneer.

You can get better Life Insurance and more of it for the same money at this office than anywhere else. Wives and mothers urge your husbands and sons to insure. Be sure and read last week's JOURNAL and see my advertisement. Don't miss it. E. J. GREGORY, Insurance Agent, 396 Main street, Woburn.

City of Woburn.

FREE EVENING

—AND—

Drawing School.

All persons desiring to attend the above schools are requsted to hand their names to the Superintendent of Schools

Before November 10, 1890.

☞ The School will be held in the High School Building on Main Street.

The Term will commence on Nov. 10, 1890, and there will be sessions on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of each week.

[ACTS OF 1887.] CHAPTER 433.

An Act relating to the Employment of Minors who cannot read and write in the English Language.

SECT. 2. Every person who regularly employs, or permits to be employed, a minor fourteen years of age, or over, who cannot read and write in the English language, providing such minor has been, since reaching the age of fourteen, for one year continuously a resident of a city or town in this Commonwealth wherein public evening schools are maintained, and is not a regular attendant of a day or evening school, shall, for every such offence, forfeit not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars, for the use of the evening schools of such city or town.

Office Hours of Superintendent of Schools, 8.15 to 9.00 A. M., 4 to 5, and 7.30 to 9 P. M.

Immense Assortment

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Trimmed and Untrimmed

Our own designs in

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We stamp FREE all goods purchased of us.

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THIS WEEK AT BONELLI'S

22 Franklin St., Woburn.

A splendid assortment of Knotted Fringe all Linen Towels at 12½c., 17½c., and 22c. a piece.

Notwithstanding that I guarantee the above to be wholesale prices, I will give 10 per cent. off on lots of 1 dozen or more for one week only.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of Mary A. Young, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Exec.

Woburn, Mass., Oct. 28, 1890.

MUCH Money Saved

On Ribbons, Velvets and all kinds of Millinery Goods. Immense stock of all kinds at

Dry Goods and Millinery House of A. Cummings,

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"THE OLD RELIABLE."

Genuine Bargains!

Always to be obtained by all who are in want of

Strictly All-Wool Fabrics,

For Ladies', Gents', Youths' or Children's Wear,

In all Weights and of the Latest Shadings and Styles.

The many who have availed themselves of the bargains offered by us in the past can testify to this, and all in want in the future are invited to send for samples and prices before supplying themselves elsewhere and be convinced.

All the Remnants and Imperfect goods made at the Assabet Mills also sold by us, and they are offered at PRICES LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Write for Samples or gives us a call.

The People's Dry Goods Company,

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New Fall Styles

NOW OPENING

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G. R. GAGE & CO., FINE TAILORS.

395 Main Street, - - - - - - - Woburn.

FINE WATCH REPAIRING

—AT—

DODGE'S JEWELRY STORE.

PRICES REASONABLE.

347 MAIN STREET, - - - - - WOBURN.

Ladies Wanted

To call and examine our large stock of Wall Paper selling at cost. New Goods.

Fine Wall Paper,	5c.
Extra Fine Wall Paper,	10c.
Gilt Papers,	8 & 10c.
Best Gilt,	15c.

Window Shades at Boston Prices and put up free of charge. Paper Hangers furnished.

C. E. SMITH, 439 Main street, opp. Central House, Woburn. Branch Store: Main Street, Stoneham.

J. R. CARTER & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Coal and Wood,

291 Main Street, - Woburn.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all persons interested in the estate of Lorenzo Winship, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Susan Winship of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of November next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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JESUS IN COURT.

LESSON VI, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, NOV. 9.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxiii, 1-12. Commit Verses 11, 12—Golden Text, Luke xxiii, 4—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "And the whole multitude of them arose, and led Him unto Pilate." It is written in Ps. ii, 1, 2, that the Gentiles rage and the kings of the earth set themselves and the rulers take counsel together against the Lord and against His anointed; so that to fulfill the Scriptures Jesus had to pass through the hands of Gentiles as well as Jews. And there we find Him in this lesson.

2. "And they began to accuse Him, saying, We found this fellow perverting the nation, and forbidding to give tribute to Cæsar, saying that He Himself is Christ a King." Thus the rulers of the Jews accused Jesus before Pilate. What an accusation! Two lies and one truth in that which is here written.

3. "And Pilate asked Him, saying, Art Thou the King of the Jews? And He answered him, and said, Thou sayest it." The accounts in Matthew and Mark agree with this, but John gives the additional information that Jesus said to Pilate, "Sayest thou this thing of thyself, or did others tell it thee of Me?" (John xviii, 34).

4. "Then said Pilate to the chief priests and to the people, I find no fault in this man." According to the account in John, Pilate said these words three different times (John xviii, 38; xix, 4, 6), thus giving a threefold direct testimony to the innocence of Jesus. And this from the Roman governor, who was certainly supposed to be capable of forming a somewhat correct judgment concerning a person's guilt or innocence.

5. "And they were the more fierce, saying, He stirreth up the people, teaching throughout all Jewry, beginning from Galilee to this place." Afraid of losing their prey, they lie more vehemently concerning Him.

6. "When Pilate heard of Galilee, he asked whether the man were a Galilean." He saw himself in a difficult position and was glad of the possibility of escape from it. He had before him an innocent man, and also a cruel and bloodthirsty people crying for the death of that innocent man. How could it be that from Galilee to Jerusalem all the people were stirred up against Cæsar by this man's teaching and the Roman governor never have heard of it. Pilate sees now foolish and ungrounded this accusation is and he pays no heed to it. He is only anxious for some way out of his difficulty.

7. "And as soon as he knew that He belonged unto Herod's jurisdiction, he sent Him to Herod, who himself also was at Jerusalem at that time." In chap. iii, 1, we read that Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea and Herod tetrarch of Galilee. Herod's being in Jerusalem at this time was no doubt of God, that he, too, as another Gentile ruler, might see and testify to the innocence of Jesus, thus providing two witnesses from among the Gentile rulers.

8. "And when Herod saw Jesus he was exceeding glad, for he was desirous to see Him of a long season, because he had heard many things of Him; and he hoped to have seen some miracle done by Him." In chaps. ix, 9, we learn that after beheading John, Herod heard of Jesus and desired to see Him. In Mark vi, 14, we read that Herod thought that Jesus was John the Baptist risen from the dead, and that that accounted for His mighty works. Jesus the Nazarene was evidently talked about even at Herod's court, but it must have been as some wonder worker among the poor, of whom the rich and the great knew very little. If Herod wanted much to see Him why did he not see Him? Jesus did not keep Himself hid. As this verse indicates, his desire was only to see the wonder worker and some of His wonders, but it was not worth his while to put himself out for it. He really wanted nothing from the poor Jew of Nazareth, for what could a poor despised Nazarene do for so great a Roman citizen as Herod? But now at last they are face to face; let us observe and listen.

9. "Then he questioned with Him in many words, but He answered Him nothing." Jesus is quietly going forward to His death. He is in the hands of His enemies, and neither in the heart of Herod nor in the heart of any one of His accusers is there the least desire to hear the truth to which He came to bear witness. So He is silent. Herod would like to be entertained; the Jews want only His death; entertainment Jesus will not give; He came not for that purpose; He came to give eternal life, but that Herod does not want.

10. "And the chief priests and scribes stood and vehemently accused Him." Representatives of the great accuser from whom all the followers of Jesus suffer, the father of lies, the accuser of the brethren, let us not fear either Him or His, nor be in the least moved; they can only go as far as God permits, but a hair of our heads they cannot hurt beyond this present time.

11. "And Herod with his men of war set Him at naught, and mocked Him, and arrayed Him in a gorgeous robe, and sent Him again to Pilate." Thus is His meekness rewarded by these cruel ones. He will not gratify their curiosity nor entertain them with His wonders, and this is their revenge, and He suffers it meekly, like all the rest of their ill treatment. Is there not something like this on the part of many today, who will not say anything good of such as refuse to provide entertainment for the curious in the house of God, and prefer the truth and the truth alone to draw and keep the people, believing that Jesus lifted up is sufficient to draw and save and keep; in fact, that the old, old story of Jesus and His love is all our need, and even though we be set at nought and mocked and despised for it we will meekly keep on our way? Be not discouraged, dear teachers and preachers, if the Herodians (the worldly ones) despise you for your narrow ways when you join not with them. Think of Jesus despised and crucified, and let the cross be all your glory. There are many with whom it is useless to argue; the only way of ttmes is to say nothing.

12. "And the same day Pilate and Herod were made friends together: for before they were at enmity between themselves." It is not strange that two such as Pilate and Herod should be at enmity, for they knew not the Prince of Peace; but it is strange indeed when those who bear the name of the Prince of Peace are at enmity among themselves and will not unite in His service; yet such things are often seen. They will unite against Him, and often be brought together by some scheme which dishonors Him, and is on the side of His enemies; but to humble before Him for united effort for His glory, some will not do it. Blessed are all such as are made friends on His behalf.

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co's Drugstore, regular size, 50c. and $1.00.

The rather vulgar diatribe which purports to be issued by certain "independent" voters of this State is not of a nature to give Republicans much uneasiness. The absurdity of most of its accusations are transparent. It is not calculated to win the intelligence of Massachusetts over to the party of free trade, free rum and Tammany Hall, and as to the ignorance of Massachusetts it is there already.

ENDURANCE.

How much the heart may bear, and yet not break!
How much the flesh may suffer and not die!
Question much if any pain or ache
Of soul or body brings our end more nigh.
Death chooses his own time; till that is worn
All evils may be borne.

We shrink and shudder at the surgeon's knife,
Each nerve recoiling from the cruel steel,
Whose edge seems searching for the quivering life!
Yet to our sense the bitter pangs reveal
That still, although the trembling flesh be torn,
This also can be borne.

We see a sorrow rising in our way,
And try to flee from the approaching ill,
We seek some small escape—we weep and pray,
But when the blow falls then our hearts are still—
Not that the pain is of its sharpness shorn,
But think it must be borne.

We wind our life about another life,
We hold it closer, dearer than our own;
Anon it faints and falls in deadly strife,
Leaving us stunned, and stricken, and alone;
But ah! we do not die with those we mourn;
This also can be borne.

Behold, we live through all things, famine, thirst,
Bereavement, pain; all grief and misery,
All woe and sorrow; life inflicts its worst
On soul and body, but we cannot die,
Though we be sick, and tired, and faint, and worn;
Lo! all things can be borne.
—New York Press.

She Ought to Have Known It.

The peculiar ideas which some women have of the way in which railroads are run was well exhibited in a little scene which took place in the Union depot information bureau. "Give me my satchel," she commanded nervously; "I want to catch the train for New York." "Train for New York's gone," said the clerk, producing the grip. "Gone!" shrieked the woman. "Why, you ninny, I wanted that train. Do you understand, sir? I wanted to go to New York city on that train. I have a great mind to have you discharged. You, young man, are unworthy of holding the responsible position in the package and information department."

The clerk cowered. "Ma'am," said he, "I did not know that you were coming. I—I"——

"Didn't know I was coming? What excuse is that? You should have known it."

She gathered up her satchel and marched off. The clerk with a sad air took out a pen and wrote on a piece of paper a permit allowing him to live, but when he went out and sought the woman who owned the earth she had gone.—Albany Argus.

The Number Three.

Occasionally I pass an hour with a club acquaintance who sometimes startles one by the eccentric turns of his mind. His latest vagaries of thought he impressed upon me last night. "Do you know," he said, "that the numeral 'three' is always present before us in some shape or other? For instance, the three branches of an army—infantry, cavalry and artillery; three functions of body in nutrition—mastication, digestion and assimilation; three kingdoms in nature—animal, vegetable and mineral; three genders—masculine, feminine and neuter; three parts of the human body—head, trunk and extremities; three governmental powers—executive, judicial and legislative. I could go on much farther," he added; "the subject is rather odd." I thought so myself and left my friend buried in an armchair smoking his cigar.—New York Star.

The Popular Carnation.

A stranger who stood on Broadway Sunday afternoon took occasion to remark upon the floral buttonhole decorations worn by New Yorkers. He thought it singular that of sixty-five boutonnieres he had counted upon as many individuals there was only a single rose. In Chicago and Philadelphia, and even Boston, the white and red rosebud is pre-eminently the favorite. New Yorkers stick to pinks, heliotropes and violets, with occasional orchids, but the florists sell more pinks the year round than anything else for this purpose. An economical man, with a fondness for appearing jaunty, can make a crimson pink go further than any other flower on earth.—New York Sun.

A Millionaire Farmer.

The particular fad of W. K. Vanderbilt is the collecting of oak carvings, and he has some very fine specimens, for which he has paid very large sums of money. He is also fond of growing rare fruit, and grows a great deal of it on his Long Island farm. This also has called for what other people would regard as very startling expenditures of money, but the result is that in winter his table is supplied after a fashion that is not equaled by anybody else in New York or Newport. New York Cor. Chicago Herald.

Don't Disfigure the Flag.

Don't fail to remember that congress has passed a law under which a fine of $50 may be imposed upon anybody who prints or paints on the national flag, or affixes to it in any way any advertisement for public display or private gain. It is a good law, and should have been enacted long ago to save "Old Glory" from disfigurement.—New York Telegram.

Another Idiot.

Jack—Didn't you have your revolver in your hand when you saw the burglar?

Tom—Oh, yes!

Jack—Well, why didn't you shoot at him?

Tom—I didn't know the confounded thing was loaded.—Puck.

Earrings worth from $5,000 to $8,000 a pair excite no wonder today; formerly they were seldom seen. Of the French crown jewels sold in Paris over three years ago, more than one-third, aggregating over $500,000 in value, came to the United States.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

In its advertising columns the Boston *Globe* announces that canned goods of many varieties "are as low or lower than at any time for the past six months." In its editorial columns it reiterates its old assertion that the price of food and clothing has gone up all along the line. Though repeatedly contradicted by its own advertisers, the *Globe* apparently thinks that this particular falsehood is a "good enough weapon" until after election day.—*Journal*.

A JACK OF ALL TRADES.

He'll Do Pretty Nearly anything Short of Repairing a Man-of-War.

There is a little store in Brooklyn where you can leave an order for repairs of any kind and have it promptly attended to. The proprietor of the place does a general repairing business. He employs a score of men. On the slate the other day were orders for a patch on a leaky tin roof, a new trap door under a stationary washtub, a tumble down chimney to be rebuilt, three panes of glass to be set, a new catch for an iron gate, grates for two stoves, firebrick for a range, a new post for clothes lines, a kitchen to be painted and whitewashed, a cellar to be cleaned, a coal bin to be rebuilt, fifteen stoves to be put in order, three to be set up, stovepipes to be repaired, two bath tubs to be painted and a broken gas fixture to be mended.

"There is always something out of repair in one house or another," said the brisk proprietor, "and some of the things my men do you would find it hard to have done anywhere else in town for anything like a reasonable price. We saved a man $10 yesterday by matching the wall paper in his dining room. A patch had been burned by a careless maid, and if we hadn't matched the paper the walls would have been repapered. One of our men is out this morning fitting keys to locks in a house on Hart street, another man is repairing a broken sidewalk, a third is putting weather strips on a Bedford avenue house.

"An average job with us costs less than a dollar. Others charge double that for the same class of work. In our store room we have enough miscellaneous truck to astonish a wholesale junkman. It all comes into play. In the hands of jacks of all trades, such as our men are, every nail, screw, slab of wood, piece of wire, and bit of piping is of value."

A little woman in widow's weeds entered the store at this juncture. She enumerated seven articles of tin of her domestic stock that needed mending and asked how much it would cost.

"I'll send the tinker right around, ma'am, and whatever he says is right is right. I think about twenty-five cents would be the proper figure, without knowing just what there is to be done."—New York Sun.

The Armenians of Constantinople.

I met a number of Armenians during my stay in Constantinople. They do the business of the capital of Turkey, and you find them everywhere. They carry all the burdens of the city, and the Turks call them "the camels of the empire." They have a guild of porters who are practically the drays of the city. These porters carry immense burdens upon their backs. They have a little saddle of leather which they fasten just below their shoulders, and on which the burden rests. A strap is tied around the box or bag which they are carrying, and this is fastened to the shoulders and sometimes supported by a strap around the forehead.

These men bend themselves half double as they work, and some of them will carry as much as 500 pounds from one part of Stamboul to the other. A number of the Armenians are architects, others are engineers, and I met one very bright Armenian doctor. When I went to get my letter cashed in the bank an Armenian clerk figured up the exchange and an Armenian cashier gave me my money.—Frank G. Carpenter in National Tribune.

He Thought So.

A middle aged woman called at a Grand River avenue drug store the other evening and asked for morphine, and the clerk replied to her request with:

"Is it for your husband?"

"Oh, no, sir; I haven't got any."

"You don't think of suicide?"

"Far from it."

"What do you take it for?"

"Must I tell, sir?"

"You must."

"Well, then, don't you think that a woman 40 years old, who has had her first offer of marriage less than an hour ago, naturally wants something to quiet her nerves and give her a good night's sleep?"

The druggist thought so, and she got her nerve soother.—Detroit Free Press.

A Potent Incantation.

On All-Hallows eve there is one form of incantation which is known to be extremely, nay, terribly potent when all others have failed. You go out by yourself, taking a handful of hempseed with you. You get to a secluded place and begin to scatter the seed as you walk along the road. You say, "Hempseed, I sow thee; hempseed, I sow thee; he who is to be my true love, appear now and show thee." And if you look furtively over your shoulder you will behold the desired apparition following you.—William Black in Harper's.

As They Stated It.

Funnyman—A fine pair of bays you have there, Mr. Horsey; raised in Massachusetts, I suppose.

Horsey—Why do you suppose they were raised in Massachusetts?

"Massachusetts is the Bay State, isn't it?"

"To see you bestraddle a nag, Mr. Funnyman, one would take you for a Green Mountin' Boy."—Texas Siftings.

Candid.

He (sneeringly)—Is it because your memory is short you have forgotten me?

She (sweetly)—No. It is because I am told you are so very short.—Epoch.

Ask Your Friends About It.

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A negro woman apparently died in Shreveport, La., but when the funeral procession arrived at the cemetery next day, she rose up in her coffin and wanted to know what was going on. The mourners were terror stricken and dispersed in a hurry, leaving the woman to take care of herself. She is now as well as ever.

The new lottery law is said to have killed the "guess who" column in the Georgia weeklies, and their readers rejoice.

FIGHTING FOR THE LITTLE FELLOW.

A Muscular Farmer Defends a Small Half-Back in a Football Match.

An amusing incident occurred some time since at a football match between two western college teams. The game had been well advertised, and an enthusiastic crowd had gathered to witness the contest. The town in which it took place was a small one, and a goodly number were in attendance. Among the members of the visiting eleven was a very slight young gentleman, whose appearance would lead one to believe that he would be an easy prey for the rushers of the other side, but who, nevertheless, was an athlete of the first order, schooled in all the muscular arts, from tumbling to boxing.

The game opened and proceeded merrily, the elevens being well matched and the contest an exciting one. During the course of the fun a very verdant specimen of farm hand was noticed to grow interested in the game. He had occupied a seat in the grand stand, but as the contest grew warmer had forced his way nearer and nearer to the ropes, until he had succeeded in getting his anatomy as near the field as they would permit. His sympathies were evidently with the visitors, and every good play on their part was a signal for a hairraising whoop from the countryman. Especially did he interest himself in the little halfback, and frequently encouraged that young gentleman with cries of, "Go in, little feller! Don't let 'em bluff you! You ain't very big, but you're a daisy!"

At last the ball came with a beautiful sky kick right into the small player's hand, and seeing the lines of his opponents somewhat ragged he seized the ball and went for the other goal like a streak of white lightning. For fully half the distance he went, "bucking" and dodging, leaving two big players rolling in the dust, while the gentleman from the back districts almost lost his head. "By gosh! That's the stuff! Haw! haw! Hit 'em again! Go it, little feller! Now you got 'em! Just said right"—but just then a heavy rusher bounced the man with the ball and in a moment the little fellow was the center of a struggling, kicking, yelling mass of humanity.

The countryman's face lengthened and then brightened suddenly as his favorite cleared himself for a moment, and then the crowd was on to him again, and the fight was hotter than before. "Here, by gol, you fellers let up on that!" yelled the spectator as the halfback went down. "By gosh, I won't see no little feller bullied!" he exclaimed a moment later, and springing over the ropes he made a dash for the "scrap." Not looking for outside interference the players were taken by surprise, and in response to the vigorous blows and shoves of the countryman were soon sprawling in all directions. "Now, young feller, jest get up and tote your ball wherever you darn please."—Chicago News.

The Progress of Minstrelsy.

"An idea of the progress of minstrelsy," says Lew Dockstader, "may be gained from the fact that in the days of the San Francisco Minstrels it required only about $1,500 a week to run a show. Now nothing short of $2,400 will meet the weekly expense. It may not have occurred to many of the theatre going public, but the female impersonator has been laid on the shelf. He flourished for a long time, but you don't hear or see any more of him.

"Let me say that there is nothing like being jolly. 'A merry soul maketh a lean grave yard,' somebody has said, or ought to have said, whichever you like.

"Take this advice: Smile, grin, snigger, chuckle, guffaw, cackle, burst out, roar with laughter at every opportunity. Remember that laughter is like a ten grain quinine pill to a man that has the malaria. It has a tonic. Ha! Ha!"—Ernest Jarrold in New York Journal.

Romance of a Ring.

The romance of a ring, ending in tidings of a long missing son, has come to the surface in Scranton. When City Engineer Blewitt attended the state firemen's convention at Chester, he met George Sykes, of Swarthmore. Sykes informed him that he had in his possession a ring which Reese F. Davis, formerly of Scranton, had traded with him just before a battle in West Virginia, in 1865, in which Davis was killed, and that he was anxious to communicate with Davis' relatives with a view of sending the ring to them. A few days after the appearance of this statement John R. Davis, of Pittston, and William Davis, of Bellevue, father and nephew, called on Blewitt and learned for the first time the story of his son's death.—Scranton Truth.

His Limit.

Sad Young Man—I want you to take this ring back. It's no use to me any more.

Jeweler (encouragingly)—Suppose we hold it for you. You may want it made a trifle larger or smaller in a week or so.

Sad Young Man—Not much. It's been altered four times already.—Clothier and Furnisher.

Formerly jewelers sold only diamonds, rubies, sapphires, emeralds, pearls, garnets and agates, but now it is not unusual to have almost any of the mineralogical gems, such as zircon, tourmaline, spinel or titanite called for, not only by collectors, but by the public, whose taste has advanced in the matter of precious stones as well as in the fine arts.

For the cure of the inflammation and congestion called "a cold in the head" there is more potency in Ely's Cream Balm than in anything else it is possible to prescribe. This preparation has for years past been making a brilliant success as a remedy for cold in the head, catarrh and hay fever. Used in the initial stages of these complaints Cream Balm prevents any serious development of the symptoms, while almost numberless cases are on record of radical cures of chronic catarrh after all other modes of treatment have failed.

Mr. A. L. Bancroft of San Francisco has invented a method of naming and numbering roads, lanes and by-ways of sparsely settled districts so that a traveler can find his way to any isolated and remote dwelling as readily as he could find his way to a residence in a city.

A Brooklyn burglar gave evidence of possessing eminent knowledge of his trade when he stole a dog and a revolver, with all the cash that he could secure.

Technical Education in England.

The more energetic school boards may be trusted to take advantage of the new grant offered for manual instruction; but very few voluntary managers will be able to meet the initial expense of providing workshops and apparatus. Even a shed capable of holding eighty feet in length of bench room will involve a considerable outlay, and the grant to be earned (six shillings or seven shillings a head) will not more than cover the cost of tools and material. But the main difficulty will be found in providing the teaching. The teacher, according to the instructions, may be one of the ordinary staff if he is sufficiently instructed; otherwise he must be assisted by a skilled artisan.

None but the score or so of elementary masters who have been to Naas or Leipzig, or attended Sloyd classes at home, can possess at present the requisite qualifications, but there is no doubt that manual instruction will soon form part of the regular curriculum of a training college. The expressed object of the department is not to substitute for the last stage of schooling an apprenticeship to some trade or handicraft, but to educate the eye and hand. The ordinary blacksmith or carpenter is no more capable of imparting such education than the ordinary schoolmaster is of shoeing a horse or making a door.—St. James' Budget.

Choate's Firm Takes in $200,000 a Year.

The one lawyer whom above all others the legal fledglings look up to in awe and humble admiration is Joseph Choate. Mr. Choate is the personification of the calm, insistent, relentless cross-examiner. All the arts and tricks have become second nature to him. He can cross-examine a witness without ever looking at him. He is master of enunciation. He can repeat a question upon the halting request of a witness, giving to the repetition precisely the same intonation he gave at first.

He can suavely and comfortably convey a witness through a leafy bower of apparently harmless questions only to land him in a clinging web of embarrassment and confusion. His command of the arrows of irony is superb. To hear him quietly draw out "Ah!" when a witness has contradicted himself is a revelation.

To his work was due the success of the famous contest of the Stewart will. When Judge Hilton finally compromised Mr. Choate received an enormous fee. His firm, Evarts, Choate & Beaman, has the yearly income of $200,000.—New York Press.

"Taking Interest."

"She," said the manager of a great retail establishment, pointing out the forewoman of one of the departments, "is the most successful of all the three hundred salespeople in the house. She began behind a small counter where different colored embroidering silks were sold. I observed that customers would ask for her, and if she was engaged would wait until she was ready to serve them.

"I wished to find out the reason for this, and offered to bring another saleswoman to a patient customer one day.

"'No,' she said. 'Miss Crale never forgets the kind of silk I use. She remembers the grade and even the shade which I bought before. And she takes such an interest in it!'

"These two qualities—her memory of the preferences of her customers and her interest in them—have made her the best saleswoman that we have ever had."—Youth's Companion.

The Force of Habit.

"How use doth breed a habit in a man!" Old Billy Shakespeare said that one time, and I guess he is about right. Notice that laborer there putting on his coat. Easy enough and common enough. "Aye, there's the rub." It's common. He sticks his left arm in the sleeve, hunches his shoulders till the coat is half on, and then puts his right arm in, hunches again and it's on. Bet 'leven dollars he couldn't put it on in half an hour by putting his right arm in first instead of his left arm. It would be all backward and he'd have to turn a somersault. Now, that cigar that you are holding on the right side of your mouth. 'Twouldn't seem right at all for you to smoke left handed.—Interview in Detroit News.

A Clock Two Hundred Years Old.

E. F. Clarke has a clock in his shop, the case of which he is to polish up, that has a history. The clock is the property of H. S. Beers, of Brookfield, and is probably over 200 years old. When the British went through this section in revolutionary times they took the two heavy lead weights that run the clock to use in the manufacture of bullets, and left four six pound iron shot in their place. The shot are still used as weights.—Ansonia (Conn.) Sentinel.

If You Have a Horse Be Gentle.

When your horse begins the practice of getting the line fast under his tail do not jerk it. Instantly drop the line loose. Then, if the leather does not slip down so that you regain it, lean over or get out coolly and lift the tail, speaking kindly to the animal meanwhile. You must keep your self possession always with a horse.—New York Weekly.

Shoemakers' Children Poorly Shod.

Bjones—What horrible teeth your friend has!

Owens—Yes, poor fellow.

"What's his business?"

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Mr. Ruskin thinks there is a great future for American art—but he hardly realizes the enormous demand over here for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

"Papa," inquired a Congressman's little daughter over a French lesson, "what is the French for a battle horse?" "A war horse you mean, don't you?" "I guess so, papa." "Of course you do, daughter. The French for that is horse du combat," and the member stroked his whiskers with prideful dignity and went on with his newspaper.

Grover Cleveland is claimed by Senator Vest as a convert to free silver, and the claim has never been denied. Free coinage is as much a part of the Democratic programme as free wool.

Woman's Column.

A Live Rector.

Rev. Dr. Ringgold, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church at Knoxville, Tenn., preached a rousing woman suffrage sermon recently, in the course of which he said, among other pungent things:

"There never was a time, there never was a country, in which virtue and intelligence could accomplish more than at this time, in this country. And right here and now, you may double the power of virtue and intelligence by giving the best half of your population a vote in selecting the men to make the laws that govern the country. In this year of grace, 1890, these disfranchised millions of Christian women are doing more to save this country than any portion of its citizens. They are one of the chief instrumentalities by which Almighty God is saving the world. They make real and palpable to the eyes of men the spirit of the Gospel. They illustrate the world's advance by showing the rapid progress made since that very recent date when woman was man's beast of burden or his toy or plaything. They are the best teachers in your schools, and are training the minds and forming the characters of the next generation. They are writing some of your best books, and they stand at the head of your highest schools of learning. They sanctify your homes, and make life beautiful and blessed. But, with all their virtue and intelligence, they may not nullify the vote of the grog-seller, the alien or the tramp. With all their virtue and intelligence, a hundred or a hundred housand of them may not nullify the vote of the man too ignorant to read his own ballot."

The Pretty Blonde Voter.

So many ill-natured and untruthful things are said in the newspapers of the women who want to vote that the following graceful little "Kodak" sketch in the Boston *Transcript* of the "coming woman" is particularly gratifying. Says the *Transcript*:

"A pretty blonde girl in a blue gown came down Beacon Street the other day with a formidable-looking document in her hand. A friend who encountered her asked:

"'Where are you going, my prett maid?'

"'I'm going to City Hall, sir,' she said.

"'What to do there, my pretty maid?'

"'To pay for my poll,' she smiling said."

"Her friend went with her. Her formidable-looking document set forth her name and residence. 'I believe in patriotism,' said the girl of the blonde poll that was shortly to be taxed, 'and I was twenty-one the other day, so I bought I'd lose no time in being registered.' It was worth while to go to City Hall with her. She was beckoned to a corner by an uplifted finger; she handed her document over a rail. 'Hold up your hand,' said the official who took her name, and she bowed with solemnity as the oath was administered. She was told that she must pay her tax later, and she was quickly in the street again with her friend. One of the women at a table near the door had given her a circular and told her eight thousand women of Boston have registered to vote on school questions. 'We girls must be assessed every time,' said the blonde votary of patriotism. 'Then you don't do it because you think it's your duty?' 'Why, no; I like to. I'm twenty-one, you know,'—with a joyful smile. She was plainly rejoicing in reaching her majority. Well, why not, since she mends her small brother's clothes, and paints charmingly, and combines domestic and artistic virtues with her civic ones?"

Between Two Fires.

"Oh! how I hate these horrid old women's rights women!" thundered Tax-collector Dufferin Jones, throwing his hat on the dining-room sideboard instead of hanging it up on the hall rack. "They're always scolding about paying their miserable little taxes, and about not being represented. I never saw such a stingy, chattering old lot!"

His wife seemed to be in a brown study all during dinner-time.

"What is she thinking about?" inquired Jones pleasantly, after he had allayed his irritation with a good dinner. "The ways and means of getting a new fall bonnet?"

"No, Duffy," replied Mrs. Jones; "I was trying to think what it was Edmund Burke said about John Hampden."

"It's too deep for her, isn't it?" said Jones.

"Oh! I remember the gist of it, Duffy. Old Burke stood up for old Hampden because old Hampden bolted on paying a 'miserable little tax' of twenty shillings and chattered about not being represented; but then old Burke was a horrid men's rights man, you know, dear Duffy, and old Hampden was another."

Dufferin Jones plunged into the hall, and then into the sitting-room, and then into the hall again, and then he clapped his hands to his head.

"Is it his new fall hat he's looking for, dear Duffy?" inquired Mrs. Jones sweetly. "Here it is, right side up in this plate of salad oil and mustard."—*Aseuth C. Coolidge, Pacific Rural Press.*

Tried and True.

Friends are scarce, but if you are suffering with that horrible disease scrofula, you will find Sulphur Bitters will cure you as it did me, after suffering eight years, and paying out hundreds of dollars to doctors and druggists.—Jeannette Hanscome, Troy, N. Y.

The campaign of deceit and falsehood that is now in progress demonstrates the utter failure of those sanguine individuals who once hoped to make Massachusetts Democratic politics respectable. In fact, instead of advancing its standard of morality it looks as if the Democracy in Massachusetts had been distinctly falling back.

It is dangerous to neglect catarrh, for it leads to bronchitis and consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh in all forms.

Muskrats along the lake shore are building large houses this winter, with hot air furnaces, gas, bath and all modern conveniences. The old residents say that this is a sure sign of a long, cold winter.

A gastronomic novelty is a pudding made of wedding cake.

An all-round speaker is the Pennsylvania stump orator, who is said to measure "81 inches at the waist."

Migrating flocks of birds are reported seen along the Northern and Middle regions of the country.

A Toronto paper figures out that the drunkards of that city lost $191,682 in wages last year.

Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, is the largest city park in the world. It comprises 2900 acres.

A man of 30 years arrested at Williamsport, Pa., for larceny, gave his occupation as that of a dude.

The State Geologist says that the iron ore fields of Eastern Texas will yield 4,000,000 ton to the square mile.

A Georgia farmer has bought only 55 cents worth of meat during 25 years of housekeeping.

Dr. Brown-Sequard claims that his elixir has cured intermittent fever, neuralgia, rheumatism, insomnia and leprosy.

During a colored revival meeting at Baltimore a female exhorter fell back and suddenly expired in a fit of religious fervor.

New York is beginning to receive the first of 2,000,000 boxes of oranges which are expected from Florida this winter.

Teacher—"Can you tell me what a secret is?" Little Girl—"Yes'm. It is something somebody tells everybody else in a whisper.

A Philadelphia school teacher prohibits her girl pupils from wearing bracelets, and another in New York has issued an edict against banks.

Watts—"The law in this State gives the widow her third, doesn't it?" Potts—"Not until after she has got rid of the second."

Cargoes of Maine ice cannot be sold for enough to pay the freight in New York, although consumers are still charged high prices.

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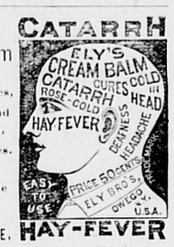

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.44, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.28 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.15, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, *9.40, 10.10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.33, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.,

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.50, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.45, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M., 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 3.30, then every half hour until *6.30, then 7.30 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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THE CHEMIST'S STORY.

I am a chemist. I am the occupant of this responsible and important position in the medical college of P—.

It was about 1 o'clock on a stormy evening that I bade good night to my student, Tom Richards, at the door of my laboratory, at the south end of the college buildings.

Tom was very anxious to know what would keep me up after 12 o'clock, so I told him I was about to commence analyzing the stomach of a Mrs. Johnson, whose husband lay in P—— jail, just across the road from the college, on suspicion that he was the murderer.

As Tom was passing out of the college yard through the gate, his head turned, and bidding me good night, he brushed against a man standing with his back to the college and his face to the prison. The street lamp showed me that the man was in police uniform.

Re-entering my laboratory I took down a glass jar from the shelf and sat down behind my sink to examine it. An hour had passed since the departure of young Richards. I had labored hard to discover traces of the poison in all this, but had been unsuccessful. Joe Johnson, the suspected man, had been a student of mine a few years before. I thought him a good hearted, intelligent fellow, only a little wild, and really began to hope that he might prove innocent, when, among the macerated food, I came upon a small, infinitesimal white grain. By careful manipulation and the use of my magnifying glass I managed to get this upon a piece of smoked glass and examined it.

I was then certain I had discovered arsenic, but to make assurance doubly sure I determined to apply a well known test for that poison.

"Yes," I exclaimed, as I saw the fatal blazon, "Joe Johnson is the murderer of his wife! With the evidence of that mark to back me no power can save him."

"Do you really think so?" said a calm voice behind me.

I turned quickly and discovered a tall, lank policeman, having red, watery eyes, standing at my office door and staring in. His body looked as if it had been rolled out long before his hands like a molasses candy stick. He had no expression at all in his face, and his policeman's hat was so large that it threatened to settle down on his shoulders. His uniform reassured me and I addressed him with some impatience.

"My friend, I suppose I am wanted to attend an inquest, or what is your purpose?"

I was police surgeon as well as coroner.

"Don't bother, professor; the man ain't dead yet, but they say he will be before morning."

"What's the matter with him?"

"Brain disorder, I mean something wrong here."

I touched my forehead, and so did he as he said: "Ay, as I thought I'd drop in and tell you if you were going to the station to-morrow to take a look and see if it is post mortem or not. Besides I wanted to see where I could always find you in case of need."

I bowed, and attributed his visit to a feeling of curiosity. He sat on the sink, and while his eyes wandered about like one who felt himself called upon to say something, he said:

"Professor, there has been an accident this afternoon—terrible, too."

"What was it?"

"Nitro glycerine explosion up in the iron mills—a hundred fellow mortals busted."

"Sad!"

"Affecting, very." Here he rubbed his mouth with the back of his hand. "Professor, what is that nitro glycerine?"

"It's a very dangerous article," I answered, happy to display my knowledge. "It has nearly twice the destructiveness of gunpowder, but, unlike it, does not explode on the application of heat. A red hot coal dropped into it will not explode it. It will freeze. It is yellow and greasy."

"You don't mean to say so," said the officer, interrupting me in disagreeable tones in the middle of a choice extract from one of my lectures. "Why, but you haven't told me how it goes off. If the fire won't burst it, what in—(hem)—will?"

I told him if it were pressed, or anything fell on it, it would explode.

"Place it under the crusher of a cider mill, strike it with a hammer, let a weight fall on it from a height"—

"Yes," said the man, "and that rouses its volcaner, does it?"

"I suppose, professor, that ere can would make a mighty big noise if allowed to explode here all at once?"

"It would blow the entire building to atoms," said I, resuming the analysis of Mrs. Johnson's stomach.

"No?" I heard the policeman remark in deliberate Yankee tones, "you don't say so?"

The next moment I lay on my back, a gag in my mouth, terribly frightened and sick at heart. Over me stood the policeman and the first thing that functionary did was—looking me straight in the face—to take off his nose. He then rid himself of his eyebrows, hair and cap, and became a determined looking fellow, with the eyes of a fiend and the nose of a Roman.

"So you think," said the metamorphosed, in the tones of a gentleman, "that nothing can save Joe Johnson from the rope? Poor fellow! It does look like it! But, my dear professor, Joe Johnson is fortunate enough to have in me a devoted friend as well as brother. I have undertaken to save him, and he shall be saved. In order to accomplish this end it will be necessary to remove from the face of the earth not only the stomach of his miserable wife yonder, but also, my dear professor—I am sorry to be obliged to say it, for I believe you were my brother's teacher and friend—yourself as well." I saw that he was in deadly earnest.

"Your death must apparently result from accident—at least so it must seem to the authorities. My brother is in jail and they will not suspect him, and they certainly will not suspect me."

What terrible deed was in this brain hatching—was he going to murder me? Was it myself who was to hang, instead of Johnson?

No; yes. He placed the line pulley like over an arm of a hanging chandelier. This was altogether too slight a support even for one of my tender frame. It was not to be hanging then. Under the weight on the floor he placed a can of nitro-glycerine; I recognized the yellow string; it was a fuse, and it would burn in sixty minutes. It would run across the marble slab; there was no hope of igniting any substance that would warn my friends.

"Do you begin to see through it?" asked Johnson's brother.

I believe I cursed him with my eyes. I could only breathe through my nostrils, and great veins were swelling and growing hot in my forehead. Drawing a match from his pocket he lighted and applied it to the fuse; that little tyrant that gave a man an hour to live, to kill him at the end of it—that little irresponsible terror that, less merciful than Providence, told a man the second he was to die, if fright and horror spared him to himself. Slowly the flames crept snake like around the twine.

"In one hour," said the prisoner's brother, "you will be in heaven or hell. I will watch with you for half an hour, and the other half you will spend alone."

He sat down some minutes in a chair watching the flame. Then he arose and took a piece of porcelain, with the murderer's name thereon, from the table, and shook his head gloomily.

"I am chemist enough to know it is arsenic," he said. "Yes, those bright, metalic eyes, a betrayal of the guilty! Science, thou wouldst kill my brother—thou shalt save him. Let me see in whose hands thou art the most powerful."

The half hour wore slowly away. Oh, heavens! What agony did I suffer! Not for myself, but for my child. The fuse burned on—on. The half hour is up. The brother of the murderer rises to go. Joy.

"Commit your soul to God's keeping," he said. "You hold the evidence of my brother's guilt—nothing can save you now."

With that he turned to take his hat from off the table covered with the crimson cloth beneath which hid my priceless boy. Something attracted his attention. He held out his hands and reached forward. I thought he had discovered my boy. No; he was lifting something in either hand—the wires of the electric battery. In another instant my boy had leaped from under the table, and was turning the crank fast and furiously.

The murderer's brother was in the power of my boy. He could not drop the wires; he was helpless. How my boy cried for help! The old college rang with his voice. The prisoner's brother added his voice to my boy's in his agony. In an instant a great length burned away. It would just last five minutes and no more.

"Father!" shouted my boy, "it no **assistance** comes this villian must die **with us.** I dare not free him. Help! help! help!"

Alas! I could not answer him.

Thank God! But some one else did. The fuse is burned up. The rope is on fire—the nitro-glycerine! The door opens; Tom Richards, on a midnight visit to the sick, has heard the cry; he comprehend all; seizes the can in his hand, the weight descends indeed, but not on the death dealing oil. No; down it goes through the office floor—down, down, like an evil spirit, to give back a dull metallic echo from the stones of the cellar beneath.

We are saved.

Joe Johnson, the prisoner, was hanged, but his brother remains unpunished by the law, for he stabbed himself with a knife and thus escaped the hangman's rope.—*H. H. in Atlanta Constitution.*

Always Ahead.

A Series of Tests to determine the keeping qualities of leading baking powders, made at the request of the *New England Grocer*, by Dr. Davenport, Massachusetts State Analyst, and published June 27th, 1890, shows

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Economical Living.

One of the subjects talked and written about a good deal at the present time is how to live cheaply. Prices of all the great staples of life are high. Rents are enormous. Fashions are exacting. Wants multiply while resources diminish. How to make strap and buckle meet is the problem which presses on hundreds of housekeepers. It is what is done to keep up appearances that destroys the equilibrium, outgo and income, and makes life a drudgery and vexation. How to live cheaply is a question easy enough to answer if one will be content with a cheap living. Substitute comfort for show. Put convenience in the place of fashion. Study simplicity. Refuse to be beguiled into a style of living above what is required by your position in society and is justified by your resources. Set a fashion of simplicity, neatness, prudence and inexpensiveness, which others will be glad to follow, and thank you for introducing. Teach yourself to do without a thousand and one pretty and showy things which wealthy people purchase, and pride yourself on being just as happy without them as your rich neighbors are with them. Put so much dignity, sincerity, kindness, virtue, and love into your simple and inexpensive home that its members will never miss the costly fripperies and showy adornments, and be happier in the cosy and comfortable apartments than most of their wealthy neighbors are in their splendid establishments. It does not follow that in order to live cheaply one must live meanly. The best comforts of life are not costly. Taste, refinement, good cheer, wit, and even elegance, are not expensive. There is no trouble about young people marrying with no outfit but health and love and an honest purpose, provided they will practice the thrift and prudence to which their grandparents owed all their success, and make their thought and love supply what they lack in the means of display. Those who begin life at the top of the ladder generally tumble off, while those who begin at the foot acquire steadiness, courage and strength of arm and will as they rise.—*Anon.*

He Yelled Kemp's Balsam.

I yell "take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." I always do when I hear a man cough, and I can't help it. It saved me and it will cure you. I was threatened with pneumonia last winter and it broke it up. It helps the children out when their throats are sore, cures their coughs, and tastes so good. The first dose helps you. So writes A. R. Arnold, engineer on the West Shore Ry., at Canajoharie, N. Y.

The silk trade of Bengal has declined steadily since 1876, and never before were prices as low as now. The revival of the silk trade in Europe is the reason for the falling off.

There are probably 900,000 Odd Fellows in the United States. The membership reported to the annual communication in 1989 was 582,206.

Oliver Wendell Holmes on Death.

No human being can rest for any time in a state of equilibrium, where the desire to live and that to depart, just balance each other. If one has a house, which he has lived and always means to live in, he pleases himself with the thought of all the conveniences it offers him, and thinks little of its wants and imperfections. But once having made up his mind to move to a better, every incommodity starts out upon him, until the very ground-plan of it seems to have changed in his mind; and his thoughts and affections each one of them packing up its little bundle of circumstances, have quitted their several chambers and nooks, and migrated to the new home, long before its apartments are ready to receive their bodily tenant. It is so with the body. Most persons have died before they expire—died to all earthly longings, so that the last breath is only, as it were, the locking of the door of the already deserted mansion. The fact of the tranquility with which the great majority of dying persons await this locking of those gates of life through which its airy angels have been going and coming, from the moment of the first cry, is familiar to those who have been often called upon to witness the last period of life. Almost always there is a preparation made by Nature for unearthing a soul, just as on a smaller scale there is for the removal of a milk-tooth. The roots which hold human life to earth are absorbed before it is lifted from its place. Some of the dying are weary and want rest, the idea of which is almost inseparable in the universal mind from death. Some are in pain, and want to be rid of it, even though the anodyne be dropped, as in the legend, from the sword of the Death-Angel. Some are strong in faith and hope, so that, as they draw near the next world, they would fain hurry, as the caravan moves faster over the sands when the foremost travellers send word along the file that water is in sight. Though each little party that follows in a foot-track of its own will have it that the water to which others think they are hastening is a mirage, not the less has it been true in all ages and for human beings of every creed which recognized a future, that those who have fallen worn out by their march through the desert, have dreamed at last of a River of Life, and thought they heard its murmurs as they lay dying.

Capital Punishment in Different Lands.

Excepting perhaps the Russian plan of execution by the knout—beating the life out of the victim with a loaded lash—the dreadful element of pain to the individual is hardly worthy of consideration. The guillotine is certainly very rapid in its action, and, as far as can be judged by analogy with similar phenomena, all sensation is abolished on the instant of the stroke. The communication with the pain centres is once cut off, and the sensation current is instantly interrupted. The only revolting part of the preceding is the necessary shedding of blood; but this, scriptually speaking, should render the killing contract more valid. As to rapidity and effectiveness the same thing is done with the heavy Japanese sword, and with scarcely less precision. The Spanish garrotte crushes the cervical spine and upper spinal cord by means of a screw, quickly working through the back of an iron collar. Death here is practically instantaneous. The same may be said also of hanging. The instant the noose tightens its choking grip, consciousness is gone. The contorting spasms of the larger muscles are merely involuntary movements that have no connection with appreciable pain. At least, this is the testimony of men who have been cut down while insensible from attempted suicide by such means, or who have been similarly rescued from accidental hanging. When there has been bungling, the rope should not be blamed.—*Dr. Geo. F. Shrady, in Arena for October.*

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at H. L. Flanders & Co. Drug-store.

They've Lost Millions.

A thief undiscovered belongs as much to the outfit of a phenomenally famous singer as her indispensable rouge pot. The lack of a perfect shape does not signify, but the lack of a thief would be ruin. Adelina Patti has been robbed by night and by day, in Europe and America, on shore and at sea, in hotels and on railway trains. Carlotta Patti and Christine Nilsson and —but why mention names.

An incredible amount of diamonds and jewels have disappeared in this way without ever turning up again. But the lady artists are forgiving. They do not prosecute the thieves. They do not go to the police. They do not offer rewards. Perhaps they know that the gold in their throats can easily be coined, and that their rippling notes can soon be changed into rows of pearls. They are easy going and soon forget their loss. A royal present to a lady artist which does not get stolen has missed its object, and cases have indeed occurred where presents which were never given were stolen.

One reason why many people always have such great burdens, is because they are not standing in the right place to lift much.

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Woman's Column.

Three thousand women voted in Binghamton alone, at the recent school elections in New York.

Mrs. Potter Palmer, it is understood, will be made President of the Lady Managers of the Chicago World's Fair, if she will accept the office; otherwise, Mrs. John A. Logan is likely to be elected.

The group in marble called "The Struggle for Liberty," now on exhibition in New York City, is the work of two Danish sculptors, Prof. Didierichsen and his daughter, of Copenhagen.

The movement by women of New York to aid in securing a better city government began with the members of St. George's Episcopal Church. The appeal sent out by the women was read in churches of all denominations in New York.

At the annual meeting of the New England Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools, held in Boston, last week, Miss Helen A. Shafer, president of Wellesley College, was elected a member of the executive committee, the only woman on the list of officers.

Miss Forsyth, of the Forsyth Technical School for Women, London, proposes, should funds be forthcoming, to open a branch for the special training of girls for colonial life, teaching particularly dairy work, gardening, poultry and bee-keeping upon an actual farm.

Belfast is the only municipal borough in Ireland in which women have full municipal suffrage. The same qualifications are required as for men, and the act defining these qualifications says: "For all purposes connected with and having reference to the right to vote in municipal elections, the word person in this act includes women." Four thousand seven hundred and fifty-six women were found qualified to vote for city councillors.

Miss Harriet Colfax, a cousin of the late Vice-President Colfax, has had charge for nearly thirty years of the lighthouse at Nichigan City, one of the most important beacons on that sea of storms, Lake Michigan. At the time of her appointment lard-oil lamps were used, and it was her nightly duty to make her way along a slippery breakwater, often in the teeth of a gale, and climb an icy ladder, to set her light at dusk and replace it at midnight. Of late years gasoline has been substituted. Miss Colfax's helper is an old school friend, Miss Ann Hartwell, and the mutual affection of these two isolated workers might furnish a new chapter for *The Friendships of Women.*

Mrs. Lucinda H. Stone, of Kalamazoo, Mich., was present during a part of the annual meeting of the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ, held last week in Chicago. Mrs. Stone, though not a college graduate, is a woman of high educational attainments, and has rendered distinguished services to the cause of education. It was chiefly through her efforts that the doors of Michigan University were open to women twenty years ago. The honorary degree of Ph. D., recently conferred upon Mrs. Stone by the University of Michigan, makes her eligible to membership in the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ, and the Association last week, by a unanimous vote, invited her to honor them by becoming a member.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

A uniform similar to that worn by British sailors is about to be introduced into the German navy.

The Faith of the Future.

The life of men and nations has not been a floundering on through useless disorder and confusion, trial and strife, war and bloodshed; but it has been a struggling onward to an end. This, I believe, has been the story of the world from the beginning. Before the Christian, before the Hebrew system appeared, there was religion, worship, faith, morality in the world, and however erring, yet always improving from age to age. Those systems are great steps in the human progress; but they are not the only steps. Moses is venerable to me. The name of Jesus is "above every name"; but my reverence for him does not require me to lose all interest in Confucius and Zoroaster, in Socrates and Plato. In short, the world is a school; men are pupils in this school; God is its builder and ordainer. And He has raised up for its instruction sages and seers, teachers and guides; ay, martyred lives, and sacrificial toils and tears and blood have been poured out for it. The greatest teaching, the greatest life, the most affecting, heart-regenerating sacrifice, was that of the Christ. This great school of life I regard but as the infant-school of eternity. The pupils, I believe, will go on forever learning. —*Orville Dewey.*

No Other

As good. This is the statement of Professor Smith, Analytical Chemist: I have analyzed all of the popular blood purifiers and medicines now sold. Many of them I found to be worthless, some dangerous to use. Sulphur Bitters contains nothing poisonous, and I think it is the best blood purifier made.

Double Sashes for Railway Cars.

In consequence of the decided addition to the comfort of travelers of double sashes in passenger cars by reason of the prevention of the admission of cold air

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republican convention for the nomination of candidates for Mayor and members of the School Board will be held at Savings Bank Block, Pleasant street, at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, Nov. 20. The several City Wards will elect delegates to the convention to-morrow, Saturday, evening.

SOME CENSUS FIGURES.

Every once in a while some wise old croaker "bobs serenely up" and declares that New England in point of population is going to the "demnition bow-wows" at a 2-40 gait. There are people scattered over Uncle Sam's dominions who like to hear that New England is going that way, but the Land of the Pilgrims is still alive and kicking, and is likely to remain in that hopeful condition for some time to come.

Take Massachusetts for example: According to the Federal census of 1880 this State stood 7th on the list in point of population; the census of 1890 assigns her to the 6th place, and gives her a population of 2,233,407, against 1,783,085 in 1880, a gain of 25.26 per cent. From 1860 to 1870 her gain was 18.38; from 1870 to 1880, 22.35 per cent. These figures show not only a handsome gain in population but an increased per cent rate each succeeding decade that is in the highest degree satisfactory.

In only one of the 9 States composing the North Atlantic Division was the per cent of increase from 1880 to 1890 greater than Massachusetts, and that was New Jersey — 27.40. The rate of increase in New York during that period was only 17.69, while that of Massachusetts, as stated above, was 25.26.

Leaving out the two Dakotas and Nebraska from the Northern Central Division and its per cent of increase from 1880 to 1890 will be found to be less than that of the North Atlantic Division. Indiana (in the N. C. Division) has increased only 10 65 per cent; Ohio, 14.65; Illinois, 24.06—States to which one would naturally look for a much larger gain in population than in Massachusetts.

We might take other figures from the last "Census Bulletin" kindly forwarded to this office by Supt. Porter which would go to show that New England is more than holding her own with other States in point of growth, but the above are all we have space for at this time.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

By referring to the business columns of the JOURNAL it will be seen that Chairman Wyer and Secretary Brown have issued official notice for holding Republican Ward Caucuses at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening, Nov. 15, at the several places designated in the call, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Aldermen and Councilmen, to select delegates to represent the Wards in the Mayoralty convention, and to transact such other business as may be required.

We need not argue the importance of these caucuses because it is easily to be comprehended by everyone who knows enough to read the notice. It is possible, and perhaps probable, that the character of our next city government may depend on the action of the Republicans to-morrow evening, therefore their deliberations should be cool, calm and collected; their motives unselfish; and their conclusions such as will recommend themselves to the good judgment and cordial approval of all the best men of the city.

Republicans, do not fail to attend the caucuses.

FOX'S BUMMERS.

The Cambridge leeches who Capt. Fox innocently thought were honestly managing his Congressional campaign did almost everything towards that gentleman's defeat. They were his friends for "boodle," and for that alone. They were "on the make," as they have been in every Congressional campaign for a dozen years or more, and Fox was an easy victim. We might call names, but the boodlers are too well known in this District to need it.

The singular part of it is that Fox, who is supposed to be a fairly intelligent man, should have been so blinded by these blood-suckers. Everybody else saw that his money was going to enrich a few private pockets in Cambridge rather than for legitimate campaign purposes but he failed to see it and so kept right on allowing them to squeeze the juice out of him until his money was all gone, and then they left him as rats leave a sinking ship.

A CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.

Richard Terrett, Esq., for many years a prominent and influential member of the Democratic party in this city, is a candidate for the office of Mayor and will make a bold, hard push for victory. Mr. Terrett has led the Woburn Democracy in many a tough battle in years past (some times to success and again to defeat) and it is only fair that the party should now turn to and place their old leader and honored champion at the head of our city government.

In justice to Mr. Terrett the JOURNAL would say that he is "in it" to stay.

FOR SPEAKER.

It is to be presumed that W. P. Barrett, Esq., will be elected Speaker of the Massachusetts House next January without any Republican opposition.

By the way, if Barrett is such a tough one politically how is it that he always carries Melrose along with him for everything he wants? Somehow he never slips up on making connections when he sets out for it.

NATIONAL THANKSGIVING.

President Harrison has appointed Thursday, Nov. 27, as a National Thanksgiving Day, and issued his proclamation accordingly.

☞ The defeat of Mr. Cox of the Cambridge *Press* for the Legislature is to be regretted about as much as anything that befel the Republicans of a local character on election day. He is a popular man in Cambridge, but the Republican day of doom had come and he had to go down with his brethren.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

H. Dodd—Hollander.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
G. A. Bean—For Sale.
M. T. Allen—Citation.
P. E. Bancroft—To Let.
H. F. Lockwood—Rink.
A. Cummings—Millinery.
G. P. Rowell & Co.—Cady.
T. C. Evans—Wesselhoeft.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
T. C. Evans—Mason & Hamlin.
Rep. W. and C. Committee—Caucuses.

— It rains about all the time.

— Bonelli has changed his card this week.

— The day for city election is rapidly drawing nigh.

— Capt. H. N. Conn has gone to Philadelphia.

— Read the change in the advertisement of Fritz & Stanley.

— Yesterday was another of those charming November days that we read about.

— The Democrats have indefinitely postponed their powwow. The soap gave out.

— Mr. P. E. Bancroft advertises one of his fine Franklin street houses to let. See his card.

— Republicans, bear in mind the Ward caucuses to-morrow evening and don't fail to attend!

— The organization of a Lodge of the Knights of Pythias in this city is progressing favorably.

— Marcellus, yer 'and, Sir. But all the same, we're going to lay you out colder than a wedge.

— The question before the meeting-house is: Will or will not the Republican convention nominate Ald. W. C. Kenney for Mayor?

— Rev. Dr. March exchanged pulpits with Rev. Dr. Scott of Clinton in this State last Sunday.

— The fire at Calnan's shoe stock factory on Winn street a week ago last night did no damage to speak of.

— As champions of opposing Democratic factions Thomas Salmon and David F. Moreland are ready to scratch each other's eyes out.

— Mr. Frank Dodge is selling gold and silver watches cheaper than ever before. He has a fine stock of the best, and all kinds of jewelry.

— Those people who left their beds early yesterday morning saw, if they observed closely, the very shallow puddles of water thinly covered with ice.

— On Thursday evening, Nov. 20, Brewster Colony, No. 19, U.O.P.F., will have two candidates who will receive the Initiatory degree of the Order.

— We hate mortally to be compelled to slaughter Mr. W. F. Davis in Ward 1, but there is no help for it. He must be buried very deep on election day.

— Alderman Goddard absolutely refused to stand a candidate for re-election in Ward 1. He wouldn't have it. Mr. Goddard would make an able and capable Mayor.

— Mishawum Lodge, 161, A. O. U. W., gave an entertainment and supper at Post 161, G. A. R., Hall last Wednesday evening. It was a very pleasant affair.

— They say that Frank Curran was the busiest man to be found at the Democratic caucuses last Monday night. Perhaps he is afraid of losing his head as City Solicitor.

— Auctioneer Prior advertises a sale in this paper for L. L. Whitney, Esq., Executor, to which particular attention is called. It will offer a good chance for somebody to "make a dollar."

— Mr. G. A. Bean, the real estate dealer, advertises for sale the residence of the late James C. Richardson on Fairmount street. It is good property and the locality can't be surpassed.

— The City should purchase the Capt. Crane land south of Cummings School, corner of Warren and Main streets, as it would be a misfortune to have it sold in small lots for houses and stores.

— An advertisement in this paper tells about a good time to come off at Skating Academy on Wednesday evening, Nov. 19. The affair is in good hands and is bound to be a genuine treat for all who attend.

— It is safe to say that the turkey supper at the Baptist church vestry last evening was a rousing success. The ladies had cut the pattern for it that way, and Baptist ladies generally know what they are about.

— It remains to be seen whether our neighbor, Councilman Grant, will make a strike for promotion in Ward 3 or take a renomination for the Council. It is rather expected that he will boldly launch out for Aldermanic honors.

— The teachers of the evening school in this city are Frank Carter for Principal, and Miss Fellows and Miss Mahoney for Assistant teachers. It is generally understood that the selections are firstclass from one end to the other.

— They say that Ald. Place is not "in it" this year. He doesn't think he is well enough to make the run or perform the duties of the position if elected, so he will leave the track clear for somebody who wants to be Alderman more then he does.

— The funeral of the wife of Mr. Sidney Richardson took place at the Congregational Church yesterday afternoon and was attended by the G. A. R. and Relief Corps in a body and many relatives and friends. The floral tributes were profuse and beautiful. Mrs. Richardson was an estimable lady, and leaves a large circle of warm friends to mourn her loss.

— People who would like to have a good time should bear in mind that the annual supper and sale will be given at the Unitarian chapel at North Woburn on next Thursday evening. Those who attend from the Centre will no doubt enjoy it very much.

— Republicans who fail to attend the Ward caucuses to-morrow will do wrong. The primaries (the real business is done at them) never should be neglected but need always to be fully attended if right action would be secured. Attend the primaries!

— Mr. David Ronco has sold the house in which he resides on Sturgess street to Mr. George S. Hudson, a Boston *Herald* reporter, and will occupy the one next south of it owned by him. It is a pleasant place and it is understood that Mr. Ronco sold it for a good price.

— John I. Munroe has just sold a house lot, in Cummings Park, Kilby street, and all the Capt. Crane lots on Main street, near Cross street, except one. The purchasers intend building. He has also sold the Hartshorn property on Kilby street. Good prices were realized.

— The rumor that Mr. Beebe is to take the John Cummings tannery was altogether erroneous. Mr. William Ellard is carrying on the establishment and will probably do so for some time to come. He is one of the old firm and a firstclass leather maker and business man.

— To take a stroll through Fitz & Stanley's Boston Branch is almost as good as a Thanksgiving dinner. The stacks of raisens, figs and other preserved fruits (fresh and sweet), nuts, confections, all sorts of products of the oven, cheese, pickles, and other good things—they are enough to make a person's mouth water just to look at.

— Mr. Walton B. Ward of this city has been awarded the contract for changing the old M. E. meeting-house into a business block by its owners, the Mechanics Investment Company. Extensive alterations will be made, the character of which was given in the JOURNAL several weeks ago. They are expected to cost in the neighborhood of $8,000.

— For correct information respecting local affairs and correct counsel as to political matters the columns of the JOURNAL is the place to look. By the way the Woman's Club were somewhat surprised to learn that they held a meeting last week of more than ordinary interest. The facts of the case may be learned by consulting the local columns of this issue of the JOURNAL.

— Wednesday Mr. H. E. Blanchard illuminated the JOURNAL sanctum with the light of his countenance. We recollected him as the gentleman from the Hub who got up the Street Railway Guide a few years ago — a very useful suburban traveling companion; and now he is compiling a city and suburban guide to the U. S. mail business, letter-boxes, etc. He is a useful man in the community.

— Miss Mary Richardson, daughter of the late Mr. James C. Richardson, has returned to her post of duty as Librarian of Atlanta University at Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. Ernest C. Richardson, a son of Mr. James C., has resumed his duties as Librarian at Princeton College where his mother will go to live with him. They are an excellent family who will be missed by many people in this city.

— Early week after next a high grade entertainment is to be given here consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, etc., concerning which full particulars will be given in the next issue of the JOURNAL. It will afford our people an opportunity to listen to firstclass musical and literary talent, and we have no doubt but that a hallful of people will improve it. It is to be of a high order of merit.

— The fifth season of the Friday Night Club of the Unitarian Society will begin on Friday night, Nov. 28, with a Social. The following officers have been elected for the current year: Board of Directors: President, William F. Davis; Vice Presidents, Henry M. Aldrich, Clara Parker; Secretary and Treasurer, Harry L. Brackett; Benjamin Champney, Albert Thompson, Helen C. Clewley, Emma Wright, Abbie Brackett.

— The ball given by Quealy Court, No 32, C.O.F., in Music Hall last Friday evening was a social event of more than ordinary note. A great many people were present and participated in the dance, for which the very best of music was furnished, and out of the large assembly not one could be found who did not enjoy it. Many elegant dresses were worn by the ladies, while many of the gentlemen appeared in regulation evening suits. It was a nice affair.

— Level-headed Republicans will find considerable "food for reflection" in the letter of our correspondent, "A Republican Tax-payer." The article is worth studying. It might be profitably pondered over, and then reduced to action. There is meat in it, and as we know it to be the earnest desire of all Republicans to take the right course in the Mayoralty business it would not be like them to refuse the letter referred to a careful and conscientious perusal.

— The 3d party people will run a candidate for Mayor this year. If they can find a Republican who does not drink to excess they would prefer him to a Democrat. The Prohibs are against Ald. Kenney teeth and toe-nail and will compass his defeat if possible. Some of them would rather take a boozy Republican than a sober Democrat, but it can hardly be said that that sentiment is in the majority among them. Who their candidate will be remains to be seen.

— A week ago last night the lady friends of the Hudson Associates presented them with two fine chairs and a couple of handsome pictures. Miss Hannah Flaherty made the presents and accompanied the presentation with a neat speech, to which Patrick H. Burke, President of the Associates, replied in fitting words. After this there was a ball for which Gowan's Orchestra furnished excellent music, refreshments, etc. It was a very enjoyable occasion, at which the attendance was very large.

— One of the latest fashionable things in all city houses is an English Clothes Pole, or European Clothes Tree. They are used for airing, drying and ventilating the clothing at night, and are wonderfully convenient. They cost only $2.50 at Paine's Furniture Ware-rooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— An alarm at 8.30 last Monday evening from box 67 was for a fire at Mr. William Beggs's on Main street by which his barn was badly burned. The firemen were promptly on the ground as usual and did some fine work, but the building was doomed and it didn't lay in the power of water to save it. The contents, including two horses, a cow, hay, grain, etc., were destroyed causing a loss of about $2,500, on which there was no insurance. Mr. Beggs's handsome residence, close to the barn, escaped uninjured.

— Charles F. Spear, Esq., (lawyer) and family have settled at Hyde Park over on the other side of Boston. He sold the old Spear homestead at Button End lately and has probably quit our city for good. Lawyer Spear is a genial, whole-souled gentleman and has many friends in Woburn who hated have him go. A year or so since he married into one of the best families in this city whose connections are numerous and highly esteemed, while Mrs. Spear, relict of the late Charles Spear, and mother of Lawyer S., is a lady whose departure from Woburn will be deeply regreted. Good fortune to all of them.

— Mr. Charles A. Taylor of Woburn, for several years employed as foreman of the splitting and finishing department at Loring & Avery's tannery in this town, has resigned his position to accept another in Woburn. Mr. Taylor is a thorough mechanic, and was highly respected by all the men working under him. *Winchester Star.* Mr. Taylor is considered one of the best leather makers in Woburn. Neither when it comes to drawing a bead with a kodak on a pretty face or bit of scenery is Charlie much of a slouch.

— With an assorted lot of snow flakes filling the air, a rawish sort of wind meandering hitherward from the Boreal quarter of the world, a general reappearance of ulsters redolent of camphor and cedar boughs, a superabundance of gray clouds laden with winter, and a conspicuous absence of sunbeams—these characteristics gave last Tuesday morning a wintry hue and touch that sent cold shivers chasing each other up and down ones spinal column at a great rate and reminded one that Christmas is close at hand.

— Warren C. Perrigo was arraigned again last Saturday morning in the District Court on a charge for keeping a liquor nuisance and got for a sentence $100 by way of fine and 10 months in the House of Correction. It was only a month or so ago that he was convicted in the same Court for a like offence and sentenced to pay a fine of $50 with 4 months in the House of Correction, from which sentence he appealed and the appeal is now pending. It looks as though Perrigo might gain a permanent residence in Cambridge after a while.

— The Harvest Concert of the M. E. Sunday School last Sunday was under the direction of Supt. Copeland and one of the best ever given in that church. Those who participated acquitted themselves most creditably, while the music was of the best. Much attention was paid to the addresses especially that by Rev. Mr. Briggs of Chicago who is about to become a missionary in Africa. Among the musical contributions finely rendered were — "Harvest Hymn," by Willie Heckbert; "The Wind Across the Wheat," by May Leathe; "The Seed of Song," by Gracie Heartz; "The Patchwork Window," by Daisy Dorr; "The Sowers," by Bertha Seller, and another by Wellington Cooke. Seven little girls gave "Autumn Responses," four little girls, "The Gleaners," and six little boys responded to "Has the harvest been garnered in?"

— In the matter of buying and utilizing Carter's rink for business purposes John I. Munroe, the wide-awake real estate agent of this city, isn't letting any grass grow under his sandals. For a man so quiet mannered as he is Mr. Munroe is a real estate hustler and is doing a heap towards settling up the waste places of this town with a good class of inhabitants. If the people will only take hold with him John I. will have that huge rink filled plum full of male and female shoemakers before next New Year's, while the projects which he has got in his head for next season will prove a big thing for Woburn. At the meeting of the Board of Trade the other night Major Henry C. Hall, Daniel H. Richards, Winthrop Hammond and Postmaster Lawrence Reade were added to the Business Committee which has this rink and similar projects for internal improvement in hand and they will increase the strength and momentum of the scheme. It is bound to go—at anyrate, Munroe will give no rest to the soles of their feet until something worthy of the Board of Trade is accomplished.

— Last Sunday Rev. Hugh Montgomery paid his respects to the rumsellers and discussed temperance from a home standpoint. It is surmised that the Parson will stir up the animals and make a rattling among some of the dry bones between this and election day. If he can spare time from his church-building duties to strip to the task it is more than possible that rumsellers and the candidates of rumsellers will hear something drap one of these frosty mornings. The Parson derives considerable comfort from the following figures which he gathered up and laid before his congregation Sunday evening. They show the difference between license and prohibition in this city, so he says: The number of arrests made by the Police of this city for the year ending Nov. 1, 1889, was 481. Of these 332 were for drunkeness; 46 liquor nuisances were prosecuted; 175 search warrants were served; and 60 liquor seizures were made. During the year ending Nov. 1, 1890, there were 330 arrests in all by the Police; of which 200 were for drunkeness; 26 liquor nuisances were given attention to; 210 search warrants were served; and 74 liquor seizures were made. The year 1889 was a license year in Woburn, while prohibition was voted at the last election and has been the liquor policy this year. The difference in the work of the Police in the two periods indicates the relative condition of the rum traffic under the opposing systems. Mr. Montgomery brought these facts home to the understanding in such a manner that he who runs may read.

Democratic Ward Caucuses.

There was a fight all along the line. Every caucus was full, and each showed fire in its eye. The bosses and the orators were on deck early and often and the workers were within easy hail. Beer was the prevailing perfume.

The contest was to secure the delegates to the Mayoralty convention, and it was a tug of war. Mr. Thomas Salmon marshaled his forces ably, and City Clerk Moreland showed splendid generalship in forming his line of battle. Between the contending hosts the disparity in numbers was hardly discernable with the naked eye. The Moreland faction fought to get delegates for Alderman W. C. Kenney, while Salmon and his henchmen were equally determined to clean out the "gang" and elect anti-Kenney men.

In some wards it took well into the night to settle matters. It was a fight for blood. And also for leadership — a thing more precious to a Democrat than blood.

The Moreland faction, or as it is sometimes called, the "Municipal Building Ring," won the fight and on Tuesday morning victory with a capital V. proudly perched on the Moreland-Kenney banner. The following is the outcome of the caucuses:

Ward 1.—Alderman, William F. Davis; Councilman, Jeremiah Weafer and John O'Donnell; Delegates, Thomas Salmon, Robert J. W. Phinney, Andrew Roach, John I. Munroe. Ward and City Committee, William F. Kenney, Bernard McHugh, Dr. D. F. Murphy, Thomas Salmon, John I. Munroe, Wallace T. Davis.

Ward 2.—Alderman, Jacob A. Ham; Councilmen, Thomas J. Fox, Daniel J. Murphey; Delegates, James F. McKenna, Daniel Sullivan, James Dolan, John H. Bates; Ward and City Committee, Jacob Ham, James Dolan, John C. Meehan, John G. Maguire, Clarence Littlefield, Richard Reynolds, Frank F. Dodge, Thomas Quinn, James F. McKenna, Henry M. Aldrich, James Maguire, Christopher J. Durham, Thomas J. Fox, Daniel J. Murphey.

Ward 3—Alderman, John H. Finn; Councilmen, John F. Larkin, Marcellus Littlefield; Delegates, Edward J. Gregory, John McLaughlin, P. Henry Mathews, William E. Mooney; Ward and City Committee, A. A. Doherty, John McLaughlin, P. Henry Mathews, Dr. James H. Conway, Mathew Looby, Michael Meagher, Robert H. Corry.

Ward 4—Alderman, Eliot L. Parker; Councilmen, Charles A. McDonald, Asa G. Sheldon; Delegates, Thomas H. McGovern, Peter Rafferty, David F. Moreland; Ward and City Committee, David F. Moreland, Thomas Moore, Edward T. O'Neil, Eliot L. Packard, David Condon, John P. Delany.

Ward 5—Alderman, John J. Walsh; Councilman, James McAvoy. Delegates, James Cogan, Lawrence Martin, Frank McGarry. Ward Committee, Lawrence Martin, James Cogan, Frank McGarry.

Ward 6—Alderman, Edward E. Parker. Councilman, Clarence H. Nichols. Delegates, John J. Hayden, Daniel W. Bond. Ward and City Committee, Eugene Duffy, Daniel W. Bond, Edward D. Parker, William McGrath, Henry Rooney, John J. Hayden, James Doherty.

Ward 7—Alderman, James H. Dorherty. Councilman, Fred C. Emery. Delegates, John Thornton, William Breslin. Ward and City Committee, William Breslin, Thomas Breslin, Fred M. Dorherty, Fred C. Emery, Bryan Griffin, Patrick Riley, Timothy Bowen.

How You Can Do It.

Once when in New York I heard a vender of stove polish give out this cry: "Save your money, time and labor; shine ye, hot or cold. D-i-r-t-y, g-r-e-a-s-y stoves." Very pathetically he put it, and it took, for the saving of money, time and labor is what we are all looking for. No better way can be found than to introduce and maintain in the household Brussels soap. It's economical.

The Woman's Club.

Miss O. M. E. Rowe of the Boston City Hospital lectured before the Woburn Woman's Club on Friday, Nov. 7.

Her subject, "The Heredity of Character and Ability," was treated in an able and scholarly manner, and her paper showed the result of careful research into the studies of Physiology, Biology, and Botany, and an extensive knowledge of History and Biography.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held on Friday, Nov 21, at 7.30 p. m., when Mr. John Baker, an escaped Siberian Exile, will entertain the Club with autobiographical remiuiscences. Mr. Baker has been before the New England public several years, having lectured in this State as early as 1877. He is said to graphically picture the cruelties of the Russian government to its political offenders, and the horrors of Siberian dungeons.

"His father was beheaded for participating in a Polish insurrection, and he, his mother, sisters, and sweetheart were packed off to Siberia by different routes."

Baker made his escape to America, but his mother died on the way to Siberia where his sisters and sweetheart are, if living, yet in exile. Now that so much interest is being taken in the Perestchagin paintings in which the fiendish acts of the Russian nation are so daringly portrayed, the Club will be fortunate to have one Russian verify by words what another has portrayed on canvas.

That the husbands and friends of the members of the Club may attend this lecture the hour has been changed to 7.30 p. m. The admission fee to non-members will be twenty-five cents.

Men drink good, bad and indifferent liquor and never grumble about the price of it, but they growl when their wives don't economize by using Brussels soap.

The Twenty-Third.

A week ago last evening Barbank Post, No. 33, G. A. R., celebrated the 23d anniversary of their organization in a becoming manner. The ceremonies, which were very interesting, took place in G. A. R. Hall and were witnessed by a large number of Comrades and others, and were enlivened by Women's Relief Corps, No. 83, who also aided materially in carrying out the excellent programme. To the good taste and deft fingers of these was due mainly the profuse display of bunting and evergreens in the Hall and other handsome decorations. These ladies, too, provided the grand good supper that everyone enjoyed so much; indeed, the celebration would have been rather a tame and uninteresting affair (we fear) had it not been for the presence and assistance of the fair ones of the Corps.

If the supper was excellent the after-dinner exercises were a match for it. Everybody was in the best of temper, and there was no hanging back when Comrades were called on for an experience. The first to address the assembly was Commander Warren of 33, who gave a succinct but very entertaining history of the Post, in which many facts were narrated of special interest to his audience.

Commander Warren on closing named Comrade Colonel William T. Grammer, one of the charter members of the Post, as President of the evening, which honor was gracefully accepted in a brief speech. Col. Grammer then introduced Comrade Charles H. Porter, Mayor of the city of Quincy, who gave his attentive hearers an outline history of the Battle of Five Forks which all enjoyed very much. When Col Porter had finished several gentlemen and ladies responded to calls for speeches among whom were Mayor Ed. F. Johnson, City Solicitor Curran, John L. Parker, Editor of the Lynn *Item*, Mrs. Charles T. Wood of Lynn, Mrs. Randall, President of W. R. C. 83, and Prof. Elmore A. Pierce. Mr. Reddy and some others gave some patriotic songs.

At the close of his entertaining history of Five Forks Col. Porter, in behalf of Mrs. Emily F. Warren, widow of the late distinguised Major-General C. K. Warren, presented the Post with a splendid portrait of General Warren mounted in an elegant frame, also a topographical map of Five Forks.

Some of the prominent people present at the celebration were: Mayor E. F. Johnson and Lady, John L. Parker, Esq., Editor of the Lynn *Item*, Capt. Luke R. Tidd, Capt. John P. Crane, Mr. E. J. Gregory and Miss Gregory, Col. Edward Simonds, Ald. Linscott of No. Woburn, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Woodside, Capt. George W. Nichols, Lady and daughter, Col. A. P. Barrett and Lady, Mr. A. H. Richardson and Lady, Col. A. F. Atwood, Charles A. McDonald, Esq., and Lady, Col. John Connolly, Major John B. Davis and Lady, and many others.

They all said it was one of the best anniversary celebrations Post 33 ever held.

"The City Hall Ring."

To the Editor of Woburn Journal:—

Certain politicians who are striving to get into the municipal mansion and to warm their toes at the municipal hearthstone are trying to throw dust into the eyes of the citizens of Woburn, more especially into Republican optics, by talking vigorously about a "City Hall Ring," consisting of those who now hold office. They would have the people believe that Woburn has been and is now at the mercy of unscrupulous politicians and plunderers who are running the municipal machine in the interest of pelf and to the consequent detriment of good government. In fact, one of these deeriers, who has been a leader under former democratic government, has stated that those now in office form a combination worse than the Tweed Ring ever dreamt of being!

This talk is almost too absurd for serious consideration and yet there may be some who will be deceived by it. If there are any such we ask them to reflect for a moment and compare the administration of the past two years with those which preceded it, when the men who are now inveigling against the Mayor and City Council held sway in town affairs.

Have the Republicans of Woburn forgotten the time when they were practically excluded from all participation in town affairs? When a Republican in office was a curiosity? When the rate of taxation and the city debt were yearly increasing? Have they forgotten John Boyle's administration of the highways? Have they forgotten the tax rate of $19 70 of the last Town Government? Have the temperance people of Woburn who had to go down into their own pockets to secure even a semblance of the enforcement of law, forgotten former administrations of the Police Department? Are Republicans again prepared to entrust their business to the conspicuous unselfishness (*sic*) of S—lm—n, the fearless independence (*sic*) of H—m, and the (when at home) marvellous statemenship (*sic*) of Mc D—n—gh?

Let the Republicans scan the list of town officers under the last several years of Town Goverment and see how many of their faith held office in the days before the "City Hall Ring" came into power. Let them contrast those times with the present when the party's nominees embrace a Mayor, a majority of the City Council, City Treasurer, City Auditor, Chief of Police, Clerk of Committees, and clerk of Common Council, two out of three Water Commissioners, two out of three Assessors, and other minor offices. Let them hunt for two years under the old regime when the tax rate was reduced $3 20 and the city debt showed a net reduction (over and above all expenses and debts incurred, including a new school house, a public park and a new conduit to the reservoir) of $57,000.

Such is the financial record of the past two years, and if this be the result of "Ring Rule" the citizens of Woburn who pay taxes and believe in a business-like management of the city might well be content to be governed by "Ring". But they are not governed in that way. That an alliance between certain elements in both parties has been made in the interest of good clean government is not disputed; that it has been made to further any individual political ambitions is emphatically denied by those who are accused of being in the "Ring". All that they want is a continuance of good government and an economical administration of the city's business. If the Republicans and citizens of Woburn believe that an advance has been made in the right direction in the last two years, and want to continue the line of march thus taken up they will see to it that those in sympathy with the present administration are put at the head of affairs for the next year. If, however, they desire to "advance backwards" and re-unite the Democracy of this city they will heed the advice of Mr. Salmon, his associates and satellites, and drive the Democratic friends of the present administration back into their own party, and compel the nomination by the democratic mayoralty convention of a man for Mayor who like Thomas D. Hevey for Representative will satisfy both wings of their party and lead them on to victory.

REPUBLICAN TAXPAYER.

Two Woburn Industries.

In the last issue of *The Shoe and Leather Review* we find the following mention of two prosperous iron manufacturing establishments of this city which notices are accompanied by cuts of some of the machinery manufactured:

J. T. Freeman & Co., Woburn, Mass., manufacture a wide range of leather finishing machinery. These machines are made in the best possible manner and are in every way fitted for the work required of them, says the maker. The frames are of thoroughly seasoned ash timber, securely bolted, and the working parts of the very best material to be had. The manufacturers offer them with the strongest of guarantees and at prices perfectly satisfactory to the manufacturer.

Coombs & Brown, of Woburn, Mass., make a leather dressing Jack that possesses several features of undoubted merit, for which letters patent have been granted. The machine has been in use in many tanneries for about two years, and is said to have given great satisfaction.

The press is the watch-dog that guards the hen-house of our liberty and protects the clothes-line of our rights—and it also advises you to use the economical Brussels soap.

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412 Main St., opp. Lyceum Hall.

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Mrs. C. PACKARD, 419 Main St., Woburn.

The New Assistant U. S. District Attorney.

Henry A. Wyman, Esq, who for several years past has filled the office of Second Assistant Attorney General of this Commonwealth with credit to himself and profit to the people, has been appointed Assistant U. S. District Attorney for the District of Massachusetts by Attorney Allen and will enter on the discharge of his duties on Dec. 1, prox.

The appointment will meet with a cordial public endorsement, for besides being a lawyer of more than ordinary learning and ability, Mr. Wyman is a young gentleman of sterling personal worth in whose hands any public trust would be sure to be safe. He comes from good legal stock. His father, until failing health overtook him and prostrated his energies, was one of the leading legal lights of Maine. He was a lawyer of sound judgment, familiar with the books, a successful advocate, and safe counselor. And besides he was an honest man, which can't be truthfully said of every knight of the green bag. The new Assistant U. S. Attorney for Massachusetts takes after his father, which means that Attorney Allen has chosen his right-hand man with wisdom and discretion.

Here is what one or two of the leading Boston papers have to say about Mr. Wyman and his appointment, with a plenty more of the same tenor, for the publication of which we have not room:

Mr. Henry A. Wyman, the second assistant attorney-general of Massachusetts, has resigned, to take effect Dec. 1, having been appointed assistant district attorney by United States District Attorney Frank D. Allen. During Mr. Wyman's several years' service in the attorney-general's office he has made an excellent legal record by his thorough work, and frequently received the public commendation of the supreme bench of the state.—*Boston Herald.*

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United States Dist.-Atty. Allen has appointed as his first assistant Henry A. Wyman, now the second-assistant attorney-general of the commonwealth. Mr. Wyman, although a young man, has already shown himself to be a lawyer of more than ordinary ability, and his appointment will undoubtedly be received with general satisfaction. In the office of the attorney-general he has had charge of nearly all criminal cases which have gone to the supreme court, and has done much other responsible and difficult legal work. He takes his new office in December. The salary of the new place is $2000, an increase over that of the office he now holds. Mr. Wyman succeeds Col. T. H. Talbot, who was appointed by Mr. Galvin.—*Boston Globe.*

Worcester's Success in Treating Sewage.

The following account of Worcester's new sewerage system will be specially interesting to the people of the territory included in the Great Metropolitan Sewerage District for which a $5,000,000 sewer is being constructed.

During the past three months the new sewerage system of the city of Worcester has been demonstrated to be an unqualified success. The system, being unique in this country, although it is not original with Worcester's city engineer, has attracted the attention it deserves, since its efficiency is unquestioned and its administration economical. The waters of the Blackstone river, which formerly were polluted with filth, are becoming once more clear and pure. The work of chemical precipitation in the great sewage tanks, in short, is so thoroughly done that Prof. Sedgwick of the Massachusetts Institution of Technology, who has recently inspected the plant, avers that the effluent discharge into the stream might be drunk with safety. Prof. T. M. Brown of the same Institution, and an expert in sewage matters, testifies that the results are superior to those he has observed at any chemical precipitation works in Europe. Charles A. Allen, the engineer whose monument these works are, continues to manage the sewerage system; and the case illustrates how wisely economical a municipality may be in giving a trustworthy expert authority to achieve desired results. The daily work of precipitation is being economically done. Careful observation of the sewage flow, accompanied by an intelligent use of the lime and alumina, renders it possible to estimate to a nicety the annual expense, which is not expected to be more than $15,000 when the whole of the city sewage is treated.—*Somerville Citizen.*

Why do not the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners adopt the plan of chemical precipitation for disposing of drainage which works so well in Worcester instead of conveying it out to sea and depositing it somewhere in the vicinity of Point Shirley only to be returned to and landed on the beaches at Winthrop and neighborhood every time a wind blows from the ocean?

The system also works well in taking care of the sewerage from the Woburn and Winchester tanneries. Some years ago the Boston Water Department, to prevent the pollution of their water supply from Mystic Pond, put in a large sewer pipe extending from Skinner's tannery at Woburn Centre to a point opposite the head of Upper Mystic Pond a few rods below Mystic station. Here the vast stream of drainage constantly flowing through the pipe into vats is subjected to a chemical process by which the solids it contains are precipitated and the water, which runs off through pipes to the Mystic River near the foot of Lower Mystic Pond, is as pure, clean and sweet as the best spring water that flows out of the ground. The system is a perfect success in this case as well as at Worcester.

Why then are the Metropolitan Commissioners so averse to adopting this plan of taking care of the sewerage of the great territory over which they have jurisdiction?

Will Leave His Office.

Governor Brackett will leave his office with the respect of the people, and had it not been for McKinley he would have been re-elected by the usual majority.—*Newton Graphic.*

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

Unitarian—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Paying one's debts.

Congregational—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Seven Safeguards for Young Men." At 6 p.m. young people's meeting; at 7 p. m. Anniversary of the Christian Association. The usual meetings on Wednesday and Friday evening.

METHODIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: Reaping and Sowing. A sermon to the young men. Preaching by Rev. Cyrus D. Foss, D D., L. L. D., of Philadelphia at 6 p. m. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting. Friday evening Class meeting.

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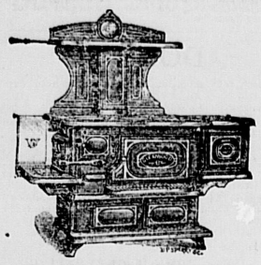

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Y. M. C. A.

Monday evening's Mens meeting was led by three young men from the Boston Y. M. C. A.

Saturday evening Evangelist Smith and Gospel Singer Robson will conduct a meeting for men only.

To-night the meeting will be for all under the leadership of the Young People's Societies of the various churches.

Thursday evening the meeting was again held at the Rooms of the Association and was conducted by Mr. N. S. Greet.

The Sunday Boys Meetings are increasing every week in numbers and interest. Every boy is invited for next Sunday at 3 p. m.

This being the Week of Prayer for young men the Church prayer meetings Wednesday evening took for their subject "Our Boys."

Tuesday four students from Harvard University had charge of the meeting and despite the storm there was a good number of men present.

Last Sunday's 4 o'clock meeting under the leadership of Evangelist R. S. Smith and Gospel Singer Robert Robson was one of the largest ever held in the rooms.

Sunday, Nov. 15, will be Anniversary Sunday with the Association. The usual 4 o'clock Men's meeting and 3 o'clock Boy's meeting will be held. At 7.30 p. m. the Anniversary exercises will take place in the Congregational church, when the following programme will be given:

PROGRAMME.

Organ Voluntary,	H. W. Clark
Hymn,	Congregation
Reading Scripture,	Rev. D. D. Winn
Prayer,	Rev. D. D. Winn
Song. "Come unto Him."	Handel
	Shuman Quartett.
President's Report.	
General Secretary's Report.	
Solo. "But the Lord is mindful."	Mendelssohn
	Katherine Spear.
Address,	H. M. Moore
Song,	Shuman Quartett
Address,	Bishop Foss D.D., L. L. D.
Address,	Rev. Daniel March, D.D.
Hymn,	Congregation
Benediction,	Rev. H. Montgomery

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a meeting last Tuesday evening. A petition was received from ward 6 for two more fire hydrants and six electric lights; referred. A communication was received from Chelsea that Mrs. Harriet Ridlon had been on the State aid rolls there; referred. Elipaz Prior was granted permit to erect a sign over the sidewalk. John T. Trull and 10 others asked that a sidewalk be built on the westerly side of Auburn street. Parties on Broad street petitioned for edge stone. P. S. Barnard petitioned for electric light. The city ordinance relating to fire district was passed to be engrossed. Sixth class liquor licences were granted to Messrs. Lovel and Buckminster. Polling places were established as follows; Ward 1, Lyceum Hall; ward 2, Fifield building, Fowle street; ward 3, steamer house, Winn street; ward 4, Fox building; wards 5, 6 and 7 at theis respective hose houses.

Belting Middlesex Fells.

The probability is that the Fells railroad will be built, and that, too, before many months.

Recent conferences have been held between citizens of our town and officials of the Boston & Maine system, and assurances have been given by the latter that they now favor the project and are rather urgent to have it built.

What the citizens desire is that it should be made a belt line from the Fells in Melrose to Reading, and it has been suggested that it be carried to Woburn or Wilmington junction.

If built it will be double tracked.—*Ex.*

Of course to make it a success as a belt line it must be built to connect with the B. & L. at Woburn. In fact, any new piece of railroad around in these parts that should undertake to leave Woburn out of the reckoning would stand a mighty poor show of maintaining an existence very long.

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North Woburn.

On Friday evening, Nov. 14, the Congregational society will hold a sociable in the vestry of their church.

The sudden death of our late resident, Mr. Prentice Barnard was a great surprise and severe shock to his friends.

Rev. Mr. Murphy will preach a sermon to young men at the Congregational church in this village next Sunday morning.

Mrs. Charles W. Greeley has had as her guests during the last few days Mrs. Fairbanks and daughter of Lewiston, Maine.

The monthly sociable of the Unitarian society which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Watson, was a charming success.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a "Mothers" meeting in the parlor of the Congregational church on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at 3 p. m. Mothers are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. B. F. Kimball, since Ald. Linscott refuses to accept a re-nomination from the Republicans of Ward 6, will probably be nominated for the place and elected, if he will accept.

The ladies connected with the Unitarian Society will hold a Fair in the chapel on next Thursday evening, Nov. 20. Preparations are being made to make this occasion rank even higher than the excellent standof those held during the past years.

The annual sale and supper at the Unitarian Chapel will be held on Thursday evening, Nov. 20, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. Provisions have been made for a candy table, a fishing pond, and other attractions, besides a grand good supper. The admission will be only 10 cents, and the supper only 25 cents. The supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock, p. m. sharp.

The sudden death of Mr. Prentiss S. Barnard last Sunday came in the nature of a shock to this community. He had injured himself considerably by falling down a flight of stairs the day before but he was not considered in a dangerous condition and his speedy recovery was confidently looked for. His age nearly 74 years. In his prime he was considered one of the smartest commercial salesmen in Boston. Many years ago he was in business with his brother-in-law, Dr. S. G. Richardson of Wakefield, and accumulated considerable property. During this period he lived in Woburn, but went away and was gone more than 20 years, returning about eight years ago, when he purchased an estate in Ward 6, where he died. His widow survives. He had many warm friends.

Some one has said that the Kitchen is the heart of the home, and we all know it plays an important part in the household economy. To make the work easy there clears the whole atmosphere of the home, and we therefore with pleasure call attention to the advertisement headed "Kitchen Essentials," in this paper, wherein Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom give extremely low prices for many articles needed in every kitchen.

Burlington.

A new barn is being built on Mr. Abel Harrington's place.

A meeting of the Agricultural Society will be held at the Town Hall Saturday evening.

Rev. W. Murphy of Middleton preached at the church Sunday morning. The evening service was omitted.

Mr. Joshua Reed and Mr. Samuel Gowing have both been seriously ill this week. Mr. Reed is eighty-nine years old and Mr. Gowing's years number more than ninety.

The work of building the new barn on the Town Farm was begun this week. Messrs. H. H. Nichols, E. A. Bennett and G. L. Tebbetts are the building committee. The dimensions of the barn are to be forty by fifty feet with sixteen feet posts.

Mrs. Harriet Conery, one of the oldest inhabitants of the town, died Nov. 11, at the residence of Abner Shedd, Esq., where she had made her home for several years. Until a short time ago she retained the use of her faculties in a remarkable degree although over ninety years of age. She was highly esteemed for her benevolence and charity. Her funeral will be held Friday afternoon. The services will be conducted by Rev. C. H. Washburn.

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Boston Theatres.

Next Monday evening, Nov. 17, Francis Wilson and company will begin an engagement at the Globe Theatre, presenting "The Merry Monarch," which was called in New York the most successful lyric production of the past 10 years. The book of the opera, although derived from a French source, is, in the main part, the work of J. Cheever Goodwin, author of "Evangeline" and adapter of all the operas once so successfully performed by Alice Oates in the days of her greatest popularity, described as one of the brightest and wittiest ever contributed to the stage. Francis Wilson's entrance is made in great state in a gorgeous palanquin borne by black slaves. He gets down to the foot-lights in a fashion that sets everybody shrieking with laughter, and then sings "I'm a King with a Capital K."

The scenery and spectacular beauty of "The Merry Monarch" has been the theme of great praise. Henry E. Hoyt of the Mettropolitan Opera House, New York, painted all the scenery. The costumes are by Dazian and Charles Hawthorne, and were executed from designs especially painted for Mr. Wilson by Percy Anderson of London, who is celebrated as one of England's most noted portrait painters. The company includes Marie Jansen, Laura Moore, Nettie Leyford, Cecile Eissing, Belle Hariz, Charles Plunkett, Gilbert Clayton, Willet Seaman, Harry Macdonough and B. F. Joselyn. The orchestra is under the direction of Signor A. De Novellis.

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Mrs. Ellen L. Rider.

Many of the readers of the *Republic* will be grieved to learn of the death of this estimable lady. She died at her father's old homestead on the 7th of October at the age of fifty-one years. She was the daughter of the late Maynard King; was born in Worcester County, Massachusetts, and came to Geneseo, with her parents, in 1834. For more than a third of a century she has been a resident of Geneseo. She was married to Wilson J. Rider, Esq., in 1861. Her only child died in infancy, but her husband and an adopted daughter survive her. They do not mourn alone for Mrs. Rider left a host of friends to cherish her memory. They will remember much that was lovely during all her residence here; her quiet, but always cheerful, disposition, her earnest effort to make everybody happy in her presence, and her Christian character exemplified in the patience with which she bore her physical sufferings during the last four years of her life. The sympathy of this entire community is with Mr. Rider in his affliction.—*Geneseo (Ill.) Republic.*

A few years ago Mrs. Rider, the subject of the above obituary, visited Woburn and made some warm friends among our people, one whom sends to the JOURNAL the following tribute to her memory:

TO MY FRIEND NELLIE.

Farewell, dear friend, thy work is done,
Thy sufferings now are o'er;
Thy voice is hushed, those eyes are dimmed,
That smile we see no more.

Thy home, once bright and cheery,
Is filled with sadness now;
The world seems dark and dreary,
Yet to Thy will we bow.

God comfort the bereaved ones;
Thy loss they deeply feel;
God's ways are all mysterious,
He can our sorrows heal. [H.

WINCHESTER.

Mr. George Dunham is mending in health in a satisfactory manner.

Material improvements in the M. E. Church are contemplated. Subscriptions for them come in quite liberally.

Mr. Neil Cullen a well known and popular young man of this town, who went to Denver, Col. a few months ago, died at that place yesterday morning of typhoid fever.

Brer Johnson don't know how much he is losing every week by refusing to read the local newspapers. Brer J. is popularly supposed to be one of those what-ye-call-'ems that we turn a grin'stone with.

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A heavy tin, serviceable pail.

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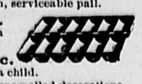

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Ward 6, Hose House, 5 Delegates.
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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Nathan G. Green to Albert Gates, Jr., and by said Gates assigned to Harvey N. Shepard, trustee under the will of Mary I. Proctor, dated 30 December, A. D., 1885, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex, So. Dist., Libro 1733, Folio 114, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the twenty-second day of November, 1890, at three o'clock, in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said morigage deed, namely: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the easterly part of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on Central street, being Lot "R" on a plan of the "Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company's Purchase" recorded in the Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 11, Page 29, containing sixteen thousand square feet, more or less, and bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by land of William Morgan, late of William Totman, and Elisha J. Mann, about two hundred feet; easterly by land of heirs of Ellen Marlow, formerly belonging to Bowen Buckman, about eighty feet; northerly by land formerly belonging to Elisha J. Mann, about two hundred feet; and westerly by said Central street, about eighty feet.

$100 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

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Boston, 28 Oct., 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Celeste T. Dow, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and two codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alfred A. Dow and Edward A. Dow, who pray that letters testamentary may be be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of December next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS, Edward A. Young, the executor named in the last will and testament of said deceased, has presented said will for Probate, and has also presented his account of the administration of said estate, and has prayed that he may be allowed and discharged as such executor;

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LESSON VII, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, NOV. 16.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxiii, 13-25. Commit Verses 20, 21—Golden Text, Isa. liii, 8—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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13. "And Pilate, when he had called together the chief priests and the rulers and the people." Pilate has not escaped from his dilemma. Although he has made friends with Herod, through Jesus rejected, he has not yet made friends with the Jews, and Jesus is again before him to be disposed of. There is a greater question than that of friendship or enmity with people either in high or low places on this earth, and that question, "What shall I do with Jesus," Pilate must now attend to and settle forever. The same matter is before every one who has heard the Gospel, and while it may be postponed, and God in great mercy continue His long suffering, yet the time will come when it must be settled in one way or the other.

14. "Ye have brought this man unto me as one that perverteth the people; and, behold, I, having examined Him before you, have found no fault in this man, touching those things whereof ye accuse Him." This is Pilate's second testimony to His innocence (see vs. 5), and hard on His accusers, who have plainly failed in their case against Jesus; for Pilate insists that their accusations against this man are unfounded, and that He is innocent of the things laid to His charge. What a record this is in favor of Jesus, and it stands in the eternal word of God.

15. "No, nor yet Herod, for I sent you to him; and lo, nothing worthy of death is done unto Him." Here is the strong testimony of two Roman governors against the accusations of the Jews and in favor of Jesus. Even though it had been otherwise, and both had thought to have found some cure of death in Him, while that would have made these governors to be on the side of the Jews, it would have proved nothing against Jesus, for no man knoweth the Son save the Father. No Roman governor, or even emperor, or Jewish council was capable of sitting in judgment on Him. Earth never saw such a sight before: God standing at the bar of man to be judged. With what astonishment and horror must the holy angels have looked upon these things.

16. "I will therefore chastise Him and release Him." Insisting that He was innocent, and yet ready to chastise Him, even though he should the next moment release him. How strange and inexplainable it all seems! And yet they treated the apostles thus a little later, when, being able to prove nothing against them, and being advised by Gamaliel to let them alone, before they let them go they took them and beat them (Acts v, 40).

17. "For of necessity he must release one unto them at the feast." And gladly would he improve this opportunity to set Jesus free.

18. "And they cried out all at once, saying, Away with this man, and release unto us Barabbas." In Matt. xxvii, 20, it is said that this was by the advice of the chief priests and elders.

19. "Who for a certain sedition made in the city and for murder was cast into prison." And this is the man of their choice. A robber (John xviii, 40) and a murderer. If like attracts like, then we see how it was. They were all robbers in the highest degree, for they were guilty of robbing God (Mal. iii, 8, 9), and had even made His temple a den of thieves or robbers (Luke xix, 46). And as to their being murderers, "he that hateth his brother is a murderer" (I John iii, 15), and they were not only hating Jesus their brother, but Jesus their king and their God.

20. "Pilate therefore, willing to release Jesus, spake again to them." It may have been just here that they said, "We have a law, and by our law He ought to die, because He made Himself the Son of God." For when Pilate heard that saying he was the more afraid (John xix, 7, 8). And as he talked with Jesus privately Jesus said: "Thou couldst have no power against me, except it were given thee from above; therefore he that delivered me unto thee hath the greater sin." It is said that from thenceforth Pilate sought to release Him (John xix, 11, 12).

21. "But they cried, saying, Crucify Him, Crucify Him," or they continued crying "Crucify Him." They had but one desire concerning Him, and to all else they were deaf and blind. Die He must, and they would not cease till it was accomplished. Oh, that the followers of Jesus had in His cause the persistence and zeal which the followers of the devil have in his service.

22. "And he said unto them the third time, Why what evil hath He done? I have found no cause of death in Him. I will therefore chastise Him and let Him go." Well, Pilate, what does your threefold testimony to His innocence and your twofold threat to chastise Him and let Him go amount to if you do not let Him go? In the name of all that is right, let Him go without chastisement, since you are sure that He is innocent, or else cease your efforts, confess yourself a coward and gratify quickly these bloodthirsty dogs.

23. "And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that He might be crucified. And the voices of them and of the chief priests prevailed." John gives some additional arguments which the Jews used, probably about this time. "The Jews cried out, saying, If thou let this man go, thou art not Cæsar's friend. Whosoever maketh himself a king speaketh against Cæsar." When Pilate heard that he brought Jesus forth. And when they added, "We have no king but Cæsar," that settled it (John xix, 12, 15).

24. "And Pilate gave sentence that it should be as they required." He knew no higher power than Cæsar, and him he will honor but only for the sake of his position, let who may go to the wall. This is not strange when we consider that even ministers of the gospel have been known to please some man or men (because of their salary) rather than God. But Pilate has not an easy conscience about it yet, for "he took water and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person; see ye to it."

25. "And he released unto them him that for sedition and murder was cast into prison, whom they had desired; but he delivered Jesus to their will." Read Matt. xxvii, 26-31; and see your Jesus, your Saviour, who loves you as father or mother never did nor could; see Him scourged (mark its meaning), crowned with thorns, spit upon, smitten, mocked; and say do you care? is it anything to you? And if so, how much? How much can you meekly bear of the unkind or even cruel will of others? And are you so glad of the redemption which He thus purchased for you that you never cease telling of it from day to day?

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ACROSS THE WAY.

Across the way there is a window lattice
That peeps out shyly through the city trees,
All fluttering with lacy curtains, that is,
Susceptible to summer's scented breeze.
And as I gazed without one morning early
And of the sunrise sweetness drank my fill
I saw, as in a mist of dew, all pearly,
A yellow bowl of daisies on the sill

I pictured to myself my pretty neighbor,
Who placed with gentle hands the flowrets there,
Who smoothed each stem in shape with loving labor,
To flourish in the balmy morning air;
I wondered was she small—or tall or slender,
And did she boast of brown or golden curls;
Her heart I knew was kind and good and tender
A queen of all, the daisy wreath of girls!

I fancied her sweet face within a bonnet,
Dressed her in dainty muslin gown of white,
With sprigs of lilac scattered all upon it,
And knots upon her breast of ribbon bright.
"Her eyes," I thought, "are like the sky above me;
Her voice just like a rippling summer rill;
How nice 'twould be if she would learn to love me,
Just as she does the daisies on the sill!"

Just then the lazy ribboned curtain parted,
And Jones—you know him—forty if a day!
Looked out and grinned, while I smiled back, half hearted,
To think 'twas Jones who lived across the way:
To make my vision bright so sad and solemn,
And all my mellow morning dream to kill,
A man who writes jokes at so much a column,
Who'd think that he'd have daisies on the sill?
—Kate Masterson in New York Herald.

Superiority of American Humor.

A contributor to one of the leading English magazines describes American humor as "the result of shrewd and for the most part half educated minds acting upon matters of every day interest," and speaks of American humorists generally in a somewhat disparaging vein, and of their productions as inferior to the "pure humor" of English scholars.

Now we understand legitimate humor to be that which compels men to laugh without causing women to blush; and no people on earth are so prolific of such humor as Americans.

Highly refined facetiousness, which the English too often mistake for humor, is not side shaking. It does not make people roar or endanger the integrity of their blood vessels. It is rather wit than humor. A pun that satisfies the taste may not tickle the fancy. An epigram that is a model of completeness may nevertheless fail to provoke a smile.

The most irresistible jokes we have ever heard have been perpetrated by Americans of ordinary education. There is hardly a village in the union that has not its genuine humorists, who can easily "set the table in a roar." The truth of the matter is, American humor is seldom finical and never stupid, but always humorous.—New York Ledger.

Wrong or at Least Annoying.

The abominations in human conversation are many, but one has come in of late that is peculiarly tiresome. Whenever you say anything that agrees with the opinions of the person with whom you are talking he answers, "That's right." When anything is explained to him he says, "That's right." In fact, on the slightest opportunity, he will say, "That's right." In every conversation of twenty minutes there will be fifty "That's rights." It would be just as well if he would occasionally say, "That's true," or "That's so," or "I think so, too," or "I agree with you," or even "You're mighty accurate." Anything would be better than the "nauseous iteration" of "That's right." The constitution cannot provide against such outrages, but every man with the good of his fellow citizens at heart can avoid using one expression incessantly.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Remedy for the Smoke Nuisance.

A correspondent of Indian Engineering suggests an original scheme for smoke abatement by asking whether it has ever been proposed to have a smoke duct running through a town connected with the different furnaces. He suggests that such a duct might be carried outside of the city to a condensing station, an exhaust machine being employed to force the draught. At the condensing station the soot laden air might be made to pass through water, and thus deposit the solid matter, the air passing away comparatively pure, while the soot thus deposited might easily be collected, caked and sold as fuel. The size of the duct would have to vary, as in water and other mains, according to the work to be performed.

Saves Lots of Time.

The California way of disbarring a shyster lawyer is to take him out on the commons and tar and feather him, and then tell him in vigorous English that if he doesn't hunt some other locality the next performance will be a hanging. It isn't legal, but it is very effective.—Detroit Free Press.

Very Odd.

"Here's a paragraph about 'striking coat makers.'"

"Anything about striking trousers makers?"

"No."

"That's odd; there are more striking trousers made than striking coats."—Munsey's Weekly.

The call "Boss, boss," to cattle is pure Latin apparently, since the Latin word for a "beef creature" is "bos." It seems to have been in use among English speaking people for several generations, though "boss" and "bossy" are more often heard in America than in England.

It is now more than 500 years since a handful of patriots in the Alps established the Swiss league of free republics, and founded a government that was destined to reach the climax of democracy in the Nineteenth century.

They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Buss drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart.

Capt. Wissman, the African explorer, says the paradise of birds has been found on the shores of a lagoon on the eastern extremity of Lake Nyanza.

Catarrh is not a local but a constitutional disease, and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla to effect a cure.

Success never comes without a special invitation.

JUSTICE TO THE SNAKES.

Eyewitnesses of Things That Are Denied by the Flippant and Ignorant.

Two popular beliefs concerning the behavior of certain snakes under certain circumstances have been very positively met by some persons with a very flat and absolute denial that any snake ever did anything of the kind.

One thing largely believed and frequently reported on the testimony of somebody else is the alleged fact that some snakes at times exercise the power of "charming" or drawing toward them by the fixed power of the serpent's eye small birds or squirrels, the purpose being to make a meal of the victim. This belief has been vehemently maintained and as vehemently denied, the denials being accompanied by the sneer, "You didn't see this yourself." It would seem that those who firmly believe the report—generally speaking, on the strength of the testimony of some absent friend in whose word they have implicit trust—largely outnumber those who deny; but among the latter are a few who profess to speak as scientists.

The other popular snake story is that in moments of danger the mother snake of some species will open her mouth and her brood of babies will run head first down her throat. This, too, has been dismissed as an idle tale.

Now it so happens that there are at present living in Hartford two eminently trustworthy men who can by personal experience confirm the actual truth of both these two stories, one having witnessed the performance first named, and the other seeing the second.

Mr. Samuel Taylor, of Charter Oak place, when a boy of 16, lived in Glastonbury. There, when out in the fields one day, his attention was attracted by the strange actions of a small bird—probably some ground sparrow or perhaps a "chippy." The bird paid no attention to him as he came near it, but fluttered in a wild and peculiar way on the path, sometimes fluttering up to a low twig a foot or so above the path, and again fluttering down, seemingly in great distress, and then flapping up and down, but all the while slowly getting along in one direction.

As the bird paid no attention to the boy, and did nothing to get away from him, the lad began to investigate things in the direction the bird seemed to be aiming at, and he soon discovered a black snake. The reptile was coiled, and its head was lifted somewhat above the coil. His gaze was fastened upon the fluttering bird, and his eyes were bright and glittering. The spectator of this remarkable scene waited until the reluctant and distressed bird had advanced so near that he was not over a yard from the serpent. Then he interfered. Picking up a stone he hurled it at the snake and killed him. The bird then seemed dazed, confused and helpless. Gradually it recovered, and finally flew out of sight.

It is needless to add that nobody who knows Mr. Taylor will for a moment question the truth of his statement. He is one of our best and most respected citizens.

The other witness is Col. F. W. Prince, of the Gatling Gun company. Col. Prince was a good deal of a fisherman before he went into the war. Once, he says, while fishing on a stream not many miles from Auburn, N. Y., he went to a half hollow stump near by to deposit his box of bait. In doing so he disturbed a good sized snake in the stump, apparently an adder, about whose head and body her young brood were disporting themselves. Instantly the mother snake opened wide her mouth, and down her throat ran the baby brood, one on the heels (or perhaps we should say the tail) of the other.

Being confronted by a flat denial of this statement by Mr. N. Starkweather, of this city, Col. Prince indignantly and firmly held his ground. "It may do to deny what other people have reported," he hotly replied, "but what I have seen myself I am sure of."—Hartford Times.

Close of a Famous Parisian Cafe.

The Cafe Procope, which, with hardly a sigh from the Parisian press, has closed its doors for good, was at one time the center of literary France. It was founded by one Procope, a Sicilian, in the year 1689. At this cafe Diderot, Marmontel, Freron and Mercier met. Voltaire sat here often from 10 in the morning till midnight, during which time he quaffed his coffee—indulging sometimes in twenty cups—on levee days with the aristocracy and at other times with the bourgeoisie.

Then the first revolution swept its horrors around the place. It stood throughout the empire and the restoration. The old tables were allowed to remain, and it was considered sacrilegious to call in the aid of the carpenter. Gambetta met his legal friends here. Here sat Gustave Flourens, Pascal Grousset and Raoul Rigault. Then came the fall of the Commune, the cafe became deserted, and now it is no more.—London News.

He Got Posted.

"What on earth is that vehicle galloping in that fashion for?" he asked of a pedestrian on Clifford street.

"That is the ambulance."

"Oh, something connected with the doctors?"

"Yes."

"Well, they are in an awful hurry to collect their bills to drive that way."

"Some one has been hurt, and the ambulance will take him to the hospital for treatment."

"Oh, that's it! Well, that's more sensible. I thought it queer if they galloped around after a debtor in that fashion."—Detroit Free Press.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

The beauty of the autumn foliage has departed, but there are still charming aspects presented by delicate yellow willows, bronze-colored oaks and brown maples.

Tried and True

Friends are scarce, but if you are suffering with that horrible disease scrofula, you will find Sulphur Bitters will cure you as it did me, after suffering eight years, and paying out hundreds of dollars to doctors and druggists.—Jeannette Hanscome, Troy, N. Y.

If you want to be great don't tell the birds about it.

DEATH OF THE MASCOT.

Comedian Goodwin's Pathetic Story of Little Jack, the Lucky Pup.

"Years ago," said Nat Goodwin, "when I was a member of the old 'Evangeline' company, one night there was a great grievance among the members of the big company. The cause of this wholesale sorrow was the death of Little Jack, the pet of all the company. The sadness permeated the soul of every one connected with the company and made life a mere nothing to them. Ed Rice, erstwhile rosy in face and jovial in manner, was pale faced and melancholic, and George Fortescue lost his customary buoyancy and talkativeness and instead became spiritless and pauciloquent.

"'Little Jack' became a member of the company one cold, blizzardly night as we were about to take a train to make a jump. He ran into our car in quest of refuge from the wintry blasts, and found things so much to his liking that he sought out a snug little corner and built himself a suitable home near the stove. He remained steadily with us until his death. He would go into a town, go away in the morning and somehow find the theatre in the evening, always at the same hour. He attracted little or no attention. I was playing 'La Blanch, the Secretary,' and saw genius in the youngster. So he acted every night after that but one, the particular night of which I speak. 'Evangeline's' receipts dropped off.

"All hands, true to the instinct of show people in such cases, began a search for the 'Jonah.' After various and fruitless explorations into the subject the discovery was made that 'Little Jack' was not in his accustomed place, and straightway the falling off of business was attributed to his absence. The next night the little fellow was on hand, and the receipts jumped to normal size as suddenly as they had fallen off. This was conclusive evidence to all concerned that Little Jack was a mascot. It was then that his pethood began. He was looked upon as an idol, and honors untold were heaped upon him, including the high one of being named 'Jack,' after Jack Richardson, our treasurer. To speak lightly of him meant a fight, and to harm him meant utter annihilation.

"'Little Jack' was the tiniest specimen of a Scotch terrier you ever saw. After the night I discovered his talents I used to tie a big three-inch rope, which was about thirty feet long, to the little collar on his neck, and tug him out on the stage as though trying to pull an elephant. After I had pulled thirty feet of the rope 'Little Jack' would toddle out with this big rope tied to him, which would set the audience into convulsions. The night that such a gloom was cast over the company 'Jack' had been found dead on the stage behind a big property trunk, and the next night forty members of our company stood silently by while Ed Rice, with a spade and his own hands, dug a little grave a little ways from the theatre, in which 'Little Jack' was cuddled down in his last resting place."—Minneapolis Journal.

The Water Wheel at Night.

For years the question as to whether water wheels ran faster at night than during the day has been catalogued among "the things that will never be settled." Surely the answer is: They do; that is, if they are so geared as to be affected by the varying fullness and speed of the current in which they are set. There is no doubt that all springs are fuller and all streams carry more water at midnight than they do at noon. In the first place, the increased coolness of the air prevents evaporation and drying up of the small tributaries; and in the second place, the condensation of the moisture in the air, in the shape of dew, is always sufficient to add something to the stream and its branches; heavy dews are often so copious as to be equal to a slight shower.

We often hear dew drops falling from overloaded leaves, and find every exposed object loaded with drops of water. A large part of this gets into the minute channels, which conduct it to the streams. Often the effect upon a shallow river is very noticeable indeed, and therefore a wheel turned by such a river would go appreciably faster by night than by day.—St. Louis Republic.

What Are National Airs.

There seems to be a rather mixed idea with the average American as to what particular pieces of music are national airs. The majority of them are familiar with "God Save the Queen," set to the words of "My Country, 'tis of Thee," and "The Red, White and Blue," which is an English air, but when an original American air is reached there are many who fail to recognize it. When the Strauss orchestra reached that stirring national hymn, "The Star Spangled Banner," a rather pretty lady in the audience nodded her head with a smile of appreciation and said: "I do think those Strausses compose such pretty music. I think that last piece was the best of the lot." It looks very much as if "Yankee Doodle" would remain the national air for some time to come in the face of such convincing evidence.—Minneapolis Tribune.

News from Home.

Italian Guide—Yessa, mees; all our cities have patron saints, same as in America.

Fair Tourist—Same as in America?

Guide—Yessa. I heara alla bout America from my bruzza. He keepa fruita stand in New Yorka. New Yorka hava patron sainta—Sainta Patrick.—Life.

For the cure of the inflammation and congestion called "a cold in the head" there is more potency in Ely's Cream Balm than in anything else it is possible to prescribe. This preparation has for years past been making a brilliant success as a remedy for cold in the head, catarrh and hay fever. Used in the initial stages of these complaints Cream Balm prevents any serious development of the symptoms, while almost numberless cases are on record of radical cures of chronic catarrh after all other modes of treatment have failed.

Three German steamers, costing in all about $125,000, are to be placed on the African lakes. Germany is determined to push her trade on the Dark Continent.

The British treasury has donated $25,000 for the purchase of the pictures in the Scottish gallery.

There are 31 millionaires in Denver, Col., and 33 men worth, on the average, $500,000 each.

History of Pen Making.

A Roman metal pen is said to have been found at Aosta—not a mere stylus, but a bronze pen, slit, and there is evidence of a pen or reed of bronze nearly as late as the invention of printing, in the Fifteenth century.

A hundred years ago some steel pens were made in Birmingham, England, by Mr. Harrison for Dr. Priestly, and some of these passed into the hands of Sir Joseph Mason in his early days with Mr. Harrison, but all of them have been lost. The first pen of metal, of a date beyond all question, is one in a Dutch patent book of 1717. At the same time a polite ode by Pope refers to a "steel and gold pen," but these were evidently luxuries only.

It was about 1823 or 1824 that the great revolution in making pens by a cheaper process—the hand screw press, which pierced the pens from sheet steel—began. Previously pens had been made from steel or gold rolled into tubes and with a joint forming the slit. These required considerable labor to shape them into pen form.

The use of the screw press belongs to the period of John Mitchell, Joseph Gillott and Joseph Mason, but on a careful review of the facts it seems to be clear that John Mitchell has the best claim to be considered as the introducer of press made pens. Skinner, of Sheffield, England, was apparently one of the first to cheapen the production of pens, but his manufactures were surpassed when the screw press was introduced.—Exchange.

A Dog's Hard Life.

There are a great many touching sights in a great city, but none much more so than to watch a lost dog. At first there is a look of startled surprise on his face when he loses the scent, quickly followed by a grim sort of humor, as though pretending his bewilderment is but a joke. He circles round and round, and his face grows thin and his eye almost human in its anxious pleading. He starts off in one direction, sure that he has found the trail. He is baffled, turned back. He looks in the face of all who pass, as if questioning to know his way. He thinks he recognizes his master, and is off like a flash, only to return more anxious and eager than before.

He gives himself no rest, but doubles and pursues and turns back until all hope is dead in his faithful canine breast, and he starts off with a long lope down the street. Then it is that some demoniac boy or some detestable man flings a stone at him or kicks him as he flies by, and the cry is raised: "Mad dog! Kill him!" So the great host of idlers in ambush, who wait the opportunity for mischief as bees await the blossom of the buckwheat, are turned loose upon his track and his doom is sealed. From a lost dog to a hunted and dead cur is an easy transition.—Chicago Herald.

The Destroying Sand Wave.

Born of the wind and the sea, on the sandy beaches of Capes Hatteras and Henlopen, is a curious natural phenomenon. A mammoth wave of sand, that towers aloft like a sea wave, even curling over in places like a huge breaker, is rolling inland irresistibly, and lacking only the element of speed in its career to carry such terror to the hearts of the inhabitants as is inspired by the sea waves that follow an earthquake, for the destructiveness of the sand wave is limited only by its scope.

Though similar in origin, substance and motive power, there is yet so much difference between the two waves in form, extent and speed of travel, and in the actual destruction of property, that each is a study in itself. Especially noticeable is the difference in the devastation wrought, for while one is laying waste a forest of small value the other is burying inexorably a hundred lowly homes.—John R. Spears in Scribner's.

Leaning on Others.

Many times have I smiled at the story of the man who, in town meeting, when they "divided the house" to vote, ran back and forth and up and down both sides, inquiring where Deacon —— was, and I am always reminded of it when I hear of people pinning their faith upon other's coat sleeves, yet how many do this; how comparatively few do real, honest, independent thinking for themselves. "We have been taught to believe," was the excuse given for every doctrine and action otherwise unexplainable by a hill town pundit once, and it tallied with the practice of a man who, when asked what he thought about the revised Bible, said he didn't know; he paid his minister to do his thinking for him!—Hampshire County (Mass.) Gazette.

Success at Last.

First Actor—Did you hear about De Rante? He was playing in Kansas a few nights ago, and the house fell upon him.

Second Actor—How fortunate! That is the first house he ever brought down. I hope it was a big one.—Epoch.

A Lapsus.

Teacher—How does the earth absorb water?

Pupil—Same as a dog does.

Teacher—How's that?

Pupil—Haven't you heard of a lap of earth? What do you suppose it laps with?—Texas Siftings.

The Mediterranean is comparatively shallow. A drying up of 660 feet would leave three different seas, and Africa would be joined with Italy. The British channel is more like a pond, which accounts for its choppy waves.

Herman is up to many tricks; but he will never take in as much, as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in its big raid on coughs and colds.

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An English tourist in this country created surprise, as well as amusement, when he asked upon, paying his fare, "Are any refreshments included in these tickets?"

All that "mossbacks" are good for is to show that moss can grow on anything.

Nearly 16,000,000 eggs were imported into the United States from Canada last year.

Earthquakes to both men and continents always come suddenly.

Many people who are ravens at home pass for doves away from home.

The Wild Horse of Dzungaria.

The wild horse of Dzungaria is an animal the size of the hemione and more robust in its proportions, in which it resembles the pony. Its head is large, with ears smaller than those of the hemione, the shoulders thick, especially in the male; the limbs robust and stubbier than those of the hemiones and asses. The mane is short and straight, and the moderately long tail is terminated by a tuft of long hairs in much more abundant supply than in the tail of the hemione. It has warts on the hind legs as well as on the fore legs—a peculiarity of the horse, distinguishing it from the other species of the genus, which have warts only on the fore legs.

The hoofs are full like those of a horse, and not compressed as in the other species, and the lower parts of the legs are furnished with long hairs falling to the crown of the hoof, a feature which the hemiones lack. Likewise characteristic is the color of the pelage, a pale gray, almost white, passing into dun on the head and neck, and blending insensibly on the flanks with the pure white of the belly and limbs. The mane, the brush of the tail and the long hairs of the lower legs and hoofs are black. There is no trace of the dark dorsal stripe running from the mane to the tail which is characteristic of the hemione. The hairy covering is long and undulating, especially in the rigorous winter of that northern region.—Montreal Star.

Fire Escape Drills in Schools.

The practicing of pupils in the fire drill, in order to prevent accidents from the alarm of fire, is now regarded as a most important part of school training. In the schools of Vienna the fire escape drill is executed in three different ways. In the case of a fire in the neighborhood (signal No. 1) the pupils place their books in their satchels, put on their outer garments, and leave the class room in groups of four. If the danger is imminent (signal No. 2) the books are left, the outer garments rapidly put on and the class room is vacated. In case of extreme peril (signal No. 3) the books and clothing are left, and the exit is made immediately in groups.

In the fire drill at Hamilton, Ont., arrangements are also made for each class to keep its own side of the stairway and move on independently of other classes preceding or following. In this school 600 pupils have vacated their class room in less than two minutes. The fire drill is not only an effective safeguard against the danger of panics, but is also a good gymnastic exercise.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

A Queer Sort of Newspaper.

Newspapers are always vaunting themselves as having the "largest circulation" in the world. Here is a new idea for them. The Austrian emperor's morning paper, which his imperial majesty cons daily and consults over occasionally, has the smallest circulation in the world; in fact its circulation is limited to the august Francis Joseph himself. This Chronicle—I believe that is the name—is the most curious publication imaginable. Its proprietor is the emperor, it is published for the emperor, and so far as I can learn it is only read by the emperor.

It is at any rate issued for his sole benefit, and the imperial news bureau brings it out at a cost of 200,000 guldens yearly. It contains, in a condensed form, all the articles in foreign papers which refer to Austria. Surely this is true wisdom—I mean this desire of becoming acquainted with all that is publicly said or written about one's self, when that self is set in high place. Many a word which no courtier nor subject would venture to speak direct may thus find its way to the imperial ear.—London Cor. Critic.

A Remarkable Accident.

A remarkable accident occurred at the Penryn quarry Monday morning by which John E. Owens lost a foot. Mr. Owens was engaged with others in hoisting rock from the quarry with a derrick. An immense load was swinging out of the pit when the derrick cable broke and the granite fell back with a crash. The stone did not hit any one, but the broken rope went hissing through the air like a shot, and the flying end caught Mr. Owens around the left leg at the ankle joint. The force of the blow must have been extreme, for the foot was severed from the leg by the stroke as completely as if it had been cut off with a broad ax. Dr. Todd was sent for, and he amputated the leg just above the cut made by the rope, and Mr. Owens is doing well under the circumstances. The accident is an odd one.—Placer Republican.

Did Job Use Slang?

Job has usually been considered a pure and godly man, untainted by anything but boils throughout his whole existence. Job, however, must have been somewhat of a sport, else he never would have been guilty of using some of the slang phrases accredited to him. For instance, when his three friends, Eliphaz, Bildad and Zophar, came to visit him at the time of his sore affliction, Job opened his mouth and said: "Ye are the people." Job could never have learned that phrase at any other place than at a baseball game or horse trot.—Buffalo Express.

There are never less than 60,000 able bodied, willing, unemployed men in New York. These are the disappointed. Of women the surplus is simply frightful, for there are 80,000 more women than men in New York, according to the last estimate.

That Little Tickling

In your throat, which makes you cough once in awhile and keeps you constantly clearing your throat, arises from catarrh, and as catarrh is a constitutional disease the ordinary cough medicines all fail to hit the spot. What you need is a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Many people who have taken this medicine for scrofula, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, and other troubles, have been surprised that it should cure this troublesome cough. But to know the actual cause of the cough is to solve the mystery. Many cases of consumption can be traced back to the neglect of some such slight affection as this. Consumption can be controlled in its early stages, and the effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla in purifying the blood, building up the general health, and expelling the scrofulous taint which is the cause of catarrh and consumption, has restored to perfect health many persons on whom this dreaded disease seemed to have a firm hold.

The wisest men have never in any age been best men.

It isn't hard to be anything. It is the seeming to be that is hard.

Literary Notices.

The November ARENA is brainy without being too heavy. Probably the most striking paper is on The Future American Drama, completed by Mr. Boucicault a few days before his death. A paragraph of Mr. Boucicault's writing penned a few days before his death accompanies the article. Cyrus A. Bartol, whose strong yet benign face forms the frontispiece of this issue, writes on the Sex in Mind, a paper displaying the mental vigor which made Dr. Bartol one of the ablest representatives of New England thought. Prof. N. S. Shaler contributes an able philosophical paper on the African element in America. Rev. Minot J. Savage in a Glance at the Good Old Times, gives a contrast between the past and the present. Nathan Haskell Dole contributes a paper on Turgenief as a poet, giving liberal translations from the great Russian author. A magnificent full-page picture of Turgenief, with his autograph in Russian, accompanies this paper. A New Basis of Church Life is the title of a thoughtful essay. The heavy papers of this issue are enlivened by a charming paper entitled Fiddling His Way to Fame. It is a sketch of Governor Taylor's life, supposed to be given by the governor in the dialect of his early home—East Tennessee. Sunset on the Mississippi, by Virginia Frazer Boyle, follows. One of the most interest features of this number is a symposium on Destitution in Boston. Edward Hamilton, Rev. Edward Everett Hale, Rabbi Solomon Schlindler, Rev. O. P. Gifford, Rev. W. D. P. Bliss, editor of the *Dawn*, contribute to this symposium. The moral force evinced in THE ARENA is noticeable in these days of characterless publications. Its instincts are decidedly reformative. This power has undoubtedly contributed largely to the remarkable success of THE ARENA. The departments on Notes of Living Problems contain contributions by Francis E. Willard, Gen. Marcus J. Wright, and Rev. Forrest A. March. The usual interesting editorial notes complete this excellent issue. THE ARENA has become a popular review among those who think broadly and are brave enough to hear all sides.

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Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.35, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M , 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 8.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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"Come," on his face I see engraven,
"Come," in your woes will he;
Here you shall find a restful haven,
You who have comfort missed;
Though I am busy I will hear you,
I will your troubles aid,
Through all your trials will be near you,
Come, and be not afraid."

"Go," on this face I see as plainly
As if the word were there,
"You, who may plead, are pleading vainly,
Naught for your woes I care;
I know you not, you only vex me,
What is to me your need?
And why should your troubles perplex me,
Go, my way you impede!"

Two in the Master's likeness living,
Two, but yet so unlike,
One kindly looks and comfort giving,
One with dark frowns to strike;
Two, but one loving as a brother.
Ready always to aid,
Bring all your prayers for the other,
Two in His likeness made.

[L. F. S. BARNARD.

Drama of Dunstable Farm.

BY DORA REED GOODALE.

Having no special interests of my own, and being of a somewhat observant habit of mind, I was last summer a sympathetic spectator of the little domestic experience which I have called here the drama of Dunstable Farms. I may even say that I was a humble participant in it.

The heroine—but stop! the minor characters should appear first. Now Patty, it must be confessed, is a minor character. Enter Patty, then, first, with her apron on, and her hair rolled up smoothly under a round white cap—not pretty at all, but wholesome and pleasant to look on, and as satisfying for a long journey as a lot of brown bread.

Dunstable Farms; you may have heard of the place, where the family has flourished and spread like a banyan grove since William Dunstable planted himself here in, I don't know what, year of grace. All the land hereabout was bought of the Indian tribes, the old deeds signed with their "marks" being still in the family archives, so that it is the Dunstable boast that their acres have never been owned by any white man bearing another name.

Hither, to "recruit," on a notable morning in May, when the roads had recovered from the prolonged state of prostration which afflicts them in early spring, came I—a spinster, reader, but not too old a one to find young people congenial.

Patty met me at the station. Patty drove me home and unharnessed the horse, and afterward set the table and brought out the sweetmeats for supper. Then she superintended the carrying of my trunks up a flight of back stairs which seemed designed for the shaft of an elevator. Patty was the active, the serviceable, the delightful; there were five in the family now, she said—her father, her mother, herself, Norah the cook, and Stephen the hired man. I was to be the only boarder.

This Stephen I immediately seized upon as the villain of my piece, chiefly because of his rough, shaggy head and his solemn, inscrutable visage, which looked as if he were revolving the darkest designs, although I could hear of none worse than a great thirst for learning. It was a democratic household, and Stephen had his seat at the lower end of the table. He and Mr. Dunstable often paused to discuss the care of the live stock and methods of tilling.

But I soon learned that there was another daughter, Eunice, the sixteen-year-old, and the clever one of the family. There was always one headpiece among the Dunstable kin, said Patty, ingenuously, and she further informed me that it was odd that Eunice should have come into this family inheritance, because their own father was not the bright one of his generation; but Eunice took after her Uncle Erastus, she s'posed, who studied at Middlefield College and went into the ministry.

It was an understood thing that the most intelligent one, boy or girl, should have good advantages, and Eunice carried off the prize at a spelling-match, while still a small creature in pinafores, and in the district school outstripped all the cousins growing up at Dunstable Farms, a family conclave was held. One uncle contributed a heifer, another a sheep,—they were land-poor, these Dunstables, and saw very few present dollars in the course of a year,—and the girl was sent fifty miles away to the Young Ladies' Seminary. This was two years ago, and next year she would graduate.

I must own that my feelings received a shock on first seeing this bright one, this Eunice, some three weeks later, when Stephen lifted her and her trunks from the ample farm-wagon. Whatever the original material might be, the veneer of boarding-school life was displayed to perfection. She wore a white hat with some "style" about it, indeed, but a very objectionable style, as it seemed to me, and a pair of kid gloves at least two sizes too small. She could not have handled a fork in those gloves, nor have held up her skirt, much less her umbrella. Now Patty's best gloves were of gray cotton, with lace-work wrists, and sometimes, I ought to add, she wore them when she saddled the horse.

It was hard to understand how any girl could be at once so keen and so contradictory as Miss Eunice. She did not seem to despise the farm, but professed an ignorance of things pertaining to it which, it seemed to me, could not be genuine. She would dislike Stephen, I supposed, as a common farm laborer, and he would find her fine-lady airs ridiculous.

Alas, that even at thirty our wisdom is baffled by these young folks at every turn! Miss Eunice treated Stephen with good-natured indifference, while he, like the perverse fellow he was, chose to treat her from the first as a kind of divinity.

She was given to studying geometry, and biology, too; she spent whole forenoons over the microscope, dissecting not only plants but fishes and mice, although Patty on no account would have permitted her to joint up the chickens for dinner. She was not an idle girl, but full of activities rather, and yet she did nothing at all to help in the house, except to trim over Patty's hats and remodel most of her dresses.

Stephen spent his evenings, alone and remorse, in the kitchen, for Norah usually sat in the porch; he was working at his books, they said, though how he could study after from ten to fourteen hours in the field was a mystery to me.

One evening, when the lamps had been lighted, Norah came in, a sheet of brown paper, covered with diagrams, in her hand, to say that Stephen was "wantin' to know if Miss Eunice wouldn't just cast an eye over that, for he couldn't mek out the throuble at all, at all."

Patty looked up apprehensively. I thought, for Stephen's requests sometimes verged on the audacious, except that they were made with so much solemn unconsciousness; but Eunice took the paper obligingly.

When she saw what it was, her face lighted up. She bit her lip over it a few moments in silence, and then rushed out to the kitchen.

When I followed a little later—to get a glass of new milk—they were sitting at the well-scrubbed table, with a battered geometry between them, both heads bent, both faces shining with eagerness, and both tongues murmuring something about the maximum of isoperimetrical polygons.

That was the beginning of Eunice's interest in Stephen. The girl thought so highly of intellectual force that all her good will was gained when she found some one who had, alone and unaided, almost overtaken her in her favorite study. Every night afterward she insisted on helping him, and did it with only a trace in her air of the beautiful patroness.

Certainly a teacher like Eunice must have put a new meaning into the dog-eared volumes. She found a place for Stephen now at our picnics and other frolics, planning things so gracefully that her father never seemed to miss the time of his foreman, and leading Stephen to talk of himself with the kindest maternal sympathy; he was only two years older than she!

Nor was this all. Early and late, in season and out of season, Eunice urged on us all that the boy should have better opportunities. He was ten times as clever as she, she declared, though nobody believed it; it was a pity and a shame that he did not go to school, and something ought to be done about it. Mr. Dunstable told her that Stephen's father had been the skipper of a sailing vessel, and was lost, I believe, on the high seas somewhere between here and China.

"Haven't you ever seen those outlandish knives of Stephen's, with the queer figgers on 'em? That's about all he left him, I reckon," said good Mr. Dunstable.

The next time Stephen passed, he was called up to display these wonderful weapons, which he brought forth directly from an inside pocket, thereby reviving my theory as to his dangerous character, which was beginning to waver.

We were sitting at the time out under the copper-leaved birches with a young heiress, who was boarding down in the village. She was a collector of curios, and took a great fancy to these knives, which were beautiful little toys of Indian or Chinese workmanship. The delicately-curved two-edged blades were thrust into short leather sheaths, and the round handles of ivory carved over with dragons. Afterward, and certainly not without a mental reservation for the owner's own benefit, she offered Stephen twenty-five dollars apiece for the two; but Stephen, to our surprise, refused to sell them, saying that his father had given them to him and he would never part with them. Eunice was at no pains to conceal her vexation.

Meanwhile I began to suspect that all was not right with Mr. Dunstable's own financial affairs. He had always been the unthrifty one of his family, with an unfortunate tendency toward "spekilation." He was an old man now, and somewhat broken down, so that the management of the place was left more and more in the hands of Patty and Stephen. Patty, indeed, was quite competent to assume the whole charge; but her father looked so anxious and worried that I guessed, as I fancy she did, that some bad news was coming.

At last the blow fell. Of the purse which the brothers had made up to pay for Eunice's schooling, one hundred dollars had been reserved to cover the tuition fees in the coming September. This Mr. Dunstable had risked—invested, or what you will, and lost it.

Now to go in debt is to go branded, in the eye of a Dunstable. One resource, however, remained for Eunice. Mr. Dunstable had a colt, raised on the farm, and dear as the apple of his eye because of a fond belief which he entertained that it was destined one day to develop "speed." It was in truth a fine colt, though a little long in the legs and lean in the neck, and given to sundry very lively tricks and deversions.

This colt Mr. Dunstable determined to sell. He was young, recently broken, and useless for heavy farm labor. Having raised by the sale of this animal the formidable sum, Eunice's other expenses would doubtless be gradually forthcoming. When Eunice protested, her father sternly silenced her, declaring that the money he had lost was given in trust for her schooling.

Presently Mr. Chichester, a farmer from under the mountain who had long had a covetous eye upon the colt, came up to Dunstable Farms one bright afternoon. He looked the animal over, got Stephen to show off his paces—how pretty and docile he was that day to be sure!—examined his teeth and his hoofs, and partly concluded a bargain. He was to take him home for a week, at the end of which time, if the animal proved sound and steady, he would pay down the $100.

Honest Mr. Dunstable made no objection to such an arrangement. He was as blind where the faults of his favorite were concerned as the most partial of parents. Exit Mr. Chichester—exit the colt, quite sedate, at the tail of his wagon.

We all lived that week in a vague atmosphere of suspense. I could not but think it ill-judged when, at the expiration of the time, Mr. Dunstable announced his intention of sending Stephen after the money, especially as I heard him say, as the lad was preparing to set off:

"Now, if he should think we was askin' a leetle too much, if the colt's be'n up to his games and he wants ye should knock a bit off from the price, I wouldn't stick out for a few dollars—not for a few dollars, Stephen. We could make it up somehow—so see ye don't bring back the creatur'"

This was putting too much responsibility on such a young lad. I, for one, was greatly relieved when Stephen returned at dusk, and much to his own satisfaction and the general rejoicing unrolled from his wallet and placed in his employer's hands one hundred dollars. Mr. Chichester, he said, was satisfied with his bargain; he thought the colt a fine fellow, although fractious at times.

Matters now seemed to settle back into the old grooves, and Eunice began to make preparations for school. But several days later she came in from a round of calls looking flushed and disturbed, and asked if her father could lend a horse the next day. After much wrinkling of eyebrows and twisting of fingers the farmer concluded that the sorrel mare could be spared, and Eunice invited me to accompany her, on some sort of a drive, the purpose of which she did not announce. I accepted, because I was quite willing to study the girl.

Our drive took us through a part of the region unknown to me hitherto, and brought us at last to the gate of a farmhouse of prosperous appearance when Eunice drew up and asked me to hold the reins while she went in.

A few moments later she came down the gravel walk in a somewhat agitated way and with eyes sparkling. As soon as we were fairly started she turned to me, saying abruptly, "Mr. Chichester gave only fifty dollars for that colt!"

"Only fifty dollars?" I echoed, astonished.

"Yes. And Stephen sold his knives to make it up to a hundred."

"What? Oh, I see! But how did you know?"

"Why, when I called on Miss Willoughby yesterday, she said something about her good fortune in securing those Chinese daggers. A sort of suspicion passed over me. I asked her when Stephen had sold them, and she said it was Tuesday, she believed. He came in just at dark, looking 'pale and odd,' and told her he had reconsidered. She gave him the money."

"Yes, but about the colt? Did she know about that?"

"Of course not. I came here to see Mr. Chichester. I looked him straight in the eye and asked what he paid for it. He said 'Fifty dollars' before he thought, and then clapped his hand upon his mouth. 'Hold on!' he said; 'I promised the young fellow not to mention the price.' It is not so strange that Stephen had to come down. Mr. Chichester says the colt can jump any fence on the place, and made kindling wood of his best phaeton the first time he drove him. He will have to be put in the hands of a regular trainer."

"But I think it was very unwarrantable in Stephen," I protested.

"It was certainly unwarrantable in him to put me under such obligations, I think," said Eunice. The tears which ran down her pretty cheeks were tears of mortified pride.

I was not surprised that the girl should take it in this way, knowing that it often requires a more generous nature to accept a favor than to render one. Eunice had played the part of the fair benefactress so well that her self-love was naturally wounded. Therefore, I was scarcely less astonished than was Stephen when, on reaching home, she walked straight up to him in the yard, with both hands held out, and said, simply, "O Stephen, I know all about it."

The school-books rested that night while the boy and girl sat on the door-step outside, and snatches of their conversation came in through my open window.

"But I wanted to do it," I heard Stephen say in his serious way. "Why, Miss Eunice, what did I care about them?"

Afterward came Eunice's fresh, unmistakable voice, "Yes, Stephen, I will accept it—that is, for the present."

This seemed to be satisfactory, and concluded the interview.

Last week I received the following characteristic letter from Patty:

"DUNSTABLE FARMS, January 12th.

"MY DEAR MISS FULTON: You asked me to write to you after the holidays were over. We all spent Christmas Day at the homestead and had a real family party. Eunice was at home, of course, and what do you think? She had actually been teaching in the night schools and brought back that fifty dollars that Stephen lent her. Stephen is going to take it and go in the high school this term. Eunice likes teaching so much, and says she intends to devote her life to it—but she may change her mind. I think it wonderful, though, how much good she did Stephen. I never saw any one improve as he has.

"By the way, we hear now that the colt is going to be a great troter. [Patty's orthography was not always faultless.] However, perhaps it is just as well that we've got him off from our minds. And you know he did act awfully.

"Father and mother send their respects. We hope you will come here next summer.

"Affectionately yours,

PATTY DUNSTABLE."

So ends the drama. Patty is not yet promoted from the farm-house kitchen. The heroine was not miraculously cured of her follies; and the villain turned out to be the hero.—*Youth's Companion.*

Neglected opportunities never return.

Practices What He Preaches.

(This is 1890.)

DR. MOTT, late U. S. Gov't Chemist, says: "Owing to the purity, strength, effectiveness, and constancy of composition of **Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder, I have adopted the same for use in my home.**" July 23, 1890.

A GREAT SUCCESS AT

Munroe's Clothing House.

Our Boys' Departments opened this Fall is just what the people have been waiting for. We have a great variety of Overcoats, Suits and Trousers at prices that defy competition.
Ask to see our Boys' Overcoat at $1.50. Suit at $1.00. Sizes, 4 years to 14.

C. M. MUNROE,

423 MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

Woburn Laundry Agency.

Woman's Column.

The vote in the Methodist churches, so far as taken, stands about five to one in favor of women as lay delegates.

Mlle. Augusta Holmes, who wrote the "Ode Triomphale" in honor of the centenary of 1889, has been elected a member of the Musical Institute at Florence, Italy.

Miss Harriet McEwen Kimball, of Portsmouth, N. H., has received the first prize of $100 for a hymn to be sung on hospital days in the churches and aynagogues of New York.

Dr. Garrett Anderson (a sister of Mrs. Millicent Garrett Fawcett) declares that ladies of thirty, forty and fifty years of age would be greatly benefited if they would play at ball half an hour daily.

Senorita Clotilde Casteneda recently won the title of surgeon dentist in the national school of medicine of the city of Mexico, after a long and severe examination which demonstrated her talent and extensive study.

The woman suffrage amendment in South Dakota is defeated. No suffragist who knows the situation in that State, the attitude of political parties, and the peculiar difficulties the amendment has had to contend with, will be discouraged by the result.—*Woman's Journal.*

You ask my reasons for believing in women's suffrage. It seems to me almost self-evident, an axiom, that every house-holder and tax-payer ought to have a voice in the expenditure of the money we pay, including, as this does, interests the most vital to a human being.—*Florence Nightingale.*

Miss Sadie Elliot, daughter of the late Bishop of Georgia, is the author of "Jerry," the anonymous story that appeared as a serial in Scribner's Magazine and was attributed to Charles Egbert Craddock and other distinguished writers. During the past twelve years Miss Elliot has published many stories, essays and novels under her own name.

"The Training of a Nurse," by Mrs. Frederick Rhinelander Jones, in the November *Scribner*, describes the education for what has been called the new profession for women. Mrs. Jones has given sketches written by several pupils of the New York Training-School, describing their actual experiences during a day or night of work in a hospital.

Mrs. B. D. Locke, of Haverhill, N. H., has given her beautiful residence, valued at $25,000, to the New Hampshire Orphans' Home. It has been decided to accept the generous offer, provided an enabling act can be procured from the Legislature, which is necessary, owing to the charter of the institution. The buildings will be devoted to a nursery accomodating thirty-five to fifty, and will constitute a branch of the New Hampshire Orphans' Home.

Attorney-General Tabor, of New York, has given an opinion that "physical disability" does not apply to people who cannot read or write from want of education, or who cannot prepare their ballots because of being drunk. Such people, the opinion states, will not be allowed, there-fore, to take anyone with them when they enter the polling booth to show them how to vote. What a shame it is that such men are the political superiors of women.

Miss Anna L. Gorman, a Boston artist in water color and an occasional writer, who patented a faience a few years ago and had much success with it, has invented an easel writing-desk which is ingenious, convenient and beautiful. It appears first as an oaken easel with a water color picture resting upon it. The picture is then turned down and its back forms a writing-desk, which is furnished with drawers, rests and places for everything. Finally this pretty and useful contrivance can be folded up into a square parcel which will go into any trunk. A large concern has purchased the right of manufacture, and it is expected that the inventor will receive much more than "pin money."

The Boston *Transcript*, quoted on election day the words of the New York *Evening Post*, that "as a matter of fact, the interest of women in municipal reform is much greater than that of men. To women far more than to most men, the objects of municipal administration, the condition of the streets, of the sewers, of the school-houses, of the hospitals and almshouses, and the police, are of daily and absorbing interest. In capacity for dealing with municipal matters, as really household matters, the educated women of the community are as competent as the great bulk of the men." And the *Transcript* sensibly adds: "Why not, then, have their assistance in securing good municipal government as a regular, instead of an extra-ordinary, thing? There is no reason why, except habits and prejudices which have no sound, respectable basis."

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial Bottles Free at H. L. Flanders & Co. drugstore.

[From Boston Transcript.]

About It.

The Millions of Money and thousands of men now going from all parts of the North to all parts of the South, from Virginia and North Carolina to Texas, are, every man and dollar of them, most solicitously opposed to the federal election bill; and not only that, but investors are disgusted with the spirit behind it—the purpose to keep the South an issue. The new South, as every investor in it knows, is no more deserving of being treated differently from the rest of the country than is the new West. There is no telling how much of the popular revulsion against Republicanism attributed to the McKinley, is really due to the Lodge bill; but it is no small proportion.

Failures in Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and in health. A weak heart is often an unsuspected cause of failure in life. If the blood does not circulate properly in the lungs, there is shortness of breath, asthma, etc.; in the brain, dizziness, headache, etc.; in the stomach, wind, pain, indigestion, faint spells, etc.; in the liver, torpidity, congestion, etc. Paine in the left side, shoulder and stomach is caused by heart strain. For all these maladies Dr. Miles' New Cure for the heart and lungs is the best remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

When a wise man said, "Discretion is the better part of valor," all the cowards in the world found a motto for their caps.

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, NOV. 21, 1890.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE NOMINATIONS.

Last evening the Republicans and Democrats of this city nominated Ald. W. C. Kenney for Mayor.

A MISTAKE.

The opinion prevails among Republicans in this city that a grave mistake was made at the Republican caucus in Ward 4 last Saturday evening by not nominating E. E. Thompson, Esq., President of the present Common Council, for Alderman. Before the caucus convened his nomination by a unanimous vote was considered a foregone conclusion, and when it was learned that different action had been taken the surprise was great in all quarters.

Mr. Thompson was not, it is understood, refused a place in the list of Aldermanic nominations because he has failed to fill an honorable position in the City Council with dignity and ability, but he was left out solely because some people were foolish enough to believe that he had allied himself with "the ring," as it is called, at the Municipal Building and had joined his political fortunes with the alleged "Junto" who fly their flag from that edifice.

It was a great error. Mr. Thompson is not a spoilsman and therefore nobody should have been deceived into the belief that he was a "ring" man, or that he would countenance any course either in politics or in public business that was not honest and above board.

In leaving Mr. Thompson out Ward 4 did a very foolish thing, neither could it have been accomplished had his friends suspected that there was a move on foot to beat him.

A FEW FIGURES.

During the two years that Mr. Johnson has been Mayor of this city the gross reduction of our permanent debt has been $117,000; the shrinkage of the Sinking Fund has been, in the same time, $60,000; this makes the net reduction of the debt $57,000. In the mean time the rate of taxation has decreased about $3 on $1000. Such little sums in arithmetic as these are worth more than volumes of argument when brought to bear on the question of the success of Mr. Johnson's administration.

THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

A careful survey of the list of Republican candidates for Aldermen and Councilmen is enough to convince any candid man that it is infinitely better than the Democratic list and that each man on it deserves to be elected by a handsome majority. They are people of clean moral character and good business habits, and would govern the city in good shape.

Republicans, it is your duty to go to work and elect the ticket you have nominated for City Council.

KENNEY TO BE MAYOR.

There is no longer any doubt but that Ald. W. C. Kenney is to be the next Mayor of this city. The business is as good as settled.

The JOURNAL believes that Ald. Kenney will fill the office with credit to himself and the city.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Douchy—Ely.
S. K. Ellis—Lost.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Cahill—Cicly & Wright.
B. F. Barnard—Citation.
Y. M. C. A.—"Hesperus."
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Cahill—Uncle Tom's Cabin.
S. R. Niles—Standard C. Co.
Journal Office—Rooms To Let.
W. H. Smith & Co.—Auc. Sale.
P. F. Banerof—Boots and Shoes.
S. R. Niles—Globe Dent. Parlors.
H. P. Holdsworth—Confectionary.
Unitarian Society—Dram. Entertainment.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

— Miss Ellis has lost an onyx earring. See ad.

— It rained all day Monday and about all of the following night.

— Read what Fitz & Stanley say about "Thanksgiving Goods" in this paper to-day.

— Come to the JOURNAL office anyone who wants to hire furnished rooms with furnace heat.

— Rhoderick, son of the late Major J. W. McDonald, has been visiting his family in this city.

— Comrade A. P. Barrett went over to Lexington and inspected Post 119 G. A. R. last week.

— Read the notice in this paper of a dramatic entertainment to be given in this city on Dec. 10.

— Post 161. G.A.R., was duly inspected by Comrade Waterman of Post 66, Medford, with the customary et ceteras, last week.

— The carnival at Carter's rink last Wednesday evening was a big thing. A large crowd was present, and the music was very fine.

— Chester Cotton and Chester Smith won prizes at the Bonnet Party of the Charitable Society of the Congregational Church last week.

— Mr. Sparrow Horton has the "Old Farmers Almanac" for 1891. He also keeps all the magazines and Boston daily papers.

— We call attention to the change of the Commonwealth Clothing Co's advertisement this week. The house is one of the largest in Boston.

— Fred K. Reade, formerly foreman in the *Advertiser* office, became the happy parient of a bouncing boy on Nov. 15. Congratulations, Fred.

— At its regular meeting last week the Woburn Co-operative Bank sold $3,200, and might have sold as much more had the amount been in the treasury to sell.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

— The late Mrs. Celene T. Dow left in her will $2000 to the Woburn Home for Aged Women, and $500 to the Ladies Charitable Society of the Congregational Church.

— A prominent Democrat in Ward 7 said a day or two since that Messrs. Pushee and Hanson are certain to be elected. The Democrats over there are disgusted with their candidates.

— We should hardly think of keeping house these days without an "Old Farmer's Almanac" hanging on the wall, therefore we thank William Ware & Co. of Boston for an 1891 copy.

— The Order of Red Men will give a dance on the evening before Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26. Sachem O. J. Hart is interested in the affair, which means that it will be a large sized time.

— Several Woburn people went into Boston last Tuesday evening to hear Stanley, the great African Explorer, lecture. They said they were more than paid for the expense and trouble.

— Messrs. W. H. Smith & Co., Boston real estate dealers and auctioneers, advertise a large amount of household goods and other personal property for sale at auction, to which advertisement we direct especial attention.

— Big plate-glass windows have been put into Mrs. Packard's elegant millinery store in Mechanic's Block, nearly opposite the JOURNAL establishment, which improve the premises very much. Mrs. Packard is doing a thriving business.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe calls attention to matters concerning the clothing business in his card this week which is of interest to every man in the community. Mr. Munroe's trade has increased very much this fall and is growing larger every week.

— Winslow, Cooper, Harrington and Sutherland are four of the old Boston & Lowell Railroad employees who have died within a year. They were locomotive engineers in the beginning of the life of the road, and were all rising 80 years old when they died.

— Don't you need something for the Dining Room before Thanksgiving? How about a new Dinner Table? This is the best time to buy, as great bargains are offered in Dining Room furniture for the next ten days, at Paine's Murniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Mrs. Pindar, formerly of Woburn but for some years of Boston Highlands, is a lady of good taste and judgment. She writes us that THE WOBURN JOURNAL is one of the good things of life and without it she wouldn't think of trying to keep house. Thanks.

— Mr. Anthony A. Dorherty and Miss Josephine Carroll were married last Thursday evening by Rev. Fr. Quealy at the Parsonage, after which a very large reception was held at his residence, where a royal wedding feast, music, etc., were furnished. It was a society event.

— Mr. Samuel W. Mendum, sub-Master of the Woburn High School, attended the dinner of the New England Tariff Reform League at the American House, Boston, last Wednesday evening, and made a speech which the papers say "was frequently interrupted by applause."

— The Y. M. Club held a very interesting monthly meeting last evening. President Clough presided and the attendance was large. Rev. Mr. Porter of Lexington was booked for an address, and Mr. Winthrop Hammond read a very interesting and valuable paper on "Roads," etc.

— The workmen are just more than going for the old Methodist meeting-house. Mr. B. F. Waldron superintends the changes and improvements for the Mechanic Association (the owners), under whose directions and the hands of the carpenters the old building won't hardly know itself.

— Mrs. O. B. Darling, President of the Lexington Relief Corps, inspected Relief Corps 84 last week at Grand Army Hall, 33. Several Lexington ladies came over with Mrs. Darling who were given a handsome reception and fine supper by the ladies of No. 84. They all had a very pleasant time.

— Remember, voters, that an opportunity to register for the coming city election will be given you to-morrow afternoon, also this and to-morrow evenings, Nov. 21, 22, at 7 o'clock, and close on Saturday evening, Nov. 22, at 10 o'clock. See notice of Registrars of Voters in another column.

— Lovers of the dance should bear in mind the grand sunlight ball to be given at Amory Hall in Stoneham on the afternoon of Nov. 27 — Thanksgiving day — from 2 to 6 o'clock. The very best of music has been engaged for the occasion, and the affair is going to be the best of the season. The tickets are placed at 50 cents.

— Dr. J. P. Shields proudly occupies the handsomest drugstore in Woburn. It is the neatest and pleasantest thing of the kind out of jail. The location (old postoffice in Methodist Block) is the best in the city, and it would be no easy matter to make a drugstore more inviting than is Dr. Shields's new one. It is a beauty.

— Mr. John Baker, an escaped Siberian exile, will address the Woburn Woman's Club in Concert Hall on Friday, Nov. 21, at 7.30 p. m. The subject of his lecture will be, "A Trip Toward Siberia," including life in a Russian dungeon and an account of his sufferings in behalf of Polish freedom. Admission to those not members twenty-five cents.

— Mr. Waterman Brown, employee of the B. & L. RR. Co. from the foundation of the same, and an enthusiastic admirer of elephants, felt very sad last Monday morning when he read of the serious illness of P. T. Barnum. Barnum is Mr. Brown's beauideal of a man, and as a showman there are none who can approach him. Next to an elephant Mr. Barnum occupies the warmest place in Mr. Brown's heart.

— The fifth season of the Friday Night Club begins Friday, Nov. 28. The evening will consist of a social with vocal and instrumental music and readings. An invitation is extended to all persons interested. The Board of Directors have arranged for ten evenings social, literary, lecture, musical, art and dramatic, the season closing in May.

— Dr. March's son William who has been a missionary in Syria for the last ten years, and whose family returned to this country some months ago, will not go back to his post of duty until next summer or fall. He and his family will stay in America long enough to recuperate from the debilitating effects of the Syrian climate and freshen up for future work.

— The resignation of City Auditor Mr. William E. Blodgett is a matter of regret. He has filled the position admirably and to everybody's satisfaction. Mr. Blodgett is an excellent and capable business young man. He resigned the office on account of new business arrangements that will require his presence in N. Y. city a considerable part of the time.

— Mr. John R. Carter returned from Bathurst, N. B., last Monday evening after an absence of a fortnight or more. When he got there he found a plenty of snow for sleighing, and a week before he left the waters were solidly frozen over and his saw and shingle mills were shut down for the season. The weather is evidently somewhat different at Bathurst from what it is here.

— At 7 o'clock next Sunday evening Dr. March will deliver a lecture in the Congregational church entitled, "Forty Scenes in the Last Days of Jesus," which he will illustrate with stereopticon views with calcium light, which cannot but prove very interesting. The subject is entirely familiar to Dr. March, as those who have read his work, "Days of the Son of Man," must know, and the pictures will add to the pleasure to be derived from the lecture.

— Woman's Relief Corps No. 83 will give an entertainment in Concert Hall on Friday evening, Nov. 28 (day after Thanksgiving), to consist of vocal and instrumental music, dialogues, readings, etc., which the public will do well to patronize for their own good and that of the Corps. The tickets will be only 15 cents each, and only 10 cents each for children under 12 years of age. It will be a real nice entertrinment and we have no doubt Concert Hall will be filled.

— George A. Bean, Esq., a bright and successful Boston lawyer and respected citizen of Woburn, a Democrat of the Jacksonian school having imbibed his politics from old timers among the granite hills of N. H.—he, our esteemed friend, is a regularly nominated candidate for Mayor of this city by grace of the People's Movement. There is no doubt that Bro. Bean would fill the chair of Mayor admirably if he only had a better grade of politics, but as it is, it would not be safe to gamble on his chances.

— It is the record of all new cities to double their population in the first ten years. J. I. Munroe invites you to secure a choice house-lot before the rise. He has them in the following locations, viz: Cummings Park, Montvale Park, Fowle St. extension, Cross St., Green St., Vernon St., Salem St., N. Woburn, Hart Estate, (1-2 minute to depot) Lowell St., a few valuable ones on Capt. Crane's land, junction of Main and Warren St., adjoining the Cummings School: also great numbers of residences and farms, small and large, all prices and easy terms.

— Barely possible, if alive and well, we might be able to get through our Thanksgiving dinner all right without a bottle of New England Table Sauce made at 36 Beach street, Boston, by the N. E. S. Company, tho' we doubt it. But a bottle of this very fine and popular appetizer dropped down on to our table from the hands of the Company's manager the other day and now all misgivings about the toothsomeness of the roast turkey are removed or that the meat part of the feast will be O. K. The sauce is said to be the best made in the world; but whether that is true or not, there is nothing like it for tickling an epicurian Editor's palate, and that is all we care about.

— Next Sabbath morning Rev. Hugh Montgomery will preach on temperance in the M. E. Church, confining himself more particularly to the history of the cause in this city during the past year under the rule of prohibition. He will submit for the consideration of his hearers the great array of facts and figures bearing on the execution of the liquor laws by our Police officers which he has gathered up at the expense of much time and trouble. This announcement will doubtless attract a large audience, for the interest of our people in temperance just now, in view of the approaching charter election, is quite lively, and Mr. Montgomery always in his public discussions of it makes the subject interesting.

— We are glad to see H. P. Holdsworth back here in the confectionery business again—it seems like old times and very pleasant ones. We all remember the kind of ice cream, confections, sweetmeats, etc., the Holdsworth's gave the public when they carried on business here before, and how popular they were! A better location has been obtained by these worthy people, namely, the Barter store in Fox Block—just a few doors west of the JOURNAL office, and a finer, nicer, more varied or attractive stock of choice goods in the confectionery line can't be scared up in Middlesex county. Every thing is just as neat as a pin, and it is an establishment worthy of the largest patronage of the best people in town.

— The New England Souvenir Company advertise (see card) to give the old fashioned version of Uncle Tom's Cabin at Lyceum Hall on next Monday and Tuesday evenings with one of the most competent set of actors that travel. There are 12 of them who have parts in the play and they are all good ones. One of the very commendable features about *this* Uncle Tom is the entire absence of dogs, donkeys and street parades—a feature which everybody will appreciate—while the real merits of the entertainment is to be looked for on the stage instead of on the streets with a big retinue of hilarious urchins. The press of the country pronounce the Company a good one and their performance meritorious.

— We call especial attention to the advertisement of THE COTTAGE HEARTH in to-day's JOURNAL and ask the reader to note our offer connected therewith. We have a large number of subscribers to COTTAGE HEARTH in Woburn and elsewhere, for our terms are very liberal, and an additional inducement is the excellent character and real worth of the magazine. For $2 (the price of a single subscription to the JOURNAL) we give our paper and THE COTTAGE HEARTH one year, which brings both publications lower in price (considering their value) than any others that can be named. Our list for the magazine is composed of educated, cultivated ladies, lovers of clean, high-toned literature, and we have never heard one of them say, in the four or five years the JOURNAL and COTTAGE HEARTH have been furnished by us for $2 per annum, but what she valued the monthly visits of the magazine, supplemented by the weekly visits of the JOURNAL, above all price. As a family and fireside paper the JOURNAL has no superior anywhere, while as a chronicler of local events and a society organ it is ahead of all others.

— When Mr. Waterman Brown, gateman, saw a large white dog with yellow spots all over him tearing along the Church Avenue concrete the other day with a view of crossing the track, and quickly turning his eye saw the 5 P. M. train forging towards the station at a 30-knot pace, he instantly made up his mind that there was going to be a collision. He ran into the gate-house for a basket to carry off the sausage meat in, for of course there could be but one conclusion to such a meeting, namely, a dead dog promiscuously scattered about the premises. He wasn't gone hardly ten seconds but when he came out with the basket the collision had occurred per programme, only the effect of it was not just what Mr. Brown thought it would be. Instead of the tracks and a part of the locomotive being covered with sausage meat Brown saw fifty pounds of it fairly intact about 20 feet above the engine, making, as near as he could calculate, 1000 revolutions a second, and sending forth yells which, Brown said, beat anything he ever heard or read about in all his life. If Brown was ever astonished it was then, and even the engineer and firemen were about as badly off as he was. To see that rapidly revolving object high up above the smokestack emiting howls so unearthly, with a multitude of tails on both ends of it, and heads thicker than spatters in fly-time, and the noises so blended that it was impossible to determine whether it was a single effort long drawn out, or 100 individual yells chasing each other and the revolving dog all at once—when Mr. Brown saw and heard these things he dropped the basket, sat down on the door-sill, and acknowledged that he had to "give it up." The dog finally landed all in a heap near the express building, and after lying and apparently meditating on the strange occurrance for about 10 minutes, he leisurely arose, pulled himself together, and left in the direction of Academy Hill, which performance amazed Mr. Brown more than anything that had taken place during the whole entertainment.

— The guitar, mandolin and banjo concert] given at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening was a splendid musical treat. The performers were greeted by a full house.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

The Size of It.

This headline has no reference to the dimensions of the cake but to the length, breadth and depth of the principle He who builds on principle hath a foundation as solid as the Rock of Ages and as lasting. And this is why the men who make that household blessing — Brussels soap— find a great demand, for they make on principle, and its lasting qualities puffeth out the pocket-book with savings.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

At the Board of Aldermen last Tuesday evening President Kenney presided in the absence of the Mayor. A hearing was granted residents of Auburn street, who asked for the building of a sidewalk on the westerly side of that street, and complain that Caleb H. Jaquith obstructs the sidewalk with his wagons. Thomas J. Callahan and Rufus Smith appeared for petitioners. There were no remonstrants at hand, and the Board took the matter under advisement. Petitions were received from Rev. Hugh Montgomery for a street opposite the Methodist church, and from John Johnson, for laying out and acceptance of a new street from Main to Church street. Both referred to Highway Committee. The amendment to the city ordinances establishing a fire building limit was passed to be enrolled and ordained. William E. Blodgett resigned as Auditor. Accepted. The Overseers of the Poor reported as follows for the month of October: Families assisted, 42; persons, 155; amount, $314.65. Placed on file. Adjourned.

No one can read the advertisement entitled "Thanksgiving," in our paper this week, without wondering how Standard Crockery and Table Ware can be sold at such wonderfully low prices. But it's a fact. Messrs. Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom are prepared to back every statement they make, and have a stock of the finest goods on their counters, as they have the benefit of doing a large importing and wholesale business in connection with their retail store.

Next Sunday.

Next Sunday at 10.30, a. m. in the M. E. Church, the subject of the Woburn liquor traffic will be presented. Facts will be given relating to the results of a High and limited license for 1889, also facts pertaining to No License from May to Oct. 1890, both bearing on the Liquor Question. References will be made to the efforts and success of the City Government during the time above mentioned. Names of law Breakers under No License both seller and drinker will be given. (Detectives have been employed to obtain facts.) Your opinion is desired relative to what may be said, therefore you are cordially invited to be present at this service.

Yours Truly,
HUGH MONTGOMERY.
Woburn, Nov. 18, 1890.

Y. M. C. A.

Last Sunday evening the Woburn Young Men's Christian Association celebrated the 12th anniversary of their organization in the First Congregational church in this city in the presence of a large concourse of people of all religious denominations, sects and creeds. The order of exercises comprised a multitude of good things in the shape of music, addresses and reports, and is fair to presume that the people present passed a pleasant evening.

The business opened with a stirring organ voluntary by Prof. W. H. Clarke, whose playing, it seemed to the reporter, like wine, grows better with the flight of time (if possible), after which the congregation sang a sacred song from hymn book No. 783, in which there was a general participation by the people. Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor of the First Baptist church, read passages of scripture appropriate to the occasion and then prayed.

The Ladies Schumann Quartette sang beautifully "Come Unto Him" from Handel, and then the report of President John R. Carter was read by Vice-President Dimmick because the President was unavoidably absent. The report was entirely satisfactory and showed great progress in the good work during the past year.

A pleasing feature of the interesting programme was a solo, "But the Lord is Mindful," from Mendlessohn, by Miss Katherine Spear of Chicago, whose rendering of the piece was very fine indeed. This young lady has a highly cultivated voice of more than ordinary compass, very sweet and bell-like in tone, and her vocal efforts are in the highest degree pleasing to the educated ear.

The report of Mr. J. P. Bailey, the General Superintendent, was interesting. It demonstrated conclusively that the Association is making progress in the right direction. Mr. Bailey gave a great many important facts such as an interested people would be glad to hear.

The Schumann Quartette contributed largely to the enjoyment of the audience, the solo and chorus, "Now I lay me down to sleep," being very fine. The congregation also enlivened the exercises with good singing and when Mr Moore of Somerville asked the audience to unite and roll out one verse of old "Coronation" the welkin rang indeed.

In the way of speaking the address of Mr. H. M. Monroe of Somerville was the principal feature of the celebration and it was a rouser—literally a rouser. His whole soul is in the work of the Y. M. C. A., in which, as a leader, he is accomplishing great things for the Lord. The account which Mr. Moore gave of the growth of the Y. M. C. A. in America and other countries brought out many facts not before generally known, especially in relation to the erection of Association buildings—the number, their cost, the manner in which the work had been done, etc.—and it was evident his statements set some people to thinking.

The great need of the Woburn Association is a home of their own, built with an eye single to their comfort, accommodation and pleasures. They need it, and Mr. Moore told how the thing could be accomplished—that is to say, he told how others had done it, and why not Woburn do it too? The address, a ringing appeal for material aid for the institution which is doing so much for the young men in all Christain countries, not only set people to thinking but is likely to set them doing, for a movement was launched by a goodly company of young men who met in the parlors of Mrs. Emma T. Dow on Court street a few evenings since, which is bound to evenuate in the erection of just such a home as the Association stands so greatly in need of. The young men (old ones too) have taken hold of the enterprise with a determination to push it to a successful issue and it is sure to go.

Here is an opportunity for some of the rich men of this city to erect for themselves a monument that will shine brighter than shafts of polished marble, and outlive the most enduring granite. Where could a rich man put some of his wealth that would do more good?

With the close of Mr. Moore's stirring address more music equally stirring, and benediction by Rev. Hugh Montgomery, a deeply interesting and enjoyable anniversary occasion closed.

Saturday, 8 o'clock, Young Men's prayer meeting.

The meetings of the Week of Prayer were well attended.

Tuesday afternoon the regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary, 3p. m.

Have you got your ticket for the "Wreck of the Hesperus?" On sale at Smith's dry goods store.

Sunday at 3 p. m. Boys meeting. At 3.30 p. m. consecration, men's, meeting. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting. Monday 7.30 p. m. Singing class.

In regard the Singing Class: There must be 25 persons over 15 years signed before we shall open and if before or on next Monday evening there are not 25 persons who signify their intention to be a member there will be no class. Both sexes can join: members of Association or Auxiliary, free: others: men $1.00; Ladies, 50 cents.

A parlor conference of young men of the city was held at Mrs. Emma T. Dow's, 12 Court street, in the interest of the Young Men's Christian Association of Woburn. Mr. Torrey of the Harvard College Y. M. C. A. was present and spoke. Short speeches were also made by several others, including one from Mr. Chester Cotton, Mr. Chester R. Smith, Mr. Charles French, in regard to the needs of the Association in Woburn. A nice collation was provided by the kind hostess, who takes a lively interest in the Y. M. C. A. After which the following Resolutions were passed by a unanimous vote all subscribing thereto;

We, the undersigned young men of Woburn, at a meeting held at the residence of Miss Emma T. Dow, 12 Court street, petition the Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association that they provide us with a building suitable for Association work, with a full equipped gymnasium.

We are desirous of assisting you in the work.

Signed by 29 persons.

At the meeting of the Directors Tuesday this reply was returned to the petitioners: We, the Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association thank you for the interest you take in the Association. Your petition lies before us and we desire to meet all the young men whose signatures are attached thereto at a conference the date and place to be named by us in a few days through our Chairman, Mr. C. E. Richardson, to consider the best means to raise the necessary amount for the building asked for. Signed

C. E. Richardson, Chairman,
For the Directors. Nov. 18, 1890.

(Written for THE WOBURN JOURNAL)

The Mysterious Burglar.

A LEGEND OF THE "BLACK HOUSE," WOBURN.

BY F. L. CONVERSE.

Away back in the latter part of the last century there stood, and until within a comparatively few years ago still stood, on the site of the homestead of the late John P. Kimball, Esq., Main street, above Central Square, in Woburn, a house always known by the name of the "Black House" on account of its color, which at the time first named was occupied by JOSEPH BARTLETT, Esq.

BARTLETT was an excentric and talented lawyer, much given to saying and doing uncommon things, cracking jokes, etc. and so fertile in resources was he that he often gained difficult cases which people said he won only by the assistance of a certain mysterious old gentleman in black who always acted with him as invisible Senior Counsel.

Let that be as it may, he had just won a suit which it seemed almost impossible to gain, where a large lot of cloth, clothing and especially pantaloons, was at stake, and had pocketed the money for his client.

Now it so happened that a fellow who had knowledge of his having the money conceived the idea of breaking in and stealing the rhino, so that night he proceeded to the rear of the house and began operations by prying open a window which having done he entered, but hearing a noise of footsteps on the back stairs accompanied by snorting, groaning and scratching as if some unearthly being was coming he jumped out of the window and retreated to a safe distance; but what was his astonishment when he perceived issuing from the back door a gigantic ghost (so it seemed to him) in white, with immense black wings by the aid of which it rapidly flew toward him. Terrified beyond measure, with a howl he fled leaving his tools behind him.

Sometime after a merry party returning on foot late at night from the "Centre" Village to "New Bridge" saw the same ghost at the front of the house apparently in the air, its great black wings carrying it rapidly to the rear of the mansion, while several of the party declared they distinctly saw three smaller ones higher up following after.

The next day all Woburn was in a ferment and all sorts of stories prevailed. The house had been entered by burglars, the marks of whose "kit" could be seen on the back window. Four pairs of BARTLETT'S pants had been stolen therefrom on different nights with lots of other property, and that it must have been done by experts as the pants each time had been taken from his own chamber, in fact from right under his very nose, without waking him; and stranger still, that the door was bolted inside when he awoke in the morning, and the windows were all fast. Ghosts had repeatedly been seen in and about the house; or perhaps they were the thieves themselves dressed up for effect; and yet that could not be, for the ghosts had large black wings and flew in the air. Horrible noises according to popular rumor had been heard, and streams of fire had been seen issuing from the attic windows; in fact, some even went so far as to say, with a knowing wink that BARTLETT had been engaged in some questionable transactions, and the cause of all this was, that the "Old Scratch" himself had been there advising him how to act in order to be successful in some tough suits in which he was counsel, and especially that he had assisted him in his late suit about the clothing.

In the meantime BARTLETT himself had really had a strange experience inside the house, for on awaking one morning he discovered that his pants were gone, while the rest of his clothing remained untouched, there being no evidence that his room or the building had been entered by any one, but the affair soon ceased to be talked about, till one morning a week later when another pair had mysteriously disappeared.

BARTLETT now put a bolt on the inside of his chamber door and a bell at each window in such a manner that the least movement would cause a bell to ring, but notwithstanding all these precautions still another pair of his unmentionables went the way of the rest and yet the door remained bolted, and the bells did not ring.

BARTLETT, now thoroughly astonished at the audacity and adroitness of the thief, determined at all hazards and expense to ferret out the mystery and capture the rascal, so he hired a man to sit all night in the closet of his room with the door open, armed with a gun and watch; when a little past midnight, just as the man was a little dosy, of a sudden he saw the dreaded ghost with its great black wings in the chamber, when he dropped his gun, and with a bound or two cleared the space between himself and the door, which he unbolted, and escaped from the house as quick as possible almost scared to death at the sight of so terrible a figure. The next morning the fourth pair of pantaloons were gone but the door was bolted and everything else was right except that the watchman was *non est inventus*.

BARTLETT was now at his wits end, but after taking the matter into serious consideration he, like a sensible man, concluded that there must be a reasonable explanation to the affair however dark and blind it might then seem. So he procured the services of a thoroughly cool and steady man of good judgment to come and occupy the place in the closet. On the first and second nights nothing occurred, but on the third soon after midnight the watch saw BARTLETT himself slowly and quietly get up, go in his night shirt to the chair on which his clothing lay, take his pants therefrom and place than around his neck with the legs dangling on either side, then proceed to the door which he unbolted, then down stairs, out of the back door, to the haystack in the yard, where having dug a hole therein he deposited the pants, replaced the hay, and returned to his chamber, preceded by his watcher, when having bolted the door he went to bed and was soon executing a bass solo in A flat, much to the amusement of his employe who felt a great satisfaction in having successfully done his duty and discovered the thief.

BARTLETT, on being awakened, much commended his watcher and laughed heartily at the story he related to him and how he had acted in his state of somnambulism. The next morning the haystack was searched and all five pairs of pantaloons were found snugly stowed therein. The story soon spread abroad and for many years "Bartlett's pants" were a standing joke. BARTLETT himself being fond of good stories even if told at his own expense, and withal a good poet, composed some lines suited to the occasion which were as follows:

Bartlett, his Ghost and the Burglar.

A ghost I was, and yet alive;
From me, my ghost good breeches five
Did steal and purloin in the night.
Yet stay! reflect! Can that be right?
Can one's one ghost, from its own body
S'eal their own pants? it surely can't be?
Not so! we both, my ghost and I,
Together, each not knowing why,
Did take our own; we had the rights;
No larceny occurred those nights.
Yet good from unseen sources springs,
And aid may come from ghosts with wings.
So in my sleep, a helpless elf,
Unknown to me, I helped myself.
But for *my ghost*, that burglar, vile,
Had surely captured all my pile;
So I rejoice, break into verse,
And thank the Lord it is no worse.

"My husband is the salt of the earth," said a grocer's wife. "Yes, I know he is, for he 'salted' me the other day when he sold me some soap and told me it was as good and economical as Brussels," replied the customer.

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Republican Caucuses.

Last Saturday evening the Republicans in this city met in places and for purposes duly set forth in their advertisement in the JOURNAL, and although the night was a tempestuous one the meetings were fairly well attended and harmony was the ruling characteristic of them.

With here and there an exception the caucuses did their work in an acceptable manner—so well, indeed, was it done that their nominees deserve to be elected by large majorities. Grant's promotion was in order, but dropping President E. E Thompson was not wise. Other things of less importance might have been done differently with profit, but on the whole the nominations made were above an average on the score of intelligence and good character. The Republicans generally do their public business after that style.

Without elaboration and free from unnecessary particulars the following is given as the real results of the several Ward caucuses:

Ward 1—Alderman, Thomas G. Beggs; Councilman, Patrick McGowan, Edward J. Phillips; Delegates, Edward D. Hayden, William T. Grammer, Benjamin Hinckley, Joseph Buck, Elwyn G. Preston, Joseph F. DeLorica.

Ward 2—Alderman, Marcus M. Shaw; Councilmen, George A. Simonds, William H. Bowers; Delegates, George A. Day, William P. Cutler, Edmund C. Cottle, Charles M. Strout, Herbert Riley, William H. Ward, George E. Fowle, Albert J. Haynes.

Ward 3—Alderman, Alexander Grant; Councilmen, Frank C. Nichols, James F. McGovern; Delegates, William R. Putnam, Seth W. Kelley, Fred H. Lewis, Francis A. Buckman, Harry G. Marion, Philip K. Richardson, Milton Moore.

Ward 4—Alderman, W. Frank Fowle; Councilmen, Simeon E. Kendrick, Benjamin F. Waldron; Delegates, Dr. John M. Harlow, Elisha F. Hayward, John R Carter, J. Fred Leslie, James L. Pinkham, Henry C. Hall, Marcellus H. Allen, Edward E. Thompson, Samuel H. Patten.

Ward 5—Alderman, David T. Strange; Councilmen, George F. Hosmer; Delegates, John L. Fowle, James R. Wood.

Ward 6—Alderman, Charles T. Dearborn; Councilman, James E Cutler; Delegates, Warren W. Cummings, Frank W. Legg, Benjamin F. Kimball, Fred E. Perkins, Elijah Marion.

Ward 7—Alderman, Frank M. Pushee; Councilman, Phineas G. Hanson; Delegates, George Russell, James Given, Alvah B. Heald.

Republicans, let every man of you put shoulders to the wheel and elect the above ticket slick and smooth.

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A Flagellation.

Mrs. Haggerty, wife of Timothy Haggerty, a Boston letter carrier who lives on Pleasant street, this city, cowhided Dr. J. H. Conway in his office last Tuesday evening, and thereby raised a deuce of an excitement. Accompanied by Ald. Kenney and a Mr. Hyde, the former of whom didn't know what was wanted of him, the irate dame entered Dr. Conway's office and after a few angry words pulled a rawhide and at once proceeded to belabor the man of boluses and blisters at a great rate. She is quite an athlete and could probably handle the mild-mannered son of Esculapeus any way he might tackle her.

Timothy stood outside and waited for results. He said he gloried in his wife's spunk. He couldn't have had much of that article himself else he would have gone in and whipped the Doctor instead of sending his wife to do it.

Ald. Kenney, when the rawhide appeared on the scene, was about as scared a man as they make them.

Haggerty told the *Record* folks about it, and in less than two shakes of a lamb's narrative after the *Record's* story came out the *Herald* and *Globe* had reporters here, and right away the "Old Harry was to pay and no pitch hot."

Dr. Conway got a licking, Mrs. Haggerty got a not very enviable notoriety, some other folks got smirched and all on account of a piece of gossip that was retailed out to the public here more than a year ago, and was never worth minding.

There will be no legal proceedings in the matter.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Mrs. Stowe's powerful story, dramatized years ago, has probably drawn more people to the theatres of America than any other story or play written by an American. It apparently possesses perennial youth for as each succeeding generation comes to the front it is desirous of seeing the play that created such a sensation among its grandparents and parents. The New England Souvenir Company that presented the play at Portland theatre last evening resorts to none of the sensational features employed in recent years, but gives a legitimate presentation. There are no bloodhounds nor donkeys and but one Marks the lawyer and one Topsy. The people who assume the different roles are very capable and their version one of the most pleasing yet given. The company includes George H. Coes, Frankie Carpenter, Mabel Carpenter, Raymond Rogers, "Yankee Boody," Nellie Brown, Frank D. Smith, Miss Ella Bryant, C. De Nudde and other good artists. One of the best features is the singing by a quartette. Quantities of excellent sheet music are given away at each performance as souvenirs.—*Portland (Me) Press, Nov. 4.*

This popular performance will be given at Lyceum Hall in this city on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Nov. 24 and 25. See advertisement in another column.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

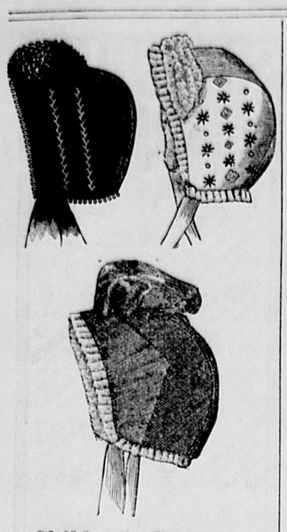
Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

Unitarian—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Ideal Home.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Reasons for helping the Poor. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. A service of Song followed by a short sermon at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Religion, a Necessity." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Lecture by the pastor in the church at 7 p. m. Subject: "Forty scenes in the Last Days of Jesus." Stereopticon Illustrations with Calcium Light. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evening.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Woburn's Law Breakers." Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by Rev. Alfred Noon of Cambridge at 7 p. m. Subject: "The Saloons must go." Wednesday evening prayer meeting



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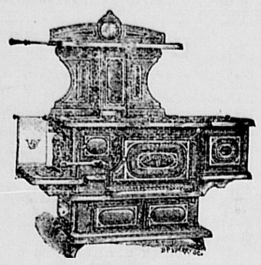

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IN MEMORIAM.

MISS ABBY MEAD died at her residence on Pleasant St., Sabbath evening, Nov. 16, after years of protracted suffering. Miss Mead was born in Amesbury, Mass., March, 1806. In her childhood her widowed mother with her family removed to Woburn. In 1827, then in her early womanhood, she united with the First Congregational Church and during her long life was ever the exemplary, consistent Christian. When still quite young, she developed remarkable aptitude to teach, and for many years was a very successful teacher, securing both the love and respect of her pupils. During the years of her "shut in" life she frequently received gratifying testimonials of their high appreciation of her valuable instruction. She was a lady of rare excellence of character, of refined taste, cultured mind united with great equanimity of disposition, possessing strong convictions but liberal views, a genial companion, a faithful friend, a judicious counselor. For the last fifteen years she has been unable to leave the house, and for the last four, her room. With her books and her pen she beguiled many a wearisome, suffering hour. For all who visited her she had a cordial greeting: her cheerful resignation, her heartfelt gratitude that her mind was still unimpaired was a sermon and an inspiration to all who had the privilege of her acquaintance. She "being dead yet speaketh,"—speaketh in the example she has left of faith, patience and Christian consecration.—COM.

Miss Abby Mead, daughter of the late Rev. Samuel Mead of Middleboro, Mass., whose recent death in this city leaves a void in the more elderly social circles, was born at Amesbury, Mass., on March 6, 1806. At the age of 17 she began teaching school in the Bennett house at Central Square, Woburn; she afterwards taught at Charlestown several years, and while there harbored in her schoolroom some of the nuns during the burning of the Nunnery on Mt. Benedict; she was also Principal of the Fairhaven Seminary, and continued the profession with great success until she was 60 years of age, except during 5 years of sickness. For some 16 years past she has mingled but little in society, having been compelled to keep her room a principal part of that time by illness.

Miss Mead's mother was the daughter of Major Earl Clapp of Middleboro, who served in the Revolutionary War. The family, being bereft of husband and father, came to Woburn when the subject of this notice was very young.

Miss Mead united with the First Congregational Church of Woburn in 1827, and became a member of the Charitable Reading Society connected with that church in January, 1831. At the semi-centennial celebration of the organization of the society held June 31, 1865, she furnished a poem "Memories of Other Days," which may be found in the published proceedings of that occasion. She had fine literary tastes and good ability as a writer, and was often called on for prose and poetical contributions for special occasions.

Miss Mead had many warm friends who will miss her. Mrs. Dwight Eager, with whom she lived and died, was her only sister, but other relatives are left to mourn her death.

A large number of old friends attended the funeral on Wednesday, and the floral tributes were beautiful.—X.

For real comfort the good old times we hear so much about are "not in it" with the present order of things. It is but a few years, for instance, since the pulling of a tooth was an act of remorseless savagery; now we sink into a luxurious chair, take a little gas, a little peaceful slumber, awake and go about our business entirely relieved from the ache, yet unconscious of the operation. This gas is given free at the Globe Dental Parlors, 227 Tremont St., Boston, which are a fair example of the modern dentist's office; in the reception rooms rich and elegant furniture, carpets and pictures, and everything that can conduce to the comfort of the waiting patients, while in the operating rooms are all the latest perfected appliances of the profession for rapid, painless and thorough work. All those whose teeth need attention will find in the established reputation of Drs. Bills and Crossman for excellent work at moderate prices an additional incentive to visit these handsome rooms; and as all work is warranted, they cannot fail to receive satisfaction.

North Woburn.

Miss Gertrude Anderson of Malden is visiting some of her friends of this village.

The sociable held at the Congregational church on last Friday evening was well attended and also a decided success.

An entertainment will be given under the auspices of The Wide Awake Club at the Congregational church on Tuesday evening, Nov. 25, at seven forty-five.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Charles W. Newton was surprised at his home by a large number of his friends. A fine collation was served and a very pleasant evening was passed.

Mr. Henry G. Fuller passed a few days at South Framingham where he was born and lived for a number of years before coming to this village. He met many of his old schoolmates and came home well pleased with his visit.

"Yes," he said, "my system is soaked with gin and sorrow, put there's hope for me yet, for I've heard of Brussels soap."

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"Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

The senior partner in the largest clothing house in Philadelphia says: "We have spent $30,000 for big signs in and around Philadelphia, and we can't trace one single sale to one of them. I am satisfied that it is the price which draws, and that price should be put into the papers in clean, neat type."

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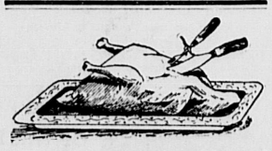

What Easter is to the Milliner and Christmas to the Toy dealer, Thanksgiving is to the Crockery ware merchant. Our kitchen furnishing department is crowded full just now for this reason. Notice the prices:—

7-inch Yellow Ware Baking Dishes,	7c.
4-qt. Rockingham Ware Pudding Pots,	20c.
1-2-gal. Vinegar and Molasses Jugs,	15c.

And all other sizes in every quality ware at same cut prices.

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Sugar Bowls,	25c.
Water Pitchers,	29c.
Platters (16 inch),	40c.
Individual Butters, per doz.,	24c.

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A splendid pair of finest steel Carver and Fork costs only **$1.50,** while Rubber and Celluloid handled Carvers are sold at low prices.

Table Knives and Forks, each,	5c.
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Let us give you our prices before you purchase any Kitchen or Dining Room supplies. Write us your wants, and we will answer you fully.

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S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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33. "And when they were come to the place, which is called Calvary, there they crucified Him, and the malefactors, one on the right hand and the other on the left." Our last lesson left Him in their hands to do their pleasure with Him; and after the scourging and mocking we see the cross laid brutally on that torn and bleeding back, and He goes forth bearing His cross (John xix, 17). While it is not said that He fainted under it, the fact that they turned Simon the Cyrenian about, and compelled him to bear it after Jesus (verse 26), looks as if He may have sunk beneath it, or perhaps stumbled through weakness or loss of blood. Then hear Him as He says to the women who follow, "Weep not for me, but for yourselves and your children" (verse 28). And see the two malefactors each bearing his cross. Thus follow to Calvary or Golgotha, the place of a skull (Matt. xxvii, 33). And now see the three crosses each bearing its living, dying, agonizing burden; on either side an evil doer suffering justly, but in the midst the Holy Jesus suffering the just for the unjust.

34. "Then said Jesus, 'Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do. And they parted His raiment and cast lots." Can you see Him stripped of his raiment, laid down upon the cross, the nails driven through His quivering flesh, and then hear Him pray, "Father, forgive them."

35. "And the people stood beholding. And the rulers also with them derided Him, saying, He saved others, let Him save Himself, if He be Christ, the chosen of God." Their cruelty knows no bounds; they have now done their worst; they have crucified Him, but they cannot cease; and as He hangs in greatest physical agony upon the cruel cross they deride Him. He could have saved Himself if He had wished. Not all the power of men or devils could have harmed Him unless He had permitted it. Hear His own words: "I lay down my life that I might take it again. No man taketh it from me, but I lay it down of myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This commandment have I received of my Father" (John x, 17, 18).

36. "And the soldiers also mocked Him, coming to Him and offering Him vinegar." The sufferings and death of Christ tell out the hearts of all classes of men—the true children of God who in trial forsake Him; the professor only, who, being tempted, sells Him; those highest in religious things, who, being only hypocrites, hate reality; those highest in temporal power, who know nothing of eternal realities and care only to please people; the irreligious (as these soldiers), who care for none of these things, and the offscouring of the earth suffering just punishment for their crimes—all have their hearts revealed by the cross of Christ.

37. "And saying, If thou be the King of the Jews save thyself." They could not understand a king who had no followers and seemed to have no power.

38. "And a superscription also was written over Him, in letters of Greek and Latin and Hebrew, This is the King of the Jews." The chief priests objected to this, and wished Pilate to write, "He said, I am King of the Jews" (John xix, 21); but Pilate insisted on keeping it as he had written it.

39. "And one of the malefactors which were hanged railed on Him, saying, If thou be Christ save thyself and us." Rulers, soldiers and malefactors all utter the same taunt, "Save thyself."

40. "But the other answering, rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation?" Hardened, indeed, must have been the heart of this condemned man, who, knowing that he must very soon meet God in the spirit world, railed even to the last.

41. "And we indeed justly; for we receive the due reward of our deeds; but this man hath done nothing amiss." Another testimony to the innocence of "This Man." We have heard it from Judas, from Pilate, from Pilate's wife, indirectly from Herod, and now from this thief on the cross.

42. "And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when Thou comest into Thy kingdom." This is grand. Not only does he confess himself a justly punished wicked man, but he confesses that the man at his side is an innocent man suffering unjustly; that notwithstanding all that has been done to Him and said to Him He is really a king and has a kingdom; and he humbly asks to be remembered in that kingdom.

43. "And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, today shalt thou be with Me in Paradise." What a trophy for Christ to display among the redeemed!

44. "And it was about the sixth hour, and there was a darkness over all the earth until the ninth hour." He was crucified at the third hour (Mark xv, 25), which would be about 9 o'clock. At the sixth hour or 12 o'clock this darkness set in, which continued till He died at 3 o'clock. The sun refused to shine longer upon such a scene; earth put on mourning.

45. "And the sun was darkened, and the veil of the temple was rent in the midst." The veil was a symbol of His body or flesh. As in tabernacle and temple, the veil concealed the glory of God; so during all His stay on earth the mortal body of Christ concealed within it the glory of God.

46. "And when Jesus had cried with a loud voice, He said, Father, into Thy hands I commend My spirit: and having said thus He gave up the ghost." This is the last of His seven sayings on the cross. For the others in the order of utterance see verses 34, 43; John xix, 25-27; Matt. xxvii, 46; John xix, 28, 30. They tell of forgiveness, Paradise, provision for our need while here and the infinite cost at which all has been purchased. This last confirms the fact of life apart from the body or conscious existence after death. Compare Stephen's "Lord Jesus receive my spirit" (Acts vii, 59), and by the word of God become so fully persuaded of these things that you can almost see yourself apart from your body enjoying the riches of God's glory.

47. "Now when the centurion saw what was done, he glorified God, saying, Certainly this was a righteous man." Yet another testimony to the innocence of the Lord Jesus Christ in addition to those mentioned under verse 41. We hope the centurion truly believed on Him, but we are not told. If he should turn out to be the Cornelius of Acts x that would explain how Cornelius came to be so devout. But we must wait. For the record of the earthquake, and the opened graves, and the incidents of His burial by Joseph and Nicodemus, as well as the piercing of His side, see Matt. xxvii, 51, 52; John xix, 34-42, and the remaining verses of this chapter. How often we have read the story, but how little we understand or appreciate it! God give us opened eyes and tender hearts.

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And ef I'd my own way I wouldn't be thinkin' o' fetchin' her here;
But it ain't no use argyin' matters when sister-in-laws interfere.

You see, it were this how: last harvest we parted with baby—with Chick;
The pootiest child in the kentry; the rompinest, 'fore he got sick;
And his mother, poor gal, took it badly when we telled her as baby was dead,
For she didn't shed tears like she'd orter, but set thar a-shakin' her head.

And when baby was put in the parlor she crep' sof'ly up to the box,
And we heerd her say, "Go to sleep, darlin'," as she brushed back his bootiful locks.
But nex' day she was sleepin' herself, sir, when they come from the taown with the hearse,
So we went to the graveyard without her, and saved her the 'sterics, or worse.

Wal, when we got back from the fun'ral thar was Lucy a-gettin' the tea;
On the table was three cups and saucers, for her and the sister and me;
But I can't tell the turn as it gives me to see on the cloth, polished up,
Jist as bright as it shined on his birthday, our poor Chickey's little tin cup.

Then the sister she starts in a-cryin', and says she, with her face very white,
"Lucy, dear, don't you know that the baby won't want any supper to-night?"
Then, poor gal, she jist lifts up her finger and she points it at baby's old place,
And she says, "Don't the tin cup look dirty along o' that dazzlin' face?"

Ev'ry morning she's up with the daybreak, a-scrubbin' that poor bit o' tin;
And she's still at it, scourin' and rubbin', when the shadders of evenin' comes in;
But its black, sir—as black as the kittle—compared with the child as sits there,
Shinin' bright with the glory o' heaven; still as death in his little high chair!

So I've come, sir, to ask you to take her, and larn her that Chick's gone away
To a place whar no sufferin' kin enter; no rust, nor disease, nor decay;
But ef God sent this stroke as a mercy—et the doctors all gives Lucy up—
She will bring back a heart that ain't broken, and polish the little tin cup.

—Thomas Frost in New York Herald.

"A Just Beast."

The London correspondent of The Manchester Courier says he heard rather an amusing story the other day about the bishop of London which has not, he believes, appeared in print. When Dr. Temple held the head mastership of Rugby a boy in the school came up before him for some breach of discipline. Facts seemed rather against the boy, who was in imminent danger of being expelled. He had a defense, but being neither clear headed nor fluent in the presence of the head master he could not make it clear.

He therefore wrote home to his father detailing at length his position and his explanation. His father very wisely thought the best thing he could do was to send the boy's letter as it stood to Dr. Temple, merely asking him to overlook any familiarity of expression. Apparently the father had not turned over the page and seen his son's postscript, for there Dr. Temple found the following words: "If I could explain it would be all right, for though Temple is a beast he is a just beast." The bishop in telling the story is accustomed to say it was the greatest compliment he has ever received in his life.

Pipes Coming Into Use.

The return to the pipe is a comparatively new fad. Until six months ago I never had a pipe in my store. My trade called for nothing but cigars, cigarettes and chewing tobaccos. The French started it. Of course your English tourist always has his pipe, and he thinks no more of starting it up on the street or in the smokers' room of the sleeper than you would of taking out the most fragrant cigar. But the French have started this fad of several pipes with various stems, and the custom is taking it up.

The meerschaum pipe craze died out several years ago. It is a wonder it ever came in. You can buy a meerschaum pipe cheaper than you can a French sweet briar. I don't mean to say that the American smoker will ever go so far as to smoke a pipe on the street, but for home and office comfort he has already taken up the pipe.—Interview in Chicago Tribune.

Abraham Lincoln's Father.

Within seven miles of Mattoon is the farm which Abraham Lincoln's father used to own, and where he lived. Abe was of age then, and he didn't live on the farm, but he visited his father once a year and always brought him presents. Thomas Lincoln died on his farm and is buried in Gordon's graveyard, near by. Beside his grave is that of his second wife. For many years the graves were unmarked. Later on Mr. Dunlap, of this city, brought the matter to the attention of several leading citizens of Mattoon and Coles county. The result was that a plain monument marks the place. Robert Lincoln, hearing of the subscription, sent Mr. Dunlap a check for $100.—Chicago Tribune.

Quarts of Diamonds or Diamonds of Quartz

"I tell you, Knowles, the dressing at Saratoga surpassed the wildest dreams of Monte Cristo. I never saw anything like the ostentatious display of diamonds. Every one had them, and collected they could have been measured by quarts."

Knowles—Crystalline quartz?—Jewelers' Circular.

There Are Plenty of Them.

Totting—The government wants a new design for the silver dollar.

Dimling—That ought not to be hard to get. Everybody I know has designs on the dollar.—Munsey's Weekly.

Repeating Orders.

Patron (at church fair festival)—Oyster stew, please.

Waitress (to cook)—Oysters, two.—Good News.

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and mecicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of others state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

A woman with children is very much in the same position as the Lord; though her children say they love her, they very seldom offer her anything but complaints.

To enjoy good health aim to always have abundant sleep; this can generally be secured by management, unless you have a crying baby, in which case Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will greatly assist.

A very good recommendation:—I used Old Saul's Catarrh Cure for influenza and was cured.

SLEEPING ON FEATHER BEDS.

It Is Nice and Easy, but It Makes One Lazy and Is Not Conducive to Health.

"Do you sleep on feathers?" asked a reporter of a professor of the Ohio Medical college.

"I did when I was a boy," replied the solemn M. D., "but I haven't done it since."

"Why not?"

"Well, I do not think it is conducive to health to do so. You see, there are apt to be so many bumps and depressions in the surface of a feather tick, and that alone is enough to condemn it. Through the day the body is in so many positions and the joints are bended so often that at night one's limbs should be perfectly straight, so as to give the blood a chance to circulate freely. The body cannot lie perfectly straight on a feather bed, and, besides, the soft, downy couch enervates one and tends to make one yawn, stretch and lie with doubled up limbs.

"Thus he gets too warm, and soon a coverlet is thrown back and very likely a cold results. Then the head sinks into the feather pillow, and often the side buried thus will perspire. This is uncomfortable, and the sleeper turns over. The moist skin is exposed to the night air and a cold results. Then it is so hard to wake up when sleeping on feathers. It makes one lazy. Sleep seems to be the chief end of existence, and when one is forced to leave the bed by the cares of the day he leaves it with a yawn. He yawns and stretches himself for hours afterward, and the ennui follows him all day, and when at evening he retires to his chamber filled with the determination to study or read, the sight of the billowy bed tempts him to stretch upon it at full length for a moment, and before he knows it he is too drowsy for anything but sleep.

"A person does not need as much sleep as people who use feather beds generally take, and the same persons when they lie on a spring mattress or a straw tick for a few weeks are surprised at their own freshness and vigor. The Germans use feathers almost universally, and they claim to be a hardy race, but any one with ordinary observant powers can see that Germans age much earlier in life than other people."

"Yes," said a Walnut street mattress maker, when the reporter informed him of the doctor's opinion, "and we sell very few feathers to any but Germans. I agree with the doctor in every particular, and, speaking of beds, you would be surprised to see what I do every day in the houses of wealthy people. They may have magnificent residences, fitted up with sumptuous furniture and costly bedsteads, but the beds are shocking as a rule. These are made of topsy turvey mattresses; they are not level, and probably they smell badly. The proper way to have a bed is with a padded spring mattress for a foundation, and a sheet over this is all that need be under the body, then coverlids to suit the occupant and weather.

"Of all the people, and I have customers among all classes, the Hebrews have the most comfortable beds. I advertise extensively in a Jewish paper, because I know they of all people like a good bed. And really this careful attention to the beds is a great gain, for with how much more vigor could a man go forth to his daily work if he has enjoyed a good night's rest."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

An Anthem Described.

Two old British sailors were talking over their shore experience. One had been in a cathedral, and had heard some very fine music, and was descanting particularly upon an anthem which gave him much pleasure. His shipmate listened for a while, and then said:

"I say, Bill, what's a hanthem?"

"What!" replied Bill, "do you mean to say you don't know what a hanthem is?"

"Not me."

"Well, then, I'll tell yer. If I was ter tell yer, 'Ere, Bill, give me that 'andspike,' that wouldn't be a hanthem, but was I to say, 'Bill, Bill, giv, giv, giv' me, give me that, Bill, give me, give me that 'and, 'andspike, 'and, 'andspike, spike, spike, spike, ahmen, ahmen; Bill, give me that 'andspike, spike, spike, spike, ahmen, ahmen!' why, that would be a hanthem."—Exchange.

A Woman's Reason.

A woman got on a crowded cable car a few days ago, and before she got into a seat the train started up with a jerk and she almost lost her footing. The bag of eggs she had in her hand slipped, and but for the timely extension of a gentleman's hands would have fallen to the floor. As it was only two or three eggs escaped.

"Plague take it," said the woman impatiently.

"Sorry I couldn't have saved them all," said the gentleman, seeing that he was not going to be thanked; "too bad."

"Indeed!" returned the woman. "Saved them all, eh? If you'd kept your hands away there'd been no trouble. You men are always"——

But the poor fellow had escaped.—Chicago Special Press Bureau.

Sunday observance is steadily gaining ground in Paris. In the West End the great majority of the shops are closed, and the railway companies have lately agreed not to reckon Sundays in charging for the warehousing of goods. The postoffices, too, are to close in future at 6 p. m. instead of 8, and the two evening letter deliveries are to be abolished.

Hold It To The Light.

The man who tells you confidentially just what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's Balsam to the light and look through it; notice the bright, clear look; then compare with other remedies. Price 50c. and $1.

It very often happens that if the money put in a monument had been put in a rest for the man under it, the building of the monument would have been delayed several years.—Atchison Globe.

How Repulsive

Is bad breath, and yet how many otherwise attractive, polite, and particular people afflict their friends with the foul odor of their breath. If there was no remedy for this it might excite our sympathy, but as there is no need of having a foul breath, it is an unpardonable breach of good manners to obtrude such an offence on good society.

HIS NOSE WAS SCRATCHED.

But He Did Not Enjoy the Muzzle of a Double Barreled Gun So Close.

"One night," said Ben Holladay, the pioneer of stage coaching west of the Missouri river, "I was bouncing over the plains in one of my overland coaches.

"Mrs. Holladay and myself were the only passengers. Several stages had been robbed within two months, and the driver was ripping along as though a gang of prairie wolves were after him. Suddenly the horses were thrown on their haunches and the stage stopped.

"I was heaved forward, but quickly recovered, and found myself gazing at the muzzles of a double barreled shotgun.

"'Throw up your hands and don't stir!' shouted the owner in a gruff voice.

"Up went my hands and I began to commune with myself. The fellow then coolly asked for my money. I saw that he did not know who I was, and I was afraid that my sick wife might awake and call my name.

"My coat was buttoned over my bosom, but scarcely high enough to hide a magnificent emerald that cost me over $8,000 a few weeks before in San Francisco.

"I scarcely breathed through fear that light might strike the stone, and its sparkling brilliancy attract the attention of the robber. I had about $40,000 in a money belt, and several hundred dollars in my pockets.

"Suddenly my friend shouted, 'Come, shell out—quick, or I'll send the old 'un a free lunch.'

"I passed out the few hundreds loose in my pockets, and handed him my gold watch and chain. They were heavy. I think the chain alone would weigh five pounds at least.

"'There,' said I—'there's every cent I've got! Take it, and let me go on. My wife is very ill, and I don't know what would happen to her if she knew what was going on.'

"'Keep your hands up!' was the reply, while a second robber received my watch and money.

"Then a search was made for the express company's box, but the double barreled shotgun did not move. Its muzzles were within a foot of my nose. For my life I did not dare to stir.

"My nose began to itch. The stiff hairs of my mustache got up one after another, and tickled it until the sensation was intolerable. I could stand it no longer.

"'Stranger,' I cried, 'I must scratch my nose. It itches so that I am almost crazy!'

"'Move your hands,' he shouted, 'and I'll blow a hole through your head big enough for a jack rabbit to jump through!'

"I appealed once more.

"'Well,' he answered, 'keep your hands still and I'll scratch it for you!'

"Did he scratch it?" asked one of Ben's interested listeners.

"Sure!" said Mr. Holladay.

"How?" asked the breathless listener.

"With the muzzles of a cocked gun!" said the great overlander. "He rubbed the muzzle around my mustache, and raked it over the end of my nose until I thanked him and said that it itched no longer."

The robbers soon afterward took their leave with many apologies, and Ben continued his journey to the Missouri with the big emerald and $40,000.—New York World.

Famous Gems.

The most famous extant gems are perhaps the Gemma Augustea, in Vienna, a sardonyx nearly a quarter of a yard long, on which the triumph of Augustus is cut in the rarest workmanship by Dioscorides, of Rome. There are magnificently cut antique amethysts, though rock crystal was and is mainly used for vases and cups. I saw a beautiful modern vase at Oberstein in the shape of a shell twelve or fourteen inches long—chiefly, however, filling me with regret for the vanished beauty of the one perfect crystal out of which it had been cut. The man asked £5 for it.

A much larger cameo than the Gemma Augustea was lost in the storm of the Tuileries in 1848. About the largest extant gem—a sardonyx worked in five layers, and representing Tiberius and Livia and various other personages—there is an odd story. It is called La Camee de la Sainte Chapelle, and was given to St. Louis of France, who set it up in the Ste. Chapelle as a representation of Joseph's dream.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Had the Record for Laziness.

William Holmes, of Charlotte, Vt., tells of the death at Charlotte, not long since, of an old Quaker who was the laziest man on record. His name was Nicholas Wing, and he lived with his wife and old maid daughter on the edge of Lake Champlain. The whole year round Nicholas did not a stroke of work. His wife and daughter plowed, sowed and harvested the crops, and in fact did everything that was to be done on the farm. Wing was noted far and wide for his trousers. On the outside of each leg a row of four dozen buttons was sewed in order that Mrs. Wing could put them on for him. You see all the exertion that he was put to was the stretching out of his limbs. He lived to be over 90 years of age.—Exchange.

The Magic of a Name.

Little Tommy Tuff—I can't see why the members of congress should be all called M. C.'s.

Mick McGonigle—Huh! Der Me's allers has der best show fur an office.—Texas Siftings.

All medical authorities agree that catarrh is no more or less than an inflamation of the lining membrane of the nasal air passages. Nasal catarrh and all catarrhal affections of the head are not diseases of the blood, and it is a serious mistake to treet them as such. No conscientious physician ever attempts to do so. It is held by eminent medical men that sooner or later a specific will be found for every disease from which humanity suffers. The facts justify us in assuming that for catarrh at least a positive cure already exists in Ely's Cream Balm.

The corners of a girl's mouth turn up until she is twenty; after that age they begin to turn steadily downward.

It is a Mistake

To try to cure catarrh by using local applications. Catarrh is not a local but a constitutional disease. It is not a disease of the man's nose, but of the man. Therefore, to effect a cure, requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, expelling the taint which causes the disease, and imparting health.

Electrical Cranks.

"Do you see that man there who has just picked up something from the edge of the sidewalk?" asked a gentleman well posted on electrical matters. "He has the latest fool craze on the brain, for he has been following that electric light tender about for the last ten minutes, in order to gather a few of the stubs of the electric arc light carbons which are thrown away. These he will carry in his pockets under the insane impression that some of the electricity left over from last night's lighting may soak into his system and ease up a trifle on some pain or other.

"Poor fellow! He is more deluded than the man who wears a potato in the left hand pocket of his trousers to cure him of rheumatism. Why, there is no more electricity in those carbons than in the bread that fellow may have eaten for breakfast.

"It is astonishing," continued the speaker, "what queer notions some people have about wearing electrical and magnetic appliances. The theory is quite universal that magnetism attracts the iron in the blood, and thus gives rise to a better circulation. But all the iron which exists in the human system is combined with hydrochloric acid, and is in the form of the oxide of that metal, and in this state the magnet has no power over the oxide of iron."—Washington Post.

Gold in the Georgia Rivers.

One of the most promising schemes by which a fortune was not made was that of an inventor of much mechanical genius who got up a plan for getting the gold out of the Georgia rivers. Most of the streams which flow from the gold districts of Georgia have "color" in their sands, but not always in paying quantities. This man proposed to build a boat 150 feet long, and have a sluice running all the way round it, thus giving a sluice length of 300 feet. Then by a steam shovel arrangement he intended to scrape up the sand out of the bottom of the river and drop it in the sluice, through which a stream of water would always be running.

The gold would collect in the bottom, as in any other sluice, and at intervals there would be a "cleaning up," which he expected would be highly profitable. As soon as one locality was exhausted the boat would move on to another, and, to use a common expression, he thought there were millions in it. The scheme was never tried, for before he was ready to put it into operation he found an opening in Colorado and went out there, but a great many people in Georgia believed it to be perfectly practicable, and regretted that the experiment was not made.—Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Mr. Hornet Was Not Fooled.

A gentleman was relating a recent Sunday incident in which figured a farmer, a colored farm hand, a hornets' nest, some hornets and a bull, though the last took small part. A bull was standing in the orchard under a tree on which was a hornets' nest. The colored man concluded he would have some fun. The farmer was a quiet onlooker. The colored man got some stones, stood off at what seemed a safe distance, and proceeded to stir up those hornets and get them to light on the bull.

Mr. Hornet appeared to be of a discerning mind, took in the situation, found the bull on his good behavior, and struck out for the thrower of those stones. Probably the reader may have monkeyed with a hornet, and knows from experience how straight he shoots. He shot that colored man over the eye, and then the fun began at the wrong end of the line. Such running and yelling were never before heard or seen. Everybody laughed but the colored man, and even the bull appeared to grin.—West Chester (Pa.) Republican.

A Lawyer with an Eye to Business.

Belfast has a lawyer who deserves success. He not only has an eye to present business, but one for the future. He does considerable marrying, and was heard the other day to say to a young couple whom he had just married: "Married life in the best regulated families has its troubles, and should either of you come to the conclusion that you have made a mistake don't forget to call on me, and I'll get you a divorce cheaper than any other lawyer in town. That balance of seventy-five cents you owe me for marrying you you can hand in any time." The young couple departed in a doubtful manner, as if they were half inclined to be divorced at once and save costs.—Belfast Age.

Those Well to Do Beggars.

Never mind the beggars in Rome who accost you on your way to the eating house. They are stout, hearty rogues as a rule, with a rare trick of groaning afflictingly at sight of a stranger. Not so long ago one of them used to ride daily into Rome on his own cob from his country seat. He amassed a respectable fortune by sitting with outstretched palms on the stone steps which ascend from the Piazza di Spagna, and gave his daughter a dowry of 1,000 crowns. That, however, was in the days of the popes, when mendacity was a recognized profession, quite as reputable as law or medicine.—Cornhill Magazine.

Sunday Music.

Grandma (to little grandson, who is drumming "McGinty" on the piano Sunday morning)—My dear, that does not sound like Sunday music.

Small Musician—Oh, yes, grandma. That's about a bad, wicked man who was drowned for going fishing on Sunday.—Good News.

I am one of the oldest horse-shoers in the town, and I have used your Salvation Oil for cracked heels, mange, and sand cracks with horses, it gives perfect satisfaction.

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A Methodist preacher hinted that it would be nice to go to Europe, as his throat trouble was getting worse, but the good deacons sent for a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and consequently now enjoy a good sermon.

In many offices a potato is used instead of a pen wiper. The juicy tuber holds the pen steady, removes at once all ink from the nib, brevents the process of corrosion, and spares many a well loved pen to a ripe old age.

A man can always please a woman if he will; a woman will always please a man if she can.

With most men life is made up of going in dept and then struggling to get out.

The Band Saw.

English mechanics are said to depend much upon a tool which is but little used in America, namely, a band saw for metals. Its construction, as described, is similar to that of a heavy band saw, with a third carrying wheel for the saw, the object of this being to remove the up moving side of the blade from the vicinity of the table, and thus leave a deep throat through which a large piece of work can be passed or a wide plate turned. This third wheel is placed at the back of the machine, about midway in the vertical height of the saw blade. The temper of the saw is slightly harder than that of those used for wood, and the teeth are sharpened straight across the blade by a cutter with its teeth at the right height to suit the teeth of the saw blade.

This tool is used for cutting off the spines from steel castings, the ends of bolts, to saw up steel, iron and copper plates to any form, and to rough out the jaw sof eccentric rods and other forgings which would require the use of slotting machines, and it cuts as well on a circle as upon a straight line. The blade is lubricated with soap and water, and in a cut six inches long through a steel connecting rod jaw it works freely and satisfactorily. Not infrequently circular saws of large dimensions are used for the same purpose, and, being mounted on heavy frames and fed carefully up to their work, cut off large pieces of steel, leaving nearly a smooth surface on the face of the cut.—New Orleans Picayune.

Cement Under Water.

The use under water of sacks of cement mortar is in certain cases of the greatest service. It is probable that no other process will permit work under water which will secure so perfect a contact with old masonry. A notable example of this may be cited in the viaduct which is now being built across the Loire for the railroad from Bourges to Glen, France, which has the foundations of its piers dug through a water bearing sand to the marly limestone which forms the subsoil of the valley.

In some of these excavations the bottom is disturbed by violent currents of water coming either from the water bearing sand into the pit, or from cracks which are frequently met with in the limestone and the waters of which spout out in the bottom of the excavation. This water could not be carried away by masonry channels or drains, since the mortar would be at once washed out. The use of cement in sacks allows the engineers to obtain a pavement or foundation for the bottom of the pit almost solid and fitting itself perfectly to all the irregularities of the bottom, thus allowing the concrete to be set with perfect security.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Truly a Railway Hero.

In the evidence taken in case of John W. Winn, freight conductor on the Richmond division of the Atlantic Coast line, who was killed at Redfield station, on the Petersburg railroad, one Thursday morning, in attempting to get on the caboose while the train was in motion, it is shown that Winn fell and the wheels of the caboose passed over him, cutting his right leg off between the ankle and knee, his left leg off between the knee and hip, his left arm off between the elbow and shoulder. When he was missed the train was backed and he was found conscious.

Before he would allow anything to be done for him he directed the brakeman who came to his assistance to take charge of his train and put it on the siding, so as to prevent collision with a passenger train. He then made this brakeman examine the switches used so as to make sure that all was safe. He then remarked that he had performed his last duty, as he would never be able to work again.—Richmond Times.

A Forcible Reminder.

A wife recently gave her husband a sealed letter, begging him not to read it till he got to his place of business. When he did so he read:

"I am forced to tell you something that I know will trouble you, but it is my duty to do so. I am determined you shall know it, let the result be what it may. I have known for a week that it was coming, but kept it to myself until today, when it has reached a crisis, and I cannot keep it any longer. You must not censure too harshly, for you must reap the results as well as myself. I do hope it won't crush you."

Here he turned the page, his hair slowly rising.

"The coal is all used up! Please call and ask for some to be sent this afternoon. I thought by this method you would not forget it."

He didn't.—London Tit-Bits.

Descendants of Pontius Pilate.

It may be known to only few people that direct descendants of Pontius Pilate, the Roman governor, are living in this country. The ancient archives of Vienna, Austria and Pesth, Hungary, show that a grandson of Pontius Pilate, Caius Flavius Pilate, was made proctor of the Roman province of Dacia, on the lower Danube. Later on we find a descendant of his governor of Panonia, the present kingdom of Hungary, and married with one of the Byzantine Greek princesses. Still later the family moved into Austria. Some forty years ago two members of the family moved to this country and gained reputations as florists and landscape gardeners. One of the brothers laid out the Central Park of New York, and soon after died. The other is carrying on with his son the florist business in Sing Sing, N. Y.—Chicago Tribune.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.4', 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.55, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45 A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M , 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at *5.50, *6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, *9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, *1.15, 1.45, *2.15, 2.45, *3.15, 3.45, *4.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.45, *7.15, 7.45, *8.15, 8.45, *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at *6.10, *6.40, 7.10, 8.15, *9.40, 10 10, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, *1.40, 2.10, *2.40, 3.10, *3.40, 4.10, *4.40, 5 10, 6.00, 7.10, *7.40, 8.10, *8.40, 9.10, *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, A. M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50 A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford at 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, and every half hour until *9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, and every half hour until *9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., 12 M , 12.30, and every half hour until 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford Square for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, and every half hour until 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, and every half hour until 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6 20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 3.30, then every half hour until *6.30, then 7.30 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9 55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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Northern Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
Lawrence Mail opens at 7.45 A. M., 1 P. M.
Lowell Mail opens at 8.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
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Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
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THE GOBLIN FROG.

Peter O'Reilly was a pioneer miner of Nevada and one of the discoverers of the great Comstock silver lode—one of the two men who turned to the light of day that glittering ore which was the first of over $300,000,000 since taken from the wonderful vein then lit upon.

For years before he made the great discovery O'Reilly had been working among the gold placers of Gold canyon a wet weather tributary of the Carson creek, in which gold was discovered as early as 1852. In this canyon he wrought with pan and rocker, and at times with much success, sometimes taking out several hundred dollars in a few days, the ground was very rich in spots.

"Pete" was fond of rambling away alone along the meandering of the canyon in search of the rich spots that were to be found by those who diligently sought for them. He liked to be by himself and to mine in his own way. Provided he could find a few "colors" (small particles of gold) he would dig and pan away for days, quite confident that his luck would at last lead him into the right and his labors be richly rewarded.

Peter O'Reilly was not only a spiritualist, but also a firm believer in all manner of signs and omens. He heard voices, as did the heroes of Ossian, in the sighing breeze and extracted a meaning from all sounds of hill and vale that reached his ears. The end of this was (a few years after the discovery of the Comstock lode) that he become insane, and finally died in a private asylum at Walbridge, Cal.

It appears that the last mining O'Reilly ever did in Gold canyon was when he started in to prospect a bar on which he found a previous locator in the person of a frog, which held a "squatter's" right to the place, and which frog almost immediately began to give him trouble.

Pete began his mining operations by constructing a small dam to turn the rill flowing in the canyon into a little ditch that led to his "panning hole" at the lower end of the bar.

The little reservoir formed by the dam held only about a dozen hogsheads of water. It was soon after this reservoir filled that Pete first had notice of the presence on his claim of the frog. He had sunk a pit in the gravel of the bar almost down to the bed rock, and washed out two or three pans of dirt that yielded well. He was down in this prospect hole filling his pan with some particularly promising gravel, when he heard a small, squeaky voice sing out; "Struck it?"

Pete was at the moment deeply absorbed in the work in which he was engaged, and the shrill, shrieking voice ringing out so near at hand and asking a question that so exactly chimed in with the train of thought running through his head so startled him that his pick almost fell from his hands. He pricked up his ears and looked about in all directions to see whence proceeded the cheery little voice. Almost he expected to discover a little red mantled fairy peering out at him from some neighboring clump of willows or some tall tuft of grass. As he stood thus gazing about in open mouthed amazement the little voice again piped out: "Struck it? Struck it? Struck it?"

Turning his eyes in the direction whence proceeded the inquiring voice, Pete presently descried a small green frog mounted upon a stick that projected an inch of two above the surface of the water in his reservoir. The frog was but a rod or two away, and seemed, as Pete thought, to be looking inquiringly into his eyes.

"Struck it? Struck it? Struck it?" again said the frog.

"Are ye schpakin' to me, sor?" said Pete.

"Struck it!" says the frog.

"It's a good omen," said Pete. "The little feller says I've struck it. Thought he's no countryman of mine, I believe in me sowl he means well by me, and that I have sthruck it in this very hole."

So saying Pete carried the pan of dirt he had dug to his panning place, panned it out, and did not get a "color." He was not a little astonished at this result, and was much inclined to call the frog a liar, but on turning to look for him the little fellow was gone. He went to his pit and dug another pan of dirt, listening all the time to hear what the frog would have to say about it. Not a word did the frog say, however.

Pete washed out the pan of dirt and got gold to the value of nearly a dollar. "Aha! ye little devil!" cried he; "where are ye now? Ye didn't have a word to say this time."

Well pleased with his luck, Pete began digging another pan of gravel from the place where he had got the last, expecting another rich result. He had been at work only half a minute before the little voice rang out sharp and clear: "Struck it? Struck it? Struck it?"

"Oh, yes, you little fool!" cried Pete; "it's aisy for you to say 'Sthruck it! Sthruck it! Sthruck it!' after ye've seen what I've got in my pan."

"Struck it! Struck it! Struck it!" cried the frog in what seemed to Pete a triumphant tone.

"All right, me bye!" cheerily assented Pete, nodding his head toward the little fellow that sat winking and blinking on the end of the stick. "All right, me bye; av coorse I've struck it."

Pete then picked up his pan of gravel, carried it to the water hole, washed it out and did not find a speck of gold. "You're the worst liar I ever saw!" cried Pete, rising up from his work and shaking his fist in the direction of the frog. Not a sign of the frog did he see, however, the little fellow having very prudently retired to the bottom of the pond.

Pete grumbled for a time, then went and dug another pan of gravel. As he was carrying the dirt to his panning place the frog stuck his head above the water and called out, "Struck it?' and again no gold was found. Thus it went. When the frog said nothing he got a good yield of gold, but when he made his usual inquiry—sneering inquiry, Pete now considered it to be—no gold was found.

At last Pete had washed so many pans of dirt out of which the frog had charmed all the gold that began to grow very angry. He was also not a little discouraged. Finally, just as he began to scrape the gravel out of a very promising crevice, and just as he was beginning to think the frog would this time hold his tongue, out came the little fellow with his "Struck it? Struck it?"

Pete quietly laid down his crevicing spoon, slyly gathered two or three big rocks, then softly, on tiptoe, began stealing toward his little persecutor, and just as the frog cried out, "Struck it? Struck it?" the irate O'Reilly let drive at him with a rock so huge that it could have been hurled by no lesser Ajax. The rock missed its mark, but raised a great commotion in the little pond.

Thinking he had given his bad angel a fright that would last him a fortnight, Pete returned to his work. He had almost filled his pan with very rich looking dirt, when up popped the frog's head and out came the tantalizing "Struck it? Struck it?"

Pete threw the pan of gravel as far as he could send it and made for the frog, determined on its destruction. He would stand no more of its infernal deviltry.

Shovel in hand, he waded out into the middle of the little reservoir and scooped and tore about in it with a vigor and venom of a mad bull. Once or twice he saw, or imagined he saw, the frog dart through the discolored water, and brought down the back of the shovel on the spot with such a "spat" that the blow might have been heard a mile away.

At last, not seeing any more of the frog, Pete concluded that he had killed him. He gave the little animal a parting curse, and being wrought up to such a pitch of excitement and nervousness that he could work no more that afternoon, strode away, put on his coat and went home.

The next morning he returned to his claim and his work. He washed out several pans of dirt, and was getting good pay out of all he washed, when suddenly there fell upon his ear the shrill cry of "Struck it?"

The first note sent a thrill through Pete's stalwart frame like the sharp shock of an electrical battery; then a chill fell upon his heart, and his hair almost rose on end. His evil genius, as he now firmly believed the little green frog to be, was still there, alive and at his old tricks.

"May the curse of holy St. Patrick light on ye!" cried Pete. Then he kicked over the pan of dirt he dug and made a rush for the reservoir, the frog "plumping" under the water with a little chirp at his approach. Again Pete went into the reservoir with his long handled shovel. He charged about, but could see nothing of the frog nor anything that looked like it. Being determined to do his enemy this time, Pete went for his pan and began trying to bail out the reservoir. Finding this too great a task, he got his pick, dug down the embankment of rocks and earth forming the little dam, and eagerly watched, with uplifted shovel, for the frog as the water ran off. The water all ran out of the reservoir, but his little tormentor was nowhere to be seen.

Pete waded out into the oozy bed of the pond, digging and plowing about with his shovel, but he failed to start the goblin frog. He then arrived at the very reasonable conclusion that the little imp had gone down the stream with the body of water that rushed out of the reservoir when it was opened. He cruised about the spot for an hour or more, going down the channel of the canyon, turning over rocks and beating tufts of grass with his shovel, but saw nothing of the frog. Thinking his evil genius had been washed down through the canyon into the Carson river, Pete rebuilt his dam in order that he might have water ready for use in the morning. This job done, he went home, feeling quite sure that he had either killed or permanently ousted his little enemy.

The next day he returned to his work. Before starting in, however, he walked around the reservoir several times, peering keenly into the water and kicking every bunch of grass about its margin. The frog was nowhere to be seen or started.

Pete then went to his prospect hole and began digging, stopping occasionally, however, to cock an eye toward the pond and listen for the frog. There was no sign of the little imp, and Pete's heart grew lighter. He had dug a pan of dirt without the usual hated interruption, and was on his way to wash it out when—"Struck it? Struck it?" was squeaked from the pond by the goblin frog.

This was too much for Pete. The pan dropped from his hands, his under jaw fell, and he sank down upon the nearest bowlders. As he was wondering if it was possible for him ever in any way to rid himself of the evil thing that destroyed his luck the frog again called out as cheerily as ever: "Struck it? Struck it?

"May the devil burn ye!" cried Pete. "No, I haven't struck it, and, what's more, I never will strike it wid ye there, ye dirty little blackguard! Must I be comin' afther ye again, ye unclean baste o' the devil?"

"Struck it!" said the frog.

"Ye think so?" cried Pete, sarcastically, and catching up a pick he ran to the reservoir and began digging down the embankment.

Soon, however, he paused in this work, and, throwing down his pick, said: "No, its of no use. Haven't I thried to get him in all manner o' ways! No, when I get the wather off he'll be gone. He's no human frog. I'll jist let him howld possession and I'll hunt me another place. Divil a lick will I ever sthrike here again; it's the divil's own child he is. I've heard birds talk and bastes talk, but niver wan o' thim all that could schpake so plain as this little green divil that's widout either feathers or hair—he's not human."

Pete began gathering up his tools and clothes with the intention of vacating the place, when he stopped and gazed wistfully at his prospect hole. "A promising place it was, too, in the main," said he. "Howly Mother! Shall I, a Christian and a good Catholic, be tormented away by a dirty little heretic baste you? No. I'll give him a warmin' yit, and all the likes of him. I'll pepper him tomorrow!" So saying, Pete put on his coat and struck out for home, turning to shake his fist toward the pond as he departed.

The next morning Pete went up toward Johntown, a little trading post about a mile above his claim, and borrowed a shot gun; then he bought a quantity of powder and shot, and returned toward his mine in a vengeful mood. Again and again he said as he strode along: "I'll kill that frog if it's among the possibilities!"

On reaching his claim Pete crawled to a big rock near the pond, and seating himself upon it, watched patiently for over an hour, but the frog was neither to be seen nor heard.

"He has run away," said Pete, "but I'll kill him if he's anywhere on the face of the green earth!"

He then moved cautiously along down the canyon. Although frogs were quite common on the Carson river, they were seldom seen in Gold canyon. At last, however, Pete saw what he thought might be his tormentor. He blazed away with his gun and stretched the creature lifeless on the margin of the rail. He was beginning to rejoice over the victory he had gained when up from the spot leaped another frog, the very picture of that he had killed. Pete looked at this new apparition, then turned and gazed on the slaughtered animal, to be sure he was dead. Finding it still stretched on the ground, he went after the second frog, which he finally succeeded in killing. All that day he hunted up and down the canyon, blazing away at everything that moved. He slaughtered many toads and lizards, but only one other frog.

The next day he was again out with his gun, and every day for about a week, extending his hunt as far as the Carson river, and firing away many pounds of shot to little effect. He talked of little but frogs, and the miners along the canyon, who always found great sport in his eccentricities and in his superstitious notions, "stuffed" him with many stories of the baleful influences of frogs and toads.

One morning to the surprise of the jocular miners of the camp, for whom his insane warfare on the frogs had afforded great sport, instead of starting out with his gun, Pete took his pan and crevicing spoon and departed down the canyon in the direction of his claim. An hour later Pete came tearing up the canyon to the camp wild eyed. "I'll niver sthrike pick intil this canyon again?" cried he. That imp o' the devil is still there on me claim! I was but jist listin' me second pan of dirt whin he raised his head from the water and says: 'Pate, have ye struck it?' says he. 'May the divil bless me,' says I, 'if ye can't have the whole bloody canyon; I'll niver strike pick intil it again.' No more I will. That frog is no human frog—it's a child o' hell."

Pete O' Reilly kept his word; he at once "pulled up stakes" in Gold canyon. He struck for Six Mile canyon, five miles to the northward. Taking Pat McLaughlin for a partner, the two began mining at the head of the canyon, where Virginia City now stands, and there the pair presently "struck it"—struck the great Comstock silver lode, the hidden treasure house of the gnomes and wonder of the whole mining world. But for the "goblin frog" O'Reilly would probably have continued mining in Gold canyon, and to this day the Comstock and "Big Bonanza" might have remained undiscovered. But for that frog the names of Mackay, Fair and a score of other mining millionaires would not now be known throughout the world.—*San Francisco Examiner.*

No Ammonia in Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder.

A Great American Magazine.

THE SUCCESS OF "THE CENTURY" AND ITS PLANS FOR 1891.

THE CENTURY MAGAZINE is now so well-known that to tell of its past success seems almost an old story. The N. Y. *Tribune* has said that it and its companion, *St. Nicholas for Young Folks*, issued by the same house, "are read by every one person in thirty of the country's population,"—and large editions of both are sent beyond the seas. It is an interesting fact that a few years ago it was found that seven thousand copies of *The Century* went to Scotland,—quite a respectable edition in itself. The question in England is no longer "Who reads an American book?" but "Who does not see the American magazines?"

A few years ago *The Century* about doubled its circulation with the famous War Papers, by General Grant and others, adding many more readers lately with the Lincoln History and Kennan's thrilling articles on the Siberian Exile System. One great feature of 1891 is to be

"THE GOLD HUNTERS OF CALIFORNIA,"

describing that remarkable movement to the gold fields in '49, in a series of richly illustrated articles *written by survivors*, including the narratives of men who went to California by the different routes, accounts for the gold discoveries, life in the mines, the work of the vigilance committees (by the chairman of the committee) etc., etc. General Fremont's last writing was done for this series. In November appears the opening article, "The First Emigrant Train to California,"—crossing the Rockies in 1841,—by General Bidwell, a pioneer of pioneers. Thousands of American families who had some relative or friend among "the Argonauts of '49" will be interested in these papers.

MANY OTHER GOOD THINGS ARE COMING,—the narrative of an American's travels through that unknown land Tibet (for 700 miles over ground never before trod by a white man); the experiences of escaping War-Prisoners; American Newspapers described by well-known journalists; accounts of the great Indian Fighters, Custer and others; personal anecdotes of Lincoln, by his private secretaries; "The Faith Doctor," a novel by Edward Eggleston, with a wonderfully rich programme of novelettes and stories by most of the leading writers, etc., etc.

It is also announced that *The Century* has purchased the right to print, before its appearance in France or any other country, extracts from advance sheets of the famous Talleyrand Memoirs, which have been secretly preserved for half a century—to be first given to the world through the pages of an American magazine. All Europe is eagerly awaiting the publication of this personal history of Talleyrand—greatest of intriguers and diplomats.

The November *Century* begins the volume, and new subscribers should commence with that issue. The subscription price ($4.00 may be remitted directly to the publishers, The Century Co., 33 East 17th St., New York, or single copies may be purchased of any newsdealer. The publishers offer to send a free sample copy—a recent back number—to any one desiring it.

Catarrh indicates impure blood, and to cure it, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies the blood. Sold by all druggists.

A GREAT SUCCESS AT

Munroe's Clothing House.

Our Boys' Departments opened this Fall is just what the people have been waiting for. We have a great variety of Overcoats, Suits and Trousers at prices that defy competition.
Ask to see our Boys' Overcoat at $1.50. Suit at $1.00. Sizes, 4 years to 14.

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Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for November 1st and 8th contain A Soldier of the Mutiny, H. P. Liddon, by Canon Scott Holland, The Czar and the Jews, The Royal Couple of Roumania, Henry Parry Liddon, After "Tatou," Talking Birds, Vezelay, After Summer, Hampton Court, Manners, A Sixteenth-Century Duchess, In Ruthenia, What has Become of Original Sin? Dew, A Yarn Spun in Manitoba, with installments of "Marcia," by W. E. Norris, and "Eight Days," and poetry and miscellany. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

JUST WHAT THE HOUSEHOLD WANTS. It is only necessary to look at the December Peterson, to decide that it is the magazine for the family. Next year Peterson will hold its jubilee. To have been for fifty years the prime favorite in thousands of households is something to be proud of and its popularity steadily increases. For 1891 the magazine will be enlarged, its attractions more varied, and its illustrations more abundant. This number seems about as full of handsome pictures as it can hold. Besides admirable steel and other engravings, there are various copiously illustrated articles. A capital paper, Some Ice Carnival Sketches, gives, in addition to numerous smaller designs, two splendid full page cuts. A Frozen Lake in Holland and a Snowshoe Race over Hurdles, A Problem Never Solved is the best short story Edgar Fawcett has ever written. The fashion department will save any woman money enough to double her dresses, enabling her to make them at home, and the decorative designs will help her to ornament her rooms at an almost nominal price. The lady who neglects to have Peterson on her list for 1891 will make a great mistake. Now is the time to get up a club. Terms: $2.00 a year. 2 copies $3.50; 3 copies $4.50, with a handsome premium to the getter-up of the club; 4 copies, $6.40; 6 copies, $9.00, with an extra copy of the magazine for one year to the getter-up of the club. A sample copy, with full particulars, will be sent to Club raisers. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflamation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

The custom of lifting the hat had its origin when knights never appeared in public except in full armor, but upon entering an assembly of friends the knight removed his helmet, the act signifying, "I am safe in the presence my friends."

WINCHESTER.

Mr. H. H. Bangs has gone to Boston to live.

Frank White has got home from his European trip.

Mr. P. H. Swan has gone to Florida for the winter.

Isn't it about time for Henry J. to get his tomahawk ground up for the spring election?

The health of Judge Taylor has been greatly improved by his European visit. He bids fair to continue to be a useful and respected citizen of Winchester for many years to come.

A Lawrence man will buy the Fisk property at Symmes's Corner. Some say he has bought it for $10,000. Mr. F. H. Nourse, the well known and very successful Boston and Winchester real estate agent, made the sale.

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr. Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

The wedding celebrations occur as follows: Three days, sugar; 60 days, vinegar; first anniversary, iron: fif

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FRIDAY, NOV. 28, 1890.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

FOR TEMPERANCE.

The JOURNAL extends a cordial invitation to every voter in this city to throw his ballot for prohibition next Tuesday. For humanity's sake it hopes the invitation will be accepted by all. The well-being and good name of the city demand that the temperance vote shall prevail over all opposition at the polls on that day, and in the next issue of this paper we hope to be able to record a great and glorious victory over Rum and all its cohorts and myrmidons.

There are voters here who are champions of the temperance cause; who are professed prohibitionists through and through; who carry Rum's poor victims close to their hearts; who (and rightly) look on the rumseller as a common enemy to mankind—there are a great many of such voters here; now let us watch and see how well they acquit themselves next Tuesday. Let us see if they all come out to the polls and cast their ballots for prohibition. Let us watch and see how many of them stay at home and neglect their duty that day. Let us see how their professions and actions compare.

In order for temperance to come off triumphant next Tuesday it will be necessary for every friend of it to go to the polls and vote. Every man must be promptly on hand and do his duty. Half-way work on the part of temperance will result in a victory for Rum. A temperance victory is possible if the friends of temperance will do their WHOLE DUTY.

Gentlemen Prohibitionists, what shall we have here in Woburn next year, temperance or intemperance?

W. C. KENNEY FOR MAYOR.

This gentleman is the nominee of both the Republicans and Democrats for the office of Mayor of this city to succeed the present incumbent, and his election is generally conceded. The bare fact that both parties have chosen him for their standard-bearer is proof enough of his popularity to convince anyone, and not only that, but it shows a public confidence in his ability and integrity which augurs well for the advancement of the city's interests under his administration. He is one of the foremost young business men of this place. He is a clear thinker, a dilligent worker, conscientious in the discharge of all duties, public and private, and is as well posted in our municipal affairs as any man among us. That he will discharge the duties of the important post without fear or favor no one who knows him will doubt for a moment, and that he will make a success of his administration nobody acquainted with him will for a moment question.

Republicans owe it to themselves and the public good to throw their ballots solidly for Ald. Kenney. Every Democrat too who wants to live under a good, clean city government should do the same.

The average estimate is that Mr. Kenney will be elected by 300 or 400 majority.

CITY ELECTION.

Woburn's charter election will take place on Dec. 2, 1890. There are so many conflicting interests aroused that it will probably be a lively one. The contest over the Mayoralty is getting sharper every day.

The JOURNAL would like to see every voter who can do so go to the polls next Tuesday and deposit his ballot for the right man.

☞ B. P. Shillaber ("Mrs. Partington") died at his home in Chelsea last Tuesday, at the ripe age of 76 years. He was a genial, whole-soul man and an entertaining humorist and his friends could be counted by the thousands. They were scattered all over the world. And so, "Mrs. Partington," the dear old soul, will never be seen any more on Boston streets.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

H. Dodd—Holiander.
F. W. Legg—Crayons.
Y. M. C. A.—Hesperus.
Unitarian Society—Fair.
H. A. Springer—Doctor.
T. H. Cahill—E. Div. Co.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. Powder.
A. Cummings—Millinery &c.
City of Woburn—Candidates.
G. P. Rowell & Co.—Dr. Kennedy.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

— Carpets are very cheap at Willard Smith's.

— Marcellus, my lad, you are a dead cock in the pit.

— We will make room for "Lines to a Billy Goat" soon.

— Down at the Boston Branch "the spices yield a rich perfume."

— Vote for prohibition all ye who like to see sober, peaceable times.

— They say Grant will win the race in Ward 3 at an easy hand-gallop.

— One thing about it is true and that is, we have had a plenty of dust this week.

— The St. Charles Minstrels have a big concert in preparation to be given in about 4 weeks.

— At the close of registration last Saturday evening the number of names enrolled was 2647.

— Early last Monday morning the thermometer showed 12 degrees above zero. Pretty sharp.

— Deacon Gage remains about the same—one day a little better, and the next not quite so well.

— Mrs. George F. Bean is a very popular lady and will be re-elected to the School Board sure.

— Have you got your ticket for the "Wreck of the Hesperus?" On sale at Smith's dry goods store.

— The markets carried full stocks of the choicest kinds ot Thanksgiving dinners in the raw this year.

— On account of Thanksgiving our No. Woburn items were received too late for publication this week.

— It wouldn't hurt Mr. Robert J. W. Phinney's feelings very much to see Mr. W. F. Davis slaughtered.

— Supt. Sewell of the No. Woburn St. Railroad has published his winter timetable. Mark well the changes.

— J. W. Studley and F. D. Cook, both of Ward 6 (No. Woburn) started for Jacksonville, Florida, on Nov. 23, 1890.

— A better stock of ranges, cook, parlor and office stoves than Holdridge keeps can't be found in Middlesex county.

— Prominent Democrats in Ward 7 say that Frank Pushee and Phin. Hanson are morally certain of being elected.

— The reservoir job is completed and water has been let on. Supt. Crilley got through quicker than he promised.

— Mr. Waldo Thompson is making preparations for a big winter trade at L. Thompson's stove, tin, and hardware store.

— Fowle of Ward 4 is sure to win with flying colors. He will make a good Alderman.

— The disgruntled Democrats held a seance the other evening to lay plans to whip Ald. Kenney. Mr. Buchanan acted as Chairman.

— A good many Democrats in Ward 7 will vote for Pushee and Hanson if there is any reliance to be placed in the signs of the times.

— They do say down Canal street way that William F. Davis, Esq., will be the worst whipped man in the whole lot next Tuesday night.

— The Holdsworth confectionery rooms in Fox Block, lately occupied by McGrath, are just as neat and inviting as anything can be.

— The Republicans of Ward 3 ought to elect Alec Grant Alderman just as easy as rolling off a log.

— Cars on the No. Woburn St. Railroad line will cease running to Medford next Sunday night for the winter. So orders Supt. Sewell.

— Quite a large delegation of Post 33, G. A. R., visited Comrades of Post 75 at Stoneham last Monday evening and had a royal good time.

— The Boston Branch proprietors have put in a water motor to run their coffee-mill, etc. Their business demands all the "modern improvements."

— Notice in the advertisement of "Caste" the directions in relation to the sale of tickets. By the way, "Caste" is going to be a very fine thing.

— Unless the JOURNAL has forgotten how to guess, the vote for Mayor in Ward 6 next Tuesday will show a curious condition of political affairs up there.

— Sorry to find Mr. W. F. Davis "flocking" with such bad (political) company. What is that little yarn about "Tray, Blanche and Sweetheart?"

— It is said that Dr. Harry Blake has had loud calls to go to Stoneham and practice his profession. We do not know in what light he regards such a call.

— Rev. Dr. March participated in the Dr. Dexter memorial services in Boston last Monday. Several other eminent clergymen were also present and took part in them.

— Julia Ward Howe will lecture before the Woburn Woman's Club in Concert Hall on Friday, Dec. 5, at 3 P. M. The subject of her talk will be "Marriage and Divorce."

— It is currently reported that the Democratic wheel-horse, R. Terrett, Esq., was induced to withdraw by a promise of a fat office in Mr. Bean's anti-"Ring" government.

— Hon. B. F. Whittemore ought to have been the Republican candidate for Alderman in Ward 5. He is interested in having a good local government and is willing to work to promote it.

— The WOBURN JOURNAL denies the report (which originally appeared in its own columns) that Mr. Beebe of Wakefield is to take the John Cummings tannery in that city.—*Wakefield Record.*

— Lovell, the druggist, is gathering in a very choice stock of holiday goods. He is also making hosts of friends here. People like Lovell and his neat, nice store, and the way he does business.

— Last Tuesday was a charming day. We had a return of that S. W. wind which is so soft and balmy and welcome in winter, and everybody just enjoyed it. It came pretty near being "Beach weather."

— The letter of Richard Terrett, Esq., the well known Democratic leader in this city, withdrawing from the Mayoralty canvass, is very affecting. It is pathetic enough to draw tears from a graven image.

— The effect of Rev. Fr. Scully's address at Lyceum Hall last Sunday afternoon on the vote for prohibition will be good. He is a whole team on temperance—a good match for Rev. Hugh Montgomery, who got up the meeting.

— On Thursday evening, Dec. 4th, Brewster Colony, No. 19, U. O. P. F., will hold a Pound Party and an old fashion spelling match at the close of their regular meeting. On Dec. 15 the Colony will have candidates to initiate.

— There are people in this city no doubt who have money to invest and are sometimes puzzled to know where to put it. Mr. W. E. Jenks, a reliable Boston broker, formerly of Woburn, would be a good man for such people to consult.

— Study carefully Gen. Secretary Bailey's notice of the "Wreck of the Hesperus" in our business columns. A great deal of work has been put into the preparations for the production of this entertainment and it is going to be a splendid thing.

— Gregory, the popular auctioneer and dealer in real estate, advertises some very desirable real estate in Winchester to be sold next Wednesday, to which notice we call especial attention. Somebody will have a chance to make some money at that sale.

— As usual, Miss Celia Reade will take subscriptions for all the leading magazines. This is the proper season of the year to renew subscriptions and subscribe for magazines. Please call on Miss Reade at the Centre postoffice and let her take your subscription.

— There is no reason why Mr. Cutler, the Republican candidate for Councilman in Ward 6, should not get a big majority up there. He would represent the Ward in the Council with credit and for its material advantage. Mr. Cutler is a good man for the place.

— The Equal Suffrage League will hold its next regular meeting in the Y. M. C. A. parlor Monday evening, Dec. 1, at half past seven. The first half hour will be devoted to business, and the hour from eight to nine will be spent as usual in the study of Political Economy.

— We are indebted to Mr. Charles R. Roseaquist for an interesting account of a visit received last Sunday from a party of Swedish missionaries en route to China, and of the religious services held by them, which account was received too late for this issue of the JOURNAL.

— It will be rather unfortunate for Citizen Bean for his first essay in politics to turn out a great disaster. For the esteemed Citizen Bean is bound to be snowed under to the tune of about 250 majority for the other man. But the Citizen is young, and young bones "knit" readily.

— Wonder how Lawyer Bean and Dame Bean get along when politics is the theme for discussion around the hearthstone or over the tea-urn? It is understood that they belong to different parties, and that the good Mistress of the house is more than a match for her liege lord in a talking-match.

— We cheerfully subscribe to the suggestion of a patron of the JOURNAL as follows: "Could not the city of Woburn call their new park 'Rumford Park' and thus, without any cost, erect a lasting monument to one they should honor for the great deeds done by him?" Let it be Rumford Park by all means.

— Dr. W. A. Springer, a homeopathic physician from Beverly, has come to Woburn to live and practice his profession, and from his appearance we prophesy that he will succeed. He comes with the very best of credentials and a plenty of them, and the JOURNAL bespeaks for him a share of Woburn's good graces.

— The comic opera "Priscilla" will be given at the Boston Museum next Thursday evening for the benefit of the Working Girls Club under the direction of its composers and owners, Messrs. Suratte and Coolidge. It is the same that was so highly enjoyed in this city a couple or three weeks ago when given by Mr. Macomber.

— Mr. Amos Cummings is wading right in deep in printer's ink. He is flourishing—doing more business than ever before—and feels all over just like booming things. We like his style—especially his style of patronizing the JOURNAL. He goes to Boston about every day now for additions to his big stock.

— If the people of Ward 7 want to serve the best interest of its inhabitants they should take hold and elect Mr. Pushee for Alderman and Mr. Hanson for Councilman. There are no two better men in the city for the positions than they are. The Republicans ought to put forth special efforts to pull these worthy citizens through in good shape.

— Think of the latest style Colonial Writing Desk for the low price of $10! This is the same Desk which sold in New York a short time ago for $16. It is made of solid English Oak, with inside drawer, pigeon holes, compartments, and outside shelves, drawer and footrest. To secure one for $10, write to Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Our good friend George W. Jenkins who used to keep a hardware store just across the way knows a good thing when he sees it. Hear him talk: "When I fail to receive my copy of the JOURNAL (as I have lately) it seems like going to bed without my supper." George W. richly deserves the prosperity in business which he is now enjoying at Malden.

— The tower of the old Methodist meetinghouse on the corner of Main and Walnut streets was razed to the ground last Saturday. It was said that the weathervane was to go up to Wilmington to adorn a new church there, but we do not know whether it went or not. The taking down of the steeple was quite a job but down she went, and we have lost our pet weather vane.

— We advise our readers never to skip the advertisements in the JOURNAL, especially the new ones. Something of interest will always be found in them. The JOURNAL is rather proud of its fine advertising patronage this fall. Its columns are highly appreciated by people who have something to sell or want to buy something—by merchants, tradesmen artisans, and business men generally.

— Providence permitting, the JOURNAL will publish a paper read before the Y. M. A. at its last meeting entitled "Our Highways" by Mr. Winthrop Hammond. It is a thoughtful and well-written production. President Clough furnishes the Association with good intellectual as well as material food. Under his good, common sense and liberal administration the Club is very prosperous.

— The Unitarian ladies of this city are famous for originating new things for public delectation and are very successful always in carrying them. They abound in novelties, and if the reader will glance at our business columns they will see that there is something attractive on the tapis at the Unitarian church soon to make its appearance. It is safe to say the Fair will be a good one, that everything about it will be firstclass, and that it will be worthy a liberal patronage.

— "Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

— The selection of Mr. Charles A. Burdett, Principal of Burdett's Business College in Boston, for a member of the Woburn School Board was one of the wisest things the Republicans did at their city convention last week Thursday evening.

— It is rumored that recent changes have taken place in the management of *The City Press*. If the paper didn't possess wonderful vitality it never could have carried along the two regular correspondents who have burdened its columns and disgusted the public for months past and lived through it. The fact that it has carried such a load and survived is good proof that it is tougher than tripe.

— What is the matter with the Union street schoolhouse? There was no sessions again last Monday and all because the rooms were so cold that the pupils couldn't remain in them without freezing to death. It isn't possible that the $1300 of ventilation laid out on that house lately has ruined it for comfort, eh? Mebby it has got ventilated so much that it cannot be heated. There seems to be something wrong about it.

— Richard Terrett, Esq., the champion Democrat of Woburn, says about four-fifths of his warm personal friends advised him to withdraw from the race for the Mayor's office, and although he thought his judgment was better than the whole lot, and that warned him to stick, still for the sake of harmony he drew out and left a clear field for Lawyer Bean. The champion Democrat is a gentleman of brains whatever else may be thought of him.

— That open letter of "A Workingman" addressed to our next Mayor, W. C. Kenney, Esq., in last Tuesday morning's *Globe* was a stunner. The man who penned it should retreat into his hole and draw the hole in after him just as quick as possible. It was too silly for anything. Just as though every voter in Woburn don't know W. C. Kenney, what his relations with the working people have always been, and that he is one of the best men we have among us!

— Mr. D. W. Danforth was talked of for Alderman in Ward 6 and we rather expected to see him nominated. Probably he declined the place. Mr. Danforth would have made a valuable member of the Board, for he is an intelligent man and one who feels an interest in the welfare of the city. Mr. Dearborn is a firstrate man too. Everybody speaks well of him, and that is the best index to a person's merit that can be produced. He will get a big majority in Ward 6.

— The Republicans took Mr. Kenney, a Democrat, for their candidate for Mayor, but the Democrats declined to reciprocate the favor by accepting Mrs. Bean, the Republican nominee for their candidate for the School Board. With that party there is never any such thing as reciprocity unless they are going to get the best end of the bargain: it is "you take the crow and I'll take the turkey; or I'll take the turkey and you take the crow—I'm perfectly willing to divide fair, you know!"

— Mr. Moses Bancroft is the leading boot and shoe dealer in this city. His fine store on the corner of Main street and Montvale Ave. is lined with boots and shoes of the latest cut and best make, and the prices which he asks for them are rediculously low. Mr. John J. Lahey, who is perfectly familiar with the business and who is one of those young men who get right up and go along, is Mr. Bancroft's manager and he manages to the entire satisfaction of the public. He is popular with customers and the public generally. Mr. Samuel Grammer is chief salesman, and he too knows a man's shoe or lady's boot when he sees it. These gentlemen are pushing things at Bancroft's, and the upshot is a big business is done at that popular store.

— There is no holiday present that one friend or relative can give to another that generally is more highly appreciated than a portrait of him or herself in some of the different styles in which Mr. Frank Legg does them so admirably. We all like pictures of our friends and we want them not only true to life but artistically executed and worthy to adorn a handsome album or grace a centre-table. That is the kind of likeness for the production of which Mr. Legg is famous in these parts. Just now he is making a specialty of Crayon Portraits, in working which he is not excelled. What is nicer for a Christmas present than a fine Crayon Portrait of one we think a good deal of? Mr. Legg is offering special inducements in the shape of low prices to people for their orders for this style of portraits. Read his card in the JOURNAL.

Fact and Fancy.

It is a fact that in these days of sharp competition, imitations far outnumber, and in their newness far outshine the genuine. People often fancy they are getting diamonds in this life when really they are being served with "paste" goods. 'Tis best always to seek the true and good, avoiding all shams. This applies to household merchandise, and one gets the best and most economical when they purchase Brussels soap.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Board held a meeting last Friday evening.

Thomas Quinn and others petitioned for an arc light on Carter street. The resignation of William E. Blodgett as auditor was laid upon the table. The joint committee on Central Square schoolhouse reported an order, which was passed, authorizing the purchase of land of Jonathan Thompson on Main street opposite Clinton street for the new schoolhouse at a price not exceeding 12½ cents per foot. The committee on new armory reported in favor of the purchase of land of Mrs. A. M. Winn in the rear of the High school, for an armory, also a right of way of Edward L. Shaw and Griffin Place. It is understood that the price of the land is 20 cents a foot.

A Prospective Wedding.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Mr. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., son of Col. Taylor, proprietor of the Boston *Globe*, and member of the *Globe's* Editorial Staff, and Miss Marguerite C. Falck of this city, which will be solemnized on next Tuesday evening at the Unitarian church here.

A very large number of invitations have been sent out and the wedding is expected to be a high society affair.

Is It Possible?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: A friend of mine who was present at the Citizens Meeting held at Dow's Block, last Monday evening, found out who Mr. Bean's prominent supporters were, and the list of persons present suggests the following inquiries:

Is it possible that Mr. George Buchanan, Chairman of the meeting, is for Mr. Bean because "The Ring" had defeated him for Water Commissioner and elected Mr. Parkhurst?

Is it possible that Mr. James McMahon, Secretary of the meeting, is for Mr. Bean because he was not reappointed Warden of Ward 4 by "The Ring"?

Is it possible that Mr. John O'Brien is for Mr. Bean because "The Ring" had not appointed him a police officer?

Is it possible that Mr. Elmore A. Pierce is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because he was not elected Auditor, Representative, or anything else?

Is it possible that Mr. John J. Short is for Mr. Bean because "The Ring" did not appoint him a police officer, or because he hopes to be Chief of Police under Mayor Bean?

Is it possible that Mr. Mark C. Felch is for Mr. Bean because he thinks that "The Ring" helped to defeat him as Senator?

Is it possible that Dr. G. P. Bartlett is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because he thinks it defeated him for Representative and nominated Thomas D. Hevey?

Is it possible that Mr. James Skinner is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because he thinks it has not treated his friend, Mr. Salmon, kindly?

Is it possible that Mr. Richard Terrett is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because he was not elected Superintendent of Streets two years ago, or because he hopes to take Mr. John Ferguson's place as Assessor and Overseer of the Poor if Mr. Bean is elected?

Is it possible that Hon. B. Frank Whittemore is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because it sent his friend Mr. McDonough to Cambridge?

Is it possible that Mr. McDonough is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" for the same reason?

Is it possible that some people present at that meeting are for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because it elected Mr. Jacob Brown Sinking Fund Commissioner?

Finally, is it possible that Mr. Bean is for Mr. Bean and against "The Ring" because "The Ring" is against Mr. Bean for Mayor?
—SOREHEAD.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

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A Loyal Woburn Boy.

CINCINNATI, O., Sat., Nov. 22, 1890.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—As a Woburn boy, I have in the five years that have elapsed since leaving there always pointed with pride to the home of my boyhood. I love the old town. Consequently I have always hailed with delight the arrival of the JOURNAL which is frequently sent me by the loved ones at home. Seeing in this mornings *Commercial* reference to one whose memory is dear to every son of Woburn, Count Rumford, I have taken the liberty of clipping it and sending it to the JOURNAL with the hope and thought that it would be of interest to your readers. Coming as it does in the form of an editorial, from the best Republican paper in the South it is especially valuable because of the inferential praise with which it speaks of the revered gentleman.

Very truly Yours,
JOHN A. JAYNE.

[We received the above on Monday evening and a few hours earlier an Editorial clipping from the N. Y. *Tribune* entitled "In Darkest England" reached this office. Both articles relate to General Booth's scheme for the relief of the world's poor and unfortunate, and both were written to show that Count Rumford, once Woburn's distinguished son, originated the plan and put it into successful operation in Bavaria a hundred years ago, by whose Sovereign he was made a Count, and from whom he received other great honors. We will give the substance of the articles in our next issue.]—ED. JOURNAL.

A Fine Lecture.

If the people had gone 10 miles and paid $1 apiece to hear Dr. March's lecture last Sunday evening in the Congregational church on "Forty Scenes in the Life of Christ" they would have considered it a cheap price to pay for such an entertainment. And so indeed it would have been, for it was really a lecture of rare merit. If it had been advertised for delivery in Chicago, where Dr. March's popularity as a biblical author is not equalled by any other in the country East or West, it would have attracted a large audience, and they would have congratulated themselves on the enjoyment of a great platform treat from a man widely noted and admired for the products of his pen.

The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon views of the principal scenes in the life of our Savior which were copies of the works of the world's greatest painters in olden times, such as the "Last Supper," "Transfiguration," the "Crucifixion," "Christ Before Pilate," the "Crown of Thorns," and many others, everyone reproduced from the canvasses of the "Old Masters." The lecture was very instructive as well as highly interesting, and received profound attention from all present.

The church was filled in every part, and although the calcium light by which the pictures were brought out met with something of a mishap which necessitated a change to one less brilliant, there was no stampede, as there usually is, but every one remained until the lecture was all finished and the benediction pronounced.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.
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The Boston Journal.

When one takes up the above paper to read the news of the day he has the satisfaction of knowing that he is getting "straight goods," that is, if he is at all acquainted with its character and reputation. He knows that the utmost care has been taken in gathering up and distributing that news and that it is as free from error as it is possible to have it. There is nothing sensational about THE JOURNAL. It is sober and honest; it means to be true to its readers; and it is always reliable. It enjoys a large circulation among the most intelligent classes throughout New England, and Republicans all the way from the Canada line to Long Island Sound, and from the Hudson River to Cape Cod, "swear by" THE JOURNAL every time. Please read the publisher's announcement for 1891 in another column.

A Big Temperance Meeting.

Mr. Griffin Place presided at the Fr. Scully temperance meeting at Lyceum Hall last Sunday afternoon, and such well known prominent citizens as Mayor Johnson, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, Rev. D. D. Winn, Col. H. B. Hayes, George W. Kimball, Abijah Thompson, Joseph DeLorier, Rufus Pickering, B. A. Tripp and others occupied seats on the platform. The gathering was a large one and Rev Mr. Montgomery was in his glory.

Fr. Scully of Cambridge was the speaker. He delivered a powerful argument in favor of prohibition and earnestly advised all Woburn people who love law and order to vote against Rum next Tuesday. He is a great temperance reformer, and his address was enthusiastically received.

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[Reported for the Journal.]

A Notable Lecture.

John Baker, a native of Russian Poland, and a refugee from Russia, lectured before the Woburn Woman's Club on Friday evening, Nov. 21. The club postponed its usual hour of meeting until 7.30 P. M. that others beside the members interested in Russian subjects might have an opportunity of hearing Mr. Baker's recital of his experiences in a Russian Dungeon and his adventures when on a trip toward Siberia.

John Baker is a pseudonym assumed for political reasons and for the protection of his friends and kindred who remain in Russian Poland or who are in exile in Siberia. Mr. Baker gave a sketch of his youth and early manhood, his study and travel in Europe and other neighboring countries, his hasty and unexpected call home when only three months of his University course had been completed, his amazement in learning the cause of his recall to be the drafting of his father into the twenty-five years of military service which the Russian government exacts from her subjects. Subsequently, his father was killed for taking part in a Polish insurrection, and he, only a young man, was thrown into a dungeon—a Russian dungeon—where studied torture is lavishly administered, where darkness is visible, light and air coming only through a narrow transom over the door and where through a tiny hole in the centre of the door there continually peeps the eye of the Emperor in the shape of an armed soldier.

He was not allowed to die in prison for then the sentence would not be carried out; but, when nearly exhausted and almost insane, he was taken out and at once thrust into the light of day; he was left in a nude condition to be thoroughly chilled; then he was finally made to walk a long distance on his way toward the land of the Russian exiles.

He carries the mark of the knout on his back. In his presence his mother and sisters were given the forty lashes on the unprotected surface of their skin.

His mother did not reach Siberia, but she fell by the way and he with assistance escaped and finally early in the sixties came to America and served in the Civil War.

After twenty-five years of service in the Russian army, or when a soldier has lost all four limbs, he is pensioned, that is, he may beg in certain small towns in specified districts.

The system of church government, the creed of the Russian Greek church in which the Emperor or Czar is God, and the collection of taxes, and the practice of bribery, were explained.

Ninety-five per cent of the Russians can neither read nor write, including the clergy, forty-nine per cent of whom can not either read or write.

A synopsis of the lecture can only give a meagre outline of its thrilling details which were so forcibly given that one cringed at the recital, and one was stirred to one's innermost soul, and was thoroughly incensed against a government that persists in such brutal measures of enforcing obedience from its subjects.—G. M. B.

Money invested in projects connected with Electricity are surest of large profits, and among these is the manufacture of Copper wires. The copper from the ores of the Coxheath copper mine will be treated by the electrotype process for wire bars, this process also saves all the gold and silver. The Eastern Development Co., limited, which owns these mines and the Little River Coal mines, offer a $1,000 7 per cent Bond carrying 50 per cent of stock as a bonus, by a payment of $250 down, balance on time. Address the Company at 95 Milk street, Boston, Mass.

Y. M. C. A.

Saturday evening the regular Prayer meeting at 8 P. M.

Sunday at 3 o'clock, Boys meeting and a talk on "Ropes" is to be given if arrangements can be made.

The 4 o'clock meeting will be held and the subject will be "No or Yes." Which? Every man invited to be present.

Last Monday evening the Singing Class was started. Those who desire to join must come in next Monday evening.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. Clark of No. Woburn for a class in elocution. Any who desire to form such a class will please meet in the parlor on Tuesday evening, Dec. 2.

Friday evening, Nov. 28, at 8.30 in the parlor the Directors will meet all the young men who desire to aid in a building and especially those whose names were attached to the petition.

Dec. 3. The "Wreck of the Hesperus." This entertainment is given in aid of the Association work by young people of our city and we desire a full house. Miss A. L. Curtis of Boston is a fine reader and will please all. To say that the Woburn Orchestra is to furnish music ensures success in that line, and Mr. Morse, the chalk artist, will keep all in good humor with his chemical sketches. Tickets 25 and 35 cents. Reserved seats can be had at C. H. Buss's drug store, Main street or if purchased before check can be had then. To be held in Music Hall.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Nov. 22, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Miss Ida Cannon, 31 New Boston Street.
Chris. M. Church.
Mr. Thomas Donahue, Conn Street.
Mrs. Julia A. Marshall.
Mrs. Hannah P. Pollard.
Miss Annie E. Power, Washington Street.

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City of Woburn.

Candidates to be voted for at the Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday Dec. 2, 1890:

FOR MAYOR.

George F. Bean, 130 Montvale Avenue. — Citizens.
William C. Kenney, 128 Winn street. — Republican and Democratic.

FOR ALDERMAN.

Ward 1.
Thomas G. Beggs, 80 Main street. — Republican and Ind. Dem.
William F. Davis, Canal street. — Democratic.
Ward 2.
Jacob A. Ham, 3 Highland street. — Democratic.
Marcus M. Shaw, Off Garfield Avenue. — Republican.
Ward 3.
John H. Finn, 89 Winn street. — Democratic.
Alexander Grant, 29 Pleasant street. — Republican.
Ward 4.
W. Frank Fowle, Salem street. — Republican.
Elliot L. Packard, 459 Main street. — Democratic.
Ward 5.
David T. Strange, 409 Montvale Avenue. — Republican.
John J. Walsh, 349 Montvale Avenue. — Democratic.
Ward 6.
Charles T. Dearborn, Elm street. — Republican.
Edward E. Parker, 55 New Boston street. — Democratic.
Ward 7.
James H. Doherty, 71 Sheridan street. — Democratic.
Francis W. Pushee, Winn street. — Republican.

FOR COUNCILMEN.

Ward 1.
Patrick McGowan, 24 Lake Avenue. — Republican.
John O'Donnell, Summer street. — Democratic.
Edward J. Phillips, 18 Lake Avenue. — Republican.
Jeremiah Weafer, Richardson street. — Democratic.
Ward 2.
William H. Bowers, 7 Highland street. — Republican.
Charles W. Bryant, 11 South street. — Independent Democratic.
Thomas J. Fox, 65 Mt. Pleasant street. — Democratic.
Daniel J. Murphy, 10 Madison street. — Democratic.
George A. Simonds, 39 Green street. — Republican.
Ward 3.
John F. Larkin, 8 No. Warren street. — Democratic.
Marcellus Littlefield, 76 Winn street. — Democratic.
James F. McGovern, 33 Chestnut street. — Republican.
Frank C. Nichols, 13 Burlington street. — Republican.
Ward 4.
Simeon E. Kendrick, Cleveland Avenue. — Republican.
Charles A. McDonald, 72 Beach street. — Democratic.
Asa G. Sheldon, 10 Cleveland Avenue. — Democratic.
B. Frank Waldron, Ward 5. — Republican.
George F. Hosmer, 350 Salem street. — Republican.
James McAvoy, 92 Washington street. — Democratic.
Ward 6.
James E. Cutler, Lowell street. — Republican.
Charles H. Nichols, 895 Main street. — Democratic.
Ward 7.
Fred C. Emery, 29 Willow street. — Democratic.
Phineas G. Hanson, Cambridge street. — Republican.

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

E. Maria Bean, 130 Montvale Avenue. — Republican.
Edwin B. Blanchard, Summer street. — Democratic.
Charles A. Burdett, New Boston street. — Republican.
Richard H. Chamberlain, Eastern Avenue. — Republican.
Frank F. Dodge, Fowle street. — Democratic.
Vanie B. Dow, 46 Warren street. — Democratic.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Littell's Living Age for 1891.

For nearly fifty years this standard weekly magazine has afforded to its readers the most convenient and satisfactory means of keeping abreast with the best literature of the times. With the constant growth of this literature, the importance of *The Living Age* has steadily increased. It is unrivalled in its field, and is invaluable to every one who in these busy times wishes to keep pace with the literary and scientific progress of the age. Its prospectus for 1891 is well worth attention in selecting one's reading matter for the new year. Reduced club-bing-rates with other periodicals are given, and to new subscribers remitting now for the year 1891 the intervening numbers are sent *gratis*. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

A strange case is reported from a town in Delaware where a whole family of colored people are turning white, owing to their persistent use of Brussels soap.

"Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

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What Mayor Johnson Says.

The Citizens' movement in Woburn in favor of George F. Bean for Mayor is now thoroughly organized, and includes many voters of both parties who are unfavorable to William C. Kenney.

Mayor Johnson, in an interview to-day, spoke strongly in favor of Mr. Kenney's election, saying: "As President of the Board of Aldermen ever since the city was started, and elected to that position by both parties, Alderman Kenney has been a prominent and influential member of the administration. He has always been in full sympathy with it, and is entitled to a large share of credit for whatever success has attended it." The Mayor also denied emphatically that there has been at any time any deal or agreement with Mr. Kenney or his friends, and declared that Mr. Salmon and not Mr. Bean is the real opponent of Mr. Kenney. He felt confident that if the people of Woburn knew Mr. Kenney as well as his associates in the City Council knew him, men like Aldermen Ramsdell, Goddard, Place, Linscott, Eames, Thompson and Beggs, all of whom were going out of office, and could have no personal ambitions to gratify, and if they fully realized the necessity of having a man of experience at the head of affairs, he would be easily elected.—*Boston Journal, Nov. 26.*

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The best resolution." At 6 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. Sunday School concert. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "God's Justice." At 6 p. m. Epworth League; at 7 p. m. No License Rally. The meeting to be addressed by Mayor Johnson and prominent business men. Prayer meeting Wednesday and class meeting Friday evenings.

"Wreck of the Hesperus." Dec. 4.

Resigned.

Principal Dow of the Woburn High School has resigned to accept a desirable business position in Boston. Miss Winn of the Cummings School has also resigned.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever

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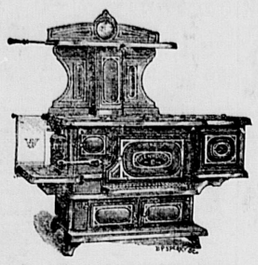

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WINCHESTER.

The Fortnightly Club held one of its most profitable meetings last Monday.

There was a baptism in Wedge Pond last Sunday. The Baptist clergyman officiated.

The Congregational church celebrated the 50th anniversary of its organization here last Sunday.

A peculiar disease which some call a cold has been prevalent here for a month. It is the grip in a modified form.

Boston Courier: Miss Annie Tolman, of Winchester, has taken apartments for the winter on Ashburton Place.

F. E. Rowe of this town, now in Dartmouth College, is one of the Editors of the College paper "*The Dartmouth*."

No more cars on the No. Woburn S. R. will run to Medford after next Sunday night for the winter. Travel from here to Medford is getting light and at the date named trips will stop.

All school children will be interested in learning how they may, by simply writing a composition, secure a chance of sharing in a $100 prize, to be given on Christmas Day. Send your address on a postal card to Hollander, Bradshaw & Folsom, 615 Washington Street, Boston, and they will send you a circular telling you all about it. We know what their offer is, and trust that many of our readers will try for the prize.

Children's Literature.

WHAT "ST. NICHOLAS" HAS DONE FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Victor Hugo calls this "the woman's century" and he might have added that it is the children's century as well, for never before in the world's history has so much thought been paid to children—their schools, their pictures, and their toys. Childhood, as we understand it, is a recent discovery.

Up to the time of the issue of the *St. Nicholas Magazine* seventeen years ago literature and children's magazines were almost contradictory terms, but the new periodical started out with the idea that nothing was too good for children; the result has been a juvenile magazine genuine with conscientious purpose,—the greatest writers contributing to it, with the best artists and engravers helping to beautify it,—and everything tuned to the key-note of youth.

It has been the special aim of *St. Nicholas* to supplant unhealthy literature with stories of a living and healthful interest. It will not do to take fascinating bad literature out of boys' hands, and give them in its place Mrs. Barbauld and Peter Parley, or the work of writers who think that any "good-y" talk will do for children, but they must have strong, interesting reading, with the blood and sinew of real life in it,—reading that will waken them to a closer observation of the best things about them.

In the seventeen years of its life *St. Nicholas* has not only elevated the children, but it has also elevated the tone of contemporary children's literature as well. Many of its stories, like Mrs. Burnett's "Little Lord Fauntleroy," have become classic. It is not too much to say that almost every notable young people's story now produced in America first seeks the light in the pages of that magazine.

The year 1891 will prove once more that "no household where there are children is complete without *St. Nicholas*." J. T. Trowbridge, Noah Brooks, Charles Dudley Warner, and many well known writers are to contribute during this coming year. One cannot put the spirit of *St. Nicholas* into a prospectus, but the publishers are glad to send a full announcement of the features for 1891 and a single sample copy to the address of any person mentioning this notice. The magazine costs $3 00 a year. Address The Century Co., 33 East 17th St., New York.

Absconding cashiers should always take a box of Brussels soap with them, as there's nothing in Canada that can equal it.

It is to be regretted that many mothers do not commence the use of Mellin's Food until their infants are ill. This food, it must be borne in mind, is not a medicine, and is not intended primarily for sick babies; it is the best artificial food for both healthy and feeble infants.

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During the singing of the cantata pictures representing appropriate scenes in the piece will be thrown upon a screen by the Stereopticon.

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Miss A. L. Curtis of Boston, Reader.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased and two codicils thereto, have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alfred A. Dow and Edward A. Dow, who pray that letters testamentary may be be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of December next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Prentice S. Barnard, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Benjamin F. Barnard and Frederic Hinckley, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of December, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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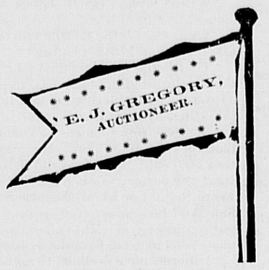

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LESSON IX, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, NOV. 30.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxiv, 1, 12. Commit Verses 6-9—Golden Text, I Cor. xv. 20—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "Now upon the first day of the week, very early in the morning, they came unto the sepulcher, bringing the spices which they had prepared, and certain others with them." On Friday afternoon His body wrapped in linen, with about a hundred pound weight of spices which Nicodemus provided, was by him and Joseph of Arimathea laid in Joseph's new tomb, wherein was never man yet laid (John xix, 38-42). According to Matthew and Mark, some of the women of Galilee who followed Him, ministering unto Him, saw Him die as they stood afar off, or rather were standing afar off when He died, and also saw where Joseph and Nicodemus buried Him. Then they returned and prepared spices and ointments and rested the Sabbath day according to the commandment (xxiii, 56). These are they who come so early to the sepulcher. With sad and heavy hearts they come to add one more kindness to the many which they have already bestowed on Him whom they loved so well. He will no doubt give them full credit for all their loving kindness, but if they had only believed Him they would have been spared this labor and expense. We often mean well in our desire to serve Him, but like these women do much fruitless work because of unbelief.

2. "And they found the stone rolled away from the sepulcher." They said as they came, "Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the sepulcher?" (Mark xvi, 3.) But they find that difficulty removed ere they come to it.

3. "And they entered in and found not the body of the Lord Jesus." Putting the various accounts together, it would seem that Mary Magdalene was the first to find the sepulcher empty and the stone rolled away, and that she, too, was the first to tell Peter and John (John xx, 1, 2). Then it would seem that the other women came and saw an angel sitting upon the stone which had been rolled away, and also an angel sitting in the sepulcher, and that each told them to go and tell His disciples that He was risen (Matt. xxviii, 2, 7; Mark xvi, 5, 7). Mary Magdalene seems to have lingered after the others, so blinded by grief and tears that she either did not know that it was angels who spoke to her from the tomb, or did not care to know; neither did she know Jesus himself when He first spoke to her until He called her by name. So blinding is unbelieving grief.

4. "And it came to pass as they were much perplexed thereabout, behold two men stood by them in shining garments." These are probably the same two mentioned by Matthew and Mark. Jesus sent the seventy, two and two before Him (Luke x, 1); the Spirit sent forth Paul and Barnabas, then Paul and Silas, Barnabas and Mark (Acts xiii, 2; xv, 39, 40). In the beginning of the church's history, and also in Jesus' last days, we read of Peter and John as fellow laborers (Luke xxii, 8; Acts iii, 1; iv, 19). So also we often find the angels two together, as when two accompanied the Lord to visit Abram and two appeared at the ascension (Gen. xviii, 1, 2; Acts i, 10).

5. "And as they were afraid, and bowed down their faces to the earth, they said unto them, Why seek ye the living (margin, Him that liveth) among the dead?" See His own words to John long afterward: "I am the first, and the last, and the living one; I was dead and behold I am alive forevermore" (Rev. i, 17, 18, R. V.) We learn from this verse that unbelief causes fear and turns our faces earthward. The remedy is to look up and see Him who is alive forevermore, and who has the keys of hades and death; who has all power in heaven and on earth; who says, "Fear thou not, for I am with thee." There is a word here, too, for those who think too much of the spot where the mortal bodies of our loved ones are laid. Rather let us look up to where they are alive and well, if so be that they have died in Christ.

6. "He is not here, but is risen: remember how He spake unto you when He was yet in Galilee." It would not do for us to say of our dead in Christ that they are risen, for "risen" refers to the body, and the body remains in the grave till the resurrection of the righteous at the coming of Christ; but we may truly say as we look into the grave, "They are not here; they are with Christ."

7. "Saying, The Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men, and be crucified, and the third day rise again." Many times had He said these very words just as plainly as these angels now said them (Matt. xvi, 21; xvii, 23; xx, 19; see also John ii, 19; Matt. xii, 40), but they had never believed them.

8. "And they remembered His words." That was the right thing to do. If they had remembered sooner they would have saved themselves much sorrow.

9. "And returned from the sepulcher, and told all these things unto the eleven, and to all the rest." Remembering His word makes us forget our sorrow, and turns us away from the dead to minister unto the living.

10. "It was Mary Magdalene, and Joanna, and Mary, the mother of James, and other women that were with them, which told these things unto the apostles." According to the word of the angels, "Go quickly and tell His disciples that He is risen from the dead," "they departed with fear and great joy, and did run to bring His disciples word." It was then that Jesus met them and said, "Be not afraid; go tell my brethren" (Matt. xxviii, 7-10). The explanation of any seeming difficulty in the various accounts is that some of the evangelists summarize matters, while others give a certain item or items more in detail. There are no contradictions.

11. "And their words seemed to them as idle tales, and they believed them not." Paul preached Jesus and the resurrection at Athens; some mocked, and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter. When at Rome he preached the Gospel of the Kingdom, some believed and some believed not (Acts xvii, 32; xxviii, 23, 24). We are nowhere encouraged to hope that in this dispensation all who hear the Gospel will believe.

12. "Then arose Peter, and ran unto the sepulcher, and stooping down he beheld the linen clothes laid by themselves, and departed wondering in himself at that which was come to pass." This is probably the same visit to the tomb recorded in John xx, 6, 7; or if not, then Peter went twice to the tomb—once with John, when Mary told them, and again alone, when he received a personal message by the other women. Some time on this day He appeared to Peter (vs. 34); perhaps it was on this probable second visit to the sepulcher.

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"About a week later this same girl sent down a fat pocketbook, which she had found on the floor of No. 46. At the first opportunity I opened it for examination, and found it contained nearly $5,000 in bills, bonds and certificates of deposit. Two hours later in came the owner, a man of about 55, with gray hair and beard. He asked for his key in an excited manner, and without another word rushed for the elevator. Pretty soon he returned white as a sheet. 'Oh, sir,' he sighed, 'I've lost my pocketbook, and with it all I have in the world.'

"'Where did you lose it?' I asked.

"'I don't know; I can't tell; I thought it was in my room, but I have hunted all through it unsuccessfully.'

"'Is your room made up?' I inquired.

"'No; that is, the bed is not, but the sheets have been taken out, I notice.'

"Then I asked him to describe the pocketbook and its contents, which he did very accurately, and as he finished I pulled out the lost article and laid it before him. I wish you could have seen his face change color; it was a revelation. He laughed and cried by turns, and then asked the girl's name, so that he might reward her substantially for her honesty. Well, the old fellow stayed a week longer, but after receiving his bill one night he disappeared, and not only never remembered the chambermaid, but even forgot to settle his board bill. It is base acts like this that occasionally make one lose all faith in human nature.

"Lots of men will come down stairs, eat breakfast and go about their business and then return in half an hour or so in a great hurry, saying they left their money or gold watch under the pillow, and anxiously inquire if the money or bills have been found. To the credit of the chambermaids I am glad to say that rarely have I found them dishonest, and anything left in the rooms under their care is as safe as if in the office vault. And yet how often are they accused falsely!"

"I shall always remember how I roasted a man once at the Sherman house," resumed Charlie Hilton, when George paused for breath. "I was on the afternoon watch when I saw the check boy approaching the desk hanging on to an overcoat at which a guest of the hotel was tugging viciously. Both man and boy were excited and each tried to speak at once.

"'This coat belongs to me, and I insist upon taking it,' asserted the man, making another desperate struggle at the desired article.

"'Why don't you show up your check then?' sung out the lad in the same breath.

"'You didn't give me a check.'

"'I did if you left your coat.'

"'You did not. I laid my coat on the counter and you forgot to give me a check. This is my coat and I am going to have it.'

"By this time a crowd had collected, and after the man had ceased I ordered the youth to release the garment and let the claimant try it on. With a sneer of triumph he grabbed the article and crawled inside, when he found to his intense astonishment it was at least four times too large, and plainly belonged to some one else.

"Among the spectators of this comedy was an old fellow who had been writing letters all the forenoon, and when the row began he slipped away, returning just as the guest was trying to sneak off amid the jeers of the crowd.

"'Hi, there! See here,' said the old gentleman, holding up a brown overcoat. 'I guess this is yours. I found it on the armchair where you threw it this morning when you came in to write some letters.'

"The man snatched the coat and was breaking away when I called to him and gave him the worst tongue lashing he had ever received. I was pretty mad, and I let loose for all I was worth. Everybody enjoyed it except the victim, for all knew he richly deserved the scoring. He finally escaped, and only returned that night to pay his bill. He left without having had the grace to apologize to the boy for the many gratuitous insults he had inflicted."—Chicago Herald.

The Invention of the Wheelbarrow.

The invention of the wheelbarrow has been credited commonly to Pascal, a French philosopher and writer of about the middle of the Seventeenth century. According to Littre's dictionary of the French language, however, the wheelbarrow was invented by a Mr. Dupin in 1669. One or the other of these two accounts has been accepted generally—in France at least, where every useful invention is believed to be of French origin.—Exchange.

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The Siamese perceive in part of the moon a hare, and in another part a woman tilling the ground.

If Your House is on Fire

You put water on the burning timbers, not on the smoke. And if you have catarrh you should attack the disease in the blood, not in your nose. Remove the impure cause, and the local effect subsides. To do this, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, which radically and permanently cures catarrh. It also strengthens the nerves. Be sure to get only Hood's Sarsaparilla.

AMONG ENGLAND'S WARSHIPS.

How Uncle Sam's Cruisers Looked Among the British Ironclads.

Almost like yachts they look compared with some of their huge neighbors, for some of Great Britain's strongest and most terrible sea monsters are gathered in the harbor, lying on the waters as if in slumber, quiet and tranquil enough now, but ready to awaken at their mistress' bidding, and to vomit forth death and devastation from their steel clad sides.

Close to our ship is the Anson; on the other side the huge Benbow, with massive black hull and white, fortress like superstructure, points the muzzles of her enormous guns over the tops of the turret like barbettes on her decks, fore and aft, while from the ports in her sides the cannons of her batteries peer menacingly outward. A fringe of davits, from which here and there a boat is hanging, runs on both sides of her upper deck, and her tall military mast, the tops bristling with machine guns, tapers aloft amidships.

The Anson flies the flag of the rear admiral; on her quarterdeck scarlet coated, white helmeted marines are drawn up and the band is playing; alongside of her some boats are lying. Farther out in the bay the Iron Duke has shaken out her topsails, and the canvas droops from the long yards in graceful folds, while from her bows to aft of her mainmast the white clothing of her crew, hanging there to dry, flutters from the clotheslines.

Over by the long stone wall of the New Mole the Northumberland and the Colossus, the vice admiral's ship, and a number of smaller vessels—dispatch boats and yachts—are moored, while back among the colliers the Monarch's white ensign marks the presence of a man-of-war in their midst. In the offing another naval monster, the Camperdown, is steaming slowly out to sea.

The harbor is alive with row boats and launches of all kinds. Yonder, glancing like a fish half emerging from the water, comes a small, queerly shaped craft. Circling with astonishing rapidity around our ship for a moment it darts off suddenly, and, with a swish and quick splash, something drops from its side. A moment later a dull report, a flash of fire and a little puff of blue smoke curling over the water some distance beyond us, where a little red flag waves from a sort of buoy floating there, shows us that the torpedo that we have just seen launched has reached its mark.—R. F. Zogbaum in Scribner's.

A Scolding Husband Cured.

A woman whom her husband used frequently to scold went to a cunning man to inquire how she might cure him of his barbarity. The sagacious soothsayer heard her complaint, and after pronouncing some hard words and using various gesticulations, while he filled a phial with colored liquid, desired her whenever her husband was in a passion to take a mouthful of the liquor and keep it in her mouth for five minutes.

The woman, quite overjoyed at so simple a remedy, strictly followed the counsel which was given her, and by her silence escaped the usual annoyance. The contents of the bottle being at last expended, she returned to the cunning man and anxiously begged to have another possessed of the same virtue.

"Daughter," said the man, "there was nothing in the bottle but brown sugar and water. When your husband is in a passion hold your tongue and, my life on it, he will not scold you in future."—New York Ledger.

Where Laces Are Made.

The English thread laces are made in the south of England, but the workers are rapidly dying out and the younger people are taking to employments more profitable. The amount of thread lace brought into the market, therefore, grows smaller from year to year.

The Venetian laces, which at one time did really come from Venice, are now largely manufactured in Brussels, whence they are sold to the merchants of Venice, and resold again by them as Venetian lace.

In general lace workers are receiving so little compensation that new comers into the art—for art it is—are rare. To counteract this decline the lace manufacturers of Belgium have found it necessary to establish schools in that country for the education of the young in the coarse as well as the finer grades of lace making.—New York Evening Sun.

Facts About Lightning Strokes.

A statistical investigation of lightning strokes in central Germany, covering a period of twenty-six years, has been recently carried out by Herr Kastner. The number of cases has increased about 129 per cent.; in 1889 it amounted to 1,145. The author distinguishes four thunderstorm paths. The starting points of all these are in hills, and in their course the woodless districts and flat country, river valleys and low meadow ground about lakes seem specially liable, while the wooded and hilly parts generally escape. The hottest months (June and especially July) and the hottest hours of the day, or those immediately following them (3 to 4 p. m.), show the most lightning strokes.—Chicago Herald.

Danger!

Elderly Visitor (to parrot)—You little love, kiss me.

Parrot (moving over to the other end of the perch, in alarm)—Mehercule! next thing she'll be wanting to marry me.—Epoch.

Ask Your Friends About It.

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam within the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. Its remarkable sale has been won entirely by its genuine merit. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottles 50c. and $1 00 at all druggists. Sample bottle free.

The Polynesians think that the spirits of the dead are nourished by the moon.

Facts Worth Knowing.

In all diseases of the nasal mucous membrane the remedy used must be non-irritating. The medical profession has been slow to learn this. Nothing satisfactory can be accomplished with douches, snuffs, powders or syringes because they are all irritating, do not thoroughly reach the affected surfaces and should be abandoned as worse than failures. A multitude of persons who had for years borne all the worry and pain that catarrh can inflict testify to radical cures wrought by Ely's Cream Balm.

WHY OIL CALMS THE SEA.

It Smoothes Out the Ripples so the Wind Can't Get a Grip on the Water.

The action of oil in calming the sea is now so generally recognized that the new rules as to life saving appliances require that every boat of sea going vessels and all life boats shall carry "one gallon of oil and a vessel of approved pattern for distributing it on the water in rough weather." The potency of oil in smoothing waves was recently explained by Lord Rayleigh before the Royal institution in a lucid lecture.

The well known scientist's experiments demonstrate that foam or froth is caused by impurities in liquids. Thus, on shaking up a bottle containing pure water, we get no appreciable foam, but taking a mixture of water with 5 per cent. of alcohol there is a much greater tendency to foam. Camphor, glue and gelatine, dissolved in water, greatly increase its foaming qualities, and soap still more.

Lord Rayleigh finds that sea water foams, not on account of its saline matter, but in consequence of the presence of something extracted by wave action from seaweeds. By simply putting his finger into water which was moving vigorously under the influence of a few camphor scrapings the contamination of the water by the infinitesimal amount of grease sufficed to form an invisible film over it and to neutralize the foaming action produced by the dissolved camphor.

The effect of oil on waves, as several physicists have proved, is not to subdue the huge swell, but to smooth and tone down its ripples, each of which gives the wind a point d'appui, thus increasing the force of the breaking waves. "The film of oil," says Lord Rayleigh, "may be compared to an inextensible membrane floating on the surface of the water and hampering its motion."

As long as the advancing tumultuous sea water is pure there is nothing to oppose its periodic contractions and extensions, but when its surface is covered with the oily membrane the most dangerous contractions and extensions are impossible.

The scientific demonstration of the sea quelling virtue of oil is worthy of note by all sailors. It is fortunate for them that Lord Rayleigh has accomplished this at a time when ocean storms, and especially tropical hurricanes, are likely to tax the seaman's art to the utmost in saving his craft from destruction.—London Nautical Magazine.

Cincinnati School House Expenses.

The teachers' salaries alone for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1889, were $613,697. Janitors, of which there are sixty, cost the city about $30,000, or $500 each. The amount spent in repairs for the different school houses was $21,946. The cost of new buildings was $219,274, the Warner street house alone costing $71,238 without the lot. The lot cost $15,300. New furniture to the amount of $8,625 was bought, but this does not include the Warner street supplies.

For fuel $22,653 went a-glimmering. It required about 5,000 tons of coal and several thousand dollars worth of kindling. Two thousand six hundred and seventy-three dollars was paid out for rent to accommodate some of the "colonies." Heating fixtures were put in costing the city $10,291. The schools are all provided with gas, and often in dark days it is necessary to burn it the whole of the school hours. The gas cost $493.50 that year. Four lots were bought for the sum of $32,675, including the last Warner street lot. This makes a grand total of $947,027.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

An African Ruler.

Barthoen, paramount chief of the Banwaketze nation, is a model African sovereign. He is lord of 17,000 square miles of some of the finest country in South Africa, rich in gold, silver, copper, iron, asbestos, and capable of sustaining countless heads of cattle. This country lies to the north of the colony of Beehuanaland, with the Boers for neighbors on the east and the chiefs Khama and Lo Bengula on the north.

Since Barthoen came to the throne he has effected a moral revolution in his country. He has encouraged agriculture, induced thousands of his people to embrace Christianity and has strictly prohibited the liquor traffic in his dominions.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Caterpillars Cleaned Out.

Take a suitable pole, say ten feet long, and attach to the end a coarse woolen cloth by winding it with strong twine, so that it will not slip either way. Take from one to three quarts of wood ashes, pour on hot water, and thus get a strong lye. Take an old pail, turn in the lye, adding one pint or more of soft soap, and stir well. It is then ready for use, and I will warrant this lye and soap to deal the death blow instantly to all caterpillars by thrusting the saturated swab straight into the nests. Put the pole and swab in a secure place for future use.—Country Gentleman.

Millions in It.

Ames, of long handled shovel fame, did not invent the implement. A boy who was digging out a woodchuck broke the handle of his shovel, and fitted in a temporary one of double the length. Ames happened to pass by, and noticing how much easier the shovel was handled he caught on and started a factory. The boy got a dollar hat and the woodchuck out of it.—Detroit Free Press.

The ghost at the White House is said to walk half of every night, but he could do double that amount of work, if he wasn't afraid of the morning air, and knew that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cured all kinds of troublesome coughs and colds.

She stood at the gate in the late Spring twilight, and when she said good-bye, she felt neuralgia kiss her rosy cheek; but she only smiled, for she had Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain.

The first velocipede was invented by Mr. Philipp Trexler in Gratz, in Germany, in 1784. A long article in a newspaper of that time describes the invention, and names the sum of twenty ducats as given for the first machine.

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In South America a human figure is seen in the moon.

Advertising by Sample.

On one of the hottest of July days there drove up to the hotel, where half a dozen breathless guests were vainly endeavoring to keep cool, a buggy in which sat a long haired, elderly man and a gayly dressed but rather vulgar looking young woman. The buggy stopped, and the man, after greeting the company in an engaging and affable manner, threw toward them a handful of dingy printed slips.

One of the more enterprising of the boarders picked up the slip which fluttered near his foot, and discovered that Professor Diamond and his celebrated family would give a concert and entertainment in the town hall of the village on the following evening.

"I am Professor Diamond," the elderly man announced, as soon as he was satisfied that the reader had discovered what the circulars were about. "This is my oldest daughter, Maria. Now, Maria."

With the word he produced from under the seat a wheezy accordion, and began to play "Pull for the Shore." In the most absolutely indifferent manner, but with the voice of a calliope, the young woman began also to sing, and went through two or three stanzas without stopping for breath.

"We generally give folks a sample," the professor explained, as she concluded. "Now, how many of you will take tickets? My other daughter is a sight likelier singer than this one is. Tickets are only fifty cents with reserved seats."

And out of sheer amusement the boarders all bought tickets to the concert thus advertised by sample.—Youth's Companion.

The Most Common Misquotation.

"What is the most common misquotation in the English language?" asked the inquisitive member of the Cogburn club as the purist entered. The answer came promptly:

"When Greek meets Greek, then comes the tug of war."

"Well, what is the matter with that?" asked the inquisitive member.

"That is the most common misquotation in the English language," responded the purist. "I heard the late Roscoe Conkling say once that he won a basket of wine from Clement L. Vallandigham on that quotation. He wagered that Mr. Vallindigham could not tell what the correct words were, nor who wrote them, nor when they were written. And he won on every point. Now put yourself in Mr. Vallandigham's place. What would you have done?"

"I should have declined to make the bet," said the inquisitive member.

"And I," "and I," came from all parts of the room.

"But I should not," said the purist. "'When Greeks joined Greeks, then was the tug of war' is the correct quotation. It was written by Nathaniel Lee, an Englishman, about the year 1700."

"Did you ever see it quoted correctly?" asked the inquisitive member.

"Never in the newspapers," said the purist.—Utica Observer.

On a Railway Train.

"What a fine color that man has on his neck," whispered a gentleman to his companion as they sat together in one of the incoming trains. "Yes," answered his companion, admiringly gazing on the bronzed neck just in front of them. "I suppose he's been off somewhere with the rod and reel having a fine time."

The neck in front of them turned slowly and twisted slightly around with great difficulty, and a voice which left no doubt as to the neck it came from said: "No, I ain't been off with my rod and reel, but if yer so doosid curious I've been off with a bottle of iodine and a tough earache." And the iodine stained neck turned slowly and stiffly back, leaving the two gentlemen to the study of its bronzed mahogany and to the consideration of the ease with which people hear remarks carefully intended not to reach their ears.—New York Times.

Cats as Humorists.

I am obliged to send you an anecdote of my cat, a long haired black Persian. Living in the suburbs, we are infested by cats of all kinds, and are perpetually driving them away, aided by the said long haired favorite, who pursues them off the premises, with hair and tail standing wildly erect and presenting a most alarming appearance. We feel that this violent demonstration must be a joke, as the same cat constantly carries the remains of her own dinner about twenty-five yards, across an open space and up some steps, to feed the identical animals she has driven off an hour or two previously.—Cor. London Spectator.

A Poser.

Travers—Say, old man, great scheme! Am going to London. You order what clothes you want. Same height, same breadth. I buy them. Bring 'em back. Good fit. Cheap. Eh?

Dashaway—Splendid. I'll make out my order at once. When you get back I'll pay you.

Travers—You will, eh? Well, I'd like to know how in thunder you expect me to get over there.—Clothier and Furnisher.

Since 1857 England's small wars have cost her about $110,000,000. The war with China in 1857-62 cost her $30,000,000; the Abyssinian expedition in 1867-70, $41,500,000; the South African war in 1879-80, $14,000,000; the Nile expedition in 1884-85, $6,250,000; the Afghan war, between 1880 and 1886, $15,000,000.

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The Scandinavians believe the moon once carried off two children, as they came from the water bearing a jar, and they can still be seen with it in the orb.

On the ancient monument in Central America the moon appears as a jar or a shelt whence a rabbit shaped animal is springing.

India has now about 700,000 native Christians in a population of 260,000,000.

The North American Indians see a gnawing animal in the orb of night.

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It has never been so well equipped as now for the securing and effective presentation of the facts and discussion of the tendencies of the times. With the growth of the country, and the increasing prosperity which may reasonably be expected to accompany it, a good newspaper becomes indispensable to the man who would keep himself informed upon whatever is interesting the world at large. A well-conducted journal of the times gives men better knowledge, broader views and keener sympathies, and draws them out of their individual lives upon a higher plane of thought and feeling.

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Sponge Culture.

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The Chinese see a hare pounding rice in a mortar in the moon.

The Dakota Indians believe that the moon is gnawed by mice.

The Samoan islanders perceive a woman with her child in the moon.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.09, 3.39, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return,** 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

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THE QUAKER ARTIST.

I tell thee now, Richard, that thee'll never get a cent of my money if thee keeps on with this devil's work."

The speaker was Friend Joseph Harris, and he held at arms length a small picture in water colors, the features of which were hardly discernible in the gloom of the winter morning. Friend Joseph had been at the barn, as was his custom fo fodder the cattle and feed the horses before breakfast, and had discovered this humble bit of art in the granary. He did not have to be told that it was his son Richards' work, whose inclination to such ungodly pursuits had been the distress of his parents' lives.

Full of suppressed wrath Joseph burst into the kitchen where the family were waiting breakfast and without preface addressed his son with the threat which he considered the most dreadful he could use—that of disinheritance. It meant something, too, for in spite of his plain surroundings, Joseph Harris owned nearly two hundred acres of land, worth easily a hundred and fifty dollars an acre, and his visits at the first of April of each year were not to pay interest but to receive it. A tall, straight figure, he was nearing sixty years of age, but as vigorous as a youth, with quick motions and sharp black eyes, indicating a violent nature chained for life by the strict discipline of the Society of Friends.

His son Richard, now turned of twenty-two, was of a different mould, short and stoutly built. His face at first seemed heavy and vacant, but this was, in fact, the abstraction of the dreamer. His soft brown eyes and hair clustering in thick curls over his low but broad forehead, made amends for his somewhat common-place features.

The moment his father entered the kitchen, Richard felt that his secret labor had been discovered, but his anxiety was more for it than for himself. He rarely dared face his father's anger, for Joseph Harris, like many of his sex, made up in severity at home for the smooth and passionless exterior he maintained abroad.

"Will thee give it to me, father?" said Richard, advancing toward the outstretched hand which held the sketch while the hand's owner contemplated it with unspeakabble disgust.

Poor little painting! It was a fragment of an autumn afternoon, during which Richard had been husking corn in "the hill field" and which had abided in his memory, clothed with the halo of a hundred day dreams. There was a corner of a wood, the foliage half green, half shading into tints of brown and red. A rivulet leaving a piece of meadow still gay with autumn flowers and green with wet grass, flowed rippling and sparkling out of the sunlight into the shade of the dying leaves. What courage and hope it must have! Richard followed in thought its waters as they flowed on to Chester creek and then to the stately Delaware river, and far out till they met the mighty ocean which washes the shores of all the world.

And as he mechanically plunged his husking knife into the husks and turned out the golden ears one after the other, he humbly took his lesson to himself, as was his wont, and said: "I, too, must have more courage, firmer hope. Why should I not go forward in my study of art with greater faith? I must, I will." And to fasten the vow he had painted two studies of this little piece of meadow as a constant reminder, snatching the time at First days and Fifth days when his father and mother were at a meeting, and he and Moses Riddle, the colored man, were left to look after the stock. One copy he had sent on a venture to a commission house in New York, the other he had hidden in the barn.

It had acquired a kind of sanctity to him, and each tree had become a symbol of some rebuff or danger he was fated to encounter in his future life. He had, moreover, described it to Sibbilla Vernon and had promised this sole confidante of his aspirations that he would bring it over some time and let her see it. But Sibbilla lived two miles away, and as her parents were also strict members of meeting, who regarded every work of art as profanity this would have to be managed with due caution.

Richard's first impulse, therefore, was to secure the picture. But his father had a double cause of displeasure and his anger was deep. He had agreed to give Richard a fourth share in the profits of the farm, this year, and not only was this painting business an ungodly amusement, but also a waste of precious time and a loss of money. It must be stopped.

"I'll put it where it deserves to go, and where thee will follow unless thee turns thy steps from the world and its follies. But the fire thou wilt meet will be that which is not quenched, and where the worm dieth not."

With these words, which Friend Harris spoke slowly and with that slight chanting intonation which characterizes the utterances of the speakers in meeting, the solemnity of which was farther increased by the use of the formal "thou" instead of the usual "thee," he stepped to the kitchen fireplace, where a goodly fire was burning under the crane, and striking the picture against the corner of the mantlepiece, tore a rugged split through the centre and threw the whole into the flames. In a moment it was a shivering cinder.

There are certain natures whose inherent strength can only be developed by a violent shock. Full of latent power, their weakness comes from a native humility. They distrust themselves, through a genuine admiration of others. Such was Richard Harris. But the necessary shock had come. He gazed a moment at the cinder, his face crimsoned, but the severe discipline of the society and the family exercised the sway that it usually does, even on the very young, among Friends.

"Father," he said, in a low, even tone, "I repeat what I have often told thee. I have no light that there is evil in painting; but as thee thinks there is, I shall bid thee and mother farewell, to-day, and seek employment elsewhere. I shall not ask thee for any share in thy estate."

Taking his hat from the window-sill he passed out of the kitchen door, leaving his father speechless with amazement at this rebellious utterance, and his mother—a poor weak woman, constantly in misery between carrying out the severe rule of her husband, whom she feared, and yielding to her tenderness for her boy, whom she loved—wiping her tears without emitting any sound, either word or sob. As for his two sisters, they sat demure and motionless through the whole scene, at heart rather pleased at it, as they had no sympathy with their brother's taste for forbidden arts, and thought him a queer, uncomfortable member of the the household. Moreover, though younger than he, they were not too young to see at once the pecuniary advantage to them of his renunciation of his share of the estate.

Richard went toward the barn and took a seat in a nook of the corn-fodder stack that was built along the side of the barnyard. He did not feel the cold, the raw air of the early morning. His mind was too full of the step he was about to take, and what had led up to it. Now or never he must quit the farm, renounce the teachings of the society, throw aside the coat with standing collar and the quaint broad-brimmed black hat, give up the plain language, reject the counsels of the venerable fathers of the meeting, who would surely be appointed to visit him, and prove a recreant to the revered precepts of Fox and Barclay. All this was meant by a pursuit of his strong bias for art.

Why was he born with it? This question he often asked himself. For six generations his ancestors had never touched a brush or palette; not a painting or a statue, nor a musical instrument, nor any drama or work of fiction had been allowed in their houses. How had he been created with a passion for color and form, with a love of poesy and music, which neither the dreary farm work nor the colorless life, nor all the frigid, deadening discipline of the society could quench?

Go back to his earliest memory, he could recall that, when four years old, he was left for a few hours at the house of Mike Wallis, an Irish tenant on a neighboring farm, and that Mike's wife kept him in the utmost bliss by showing a colored print of "The Virgin and the Infant," and telling him the pathetic history, as it had pictured itself in her warm Irish heart. But what was the horror of his parents, next day, when he toddled into the room when they were at dinner, and called:

"Mudder, mudder, come see God."

His parents ran to the door to see what this strange appeal meant, and lo! there on the floor of the front porch, chalked in rude, but faithful outlines, were the Child, with rays of glory around his head, and the mother by his side holding a cross. He could still recall the scowl that came over his father's face, and his mother's impetuous rush for a bucket of water and scrubbing brush. Nor had he forgotten the violent shake and immediate spanking he himself received for his artistic endeavor.

His memory kept till he was a boy of ten, and to his intense delight at effecting a trade of a Barlow knife for a box of paints. Many an hour of joy had they given him, hiding himself in the garret of the old house, in the back part of the hay mow near the dusty gable window, or in a little hut he had built in the woods. But his prying little sister betrayed him one day, and not only was his treasure confiscated, but he himself was tied to the bed post by his mother and given such a whipping as would have discouraged most youthful artists.

Later in life, when he was too old for such vigorous measures, many lectures had he received on the frivolity of such tastes, and the wickedness of ministering to them.

These scenes passing through his memory convinced him that it was vain to battle with such inflexible rules, and that to be free he must leave the farm and all its associations.

There was but one which had really held him. That was Sibbella Vernon. The daughter of rigid parents, her mother even a "public friend," whose voice at mouthly and quarterly meetings was familiar to all members of the society, Sibbilla was not an unusual type of the advanced thought of her sex. Calm, self-possessed, clear-headed, she had announced when but fifteen to her family that her own conscience was her guide, and that in all essential matters she should follow it.

From childhood she and Richard Harris had delighted to play and talk together; and though no word of love, no kiss and no caress had ever passed between them, both their families and themselves considered their union merely a matter of time and money. Nor did this absence of the usual passage of love seem to any one concerned a strange circumstance. They were accustomed to the repression of all outward show of feeling. In neither household had the children ever seen a kiss exchanged among its members, young or old.

Though devoid of any passion for art herself Sibbilla understood and respected the forbidden tastes of her lover. She looked upon his peculiar abilities as gifts of God for use in life, and she quietly but firmly put aside the traditions of her sect, which condemn them indiscriminately.

"Wilt thou presume to deny the many testimonies of Friends, both in England and America, against these sinful arts?" her mother would ask; being a "public friend" of considerable local fame, she never employed the incorrect nominative "thee" even in public life.

"Mother," replied the daughter, "they spoke for their day. I must act in mine by the light I have, not by theirs."

Her mother wisely avoided argument, trusting that the spirit would enlighten her daughter in time.

Leaving the fodder-stack, Richard walked across the bare fields toward the plain brick house which was Sibbilla's home. His mind was made up. He would go to New York and devote himself to the study of art. He had saved since his majority about three hundred dollars. He had youth, strength, talent, love—was not that enough? Would she make the serious sacrifice it involved?

As he approached the house it was about ten o'clock, and all the males were out at work. He knocked at the front door, instead of the side door as usual, and Sibbilla herself opened it and gazed at him with considerable surprise in her hazel eyes, quickly changing to an expression of pleasure, which Richard did not fail to note, and which filled him with both joy and anxiety.

"Why, Richard, what brings thee here at this hour?" was her exclamation.

"Sibbilla," he said, "I wish to see thee," and, stepping in, he closed the door, and they both stood in the wide hall, obscurely lighted by the transoms at each end. He paused a moment to recover his control, and then spoke in a low, vibrating tone: "I am going to leave the farm in order to study art.

I shall have to give up my membership in the society as thee knows. Father says he will leave me nothing if I do, and I know my mother agrees with him. But I am not afraid. All I ask is that thee approve of my decision and will become my wife as soon as I am able to offer thee a home."

At the supreme moment of resolve at the strength which for generations had been nurtured by the noble theories of self-reliance, all the passion which for generations had been muffled and smothered under the narrow Quaker system of formality and repression, burst forth and were expressed in the face of Sibbilla Veanon. She seemed to rise in stature, and laying one hand on his arm and passing the other around his neck, she said:

"Richard, I will come with thee then, or I will go with thee now."

The tone was low and the words without haste, but he who heard it felt in his inmost soul that no oath could be stronger.

"Thank God and thee," he uttered, and for the first time in their lives each felt the magic meaning of a kiss and love.

Seated on the wooden "settee," which is the common furniture of the country hall, he told her his father's words and action and his own unalterable determination to seek his future in art. It was agreed that they should be married by a magistrate as soon as Richard should have an income of $700 a year.

Full of quiet joy he went home, announced his intended marriage and immediate departure, and told Mose to have the dearborn ready at 6 o'clock in the evening to take him to the railway station. After the 5 o'clock supper the members of the family maintained almost entire silence, his mother quietly crying, and his father reading the "Book of Discipline," his favorite literature.

The dearborn drove up with Mose, who had been to the station with the milk, and stopping at the country store, which was also the post office, had brought a letter for Richard. It was rather unusual for any member of the household to receive a letter and therefore Mose announced it with considerable emphasis, addressing his master by his first name, as is the custom in strict families:

"Joseph, hy'ur's a letter for Richard. Hiram sez it's a letter from York, and 'pears as if mout be on bizness."

Joseph took the letter, and resisting a strong inclination to open it, passed it to his son. It was from the firm in New York to whom he had sent the copy of his picture, and it read:

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"What does he mean by the duplicate study?" said his father in an uncertain voice.

"He means," said Richaid quietly, "the picture which you threw in the fire this morning."

A new light dawned on his father's mind. So long as his son's taste seemed nothing but a time-and-money wasting form of idleness it had no redeeming features; but the incredible fact that there are people willing to pay hundreds of dollars apiece for such vain images now stood right before him. He was too shrewd to misunderstand it and its results.

"Richard," he said, with a softened voice, "I desire that thee would postpone leaving us for a few days. Thy mother and I will accompany thee to the city and will be present at the ceremony. I think Sibbilla's parents will also not refuse to attend."

As he went he said to Mose, who was waiting with the dearborn:

"Mose, thee should always be slow to anger, and avoid the committal of rash actions when out of temper.—*Our Continent.*

A Twenty-Second Talk.

"ALUM" baking powders are cheap and dear—cheap, because they are made for about four cents a pound and sold for about twenty; dear, because they do less than half as much as a strictly pure cream of tartar powder, and doubly dear, for their continued use injures the health. There is no alum, no ammonia, no adulteration of any kind, in Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co.,
81 & 83 Fulton St., New York.

A GREAT SUCCESS AT

Munroe's Clothing House.

Our Boys' Departments opened this Fall is just what the people have been waiting for. We have a great variety of Overcoats, Suits and Trowsers at prices that defy competition.
Ask to see our Boys' Overcoat at $1.50. Suit at $1.00. Sizes, 4 years to 14.

C. M. MUNROE,

423 MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

Woburn Laundry Agency.

Threads of Thought.

Our memories are the echoes of joys and griefs forever gone.

The most real and the truest joy we have in life is in making others glad.

About the most difficult effort we can make is to try to realize our own ideals.

The flower that first opens to the sunshine will keenest suffer from the frost.

To give praise sincerely is only a just recognition of true worth.

He who is sensible may also have a good share of sensibility and sensitiveness.

That is a brave soul, indeed, that has the power to turn his "double-pain to double-praise."

It would seem preferable to wear out, rather than to be saved from rust by a put-on polish.

Character does not usually sustain sudden changes; age is generally the development of youth.

It is not always what we have accomplished, but quite as often what we had hoped to do, that has afforded us the most satisfaction.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says; Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store.

Having His Own Way.

"Why did you run away from home?" asks Joshua Whitcomb of the ragged young tramp.

"Because I wanted to have my own way."

"Well you look as though you'd had it," is Whitcomb's sententious reply.

The boy who is eager to have his own way is continually met with, and many times it is an extremely hard way. The tyranny of home is of the mildest sort, he finds, compared with what he has to undergo in endeavoring to have his own way. Many times he falls in to evil company, and in imitating their way and making it his own he discovers himself on the way to a reformatory or prison.

Ask the wretched old tramp whom you find sitting on the park bench how he began his downward career, and if he be candid he will tell you it was by trying to have his own way.—*Texas Siftings.*

Thousands Poisoned.

In a recent work on Heart Disease, Dr. Franklin Miles—the noted specialist—gives many new and startling facts. Thousands of people are slowly poisoning themselves, weakening their hearts by the use of tea, coffee, tobacco and alcohol. These are Heart Whips, causing it to beat rapidly, thus gradually wearing it out, producing shortness of breath when exercising, pains in side and shoulder, hungry and faint spells. Finally heart failure and sudden death. For weakened and irritated hearts the press everywhere highly recommend the New Heart Cure discovered by Dr. Franklin Miles, which is for sale by Charles H. Buss.

A fine sleeping car costs about $13,000.

The Ruthlessness of Women.

The judgments which man passes upon his fellows are tolerant where woman's are narrow, because instead of the one aspect of the question which she perceives, he sees many; they are merciful where hers are cruel, because he recognizes more fully the stress of temptation and the complexity of motive which leads to transgression. There have been a few women who have helped their weaker sisters to rise when they had fallen, but they are indeed few. The majority of women have done what they could to keep those who are down still in that position. They have refused to believe in the possibility of reform; they have withdrawn from all contact with those who have once found temptation greater than they could bear; they have, by their inflexible attitude, made a return to virtue nearly impossible on the part of those who have once turned from it. Who should be tenderer toward a woman's sins than a virtuous woman, and who is harder? O you queens, who have with your virtuous hands thrust your weaker sisters still further in the mire; who have shown aversion where you might have shown mercy; who have hardened your hearts, that should have been soft with pity, who have turned coldly aside from those, your sisters, whom you might have saved, and gone your way as though these were not; O you who have lifted from your heads the crown of gentleness and mercy that all your sex should wear,—are you not ruthless" indeed?—*Oscar Fay Adams in North American Review for November.*

He Yelled Kemp's Balsam.

I yell "take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." I always do when I hear a man cough, and I can't help it. It saved me and it will cure you. I was threatened with pneumonia last winter and it broke it up. It helps the children out when their throats are sore, cures their coughs, and tastes so good. The first dose helps you. So writes A. R. Arnold, engineer on the West Shore Ry., at Canajoharie, N. Y.

The famous "floating stone" stands, or seems to stand, in front of the palace erected in its honor. It is an irregular cube of great bulk. It appears to be resting on the ground, free from supports on all sides, but, strange to say, two men at opposite ends of a rope may pass it under the stone without encountering any obstacle whatever.

Catarrh
In the head
Is a constitutional
Disease, and requires
A constitutional remedy
Like Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Which purifies the blood,
Makes the weak strong,
Restores health.
Try it now.

Two springs that have the breadth of the

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 126 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE CITY ELECTION.

It is the fashion for standard newspapers to point out to their readers the "lessons" which elections teach and draw morals from them. Such is the practice of the JOURNAL.

The election in this city last Tuesday contained several "lessons," all of which can be easily seen without any artificial aid to the eye. They are too obvious to need any pointing out by us—he who runs may read.

The tuition was costly but wisdom gained by hard knocks is never cheap at first. In the end however the knowledge, considering its quality, may be low priced at any figure. The old saw informs us that Experience is a hard schoolmaster, but a highly efficient one.

It is fair to presume that there will be quite a change at Municipal Building, for the winning side is composed of men who hold to the good old Jacksonian doctrine that, "to the victors belong the spoils."

The JOURNAL hasn't the least doubt but that Mayor Bean and his official surroundings will give us a firstclass city government next year.

THE RUM VOTE.

Last Tuesday the rumsellers and their henchmen turned the tables on the prohibitionists and voted to license rumshops next year by a majority of 585. This was not altogether unexpected by the friends of sobriety and good order for it had been hinted that nearly all of the proprietors of this year's "kitchen bars" had abandoned the policy pursued by them at the last election (to vote "No") and would give in their ballots for the "yes" side last Tuesday. They turned the scale and the "Yes" vote won by a length, and more too.

We regret this decision. A temperance victory would have been vastly more satisfactory to the JOURNAL. But considering the character of our population a different result could hardly have been expected.

WARD 7 DID NOBLY.

The voters of the West Side deserve hearty congratulations for the splendid work accomplished by them on election day. They turned the scales completely and changed an average Democratic majority of 40 into a Republican one of 36 for Alderman Pushee, and an equally satisfactory one for Councilman Hanson.

It was a complete, thorough and, to the Republicans, a very gratifying political revolution. Doherty is no longer Boss in that Ward, and we congratulate the Westsiders on the pluck they showed in relegating him to a back seat. It was a victory worth making a special record of.

Alderman Pushee and Councilman Hanson will represent Ward 7 in the City Government honestly and with a view of promoting the best interests of the people at all times.

WARD 6.

The vote of North Woburn was a surprise and, so far as that for Mayor was concerned, a disappointment. But a good day's work was done on the Alderman and Councilman poll. Dearborn and Cutler were elected by handsome majorities, the former for the upper, and the latter for the lower, branch of the City Government. Each will fill the position in the best manner, and the people are fortunate in securing two such good men for the City Council.

The majority against Kenney for Mayor (on the same ticket with Dearborn and Cutler) was 110!

CONGRESS.

Congress assembled last Monday, and the President's Message was read and disposed of.

The President takes a hopeful view of the business affairs of the country and has no doubt but that the new tariff law will prove a boon.

Political matters are also running smoothly in his estimation, while our relations with foreign countries are amicable in the extreme.

In short, the Message treats of all those things usually treated by such documents. It is well written, sensible and practical.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

L. Martin—Citation.
C. Cummings—Cigars.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Fitz & Stanley—Flour.
B. F. Barnard—Missing.
P. O. Box—Boy Wanted.
J. Durward, Jr.,—Market.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
A. Cummings—Dry Goods.
Mrs. P. L. Converse—Lost.

— Read "Lost" in this paper.

— Yesterday was a springlike sort of a day.

— Read advertisement "Missing" in this paper.

— Postoffice Box 1362 wants an errand boy. See card.

— The Daughters of Rebekah gave a very pleasant sociable last Tuesday evening.

— Mr. Alec Grant ran 30 ahead of his ticket in Ward 3, which was a good showing.

— Fitz and Stanley tell the people of this city some important facts about flour this week.

— Ward 3 ought to have chosen Mr. Alec Grant for their Alderman instead of Finn.

— No better weather for election purposes could have been produced than that of last Tuesday.

— The organization of the Odd Fellows Encampment has been postponed for a brief period.

— City Clerk Moreland was quite under the weather last Tuesday. He was confined to his home.

— The Woburn Equal Suffrage League held a meeting last Monday evening at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

— Buckman & White, grocers, lost their horse "deacon" last Wednesday. He fell and broke his leg and had to be killed.

— Horton keeps all the best monthly magazines, illustrated literary weeklies and dailies at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

— Some wicked creature poisoned a fine hog belonging to Daniel McCarty near Winn street last Tuesday and killed him.

— All of the best brands of cigars made can be found at Cyrus's Cigar Store. No discount on this statement will be made.

— Mr. Chester Smith (Supt. of advertising at Mr. C. Willard Smith's store) has a change of card this week, to which attention is directed.

— Politically Mr. W. F. Davis, Alderman elect in Ward 1, is rank poison; but considered as a citizen and a gentleman he is equal to the best.

— The Woburn tanners and curriers will hold their annual ball on Dec. 31. Calnan's Orchestra will furnish the music with C. H. Thomas as prompter.

— Boston and New York newspaper men made many rich contributions to the list of presents at the Taylor-Falck wedding in this city last Tuesday evening.

— The December number of the *Musical Record* is a goed one. It contains an extra amount of Christmas music. Published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

— Mrs. Mary Jennings expects to have her store filled plum full of just the things that are the best for holiday presents, so look out, boys and girls, for her Christmas opening.

— Marvin Parker, the old time amateur dramatic performer, will take a prominent part in the production of "Caste" at Lyceum Hall on the 10th. That means success for the play.

— Rev. Dr. March, in his introductory address last Sunday morning, gave his audience a deal of good, wholesome advice on the subject of voting at the then coming election.

— Principal Dow is to be connected with the Boston office of the Mutual Life Ins. Co. of New York for which Mr. Webster Woodman is the Woburn agent. It is one of the best there is.

— The present Chief of Police McIntosh is no doubt perfectly secure in his office. He has made a good Chief, and that is what the people want whatever the politicians may think about it.

— If there was one bright spot in the result of Tuesday's poll it was the election of Brother Jake Ham in Ward 2. He's the luckiest mortal in Woburn—always gets there when a candidate.

— We expect they will try, but Copeland & Bowser can't improve much on their display windows for the holidays. They are set out with excellent taste and a variety of fine goods.

— The "Wreck of the Hesperas" went off with great eclat last evening and was handsomely patronized. The Woburn Orchestra acquitted themselves in fine style, and so indeed did all the performers.

— We acknowledge the receipt of a polite and cordial invitation from The N. Y. *World* to attend the opening of the famous Pulitzer Building, and partake of an Editorial lunch on Dec. 10. Thanks.

— Dr. Harry Blake has not the faintest idea of taking the place of the late Dr. Stevens of Stoneham, as was currently reported two weeks ago. He is doing well and intends to remain here.

— Of course Dr. Bartlett will be the new City Physician. That letter in the *Globe* fixed his flint for him. History repeats itself—Bartlett used to be Town Physician in the palmy days of the old burgh.

— It was lucky for Woburn that at least one newspaper man was elected last Tuesday. Cutler will keep the rest of them in the traces when disposed to balk or kick, and that will be worth all it cost to elect him.

— Commodore John Ferguson is another of the Municipal Building people who probably will not be disturbed by the new administration. As Assessor and Clerk of the Almshouse Committee he is too valuable a man to be ousted.

— Livery teams were in great demand election day. The candidates pitched in regardless and many of us got rides in coaches with whips in the sockets and dogs underneath that don't often see the inside of a carriage. So it is an ill wind, etc.

— The Lynn *Item* of Nov. 26 was a reconstruction number so to speak and contained 24 profusely illustrated pages which conveyed a good idea of how Lynn looked after the great fire a year ago, and how it looks now when almost entirely rebuilt.

— The JOURNAL congratulates itself on the life like and finely executed portrait of Mayor-elect Bean which it presents to an admiring public this week. In all such little matters the JOURNAL distances all competetors—it always gives its readers "the best."

— The largest collection of Dining Room Furniture ever brought under one roof is now on exhibition at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston. They have over three hundred styles of Dining Room Chairs alone. Their prices on dining outfits are exceedingly low.

— The last number of *The Woman's Journal* contained a two-column article from the facile pen of Mattie Sewall Curtis anent the Women Rights peoples' show in the Mechanics Fair then running in Boston. The article was racy, and as a guide to the Department described it was valuable.

— Rev. D. D. Wise, pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city, supplemented a period of strong, earnest work in behalf of prohibition with an able and eloquent sermon in the same direction from his pulpit last Sunday morning. He carries the cause of temperance close to his heart and spares not the rumseller in his advocacy of prohibition. He hates the traffic in rum and those engaged in it, hence his good, solid work for the success of the "No" vote last Tuesday.

— Tuesday morning was the coldest of the season. Thermometers varied, of course with location but the average figure was 5 degrees above zero, a point reached only a few times last winter. No one can complain that December (the first winter month) did not make its advent in its true character.

— Mr. Edward L. Shea has gone into the real estate business in Boston with Mr. J. W. Hobbs, who is an old operator and has a large patronage in that line. Hereafter the concern will be known as Hobbs & Shea. Their office is at 172 Washington St., where we bespeak for them a good business.

— "Caste" is to be produced by a strong dramatic company at Lyceum Hall on next Wednesday evening, Dec. 10. The play has been in preparation for several weeks by the best of local talent, and that it will be presented in fine style admits of no doubt. For full particulars see advertisement in our business columns.

— Quite a company of Union 193, P. & D. A., visited Union 95 of Medford last week and had a fine time. A literary and musical entertainment was provided by the Medford hosts and an excellent repast spread by them for the delectation of their Woburn brethren. The Order, it is understood, is in a prosperous way.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has increased the size of his advertisement of millinery and dry goods business which seems to indicate that business is rushing at his store. Mr. Cummings is enterprising; he isn't afraid of putting money into newspaper advertising; he reaches out for trade and gets it. He is making great preparations for a big holiday business.

— The advertisement of Durward's meat, fruit and vegetable market in this issue of the JOURNAL is worth reading. It is filled full of good things for Christmas dinners, especially in the shape of turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens and choice meats, let alone fine fresh fruits, the best of vegetables, and other toothsome things. The Metropolitan is a very popular market.

— Snow began to fall in quite a serious manner on Wednesday morning and continued to do a good business at it until 6 o'clock in the evening when it changed to rain and continued to pour without interruption until nearly Thursday morning. When people emerged from their couches on said morning, lo and behold, the snow had disappeared and hardly any traces of it could been seen.

— Mr. E. C. Colman makes a practice of wintering 20 or 30 ponies from the Boston sale and livery stables at his barns at Woodside in this city every year, and anyone who likes to look at miniature equines in assorted sizes and colors wouldn't miss it by going out to Woodside and giving Mr. Colman a call. The Colmans sell a great many ponies at their Portland street stable, and the holidays create a big demand for the little fellows.

— Be good to the poor little sparrows. Throw out the crumbs to them and shake the tablecloth on the back stoop for their benefit. Some people are "down on" the English sparrow, but it is all wrong—the sparrow has a right to his existence and to fair play from everybody, else God wouldn't have made him a sparrow—He would have made him a lark, or a nightingale, or something of that sort. The sparrow is all right, so feed and protect him.

— A large meeting was held in the vestry of the Methodist church last Sunday evening in the interests of "No License" which was addressed by quite a number of gentlemen among whom were E. E. Thompson, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, Griffin Place, Major H. C. Hall, Charles R. Rosenquist, Mr. Luke Warren Fowl and others, but the chief address was made by Mayor Johnson. Everything passed off in the best of style and enthusiastic manner.

— Woburn has had a flagellation case, in which it is believed the assaulted party, a physician, has been flogged out of office.—*Winchester Star.* Guess not. Public sentiment was largely on the side of Dr. Conway in that affair and unfavorable to his assailant. Instead of the little unpleasantness hurting the Doctor any it will have a tendency to increase his chances for the office of City Physician next year. At least, that seems to be the prevailing opinion.

— No. 29, W. R. C., will give a grand Kettledrum Encampment in G. A. R. Hall, Winchester, on this (Friday) and tomorrow evenings. This evening there are to be some very fine tableaux and singing by a noted Boston choir boy, and tomorrow dancing will be the chief feature of the entertainment. The tickets are only 25 cents: children, 15 cents. Sister Wilson of the *Star*, an officer in the Order, will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for "comps."

— Since our last issue we learn that Dr. N. A. Springer will not go to Europe as he had contemplated, but will open an office at Woburn, where he will make his home, but will still retain his Boston practice as he did here last Summer. We are glad the doctor is not so far off but that he can "drop in" on this community once in a while. During his stay here he made many friends, and the large practice he had, spoke volumes for his skill as a physician. Woburn is the gainer.—*Beverly Times.*

— Dr. Thomas Morong, the well-known botanist, has returned to Boston from his travels in South America where he has been engaged in botanical pursuits for over two years. He has collected more than 10,000 plants, chiefly about Asuncion, Paraguay, and in the wilderness up the Pilcomayo River. He was in Buenos Ayres at the time of the late revolution and watched the bombardment of the city by the rebels. From the Argentine Republic he sailed round the Cape to Chili, where he made valuable collections in the Atacama Desert. His friends will be interested to learn that he has accepted the position of curator of the Columbia College Herbarium in the city of New York. While away and for some summers before he went his wife, she that was Mary Bennett, daughter of good Parson Bennett, made it a practice of visiting Mrs. Simonds on Beacon street, this city, and has many friends here.

— The subject of omitting the High School Graduating Exhibition from the order of exercises next June has been agitated considerably of late but meets with but small favor either from parents or pupils. Some of the School dignitaries are said to be in favor of it and have expressed fears that the papers might get hold of it and upset their calculations; but the feeling against the new departure is very strong, and it is not at all likely that public sentiment and the School Board will consent to any such arrangement.

— One of the best handlers of real estate in this city is Mr. E. J. Gregory of 396 Main street, up stairs. He recently took hold of the Timothy Driscoll property, on Prospect near Fowle street, which was assessed for $2,500, and sold it Tuesday for the handsome advance of $600 or $3,100. Previous to this he sold an estate on the corner of Fowle and Highland on which he realized an advance of $500. Mr. Gregory is one of the best of real estate salesmen and gets the highest market price to be had.

— It strikes the Editor of this paper with much force that Mayor Bean rather got the better of Madame School Committee Bean in the election, for the lady, if she attends to her official duties, will find herself, several times during her term of office, when she's *got* to obey her husband. She'll find the Committee-room a little different place from the family hearthstone, because Mayor Bean is, *ex officio*, President of the School Board and, as such, has a right to call on the Police to enforce his commands. This gives the Mayor an advantage over the Madame.

— One of the hardest things which some of the candidates for city offices had to put up with was to own up to the alleged portraits of themselves on the innumerable dodgers, flyers and gutter-snipes with which the city was flooded. Take Kenney's for example: it must have been tough for him to acknowledge himself the original of the picture of him on the dodgers; but he had to do it, or get busted. We think his wife could get a bill on it. And Bean's wasn't much better—it was just about "6 one, and half-dozen t'other," and weren't they beauties though! But patriots are often called on to make sacrifices for their country—that's what they are patriots for; and last Tuesday's candidates were nothing if not patriotic.

— Christmas is headed this way and may be expected to arrive in about two weeks from next Thursday. A visit from Santa Claus may be confidently looked for at about that period of time. If the sleighing is good he will fetch himself and load along on runners, but if the roads continue bare as they are now he will have to get here the best way he can. We hear it hinted around that there are to be stacks and stacks of beautiful Christmas goods landed here and kept in the stores and shops for sale, therefore nobody need go to Boston to buy holiday presents unless they choose to pay more than they would have to here for the like kind of goods. Hidden stores of these beautiful things will be brought out into the light of day in a week or two when look out for something richer and nicer than was ever before seen in this city.

— Mr. E. J. Gregory, a very prompt and successful real estate dealer and auctioneer of this city, advertises to sell the furniture, etc., of Windsor Hotel for the proprietor, Mrs. McDonald, on Dec. 10 and 11 instant, and pro bono publico we advise a special note be made of what he says about the sale. A very large amount of parlor, dining-room, kitchen and bed-chamber furniture and fixtures will be disposed of and as the auction is to positively take place and everything must go, the chances for buying cheap will be great. The goods, wares and merchandize are all in the very best condition; many of them are almost new; they are modern in style; and everything is desirable. Gregory proposes to sell all out in the two days, so those who want to make particular choice of things must be on hand early and often.

— The social given by the Friday Night Club last Friday evening was the initial number of a series of entertainments numbering ten in all to be given in the Unitarian church during the season and it met with great success. There was a good attendance, which is almost invariably true of the Club's essays to gratify the taste of the public for pure and elevating pleasures, and they who were present were well pleased. The artists who gave the the entertainment were: Miss Carrie A. Brackett, Soprano; Miss Adleigh J. Williams, Contralto; Mr. Herbert W. Munn, baratone; Miss Ella M. McDonald, reader; Mr. J. H. Parker, Jr., cornetist; Mrs. Remick, accompanist. Each part was admirably performed, and the combination executed the well selected programme in a manner very satisfactory to all who heard them. The next on the list is to be a lecture to be delivered next Friday night, Dec. 12.

— The Thanksgiving Sunday School Concert at the First Congregational church on last Sunday evening was largely attended. The exercises, which were of more than ordinary interest, consisted of the best of music, recitations, responsive scripture readings, and a "Chalk Talk" by Professor Greete of Boston, which was a novel feature and one which pleased everybody. It was entertaining in the highest degree and equally instructive. "Chalk talks" are a modern device for interesting Sunday School students and other bodies of truth-seekers, and it is an effective one. Superintendent John R. Carter directed matters. He takes great interest in his Sunday School, and not only so, but is prolific in ways and means to increase its usefulness. Or, as some put it, "Supt. Carter is always getting up something for the benefit of the S. S. classes and please the patrons of the school." And so he is. Several ladies recited pieces with pleasing effect, the declamations were well adapted to a Thanksgiving concert, the music excellent, and the whole thing a marked success.

— If we ever before knew of so much literature being squandered on a city election as there was on the one held here last Tuesday we can't call to mind when and where it was. There were dead loads of auto-biography, historical research, political economy, philipic, encomium, and all that sort of a thing, flying about, thrown into the bosoms of peaceful and unoffending family circles, sent abroad through the mails, sown broadcast in the highways, byways and ditches, and if there was a single voter on election day who wasn't perfectly familiar with the antecedents and present course of life, the merits and demerits, of every prominent candidate, then it must have been because he did not know how to read and the illiteracy of his neighbors was as dense as his own. We have never seen anything like it. To read and inwardly digest all the literature which was thrown off the local press concerning the candidates would be about equal to going through Harvard College—or, at anyrate, to a fair academic education, if not quite up to a University one.

— James Kay Applebee will give his celebrated lecture on "Charles Dickens, Sentimentalist and Humorist" under the auspices of the Friday Night Club, Friday, Dec. 12, at 7.30 P. M. at the Unitarian church. Mr. Applebee is one of the most popular lecturers in New England. The price of admission is designed simply to cover expenses and is but ten cents.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery in a newspaper interview last Wednesday blamed the defeat of prohibition in this city last Tuesday on the professed friends of the cause—on men who claim to hold the principle and practice of it above politics or any of the chief moral reforms of the day. He speaks by the card. Professed temperance men knocked the "No" vote in the head and the reign of Rum in this city next year will be due to their course on election day. Mr. Montgomery, so he said in this interview, proposes to show up this whole business in his sermon next Sunday evening and point out to temperance advocates the folly and wickedness of their conduct in permitting the rum element to carry the day. He has chosen for a text on that occasion Ps. lv. 12, 13, 14, which will be found by the reader to be as pat to the subject as anything that can be found in the Bible, and from it to tell what he knows about the consistency of temperance (with a big ? after the word) men and also to give public notice of what he proposes to do when the matter of licensing comes up next May.

— John Boyle was arraigned in the District Court last Monday morning on a charge of assault and battery on his stepson, a young man by the name of Finn, with a deadly weapon, to wit, a pocket-knife, with which he cut into Finn's flesh just over his heart, and produced an ugly wound. A slight variation in the course of the blade downwards, it is alleged, would have struck the heart of the lad and killed him; but as it was he was only slightly hurt. It was Rum's doings. When sober there is no better or kinder-hearted man anywhere than John Boyle, but when full of ardent spirits he isn't John at all, but another person altogether. He used to be a Police officer, and later was overseer of the highways, and has worked at stone-masonry for Mr. J. M. Ellis. But rum has been gradually getting the mastery over him for some time, and here we find the poor fellow arraigned in the Court for an alleged deadly assault on a member of his household and placed under $1500 bonds for his appearance at the Superior Court. When sober he wouldn't injure a fly! And still there are people who will keep right on selling rum.

— Their is a very interesting serial running in *St. Nicholas* written by Noah Brooks called "The Boy Settlers" which gives an account of the adventures of some families who emigrated from Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, to Kansas about 1857 during the bitter struggle between the Free State and Pro-Slavery parties for supremacy there. There were in the families of emigrants several boys of whom Mr. Brooks's story chiefly treats who enjoyed the long march through Iowa into Kansas many miles beyond the Missouri with great zest. Emigrant parties from New England joined our Illinois friends along the route and we should not be at all surprised if some of the former were from this vicinity, for when Mr. Howell, an uncle of the boys, said to a tall, lean, lank Yankee whom he met beyond the Missouri driving a yoke of long, lean, lank oxen, "I shouldn't wonder if you brought those clothes you have got on at Parkville," the Yankee answered with a drawl and nasal twang: "You guess about right. A very nice sort of a man we met at the forks of the river road told me that my clothes were too Yankee. I wore them all the way from Woburn, Massachusetts, where we come from and I hated to give them up." The nub of which is that the suit of clothes which the Yankee swapped off because they were too nice and fashionable for Western emigrants to wear, are supposed to have been bought at the well known and very popular clothing house of Mr. C. M. Munroe in this city. How strangely things come around sometimes.

GEORGE F. BEAN,

Mayor-elect of Woburn.

The JOURNAL points with pride to its very successful efforts to place a perfect likeness of our new Mayor, GEORGE F. BEAN, Esq., before its large army of intelligent and cultivated readers. No other paper has achieved anything like such a large measure of success in this particular line of portraiture as the JOURNAL has in this instance, and we expect our patrons to endorse our enthusiastic self-congratulations with cheers.

The following bit of biography naturally goes with the portrait:

Mr. Bean was born in Bradford, N. H., in 1857, and was graduated from Brown University in 1881. Immediately after his graduation he was appointed Principal of the Plympton Street School, in this city. After teaching one year he began the study of law, graduating from the Boston University Law School in 1885, and was immediately admitted to the Suffolk County Bar, since which time he has practiced his profession in Boston, and has continued to reside at Woburn.

A Union Sociable.

The vestry of the First Congregational church in this city presented an attractive appearance last Tuesday evening. It was the scene of one of the nicest home-made entertainments of the season, which was the production of members of the Congregational and Baptist churches, and was superintended by Mrs. John K. Murdock, with Mr. Chester Smith Chief of Staff, or Master of Ceremonies.

Everybody enjoyed it. A fine solo was admirably rendered by William Fox; Cecil Wyman read "The Courtship of Miles Standish," which was illustrated by tableaux, Chauncy B. Conn being Standish; Chester Cotton, John Alden; Elsie Francis, Priscilla; Marcus H. Cotton gave a solo, and Miss Edith Murdock read "Elizabeth," which was illustrated with tableaux, Mr. Fowler being the principal character, with Miss Alice Hutchings as Elizabeth, and Miss Sadie Fosdick as Hannah.

The repast was abundant and of good quality, and the enjoyment of the occasion was unmarred from beginning to end.

What Mr. Brussels Did.

A woman, once doubting the genuineness of a Brussels carpet which she desired to buy, was fully convinced when an ignorant salesman told her he knew for a fact that the texture was woven by Mr. Brussels himself. He didn't make Brussels soap, but those who did, produced the most desirable purifier ever introduced into a house, and the wise buyer will take no other. It's economical.

Y. M. C. A.

Young men's meeting Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Sunday, 3 P. M., Boy's meeting. Song service.

Monday evening, Dec. 8, Singing Class at 7.30.

Sunday, 3.30, special meeting for prayer. Every Christian man expected.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 9, Elocution Class at 7.30. There must be 15 to form the class.

Every member of the Association should enquire what the event is to be on the 30th of this month.

Boy's Branch have a special time on the same evening. Only boys who belong to the Branch are admitted.

Sunday, 4 P. M., Men's meeting. Subject: "Wants." To be led by one of our young men. Do you "want" to enjoy the service? Then come.

The Woman's Auxiliary is flourishing evidently; 17 new members joined at the last meeting. They are to give an "Envelop Sociable" the 16th of this month.

In Memoriam.

At a regular meeting of Martha Washington Council, No. 14, D. of L., held Nov. 27, 1890, the following Preamble and Resolutions were unaninously adopted:

WHEREAS: It has pleased God to remove from our midst our late sister, Ella G. Richardson, it is fitting that we recognize the loss of an estimable sister, one who was ever ready to sacrifice personal convenience that good might be attained to the advantage of others, therefore be it

Resolved 1st: That her example be not lost in us; that we may strive to emulate her virtues; that we may be participants in the saying (Rev 14—13) "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth saieth the spirit, yea that they may rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Resolved 2nd: That we bow in submission to the Divine Will of Him who said (John 14) "Let not your heart be troubled, ye believe in God believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions, I go to prepare a place for you and will come again and receive you unto myself, that where I am you may be also"

Resolved 3rd: That these resolutions be engrossed on the records of this Council, and a copy of them sent to the husband and relatives of the deceased accompanied with our fraternal and heartfelt sympathies in their sore bereavement, believing that what is our mutual loss is their infinite gain.

(Signed) HATTIE A. KNIGHT
C. E. RICHARDSON
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Woburn City Election.

A political cyclone struck this city last Tuesday and knocked it "six ways for Sunday." It was the biggest surprise party that has been experienced here within the memory of the "Oldest Inhabitant," and when the vote was counted and the figures reckoned up the disappointed ones in the place could be counted by scores all up and down the streets.

It was a complete overturn. It was a singular election too. There was Kenney, the regular candidate of both the Republican and Democratic parties, supported by the temperance folks, and helped by some of the tariff reformers—Kenney, a bright, clean, level-headed young man, was knocked out in one round, and by whom? *You* tell! Mr. Bean got there by 207 majority—the most unaccountable thing that anyone would have supposed could happen—(Madame Bean got there too as the Republican candidate for member of the School Board, for which the JOURNAL feels devoutly thankful).

The City Council will be evenly divided on joint ballot between Republicans and Democrats; but that counts for nothing because political considerations have but little weight with the Board's acts [probably Buck and Maguire and Lounsbury, etc., will continue to occupy their present offices and, whether Republican, Democratic, Know Nothing, Mugwump, or Prohibitionist, no one will ever think of such a thing as turning either of the three out].

But nobody pretends that Mr. Bean will fail to make a first class Mayor, or that he will not be surrounded by a very respectable body of city legislators. We should have been better pleased if Mr. Grant had pulled through in Ward 3.

Below we give the vote in full and about the political complexion of the two Boards:

George F. Bean, the Mayor-elect, is a Democrat, and the Aldermen elected, Davis in Ward 1, Ham in Ward 2, Finn in Ward 3 and Walsh in Ward 5, are Democrats, while Fowle in Ward 4, Dearborn in Ward 6 and Pushee in Ward 7 are Republicans. The Common Council stands five Democrats and six Republicans.

The city voted license by a majority of 585. This is a reverse of last year's vote.

	—MAYOR.— Bean.	Kenney.	—LICENSE.— C. R. D.	Yes.	No.
Ward 1,	210	206	260	118	
Ward 2,	289	167	294	129	
Ward 3,	291	229	250	153	
Ward 4,	196	192	204	142	
Ward 5,	75	110	110	55	
Ward 6,	151	41	77	97	
Ward 7,	101	80	114	51	
Totals,	1223	1016	1310	725	

Bean's plurality, 207: majority for license, 585.

ALDERMEN.

Ward 1.

T. G. Beggs, R., I. D.,	191
William F. Davis, D.,	208

Ward 2.

Jacob A. Ham, D.,	260
Marcus M. Shaw, R.,	195

Ward 3.

John H. Finn, D.,	224
Alexander Grant, R.,	192

Ward 4.

W. Frank Fowle, R.,	226
Eliot L. Packard, D.,	141

Ward 5.

David T. Strange, R.,	87
John J. Walsh, D.,	95

Ward 6.

C. T. Dearborn, R.,	124
Edward E. Parker, D.,	71

Ward 7.

*James H. Doherty, D.,	75
Francis M. Pushee, R.,	111

COMMON COUNCIL.

Ward 1.

*Patrick McGowan, R.,	153
John O'Donnell, D.,	229
Edward J. Phillips, R.,	133
Jeremiah Weafer, D.,	236

Ward 2.

William H. Bowers, R.,	222
C. W. Bryant, 2d. I. D.,	80
*Thomas J. Fay, D.,	160
Daniel J. Murphy, D.,	165
George A. Simonds, R.,	206

Ward 3.

John F. Larkin, D.,	209
M. Littlefield, D.,	228
J. F. McGovern, R.,	171
Frank C. Nichols, R.,	172

Ward 4.

S. E. Kendrick, R.,	188
C. A. McDonald, D.,	155
Asa G. Sheldon, D.,	173
B. Frank Waldron, R.,	187

Ward 5.

George F. Hosmer, R.,	79
James A. McAvoy, D.,	116

Ward 6.

James E. Cutler, R.,	106
Charles H. Nichols, D.,	85

Ward 7.

*Fred C. Emery, D.,	89
Phineas G. Hanson, R.,	96

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

	*Mrs. Bean R.	Blanchard, D.	Burdett, R.	Chamberlain, R.	Dodge, D.	Mrs. Dow, D.
Ward 1,	181	215	152	130	228	232
Ward 2,	234	206	165	156	240	225
Ward 3,	207	198	200	156	204	235
Ward 4,	245	143	230	103	149	181
Ward 5,	76	95	89	61	105	106
Ward 6,	160	51	142	116	64	74
Ward 7,	88	92	81	72	101	114
Totals,	1191	1002	1038	884	1091	1167

*Candidates for re-election.

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The Berlin Mint is busily engaged in coining money for German East Africa.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "How Bibles Grow." The first sermon in a series on the Bible.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "Watchman, what of the night?" Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. A prayer meeting for the conversion of the young at 7 p. m. Usual prayer meeting on Wednesday evening.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. Samuel Jackson of Melrose. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by pastor at 7 p. m. Subject: "For it was not an enemy that done it." Ps. 55 12, 13, 14. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Eyewitnesses." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly Concert at 7 p. m. Rev. F. W. March of Tripoli will speak on Mission Work among the Arabs. The usual meetings on Wednesday and Friday evening.

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Married.

In this city, Dec. 3, by Rev. Daniel March, George E. Getchell and Annie M. Robertson, all of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Nov. 29, Catherine Gill, aged 29 yrs.
In this city, Nov. 29, Edward H. Ryan, aged 5 years, 7 months.
In this city, Dec. 1, Emily T. Weir, aged 18 years, 22 days.
In Boston, Dec. 1, Deborah D. Dean, formerly of Woburn, aged 68 years.
In Winchester, Dec. 3, Joseph H. Cantwell, aged 50 years.

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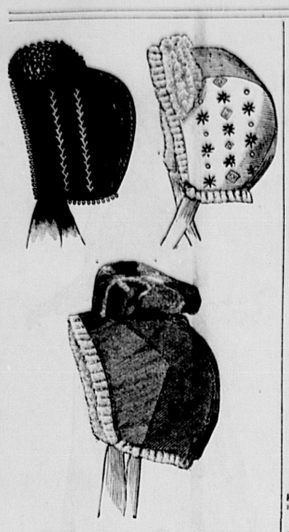

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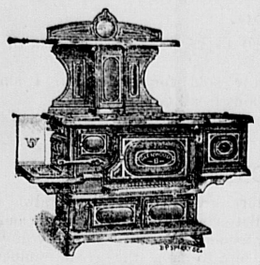

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The Scandinavian.

On Saturday afternoon 5 Swedish Missionaries on their way to China visited this city. At 7 p. m. they held a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall which was attended by a large congregation of Scandinavians. On Sunday at 10.30 a. m. at 1.30 and 7 p. m., services were held in the same place, each meeting being unusually well attended. On Sunday morning 3 Norwegian Missionaries joined the other 5 here, and held a Union meeting in which the Lord manifested himself most wonderfully. At 2 p. m. the Norwegian Missionaries left for Boston, where they were to hold two meetings in the afternoon and evening. All the Missionaries are young, unmarried men and women (5 men and 3 women) all pledged to remain single and to work among the heathen Chinese in China for at least four years, if the Lord thinks best to let them live so long. They all go of their own free will in response to a call from God to go, leaving all their dear ones behind them, some here and others in other parts of the country and others still in Scandinavia, giving their bodies and soul for Christ, not merely a talk but an act. Their names are: C. M. Johnson, G. W. Ahlstrand, J. Anderson, A. Kron and O. Guldbrandsen, Miss C. Hokanson, Miss I. Olsen and E. Petersen.

Previous to their visit to Massachusetts they were for a short time in a training school in New York City, and before leaving this Country for China, they are visiting a number of cities and towns where Scandinavians are settled, asking for a collection in each place to help them along towards their destination, China.

Their visit among the Scandinavians here did a great deal of good, and at least 8 people were converted to Christ, during their stay in Woburn. May God bless them!

In Worcester, Mass., on Dec. 5, they are to meet and join with 5 more Swedish Missionaries making in all 13 of Swedish and Norwegian Missionaries that are going from New England for China. From Worcester they proceed to Chicago, Ill., where they are to meet another troop of Scandinavian Missionaries for China, and then go toward San Francisco, Cal., when they will embark for China about Jan. 1, 1890.

We bid them Godspeed! C.

Taylor—Falck.

Mr. Charles H. Taylor Jr., eldest son of Col. Charles H. Taylor, proprietor of the Boston *Globe*, and Miss Marguerite C. Falck, daughter of Mrs. Mary Munn Falck, were married at the Unitarian church in Woburn last evening, the Rev. Henry Parker officiating. Numbers of friends were in attendance, a special train conveying a large party from Boston.

The bride was given away by Mr. A. A. Fowle.

Mr. Herbert W. Munn was best man and Miss Bessie H. Taylor was maid of honor.

The ushers were Mr. Robert F. Herrick, Mr. George A. Stewart, Mr. Daniel W. Lane, Mr. William O. Taylor, Mr. Herbert M. Howes, Mr. A. Gardner Morse, Mr. Charles M. Wright, Mr. John I. Taylor.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony at the home of the bride's mother, 82 Pleasant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will take a three weeks' bridal trip and will be at home Wednesday after Jan. 7, at 158 Newbury street, Boston.

A lady says: "Brussels soap makes good strong suds. I used it with complete success upon two book agents."

Hope Lodge, D. of R.

On last Tuesday evening the above Lodge gave exemplification of work to members of several visiting Lodges. About 90 representatives from Evergreen Lodge, 19, Stoneham, the officers of which were Noble Grand, Mrs. M. L. Batchelder; Vice-Grand, Mrs. M. J. Huntoon; Recording Secretary, Alma Johonett; Treasurer, Mrs. L. R. Dodge, and about 20 members of Golden Rule Lodge, 23, of Melrose, with the following officers: Noble Grand, Joseph Trundy; Vice-Grand, Hannah Rowell; and Treasurer, Eva Grundy. There was also present a delegation from Martha Washington Lodge, 1, of Boston, with Helen Shaw as Noble Grand.

District Deputy Grand Master John E. Brown was present in his official capacity. The following named are the officers who performed the work: Past Grand, Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside; Noble Grand, Mrs. Abbie Chase; Vice-Grand, Mrs. Sophia F. Corbett; Chaplain, Mrs. Mariam Leathe; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Hattie N. Delano; Permanent Secretary, Mrs. E. Maria Colomb; Treasurer, Mrs. Ida Magee. Supper was served by N. J. Harding of Arlington, and speeches were made by several of the visitors and others, and there was good music.

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Our Street Railroads.

In pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided the North Woburn and the East Middlesex Street Railroad companies have made their annual report for the fiscal year of 1890 to the Secretary of State and the same was published last week.

That our readers may get something near a correct idea of what these lines have been doing this year we have culled out a few figures from the reports and here submit them for inspection:

The total number of miles operated by the No. Woburn Co. is 7.8, and the total number of miles run during the year ending Oct. 1, 1890, was 94,540 against 77,655 in 1889. The number of passengers carried during the year was 381,948, against 326,316 in 1889, a gain of 55,632. The net income over operating expenses was $668 more than in 1889.

This shows that the patronage of the line is increasing, and it is safe to say it will do so much more rapidly in the future than in the past.

In 1890, to Oct. 1, the East Middlesex line carried 1,444,660, against 1,263,039, a gain of 181,621, and to do this the number of miles run during the year was 398,976, against 270,357 in 1889, a gain of 28,619. The net income above operating expenses was $7,333 more than in 1889. The number of miles owned and operated by the Company is 19.86.

The percent of increase of business done by the East Middlesex during the year is larger than that of the North Woburn, which is owing probably to the big amount of passenger traffic between Chelsea and Malden especially on Sunday.

But both lines are becoming more and more appreciated by the public and the day is only a little way off in the future when both will pay handsome dividends to their owners.

An exchange says: "We permit no man to tread upon the tail of our coat, or walk clear up the back of it by trying to refute our statement that Brussels is the best and most economical soap made."

North Woburn.

Mr. James Mack is laying the foundation for a barn which is to be built during the coming spring.

Mr. N. S. Watson had his foot badly bruised by the falling of a piece of timber while at work in Mr. Barker's factory at the Centre.

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Wide Awake Club for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor Society, was a success.

Among the social events of last week was the Fair held at the Unitarian Chapel. It was well attended and gave a satisfactory result. The supper was par excellence and was served in a very artistic style. Among the most tastefully and well arranged tables was the fancy and candy tables. The children found diversion during the evening in fishing in the fish pond which was arranged especially for their amusement. Among the other attractions was a prize contest: The persons guessing the nearest to the number of seeds in a pumpkin being awarded the prizes. At the close of the fair the seeds were counted and it was found to contain 625. The successful contestants being Mr. Lewis Bond and Mr. Arthur Linscott each of whom received a tasteful and artistic bed quilt the handiwork of the Ladies Sewing Circle.

[The above items were crowded out last week.—EDITOR.]

The ponds are frozen over and the young people are taking advantage of the fine skating.

Mr. Harry G. Carter, student at Amherst College, passed Thanksgiving at his home in this village.

The monthly sociable of the Unitarian society was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Downing on last Thursday evening. Important business was transacted.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting at the parlor of the Congregational church on next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All interested in temperance are cordially invited.

Mr. George Gardner of Cambridgeport has purchased the milk route and equipments owned by Mrs. A. D. Clement. It is hoped that Mr. Gardner will enjoy a large patronage and a pronounced prosperity.

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WINCHESTER.

The Winchester business of Mr. F. H. Nourse, real estate dealer, has increased a good deal in 1890.

There is going to be a ball at G. A. R. Hall Saturday evening, Dec. 6, under the management of No. 29, W. R. C.

Hereafter the regular meetings of the Winchester Woman Suffrage Club will be held on third Tuesday of each month in the parlor of G. A. R. Hall.

Rev. Mr. Newton is preaching a series of sermons on "Our Church Confession" with great acceptance and much profit (it is hoped) to his spiritual charge here.

Mrs. Hanson, the mother of the late James I. Hanson, for many years Principal of the Woburn High School, died here last week aged 76 years. She was a lady highly esteemed in this place.

The numerous members of the Mystic Valley Club whose domiciles are in this town are anticipating the gastronomic pleasures of the next meeting of the Club at the American House, Boston, on Dec. 9, with moistened lips.

At 7 o'clock next Sunday evening Charles Rufus Brown, President of the American Institute of Sacred Literature, will lecture in the Baptist church on "The Supply and Education of Men of the Ministry: the Demand of the Present Hour."

George Nelson of this town is a good kind of a man and a respected citizen, but he has got some neighbors who are worse than the 7-years itch. In their dealings with him and his family they are "meaner than pussley." They have had him in Court time after time for things he was never guilty of, and only last Monday morning Miss Daly had him up for trial in the Woburn District Court for alleged personal injuries inflicted by Nelson's dogs. As usual Nelson was discharged, there being no cause of action. He is a peaceable, law-abiding man, but some of his neighbors—well, the least said the better.

Rev. Leander Thompson has carefully prepared a history of the fifty years existence of the Congregational church. Mr. Abijah Thompson, with his will known generosity, paid for its cost of preparation, and has made the church a gratuitous offer of the manuscript for publication, which the society will undoubtedly accept and put into book form. The volume when printed will contain wood cuts of the two meeting houses and the eight pastors.—*Star*. A more competent historian to do the work mentioned in the *Star's* paragraph could not have been found than Rev. Leander Thompson of No. Woburn. He knows Woburn all up and down. One of these days the great liberality of Abijah Thompson, Esq., of this place will be more highly appreciated than it is now even, although our people honor him for his public spirit.

Boston Theatres.

"FRANCIS WILSON" AT THE GLOBE.

Francis Wilson still holds court at the Globe. He will not abdicate until a week from Saturday night, having the pleasant assurance that he will be greeted by crowds at every performance. "The Merry Monarch" might run on for weeks to come in the Globe, but its stay is limited to four weeks, and two of these have already passed, so that in the remaining two those who are fond of good clean humor and honest fun must seek their opportunity to enjoy one of the most melodious and pleasing representations of the kind ever given on the Boston stage. No light opera has ever had a more successful record in this city than this last offering of Mr. Francis Wilson, and it seems entirely possible that the engagement will be a greater success than any yet known in the Globe's history. Mr. Wilson is so irresistibly funny in all his scenes and is so ably supported by his company, that the success he has made is easily explained, and it appears entirely reasonable that the "Merry Monarch" could retain his command of his Boston subjects for the balance of the season.

THE SOUDAN.

The big Boston Theatre has been filled every evening during the entire season and the audiences were delighted with the fine scenic effects, the elaborate and beautiful pictures, the thrilling tableaux, and the clever acting of the "The Soudan." Such a success as this play has won was not expected, but it is well deserved.

Excursion parties from surrounding towns continue to swell the size of the audiences. Those who saw "The Soudan" several weeks ago should see it again. It closes at 10.40 P. M. to give all suburbanites an opportunity to reach their late trains.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

The attraction at the Grand Opera House commencing next Monday, Dec. 8, is W. J. Florence in the romantic Irish comedy drama Inshavogue. It is one of the finest things ever brought to this country, and will be played for only one week.

Literary Notices.

OUR LITTLE ONES for December is a Christmas number and it is a beauty. The pictures in it are numerous and very handsome, and the heft of them have a Christmas air about them which sets one to thinking of plum puddings, punkin pies, the Christmas goose, boars heads, holly and mistletoe. The young folks will be delighted with them and the stories and poetry which they illustrate. OUR LITTLE ONES is published by the Russell Publishing Company in Boston.

The eighty-second volume of HARPER'S MAGAZINE began with the December number. It is a Christmas number and a handsome one. Eight of its papers are illustrated with over 70 fine pictures, a few of which being The Comedies of Shakespeare, The Winter of Our Content, A Pre-Raphaelite Mansion, Japanese Women, A Christmas Present, Flute and Violin, Gibble Colt's Ducks, etc., etc.

***HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company, Boston; and at the Woburn Bookstore by Sparrow Horton.

[From the Shoe and Leather Review.]

A Peculiar Hide Condition.

It is very doubtful if there was ever a time when a more peculiar phase of the buff hide market existed in New England than at the present time. Usually at least one cent represents the selling value of No. 1 and No. 2 and B hides in Boston. But the market does not show this difference to day. In fact, an instance has just come to the ears of the *Review* where a dealer had made a sale of B's and 2's, but owing to extreme storage of these grades, he was unable to consummate the deal. He is reported to have finally filled the order with No. 1 buff hides, the price obtained being sufficient to enable him to do so without actual loss, at least. This shows the call for cheap hides and cheap leather. In fact No. 2 and No. 3 leather is always in better demand in the Boston market than No. 1. This is owing largely to the selection. A very slight blemish, a little scratch or mark, a stain either upon the grain or flesh side, throws the leather into a lower grade. A manufacturer can often cut a No. 2 or B side of leather equally advantageous to a side free of every blemish, making it perfect and classed as No. 1. Consequently the cent or more a foot saved is in large orders an important item. The above incident illustrates some of the vagaries of the hide and leather trade as existing to-day.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas Connell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of December next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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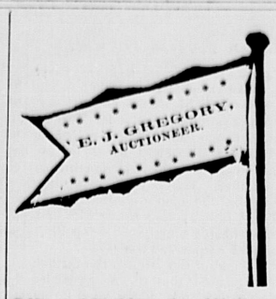

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13. "And behold, two of them went that same day to a village called Emmaus, which was from Jerusalem about three score furlongs." It was now afternoon, and all the events of the morning had doubtless become known to all the disciples, and many more than those mentioned in the last lesson had paid a visit to the tomb; perhaps these two among the rest; but if so they evidently doubted still His resurrection, for had they believed that He actually appeared to Mary and the other women we would think that they would have remained about the city hoping to see Him for themselves. So we have before us two more unbelieving disciples, one named Cleopas (vs. 18) and the other we know not. According to John xix, 25, Cleopas was husband to one of the Marys.

14. "And they talked together of all these things which had happened." They would no doubt rehearse every incident, perhaps going over the events of His arrest and trial and crucifixion and all attendant circumstances, as well as the events of that particular day.

15. "And it came to pass that while they communed together and reasoned, Jesus Himself drew near and went with them." They spoke of Him and He came to meet them.

16. "But their eyes were holden that they should not know Him." When Mary saw Him she knew not that it was Jesus, and when the disciples who went out fishing saw Him on the shore they knew not that it was Jesus (John xx, 14; xxi, 4). Whether He assumed a different form or appearance on each of these occasions, or whether Mary and the disciples knew him not, the one because of her weeping and the others because of their return to their old occupation, or whether it was a blindness from the Lord, as in II Kings vi, 18, does not seem very clear in the case of Mary and the disciples; but in the case of these two Mark xvi, 12, says that He appeared to them in another form.

17. "And He said unto them, What manner of communications are these that ye have one to another, as ye walk and are sad?" He knew, but He wanted them to tell Him; as if He had said, Tell me all about it.

18. "And one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answering, said unto Him, Art Thou only a stranger in Jerusalem and hast not known the things which are come to pass there in these days?" The whole city must have been filled with the things which had happened during the last few days and a man would need to be a very lonely sojourner (as the words "Art thou only a stranger" imply) not to have heard about the strange events.

19. "And He said unto them, What things? And they said unto Him, Concerning Jesus of Nazareth, which was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people." They could not forget nor deny that such mighty deeds and words had been seen in Jesus as had never been seen in any other; and, although contrary to all their expectations He had been put to death, yet these facts concerning Him were incontrovertible.

20. "And how the chief priests and our rulers delivered Him to be condemned to death, and have crucified Him." Their testimony corroborates exactly what Jesus had foretold (Matt. xvi, 21). Now if they had added what He also foretold just as plainly, that He would rise again the third day, then would they have been enlightened and glad.

21. "But we trusted that it had been He which should have redeemed Israel: and beside all this, today is the third day since these things were done." Like Zacharias, Simeon, Anna, Joseph of Arimathea and many others they looked for redemption for Israel, even the kingdom of God (Luke i, 68; ii, 30, 38; xxiii, 51), as all the prophets had foretold. They looked for the king to sit on David's throne, and even Gabriel, the last messenger from God, taught them so to look (Luke i, 32, 33). But they knew not the way to the throne by death and resurrection.

22. "Yea, and certain women also of our company made us astonished which were early at the sepulcher." If they had said "made us glad" it would have been right and according to the mind of God.

23. "And when they found not His body, they came, saying, that they had also seen a vision of angels, which said that He was alive." What they looked for (His body) they saw not, but they saw the linen clothes which had contained His body; and what they had not expected to see (angels) they saw, and heard that which they had not thought to hear, that He was alive. Life and not death is the topic of the Scriptures; or rather life through death.

24. "And certain of them which were with us went to the sepulcher, and found it even so as the women had said; but Him they saw not." The women simply found as He had said it would be, and as the angels said it was; and even though the others who went saw not Himself, blessed are those who see not and yet believe (John xx, 29).

25. "Then He said unto them, O fools, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken!" If we spend much time on prophecy wise men may count us fools, but if we neglect prophecy, or any portion of it, Christ will count us foolish. Let us rather choose to be counted foolish by men than by Christ.

26. "Ought not Christ to have suffered these things and to enter into His glory?" When Paul preached at Thessalonica he taught from the Scriptures that Christ must needs have suffered and risen again from the dead, and that Jesus whom he preached was indeed the Christ (Acts xvii, 2, 3). The Christ must suffer because iniquity, transgression and sin must be put away and made an end of (Dan. ix, 24), and without shedding of blood is no remission; it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul (Heb. ix, 22; Lev. xvii, 11).

27. "And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, He expounded unto them in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself." Expository preaching, which many preachers despise, but which satisfies hungry souls. An Old Testament Bible reading by the Master Himself and all about Himself. Heavy hearts need Jesus only; and only when He is enthroned there will we have true gladness. Can you, dear fellow teacher, find Him in every book in all the Scriptures and in every lesson that you teach? It is only as we make Him the center of all teaching and preaching that we can hope to accomplish anything in His name. We are to be full of Him and His spirit and His word, and always speak of His sufferings, death, resurrection, ascension, intercession and coming glory; pointing to His holy life as the foundation, and, if saved by His blood, then taking that holy life as our example in all things.

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In a dreary monotone,
Suddenly I heard a whisper,
Sounding quite distinct and near,
As the rustle of a garment
Fell upon my listening ear.

Turning quickly from my writing,
Peering out into the gloom
Of the shadows lurking darkly
In the corners of the room,
There a misty form was floating,
Fading quietly from sight;
Slow receding, disappearing,
In the shadows of the night.

Quickly from my chair I hastened,
Crossed the room with eager feet,
Widely flung the creaking shutter,
Letting in the snow and sleet;
But of that which I was seeking,
Not a vestige did remain.
Closing then the screening casement,
Went and took my seat again.

Long into the night I sat there
Writing, thinking, dreaming dreams,
While the shifting rays of moonlight
Filled the rooms with ruddy beams,
'Til a sudden sense of comfort
And an all pervading peace
Filled me with a drowsy languor,
Bidding me my labors cease.

Then no longer did I wonder
What the misty form might be,
That so softly left my chamber,
From my sight so quick did flee;
For from out the deepest recess
Fed within my troubl'd breast,
There had gone—I hope forever—
The wild spirit of unrest.

—Frances Rawlins in Omaha World-Herald.

Meaning of the Word "Cigar."

In the first place the word "cigar" is of modern date, and is derived from the fact that when the Spaniards first smoked cigars they were smoked in the orchard, or "cigarral," so called from its being the abiding place of those soothing, sleep producing insects the balm crickets. Hence "cigarro," a small roll; "cigarron," a large roll, and ultimately "cigar," linked even in name with the most soothing, dreamy sound in nature.

The first cigars made by the Spaniards were of tobacco loosely rolled and held together by the silken lining of corn shucks, and always with a straw running through the center, to be withdrawn before smoking, so as to secure a good draught. These were first introduced into England in 1787 by the son of a Spanish grandee visiting London, and from there spread all through Europe. This is the history of the birth of the cigar into civilization, but we must look considerably further back to find the first records, and then can find no origin, but only data of its being in existence.—New York Telegram.

Producing Fuel with Water.

A coal washing plant has been erected at a colliery in Yorkshire, England. The plant has a capacity of 400 tons per day, but has dealt with 500 tons by the wet process. The system adopted is carefully sizing the smudge and automatically washing and rewashing after crushing the various sizes. The plant is driven by a 100 horse power steam engine, and the water used in the process of washing is circulated by means of a powerful centrifugal pump which, when in full work, circulates nearly five tons of water per minute. The object in erecting this plant was to produce a high class coke out of a mixture of very dirty hard and soft smudge. The coke produced is of uniform quality, and the ash in the coke is steadily kept below 4 per cent. Besides the preparation of the smudge for the coke ovens a quantity of small peat suitable for fuel is produced by the washer.—New York Telegram.

Naked Children.

Fully three-fourths of the babies of the world go naked until they get to be five or six years old. The Canadian Indians keep their babies naked up to a certain point, and as for the little Coreans, they wear nothing but a short shirt until they are as old as our school boys. Little Egyptians of both sexes trot around without any clothes on, and the poorer portions of the Chinese children are often without clothes. I have seen quite large boys and girls naked in Havana, Cuba, and in southern California, or rather on the Californian peninsula. — Sheffield Telegraph.

It is now demonstrated that the nerves of lower animals may be successfully transplanted to the nerve stumps of man. Dr. Redart successfully grafted the skin of a chicken upon a child 2 years old. Dr. Bartens succeeded in grafting the skin of a dead man 70 years old to that of a boy 14 years old.

One of the best qualities of shaving brushes is made out of the hair of badgers, and the business of catching them is still so active, in spite of their comparative scarcity, that upward of 5,000 badgers' skins were exported to Great Britain from America in one year recently.

The results of mechanical and physical tests are considered by German authorities as having proved the fitness of aluminum bronze for artillery and small arms, particularly as recent experiments with smokeless powders have shown so great an injury to steel made artillery.

According to Professor Francis Fanvel-Gourand, there is a negro king on the west coast of Africa who rejoices in the unpronounceable name of Hagabahasamadasabalanarahitaragaradalammasakalafarhanahmahtalaladalahsalaradhamahagabaha.

What a strong, quick thrill of sympathy must flash from heart to heart when two halting cripples meet and pass on a crowded street—while all about are happy, straight limbed ones who tread life's pathway like crowned kings.

Facts Worth Knowing.

In all diseases of the nasal mucous membrane the remedy used must be non-irritating. The medical profession has been slow to learn this. Nothing satisfactory can be accomplished with douches, snuffs, powders or syringes because they are all irritating, do not thoroughly reach the affected surfaces and should be abandoned as worse than failures. A multitude of persons who had for years borne all the worry and pain that catarrh can inflict testify to radical cures wrought by Ely's Cream Balm.

The richest coal field in England is at Newcastle, where the current thickness of the seams is from three to six feet.

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INDIAN BOYS AS FARMERS.

Bucks County Agriculturists Say They Make Splendid Field Hands.

The farmers of Bucks county say the Indian problem is solved. Two or three years ago one of them applied to the training school at Carlisle for an Indian boy to work in his fields during the summer. The school authorities investigated the man's character, and then sent him a young brave who had given up his toy tomahawk for spelling books and carpenter's tools.

At the end of the summer the farmer was so pleased that the next year he and several friends, who owned farms near Wheat Sheaf, secured the services of other Indians, and the number has been increased until about fifty of the copper hued youngsters hustled hoes and dug 'taters within a radius of ten miles from Tullytown and Wheat Sheaf.

One of those who has employed the Carlisle pupils for several years is John Carter, who lives at the summit of Turkey hill, a couple of miles from Tullytown.

"The Indian boys I had," he said, "behaved themselves well."

J. W. Wright, of Wheat Sheaf, has also experimented with redskin help, and he is very enthusiastic about the plan.

"Why, those boys from Carlisle are splendid," said Mr. Wright. "We take them for a term of months or for a year, just as we care to arrange, only if we get them by the year they must be sent to school during the winter. The Carlisle people make no definite arrangements about pay; we give the boys from $4 to $12 a month and their board. They work hard and seem to take the greatest delight in doing a job neatly.

"Then they don't waste time; there's no white boy 'slouch' to 'em. Give an Indian work and he'll bend down over it and stick there until it's finished. They almost invariably tell the truth, and the boys I have had never misbehaved. Then they are doubly valuable as farm hands, because nearly all the lads are masters of one or more trades, such as carpentering, blacksmithing or harness making. We farmers up here would rather have to work for us one Carlisle boy than two white boys, such as grow up right here in the county."

In Mr. Wright's mind the only deplorable hereditary trait that is possessed by the young braves is their love for finery. They cannot get wampum, beads, eagles, feathers and red ochre, and they do not want these adjuncts to happiness. But their spare cash goes for nice clothing, new hats and becoming neckwear.—Philadelphia Press.

Why Politicians Are Big Men.

There is no more trying business than politics. Men of long experience in the elections in New York watch the leaders of the different parties with an interest that is more or less grewsome. The steady, interminable and violent wear and tear on the men who head the big political movements tell on their looks, weight and manner so rapidly that the most sturdy constitutions would break down under it if it were not for the short period during which the excitement lasts.

The men who are so fond of tracing the subtle connection between the physical appearance of man and his mental occupations should consider that one reason why the successful New York politician is always represented as a broad shouldered, powerfully built man, with a thick neck, a round head and a plentiful supply of strength is because about the only successful ward workers in town who are able to hold their own as the years roll by must have a strong physique.—New York Sun.

Care of the Teeth.

Nothing is more conducive to sweetness of breath, and consequently of general health of the mouth, than to brush the teeth regularly shortly before retiring, that all particles of food, as well as the natural secretions, may be removed. Castile soap is the best which can be used for cleansing the mouth, with which a little magnesia may be employed; a solution of oil of peppermint in water makes an agreeable and useful mouth wash; while a silken thread may be employed to cleanse the spaces between the teeth which can be effectively reached in no other way. A fine tooth powder can be made of six ounces of prepared chalk, cassia powder half an ounce, and an ounce of orris root. These are to be well mixed, and may be colored with red lake or any other innocent substance, according to the fancy.—Good Housekeeping.

Not What He Expected.

Artist (showing sketches)—Oh, that sketch you've got there is nothing; it's a thing I did ten years ago. I often laugh when I come across the things I did ten years ago.

She—And perhaps you'll laugh ten years hence over the things you do now. It's wonderful what a difference time makes, isn't it?—Judy.

A number of horseflesh restaurants have been started at Berlin, and they are doing a brisk trade. It is strange that they have not been opened sooner in Berlin, for those which have existed for several years past in Dresden, Hamburg, Magdeburg and Frankfort have done an immense business from the first.

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A bedstead used by Oliver Cromwell has been sold in London for $250.

An Afflicted Citizen.

"If you can spare me a few moments of your time, madame," he said taking off a hat that had seen better days in the dim and misty past. "I should like to explain why I am compelled to appear before you as an applicant for charity."

"Proceed," said the lady.

"You have no objections, I presume, to my leaning against this pillar of the portico to rest myself?"

"None whatever."

He leaned his robust frame against one of the posts, coughed behind his hand and began:

"I have not always been reduced to this necessity madam. In happier days not far distant, I was at the head of a successful business in a flourishing city. I had a good bank account. I was in the enjoyment of excellent health my domestic relations were pleasant, and I was the recipient of many civic offices. My trouble began with the death of my grandfather."

He pulled out a once red bandana handkerchief, wiped a corner of each eye, and resumed:

"He was a good man, and I was much attached to him. His loss moved me deeply. Then my only great-uncle died. To lose one's only great uncle, madam," he continued, in a broken voice, "brings a pang that I trust you may never know."

"What next?" inquired the lady.

"The next affliction that befell me was a fire that destroyed the home of my wife's aunt. She was a most estimable lady. The loss was total, and there was no insurance. I sympathized deeply with her, and she—she came to spend the winter with me. She brought her whole family."

He paused as if to note the effect of this, coughed behind his hand again, and wiped his eyes with the bandana reminiscence as before.

"Well?"

"Well, madam, bore up as well as I could until my boy—my eldest—the centre of my fondest hopes—excuse this emotion, madam—"

"Certainly."

"I bore up until my boy began to chew tobacco. Then my health failed.

"You don't look like a sickly man."

"I am aware of it, madam. My trouble is one of—of nerves, madam. The doctor advised me to travel. I could not follow their advice, then, owing to business complications. In the troubles that came upon me our stock of goods had run down to some extent. Then come the passage of the McKinley bill, and—"

"What had that to do with it?"

"It was the final blow. We had expected, of course, to mark our goods up and realize handsomely, but—"

"Well?"

"We—we had no goods to mark up."

"And then?"

"And then I took to the—that is, I began to travel. It was the doctor's advice. Then I—"

"Well?"

"Then I—"

"Yes, then you—"

"I—"

"Why don't you go ahead?"

"Madam," said the traveler, straightening himself up. "I see it is useless. I have not awakened your sympathies."

"Not a cent's worth."

"Not even to the extent of"—he suggested with another laborious cough behind his hand—"of a cold collation?"

"No."

"I might have known it!" he exclaimed, putting on his hat and turning away. "In telling my story, madam, I am usually interrupted at the greatuncle part of it by the offer of substantial sympathy. To the fact that you permitted me to proceed until I became entangled in the McKinley bill, madam," he added, with bitter reproach in his tone, "I attribute this ignoble failure. I have not fallen in my own esteem, madam, but my faith in human nature has received a terrible shock."

He thrust one hand in the breast of what had once been a black cloth coat, waved a majestic farewell with the other, and was gone.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Happiness Not Dependent Upon Wealth.

There are rich women whose whole lives would have been happier in all probability had they been poor: they have energy, capacity, industry, and could have supported themselves honestly and usefully; but now those faculties are all absorbed in the effort to be just stewards of what is given them. They spend sparingly on themselves and munificently on others; but the lavishness costs harder work than the economy. They consume days in the care of institutions or the guidance of individuals; they never take a holiday; they lie awake at night wondering if they have done rightly in paying the fine and costs of John Jones, and giving him his tenth opportunity to keep out of jail and beat his children; or whether the world is to be benefitted, on the whole, by the Combined Institution for Supplying Pennies to the Penniless. While they seem to be only "in the swim" of society, and are possibly regarded as types of fashion's butterflies, they are in reality working harder than any business man, and are unable to lay aside their cares, as he often does, on closing the doors of the counting-room. The poor think of all the beautiful tastes which they cannot gratify, but which they could freely carry out were they only rich. But the rich meanwhile are sometimes envying the poor, who have none of the cares of stewardship, and can spend their spare hours, when earned, as they please. I once went with a young girl who had been economically enjoying a summer's outing on the sea-shore to call upon a woman more generally envied, perhaps, than one in her own familiar circle. She had wealth, beauty, immense personal popularity, conscientious activity in a hundred ways, and a touch of genius in art. "What have you been doing this vacation?" she said to her young visitor. "Sketching" was the answer. "Happy girl!" said her hostess. "I have been only able to get one morning's sketching this whole season."—*T. W. Higginson, in Harper's Bazaar.*

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

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For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 5.50, 6.15, s6.45, s7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15, 11.00, s11.35, A. M., s12.45, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, s3.45, s4.45, s5.35, s6.45, 7.15, s7.45, s8.45, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, s7.10, s8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10.40, 11.20, A. M., s12 M., s1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, s4.10, 5.10, s6.00, 6.50, s7.10, 7.40, s8.10, s9.10, s9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Symmes' Corner at 7.30, 8.30, A. M., 12.20, 1.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Symmes' Corner for Winchester and Woburn at 7.38, 8.38, A. M., 12.25, 1.38, 4.38, 5.35, 6.25, 7.38, 8.38, 9.38, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.50, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.15, 7.45, 8.00, 8.45, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 2.10, 2.40, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.40, 8.10, 8.20, 9.10, 10.00, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at s8.15, 9.15, s10.00, s10.45, 11.45, A. M., s12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, s2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, s4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, s6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, s8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at s8.40, 9.40, s10.20, s11.10, A. M., 12.10, s1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, s3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, s5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, s7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, s9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.45, 6.00, 6.45, 7.00, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.45, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 2.10, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 4.10, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.10, 6.20, 7.10, 7.20, 8.10, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 10.05, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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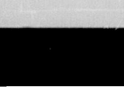
DEALER,  REPAIRER.

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MAIL CLOSES.

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The Woburn Journal

THE CRATER CITY.

"There's a great many curious things in this word," said my friend, Andrew Johns, as he removed his cigar and looked meditatively into space.

"And you look as though you were seeing some of them," I answered, smiling at his abstraction.

"So I am—in my mind. I see a sand crater facing a river in India. Inside of this dismal hole is a miserable village, peopled by miserable inhabitants," he went on, soberly. "There is no escape, no hope for them—they are dead! But wait; you shall hear the story. I have a notion for telling it to-night."

He threw away his cigar and was silent for some moments, while his wife a slight, dark woman, moved to a seat by his side and laid one hand caressingly on his.

Andrew had married her abroad and had never revealed her nationality.

"I will tell you of a strange adventure which befell —a friend of mine—Hal Andrews. It happened while he was stopping at Benares, the sacred city of the Hindoos and the stronghold of idolatry and superstition, when making a lazy pleasure tour of Asia.

"Benares had a peculiar fascination for him, as the oldest known habitation of man on the globe, and the Ganges, the sacred river, was especially attractive.

"More than once he watched the burning of bodies upon the funeral pyres along the river. These pyres are of logs—the bottom ones five feet long, with shorter ones across until they reach the height of three feet, then the naked body is placed thereon, more logs are added, and all is set on fire. When burned the ashes are carefully collected and thrown into the Ganges.

"Widows were formerly burned alive with their dead husbads, but it is now a matter sf choice, and—strange as it may seem—many of them choose that horrible death to the living death of being without caste or friends, as a widow must.

"One morning as he was watching funeral preparations, the corpse suddenly showed signs of life. Instantly there was a startled commotion among the howling relatives.

"Mud was hastily thrust into nose and mouth, but still the ungrateful maiden would not die.

"At last she sat upright and the relatives fled, the spectators shrugged their shoulders and turned away, and four native police advanced and bound the maiden, in spite of her cries and entreaties.

"'Will they kill her?' Hal asked, indignantly, of a bystander.

"'Oh, no!' was the indifferent answer. 'She is already dead, and must go to the Crater City.'

"'Is there, then, a city of the dead where unfortunates who escape the pyre are kept until death really claims them?' asked Hal again.

"'There is."

"The answer was given reluctantly.

"'Where is it?' persisted Hal.

"'No one can tell.'

"The answer was significant and decisive.

"'You mean no one will tell me; but I will find out!' cried Hal, hotly. 'It is a shame—an outrage!'

"'Very likely.'

"And with another shrug of the shoulders the man turned away, after giving Hal a few last words of advice:

"'Don't say too much about it while you stay in India.'

"But the scene haunted Hal. The maiden was young and beautiful, for Hindoo women are among the most beautiful on earth.

"What a horrible death in life!' he mused, as he mounted his horse and rode out into the surrounding country, followed closely by Baba, his native servant boy, who was devotedly attached to him.

"He followed along the course of the Ganges, and his thoughts were with the lovely maiden, who had recovered from the semblance of death to meet a worse fate than the funeral pyre.

"Suddenly his horse shied and dashed madly ahead, regardless of all efforts which Hal made to control him.

"Baba uttered a cry of dismay, and dashing along as fast as possible, tried to keep him in sight.

"On rushed the frightened horse, while Hal tried in vain to check him—up a sloaping, sandy ridge, then along the rise, until—Hal gave a low cry of incredulous surprise—the horse snorted, and turned to flee, the sand gave way under his feet, and Hal knew no more after the fall.

"When he recovered consciousness enough to feel an interest in his surroundings, he saw a wretched village surrounded by a natural barrier of sand on three sides, and by the river in front.

"A number of half-naked people crowded curiously around him, and among them was the maiden of the funeral pyre. He was in the city of the dead!

"The day passed slowly enough, and night came.

"As Hal was meditating upon the chances of escape, a soft voice near him said, in broken English and Hindoo, of which he knew enough to understand the meaning:

"'Do you wish to escape? It is useless. This is the city from which none ever return.'

"'There is—there must be some way of escape!' cried Hal, impatiently.

"'The sand barrier prevents all escape by land; and see,' the maiden continued, leading him to the river bank.

"The river was filled with numberless crocodiles—great, wicked-looking creatures—waiting viciously for any attempt at escape; and, besides these hideous sentinels, a boat filled with native soldiers was anchored near by.

"'You understand?' said the maiden, significantly, as Hal sank back with a groan.

"Two days passed. Hal made desperate attempts to scale the sandy wall, but in vain, as the maiden watched him with sympathy, and the rest of the miserable creatures viewed his struggles with the calm indifference born of the despair resulting from similar trials.

"The third night came, and as Hal paced the circuit of the enclosure, he heard a low whistle.

"Looking up, he saw Baba's eager face peering over the sandy bank, while a coil of rope fell at my feet.

"A soft sigh near by told him that his companion in despair had seen his chance of escape, also.

"Gently with swift, eager fingers Hal fastened the rope around her waist, whispered a few directions, and gave Baba the signal to draw her up.

"She reached the top safely, again the rope fell, and Hal took his own turn, not a moment too soon, for from all points of the miserable village, eager, howling wretches came hurrying to take the chance of escape from him.

"'Hurry, master!' said Baba, excitedly. 'Tomorrow's sun must see you far from Benares, for dead people must never return to mingle with the living, and you have seen the mysterious city.'

"Faithful Baba! He had disobeyed the laws to save his master, and no wonder that he wished to leave the place.

"There is little more to tell. He reached—they reached the frontier in safety, for the maiden accompanied him. If she had remained, she would have been returned to the Crater City, or else doomed to a living death upon the funeral pyre."

"What more?" I demanded, as he stopped, with a significant glance at his wife.

"Nothing—except this," he answered, emphatically. "My name is Henry Andrew Johns. Sometimes I have passed under the name of Hal Andrews, and my wife was a Hindoo maiden, before an English education changed her views of life."—*Saturday Night.*

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The Metropolitan Sewerage District.

In the territory embraced in the North Metropolitan Sewerage District, the name applied to the Mystic Valley section, the cities to be benefitted are Boston, Cambridge, Somerville, Malden, Chelsea, Woburn and the towns of Stoneham, Melrose, Winchester, Arlington, Belmont, Medford, Everett and Winthrop.

The most distant point is 17 1-2 miles from the Deer Island outlet, near the line between Stoneham and Woburn. Here the sewer will be about 48 feet above low tide and the diameter 1 foot 3 inches. It is not intended that the sewers shall in all cases be circular, but they are intended to be of a capacity equivalent to circular sewers of of the diameter given.

The sewer extends down the valley through East Woburn and Winchester Highlands to the Mystic Valley sewer built by the city of Boston. Here it receives two 15-inch branches from Woburn, and continues along Abbajona river in Winchester—by the sewer already built and by new work in Medford—to West Medford, where its grade is eight feet above low tide, and diameter is three feet two inches. Here it receives sewage from the Alewife brook branch and continues through Medford Centre and Wellington to Malden river, with diameters increasing from four feet four inches to five feet, and the bottom of the sewer reaches the level of low tide.

Passing under Malden River by two iron pipes 30 inches in diameter, which are depressed about 6 feet below the general line of the sewer, it continues five feet in diameter through Everett to the Saugus Branch railroad. Here it is met by the branch from the eastern part of Stoneham, through Melrose and Malden, bringing the sewage of these towns, and having diameters increasing from 10 inches to 3 feet four inches.

At Deer Island pumping station all of the sewage is to be pumped a height varying with the height of the tide—from 10 feet to 14 feet. It is conveyed along the island 1000 feet through a sewer 6 feet wide and of varying height, and then through two iron pipes 4 feet in diameter buried on the harbor side of the bar below low water for a distance of about 2000 feet, and rising near the end to a few inches above low tide at the outlet, which is a little west from Deer Island beacon. Here, on the north border of the main ship channel, the ends of the pipes will be encased in a heavy wall of masonry, off against which the bottom rapidly slopes to a depth of more than 50 feet below low tide.

In twenty-five or thirty years the system will need to be enlarged by an additional siphon pipe at Belle Isle inlet, and one at Shirley Gut, each 4 feet in diameter, and by an additional outlet pipe at Deer Island, also 4 feet in diameter, and by additional pumping machinery. In other respects the system is, as first to be constructed, of ample capacity to serve the district for 40 years.

The estimated cost of the whole work of trunk line and main branches, with outlet, with pumping machinery and all furnishing necessary for disposing of the sewage of the district when the population is 290,000—which is the estimated population in 1892—is $4,153,453. The additional expense in construciion to make the system capable of disposing of the sewage of the district 40 years hence, when the population shall have reached 513,000, will be due to the increased pumping capacity and to additional outlet and siphon pipes, amounting to $224,400 making the total cost for construction up to 1930, $4,383,853—*Malden City Press.*

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

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Reports from 151 American roads with an aggregate mileage of 89,723 miles show an increase of 7.30 percent in earnings for September.

Woman's Column.

Ghost Dances and Tomahawks vs. Women.

One of the most curious facts so far developed by the imperfect returns from South Dakota is that a larger proportion of votes were cast for Indian suffrage than for woman suffrage. The votes, so far as received, show that of 100 men voting on woman suffrage, 37 voted for and 63 against the women; while of 100 men voting on Indian suffrage 45 voted for and 55 against the Indians.

And now, within a month, these very voters are appealing to the U. S. Government for troops to defend them from these very Indians, crazed by fanaticism, who are spending their nights in whetting their tomahawks and in naked ghost-dances on the prairie, and their days in plotting devastation and massacre against their terrified white neighbors.

Was there ever before so striking a demonstration of the power of prejudice over reason, justice, and common sense? HENRY B. BLACKWELL.

Mrs. Dorothy Tennant Stanley visited Wellesley the other day, and expressed warm admiration of the college and grounds. The college girls gathered on the balconies and welcomed the bride of the distinguished African explorer with their own college cheer.

Mrs. Annie Baxter, of Jasper County, Missouri, has just been elected County Clerk. She was nominated on the Democratic ticket in a Republican county, which makes her success the more noteworthy. She is the first woman elected to this office in the South.

Virginia has no college for women, but one is in prospect. A land company of Lynchburg has offered to give Randolph-Macon College twenty acres of land for a women's college, and add $40,000 in money and $60,000 in bonds, provided $100,000 more is raised for the endowment fund.

Mrs. Mary Gould Eckhart passes triumphantly that test of practical capacity, the ability to keep a hotel. She owns the largest caterer's business in the western division of Chicago, manages it herself, and is noted for the invention of new and popular flavors and dishes.

Miss Alida M. Mehan is the school supervisor of Thomaston, Me. She has full authority over all the public schools of the town, and has discharged the duties of her responsible position so well that after a year's service she has been re-elected for another term. Miss Mehan is a graduate of Smith College, class of '84.

Mrs. Therese A. Jenkins, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, has just been appointed National Superintendent of Franchise for the W. C. T. U. There is an appropriateness in having this office filled by a woman of Wyoming. She can testify from personal experience to the good effects of equal suffrage in a community where it has prevailed for more than twenty years.

During the recent illness of Street Commissioner Beattie, of New York City, his department was controlled for a fortnight by his private secretary, Miss Cynthia Westover, who superintended 1,500 men. Miss Westover went about personally to decide which streets were in worst condition, and assigned every day the dumpcarts and sweepers. Knowing just how much money she could spend daily, she engaged or discharged hands accordingly, having harrowing experiences with Italians who sought to move her by bringing sick babies in their arms to prove that they must have work whatever the state of the department's treasury. Miss Westover is a woman of great executive ability. When no one was there to attend to it, she would herself measure a dump-cart's capacity. She is young and handsome, and is one of New York's four women notaries.

Great Discoverers.

What Bell and Edison are to the telephone and electricity, says the Pittsburg *News*, Dr. Franklin Miles, the well-known specialist in nervous diseases, is to the nervous system and nerve fluid. Among his numerous discoveries the Restorative Nervine is undoubtedly one of the greatest. It is unsurpassed in nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, epilepsy, neuralgia, backache, melancholly, sleeplessness, change of life, etc. *Free trial bottles* of it may be had of Charles H. Bass, Druggist. All should read his "*New and Startling Facts for the Afflicted*," a very able, interesting, and finely illustrated book. Free to all.

The only engine on the Maryland Southern railroad ran off the track into a ditch last year and there wasn't sufficient money in the treasury to restore it to its former position. The motive power is now supplied by two horses, who make the round trip of eighteen miles, from Hughesville to Brandywine and back, in eight hours when the mud is not very deep.

The Father

Of all diseases is impure blood, when loaded with foul humor. How important then that the blood should be pure, rich, and strong, without which there can be no health. To purify the blood Sulphur Bitters is incomparably the best medicine that it is possible to obtain.—THE EDITOR.

The returns of the Indian railways for the year just passed show encouraging financial results. The net loss to the state is just under 100 lacs of rupees, and is mainly due to military and guaranteed lines. The former were never expected to be remunerative, while the loss on the latter is chiefly due to the high rate of guaranteed interest.

The Illinois Central during the past year bought 89 locomotives, 65 passenger coaches, 2,650 freight cars, 10 baggage cars and 10 postal cars, built 40 bridges and laid 26,000 tons of rails.

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE

OF USEFUL GOODS AT

Munroe's Clothing House.

SILK UMBRELLAS with Silver and Natural Wood Handles. FUR CAPS and GLOVES all grades. ELEGANT BRACES, hand painted and embroidered in new and beautiful designs, also mounting for the same. JEWELRY, a fine line, including Cuff Buttons, Bosom Studs, Watch Chains, &c. SILK MUFFLERS and HANDKERCHIEFS. NECKWEAR: we have the finest assortment ever shown. LINEN COLLARS and CUFFS. GLOVES for party, street and driving wear. NOVELTIES in LEATHER GOODS for holding Collars and Cuffs, Toilet Articles, &c,

C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn.

Literary Notices.

The story in the December LIPPINCOTT is called An Army Portia and was written by Capt. Charles King, U. S. A. The short articles and poems are: Uncrowned, A Glance at the Tariff, I, Polycrates, After Reading Chaucer, The Burmuda Islands, To the Sunset Breeze, Types in Fiction, Book-Talk, With the Wits, etc.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for December contains much reading that will be interesting to everybody. Its contents are no less instructive than intertaining

The December number is one of the best, with which the ladies especially will be delighted.

We give the JOURNAL ($2 per year) and the COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 a year) for $2 IN ADVANCE.

The December number of ST. NICHOLAS has for frontispiece Rembrandt's wonderful portrait of himself, engraved by T. Johnson. This portrait is referred to in Mrs. Dodge's account of Holland and its strange features. There are to be two of these papers, and it is the first which here appears under the name "The Land of Pluck, fully illustrated by new drawings made expressly by George Wharton Edwards. New and old readers of Hans Brinker will welcome these sketches gladly. Another important contribution is The Story of the Golden Fleece, retold for American boys and girls by Andrew Lang, with illustrations by Birch—this number containing the introduction only. There are many other good things in the number which is a real holiday one. Each paper is finely illustrated.

The most important issue of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY in many months is the December number. It contains the first of a series of carefully written and generously illustrated articles on The Development of American Industries since Columbus. The manufacture of iron and steel is to be described by Mr. W. F. Durfee, and the opening paper deals with our First Steps in Iron-making. Mr. Appleton Morgan asks What shall we do with the "Dago"? The recent surprising discoveries of Dr. Henri Hertz in regard to electricity are given by Dr. Hertz himself. Rev. Dr. Henry C. McCook contributes Defenses of Burrowing Spiders, with illustrations. Mr. John C. Branner describes The Pororoca, or Bore, of the Amazon. In Architecture and the Environment Mr. Barr Ferree offers some practical observations in the interest of sound taste in building. The number contains many other papers of interest and value. Published by D. Appleton & Co., N. Y.

He Yelled Kemp's Balsam.

I yell "take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." I always do when I hear a man cough, and I can't help it. It saved me and it will cure you. I was threatened with pneumonia last winter and it broke it up. It helps the children out when their throats are sore, cures their coughs, and tastes so good. The first dose helps you. So writes A. R. Arnold, engineer on the West Shore Ry., at Canajoharie, N. Y.

The Minnesota supreme court has decided that all upper berths on sleeping cars must remain closed while unsold.

An Editor's Curious Find.

When the editor of The Athens *Banner* was living in St. James Goose Creek parish, near Charleston, S. C., he once found a large iron box in an old field, badly eaten with rust. Through curiosity he secured a hammer, and assisted by two negroes broke a hole into it, but some charred human bones and a small key that unlocked the chest were all that rewarded his pains. It was afterward learned that in the early settlement of Carolina an old bachelor left in his will $10,000 to anyone who would place his bones in an iron box and burn over it 100 cords of pine wood.

One key was to be placed in a bottle filled with lead, and dropped into a hole in Cooper river, where bottom was never found, and the other left in the coffin. A poor young man complied with the will, and was paid $10,000. The rest of the old man's money he buried, and no one ever found it. He believed that if a person's body was burned in this world he would escape fire in the next. The iron chest is doubtless still where it was left.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

It is a Mistake

To try to cure catarrh by using local applications. Catarrh is not a local but a constitutional disease. It is not a disease of the man's nose, but of the man. Therefore, to effect a cure, requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, expelling the taint which causes the disease, and imparting health.

It has been stated that the coming railway city is being located at Wall's Station on the Pennsylvania line fourteen miles east of Pittsburg. The company has secured 600 acres of land and will erect machine, repair and finishing shops. It is predicted that within a year the town will have a population of 4,000 people.

This is important to nine out of ten people; Old Sanl's Catarrh Cure is easily applied and will cure the worst cases of catarrh.

Mothers, if your baby suffers pain and is restless, do not stupefy it by administering opiates; but soothe it with a reliable remedy, such as Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Price only 25 cents.

The Busk-Ivanhoe tunnel through the Sauguache range will be 9,350 feet long, and will cost about $1,000,000. It will have only a single track through it, but will be as complete a piece of work of its kind as there is in the country.

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The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, DEC. 12, 1890.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WHY THEY DO IT.

Cambridge, Somerville, Malden and some other places near Boston voted in favor of continuing the plan of no license by good round majorities at their charter election this year. These cities vote for prohibition every time and solely because it pays. They are populous and would naturally go for rum, and yet they vote steadily against it at every election.

It is purely a matter of business with them. Even in boastful Somerville there are probably as many men to the acre who drink rum as there are in Woburn, but a large majority of them vote "No" when election day comes round. Why do they thus vote? Because it is money in their pockets to do so. It insures a better class of population, a higher standard of morals, more desirable social conditions, better prices for real estate, lower taxes, quick rents at good figures, and yields other things equally desirable.

The men who have money and social influence, although they indulge in the use of intoxicating liquors, vote against the establishment of the saloon in their own cities and towns. They know that the saloon keeps people from settling among them, and those who come are of the poorest kind of stuff to build a town of; that capital shuns it; real estate is a drug; and, taken by and large, the saloon town isn't a good residence town, nor a flourishing town, nor the best kind of a town to go to and make a home in.

Cambridge and Somerville and Malden understand these things—they don't want any saloon in theirs, and at every charter election they set their faces as flint against it. Thus those places flourish. They are growing at a wonderful rate. The best class of people are settling in them—people of wealth, culture, good morals, etc.; all over them fine residences are all the time going up; and Boston people are constantly seeking homes in them.

It is not so where the saloon flourishes. The cities named above know it, and therefore they vote "No" on the license question every chance they get. They go on the principle that "business is business."

BOSTON CITY ELECTION.

The city of Boston held her charter election last Tuesday and was captured by the Democracy, as usual. The worst political elements will continue to hold the fort and steal from the public crib without let or hindrance for another year at least.

Moody Merrill, the Republican candidate for Mayor, was defeated by 13,000 majority, and the wonder is that he got off as well as he did. He deserved it, and the Republicans deserved it too for not squelching him before he got his nomination papers in. He is politically not above suspicion, and his personal popularity is at a low ebb. The idea that he has, one time and another, been mixed up with official jobbing had much to do in downing him last Tuesday.

Merrill nominated himself. He had to because a large majority of his party were hotly opposed to his becoming a candidate. He has been a heavy load to carry during the campaign and his overthrow on Tuesday was a surprise to nobody.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Box 998—Wanted.
M. T. Allen—Citation.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Investment—For Sale.
B. F. Barnard—Probate.
C. E. Smith—Wall Paper.
P. O. Box 1045—For Sale.
P. F. Deloria—Ad's. Sale.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
J. W. Johnson—Mortg. Sale.
F. National Bank—An. Meeting.
J. W. Hammond & Son—Neckwear.

— The recount in Wards 4 and 7 resulted in no change.

— J. P. Shields, druggist, is putting in dead loads of holiday goods.

— There are stacks and stacks of beautiful books at Willard Smith's.

— Read what Copeland & Bowser have to say about Christmas goods.

— John I. Munroe is looking for a good landlord for the Hotel Windsor.

— Mr. Charles M. Munroe has something interesting to say in his card today.

— Yesterday was another of those balmy winter days when to live is a luxury.

— Tuesday last was a day that any lover of his country had a right to feel proud of.

— The high wind of a week ago smashed a valuable pane of glass in the postoffice.

— We are in receipt of the annual report of the President and Treasurer of Tufts College.

— Mrs. Anna Vaughn, the Court street milliner, is enjoying a handsome anti-holiday trade.

— We have received several nice publications from Mr. Warren Teel of Davenport, Iowa, lately.

— Mr. C. E. Smith has secured the stock of F. M. Frye and will sell wall papers, etc., at a big discount.

— The Public Library Bulletin just issued by Librarian Cutter is an improvement over former issues.

— City Clerk Moreland has suffered quite a spell of sickness of late, but he is on his feet again in good shape.

— Tomorrow evening the Woburn Blues Minstrels will give a concert at Fraternity Hall. They are good ones.

— Nahmeokee Council, D. of P., will give a social assembly at Red Men's Hall Wednesday evening, Dec. 27.

— Those who fail to attend James Kay Applebee's lecture on Charles Dickens this evening will miss a good thing.

— Martin Doyle of Bedford street had a carriage robe and whip stolen from his stable the other night. Look out for thieves.

— John I. Munroe has to let two nearly new Queen Ann houses centrally located on line of horse cars with bath room and water closets

— There was quite a nice bit of sleighing until the warm sun and wind of Tuesday took the snow all off. It was equally good wheeling.

— Last week Thursday John Maguire's little girl of 32 Highland street fell on the ice and broke her right arm. She was sent to the hospital.

— The Boston Water Board have enjoined the Tufts College Block in this city (old Wade Block) from emptying its sewerage into Meadow Brook.

— Mr. M. Downs of Cummingsville is canvassing this city for subscribers to some standard literary works and is meeting with good success.

— The Boston Branch, Fitz & Stanley proprietors, is full and running over with fruits, nuts, confections, canned goods, etc., for Christmas.

— The ice on Horn Pond is several inches thick and the boys are having great fun skating on it. There will be no shortage in the ice crop this winter.

— The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Woburn First National Bank for the election of officers will be held in the Bank parlors on Jan. 12 next.

— Mr. Levi W. Cooper of Taunton while here visiting last week fell on the ice and broke his left arm. Dr. Seth W. Kelley was called and attended to the case.

— A few days since Dr. S. W. Kelley was called to treat George F. Barton, engineer at the Glue Works, who had a shoulder thrown out of joint by a severe fall.

— On one of the freezing nights of last week Patrick Garrity of Montvale went into a shed near home to sleep and had his feet so badly frozen that he was sent to the Mass. Gen. Hospital.

— The Womans Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will give an entertainment on the evening of the 16th instant which will be likely to attract a large attendance. It will be something worth attending.

— The Armory Committee are examining plans for a new building to accommodate the soldiery of the city. Land has been bought of Mrs. Timothy Winn near the present site of the Episcopal church.

— A number of her very good friends gave Miss May Simonds a surprise party on Thursday evening of last week at her home, No. 33 Green St. It was a very happy affair and highly pleasing to Miss May.

— Mrs. Ann B. Skinner received a paralytic shock on Thursday at 9 A. M. from which she died at an early hour this morning. She leaves three children, James and Jennie Skinner and Mrs. J. K. Murdock.

— Mr. Lovell, the druggist, returned from New Hampshire last week where he had been in response to a summons to come to his very sick child. He remained until it was out of danger and then returned to his business.

— Especial attention is directed to the advertisement of holiday goods by Mr. Lovell in this paper. We advise our people not to go to Boston for their holiday presents until they have given Lovell's a careful examination.

— Young Mr. French, who for some time has been acting as assistant to General Secretary Bailey of the Woburn Y. M. C. A., has charge of the Winchester Y. M. C. A. during the illness and absence of the General Secretary.

— Brewster Colony, No. 19, U. O. P. F., will on Dec. 18th, initiate six candidates into the Colony; the election of officers will also take place. In Jan. 1, 1891, the Colony will give a New Years party to visiting Colonies and Deputies.

— One day last week Frank B. Woodward, an employee of the building firm of Singer & Brown, fell from the Highland school building in course of construction, a distance of 20 feet, and was seriously injured, Dr. Chalmers was called.

— Miss Crosby, for six years a missionary at the Micronesian Islands, will speak before the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church on Friday evening, Dec. 12. All are cordially invited to attend.—Y. P. S. C. E Mis. Com.

— A non-partisan movement has been started by prominent citizens to have Mr. Lawrence Reade reappointed postmaster at the expiration of his present term. He is very popular with all parties and hard work will be done to retain him.

— Rev. Mathew F. McDonnell received a substantial money gift from the Married Womens Sodality of St. Charles (R. C.) Church in this city a few days ago. Fr. McDonnell maintains a high standing with the parishioners of St. Charles.

— Henry F. Davis, member of the firm of J. F. Freeman & Co., machinists, left last Monday for New York City, Michigan, Pennsylvania, etc., on business, and will return via Washington, D. C., for pleasure.

— Mr. Charles Flagg, a native of Woburn, aged about 71 years, and a citizen well esteemed, died at his home at No. 662 Main street, at noon on Wednesday last quite suddenly. He had been in poor health for several years. He left a wife and three children.

— On the evening of the 16th instant the Womans Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will give an entertainment of a unique character. The name of it is "Envelope Party," the same to wind up with an "Orange Tree." The admission to it will be only 10 cents.

— Mr. J. L. Smith, of Lock's Hill, Winchester, an old time acquaintance of the skipper of this craft, paid the JOURNAL office his annual visit last Tuesday and found people in it who were glad to see him. His farm and hospitable home are on Ridge street, and there he takes comfort, as he deserves to do.

— One of the best Christmas presents for a man is a Shaving Stand in English Oak. The mirror is adjustable to any height and revolves sideways. The drawers are finished with razor racks, cup boxes and all compartments. These stands can be purchased very low at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— Miss Lena Brown, who was appointed Second Assistant Principle of the High School in this city, is a daughter of Mr. Wilbur Brown of Pleasant street, a graduate of Wellesley College, and a very bright and highly accomplished young lady. The choice of the Board will no doubt turn out to be very judicious one for the cause of education here.

— James Kay Applebee will give his celebrated lecture on "Charles Dickens, Sentimentalist and Humorist" under the auspices of the Friday Night Club, Friday, Dec. 12, at 7. 30 p. m., at the Unitarian church. Mr. Applebee is one of the most popular lecturers in New England. The price of admission is designed simply to cover expenses and is but ten cents.

— The productions which we present from the busy pen of our regular antiquarian contributor this week are of great interest to many people in this city who, we dare say, will duly appreciate their value as additions to the history of the old place and take care to choicely preserve them. Other good things from the same pen will soon appear in the columns of the JOURNAL.

— Branch No. 428, O. I. H., have elected the following officers: Chief Justice, Herbert M. Blanchard; Vice-Justice, William H. Huber; Adjuster, Sylvanus Patterson; Prelate, Adoniram J. Chute; Herald, Algernon B. Kidd; Watchman, Thomas S. Casey; Vidette, Sewall D. Samson; Past Chief Justice, Nathaniel Jenkins; Trustees, Sewall D. Samson, Nathaniel Jenkins, Charles E. Tripp.

— Dr. Frank W. and Mrs. Graves have recently secured and hung up in the parlor of their pleasant residence one of Albert Thompson's best paintings. It is a fine piece of work and justifies the pride which its present owners take in it. It is a cattle and landscape piece (work in which Mr. Thompson excels), and it is doubtful if Mr. Thompson has ever done anything better with his brush.

— It is expected that Florence Howe-Hall will address the Woburn Woman's Club on Friday next, Dec. 19, and if so, her theme will be "The Art of Conversation." The lady is the daughter of Julia Ward Howe so well known in literary circles, on the platform, and in Boston society, and is said to be as gifted and learned as her brilliant mother. Her appearance on the rostrum here will doubtless attract a large number of Woburn's cultivated people.

— Last Tuesday evening the following officers were elected by Baldwin Council, 125, Royal Arcanum; Regent, Henry H. Leathe; Vice-Regent, Algernon B. Kidd; Orator, Francis A Partridge; Secretary, Edward C. Leathe; Collector, Thomas B. Evans; Treasurer, Alva S. Wood; Chaplain, Sewall D. Samson; Guide, Nathaniel Jenkins; Warden, Seth T. Gifford, Sentry, William Miller; Trustees, Frederic A. Fint, James Buel, Charlie A. Jones.

— Post 161, G. A. R. held their annual election last week and chose the following officers; Commander, Dr. Frank W. Graves; Senior Vice, James L. Pinkham; Junior Vice, George H. Ayer; Surgeon, John W. Nichols; Chaplain, J. Howard Nason; Quartermaster, Newall Z. Tabor; Officer of the Day, Benjamin F. Smith; Officer of Guard, Benjamin F. Story; Delegates to Department Convention, Dr. Frank W. Graves, James L. Pinkham, John Maloney; Alternate, Edwin F. Wyer.

— Dealers in holiday goods miss it by not displaying them earlier. Most people want to buy presents more at their leisure and not be compelled to keep on a regular jump and strike to get what they are after. In default of finding holiday goods here these folks, tired of waiting, go into Boston and spend their money there. Then our dealers don't like it and get on their ears. Fetch out your Christmas gift goods, gentlemen and ladies—your best and handsomest—and give the people a chance to buy before the rush sets in.

— The new steamer "Boston" of the Yarmouth Steamship Company Line made an exhibition trip down the Harbor last Monday afternoon with several scores of prominent Boston gentlemen as guests of the Company. The sail occupied about three hours and a half and was a pleasant affair. The "Boston," a large and elegant steamer, was thoroughly examined and much admired by the people aboard of her on this exhibition trip. The JOURNAL returns thanks for complimentary tickets.

— We have reason to believe that the idea of doing away with the literary exhibition of the High School graduation next June is a popular one with the class. Indeed, we have been informed that all of its 32 members, except perhaps 3 or 4, have expressed a desire to omit the customary oratorical display, and for reasons which, when made public, will commend themselves to the good judgment of every one. Not only are the members of the class strongly in favor of it but their parents and guardians heartily endorse the very sensible scheme.

— Rev. F. W. March, son of Rev. Dr. March of this city, addressed a good audience in the vestry of the First Congregational church last Sunday evening on the subject of "Missionary Work among the Arabs." He has labored as a preacher and pastor in Syria for many years past, his latest residence having been at Tripoli in that country. At present he and his family are visiting America for rest and recuperation, and the date of their return is yet to be fixed. What Mr. March had to tell about the Arabs was highly interesting. He gave facts concerning them which were new to many of his listeners. Their habits and general mode of life; their peculiar characteristics; what progress they have made towards becoming Christians; and other topics were talked about and made clear. The address was instructive as well as entertaining, and it seemed to have been well appreciated by the large body of listeners present.

— Next Tuesday evening, at 8.15, the N. Y. Branch of the Society of Science, Letters and Art, of London, will hold the first Ordinary meeting in the Hall of the N. Y. College of Music, 173 East 70th street, to attend which a polite invitation has been extended to the JOURNAL by the Officers, Fellows and Members per hand of Ephraim Cutter, M. D., LL. D., who is President of the Branch. The programme embraces some 8 master-pieces of the most eminent composers, which will be executed be a large array of New York's best musical talent.

— Rev. H. C. Parker, pastor of the Unitarian church in this city, delivered the first of a series of ten Sunday discourses on the Bible last Sabbath morning to the edification of his congregation. It was entitled "How Bibles Grow." The remaining nine will be given in the following order and are entitled: How we came to have a Bible, The Old Testament, The Bridge Between the Testaments, The New Testament, The Morality of the Bible, The Religion of the Bible, The Inspiration of the Bible, The Right and Wrong Uses of the Bible, What has Bible done for Civilization?

— A little snow fell again on Saturday but a heavy rain through the night swept it nearly all away. Early on Sunday morning it cleared off cold when the remaining snow and rain froze together, and meeting time Sunday would have found the sidewalks in a very slippery and dangerous condition had not Supt. Jones given them a good sanding early in the morning. We have been having quite a variety of weather since the 1st of last November and may look for more of it during the next two months if there is any reliance to be placed on the prognostications of professional and unprofessional weather prophets, the preponderance of whose testimony is in favor of a very cold and boisterous winter with great quantities of snow in New England, especially on the Atlantic coast.

— Councilman-elect of Ward 3, Marcellus Littlefield, Esq., has severed his long connection with the Boston *Herald*, so rumor says, as Woburn reporter and has been succeeded by Mr. Hudson who was formerly its summer resort correspondent for some time. Littlefield was a good newspaper man. His reports of local goings-on were always sought because they were felt to be reliable. Accuracy in giving "bottom facts" was his best hold and his stories of happenings, doings and sayings here were always depended upon as being pretty close up to the chalk-line. We are sorry to lose 'Cel from the guild for he is more than an average good fellow besides being a firstclass reporter, but the people of this city have called him to a seat high up in their councils, and like the true patriot that he is he obeys their summons and makes the sacrifice. Bye, bye, Marcellus.

— Last Saturday Alderman S. B. Goddard of Ward 1, the well known and successful Woburn-Boston insurance agent, and E. L. Shaw, Esq., of Shaw Brothers, leather makers, started from this city for East Tennessee for two or three weeks of quail shooting in that favored region for feathered game. They anticipated great pleasure during their absence, and the JOURNAL hopes they will not be disappointed. Mr. Goddard is an old sportsman and has probably shot over more miles of Western prairie for grouse, quail, etc., than any other man in these parts. His love of the sport has carried him nearly all over Minnesota, large tracts in Iowa and Illinois, in Kentucky and other game regions of the South. He has also in times past done a good deal of shooting in the woods, fields and pastures of New England. He loves it, and will no doubt enjoy his trip to East Tennessee very much indeed. We do not know how much of a sportsman Mr. Shaw is, but presume he is something of a hand at it, and will therefore have a good time with Mr. Goddard during their fortnight's visit to the South.

Even Skeptics Wilt.

To himself and the world in which he moves, the skeptic is a most uncomfortable being. Doubting, vascillating, halting, suspicious creature that he is, he almost distrusts the honesty of the song of the morning lark. But now and then he is brought to earth, and many a time and oft hath he been obliged to acknowledge the purity, effectiveness and saving qualities of Brussels soap, so dear to every tidy housekeeper. It's economical.

"Caste."

We affirm without fear of successful contradiction that the production of the above drama at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday by a local company of amateur play-actors was as artistically meritorious and gave as much pleasure to those who were there and heard it as any professional company at the Boston Museum or any other city theatre could have done. It was a great success from all points of view. There hasn't been a better dramatic entertainment given in Woburn since the Year One. A crowded house highly enjoyed it and gave frequent expression to their feelings.

As "Eccles," the leading character in the piece, T. Marvin Parker was brilliant, and Lottie Woodman's "Esther Eccles" could not have been surpassed in good acting by the best professionals on the Boston boards. We are telling just what we know.

"Hon. George D'Alroy" was admirably represented by Mr. E. Q. Brackett, and as "Capt. Hawtree," Prof. S. W. Mendum was about as near perfect as they make them this season. Dr. M. H. Allen, too, did "Samuel Gerridge" up brown.

Of course it is needless to say that Miss Alice M. Grammer and Miss Edia F. Davis ("Polly Eccles") filled their parts in the play to perfection, for this is their way of doing such things.

The public owe the managers of this superb dramatic exhibition a debt of gratitude for furnishing them with an evening of rare pleasure. If this company will give us such entertainments at reasonably short intervals this winter the Boston Theatres will get less patronage than usual from the people of this city.

Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held last Friday evening, Emery of Ward 7 being absent. Councilman Grant called attention to the fact that the committee on new Armory had not reported the fact that the Winn land purchase carried with it a 40-foot street. The monthly report of the city Auditor was read and put on file. A communication was received from James Skinner resigning the position of Sinking Fund Commissioner; Accepted. Reports of committees: Finance, sanitary on the Common by Beggs of Ward 3, inexpedient to Legislate; accepted. Street Lights, petition of Messrs. Barnard, Foster, Kelley, Quinn and others, leave to withdraw; accepted.

Under the head of unfinished business the resignation of City Auditor William E. Blodgett was accepted. Elections to fill vacancies: Sinking Fund Commissioner, William Beggs had 1; Edward D. Hayden 1; Benjamin Hinkley 8, and was elected. Auditor of accounts, blank 1; Charlie A. Jones 9, and was elected.

ALDERMEN.

There was a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen last Tuesday evening. Goddard and Ramsdell absent. The Mayor called attention to the fact that no notice had been received from the Common Council in regard to its action in filling vacancies in certain city offices, and remarked that action should be taken at once. Benjamin Hinckley was chosen a member of the Sinking Fund Commission vice James Skinner, resigned, and Charlie A. Jones was chosen Auditor of Accounts vice William A. Blodgett, resigned. Certain papers from the Common Council were concurred in. The Joint Committee on the new Central Square Schoolhouse was authorized to buy the Thompson estate on Main street, opposite Clinton street, at Central Square, for 12 1-2 cents per foot. The Chief of Police reported 21 arrests for November, and the Overseers of the Poor reported for the same month, families assisted, 40; persons, 176; money paid, $27; groceries, $131; fuel, $57.65; total, $218.62. Petitions for a recount of votes for Councilmen were received from Wards 4 and 7. Adjourned to Thursday evening to make the recount.

Hotel Windsor.

The closing of the Windsor Hotel in this city has been a serious loss to many of the best class in the community.

This popular Hotel Home has been so successfully and fairly conducted by Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald that to be obliged to quit its pleasant associations brought to those who knew most about it a feeling of personal loss.

It is said that the Decalogue and The Golden Rule find no place in the body politic, but the ruling spirit in the conduct of this Hotel under its conscientious head was that to do as we desire to be done by brings its own reward. In no case was there overreaching.

It is to be hoped that in the future some such House as that conducted by Mrs. McDonald will be opened; the people demand just such a Temperance Hotel, over the threshold of which no alcoholic beverages can come. Shall there be such a House in our city? or, shall the voice of the "Chief Priest" and those who cry aloud prevail!

We take this opportune moment to extend to Mrs. McDonald thanks for so long serving the city's people in the courteous spirit which was always extended to the guests at the Windsor.—X.

K. of P.

For some time several of our leading citizens have had under consideration the matter of organizing a Lodge of the Knights of Pythias and on Tuesday evening, Dec. 30th, the Grand Lodge Officers will visit the city and institute a Lodge in Grand Army Hall, Post 33.

On the list of the petition are a large number of our prominent people, and we understand that many more have signified their intention of signing before the charter list is closed. All who have signed and all who intend signing should call on B. F. Waldron, 377 Main St., and sign the book.

There is a large field in this city for this society to build on, and, as it is one of the oldest established fraternal societies, we bespeak for its success from the start.

We are informed that already the Knights of Pythias number upwards of three hundred thousand members in this country, which is certainly a grand showing.

Gentlemen, now is your time to join and receive the benefit of the order at a very low price.

The Scandinavians.

The Scandinavian Sewing Circle will hold an Auction Sale in Concert Hall, Savings Bank Building, Saturday evening at 7 o'clock to raise some money to help carrying on their Evangelical mission work in this city. They need your help: will you not do something for them?

The Scandinavian Evangelical Free Church of this city held its annual meeting last Saturday evening when the following officers were elected: Moderator, Chas. R. Rosenquist; Clerk, Gustof Anderson; Treasurer, N. C. Olson; Trustees, S. Froberg, A. J. Simonson, Aug. Erlandson and Alfred L. Olson.

The Scandinavian Evangelical Free Church of this city is going forward "slowly but surely." It is hoped that before long the Society will occupy the vestry for their meetings. Have you done anything for helping this worthy cause along? If not please do not forget to do so, as a good deal of money is yet needed if they shall be able to get the building completed.—X.

A Bad Accident.

About 1.30, p. m. yesterday Jacob Brown, Esq., of Canal St., fell from his house a distance of 30 feet, the fall breaking his right hip and dislocating his left shoulder. Drs. Harlow and Graves of this city and Cowdry of Stoneham were in attendance and towards evening a Mass. Gen. Hospital surgeon was sent for.

Some School Notes.

The newspaper reporter who succeeds in corraling anything concerning the doings of the school authorities of this city has reason to congratulate himself. This too whether he gets his news by hook, or by crook. The "executive session" is his bane. That ancient and moss-covered custom still holds sway in the U. S. Senate and Woburn School Board, although the former (and less important) body have made commendable efforts of late to do away with it, and will probably get shut of the fossilized old habit in the course of a year or two.

Once in awhile, though, the public get hold of bits of information respecting the proceedings of the School Board through the columns of the JOURNAL and are supposed to be duly grateful for the same. We would remark here, par parenthesis, that the public are beholden to the JOURNAL for information regarding many matters of which they would be obliged to remain in crass ignorance but for its industry and enterprise.

The resignation of Principal Dow of the High School was a genuine surprise to a great many people. It was thought by the most of them, and hoped, that he was an educational fixture in this city. He enjoys the reputation among those where he has taught of possessing peculiar and superior qualifications for a successful prosecution of the pedagogic profession. He is well in the front among the craft, and has always made a success of the business wherever prosecuted by him. There can be no doubt but that the High School has lost a mighty good man in Principal Dow.

The Board appointed Sub-Master Samuel W. Mendum to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Dow. If he would cease his very persistant advocacy of the most obnoxious political principles and drop the reprehensible habit he has of hurling political interrogation points at the heads of inoffensive people, the JOURNAL would raise both hands in approval of his appointment to fill the chief place in the High School. Mr. Mendum has the credit of being a thorough scholar, a linguist of uncommon gifts and acquirements, a student, a good disciplinarian, and they all say he is immensely popular with the classes in his department. Barring his politics, Mr. Mendum is a worthy young man, and that he is a good teacher we all know.

The other appointments made by the Board, to wit: Miss Daly to fill the place in the Cummings school made vacant by the resignation of Miss Winn; Miss Preston and Miss Brown for Assistants to Principal Mendum in the High School, will no doubt turn out to be of the very best, for the young women named are well educated and have had experience in the art of teaching "the young idea how to shoot."

The holiday vacation will begin at noon on Dec. 24, and the schools will reopen on Jan. 5, 1891. [Do you mind those last figures, boys and girls? —1891!]

The Board have received no official information respecting a rumor that the graduating exhibition of class '91 is to be omitted next June, although it is current in educational circles. If the subject should be presented to the Board it will receive all the attention which its importance demands.

Superintendent F. B. Richardson pursues the even tenor of his way and keeps the reins of school government safely in hand. Under his conscientious and intelligent administration our public schools are in an advanced and prosperous condition.

It is an extravagant man who will hang himself with a pair of fifty cent suspenders when ten cents worth of clothes line will do the job just as expeditiously and as well, and it is an extravagant woman woman who will use any other than Brussels soap, for the same reason.

Boston Theatres.

Monday evening, Dec. 15th, will witness the return of the favorites to the Globe Theatre—The Hanlon Brothers. They will present their latest and grandest spectacular creation, "Superba;" introducing gorgeous new scenery, beautiful costumes, wonderful transformations and bewildering and astonishing tricks. Over one hundred people appear in the play and it takes three cars to transport the scenery. The Hanlon Brothers are a strong drawing card, meeting with the biggest kind of success whenever they visit the Globe. They will remain only one week, with matinees Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.

For one week commencing Monday, Dec. 15, A Bunch of Keys will gingle at the Grand Opera for the amusement of every body. This is one of Charles H. Hoyt's best productions. It is brought out at the Grand Opera on a grander scale than ever before. The "Grand View" hotel scene introduces two upstairs rooms, elevator, electric bells and all the mechanical effects. Usual matinees Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

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School Meeting.

A special meeting of the School Committee was held one evening last week. The resignation of Herbert B. Low as Principal of the High School, was accepted, and Samuel W. Mendum was chosen Principal. The latter has been Sub-Master for two or three years. The salary was fixed at $1500, which is to include that of Military Instructor. Miss Alice Preston was chosen Assistant at a salary of $500, and Miss Lena H. Brown, Second Assistant at a salary of $450. Miss Brown now conducts a private school at Natick.

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[Written for the Woburn Journal.]

The Age of an Interesting Relic.

THE JOSHUA REED HOUSE IN BURLINGTON.

In 1889 Mr. Leonard Thompson visited Woburn, England, and on the same tour, in company with Mr. Horace Wyman of Worcester, a native of Woburn, and his son Mr. Horace W. Wyman, visited West Mill, the place in England whence the first Wymans came to America two centuries and a half ago. The experiences of these gentlemen during their trip to West Mill were described in an interesting article by Mr. Horace Wyman in a recent number of the "American Photographer," *and illustrated by handsome photographs taken by Mr. Wyman by the Kodak process. In October last the same three gentlemen, accompanied by W. R. Cutter, made a trip to an interesting curiosity in the northern part of Burlington, an ancient house, known in recent years, indeed for many years, as the "Joshua Reed house," situated near the junction of the boundary lines of the towns of Burlington, Billerica, and Bedford. This house was for a century and a quarter, or, perhaps, even, a century and a half, the house of one of the branches of the numerous Wyman family of Woburn, whose common ancestors, Francis and John Wyman, were among the first settlers of the good old town of Woburn as early as the year 1640, both being subscribers to the original town orders governing its settlement.

Here again Mr. Horace Wyman took a number of photographs with his excellent instrument, resulting in a series of five, representing the front, the rear, and the two ends of the old house, and one of the well adjoining the house, a set of which has been given to the Woburn Public Library and will be placed on exhibition in its antique collection.

The present owner of the house, Mr. Joshua Reed, is very old, and has resided in it upwards of sixty years. The form and fashion of the house show it to have existed prior to the time of King Philip's War (1675-1676) and, indeed, we think we can show that it was in existence a number of years before that date, or about, say, 1666 or 1668. The case might be stated in the form of the following inscription.

OLD JOSHUA REED HOUSE
in north part of Burlington.

Supposed date of building about 1666 to 1668. It was arranged to be used as a garrison house and the port holes are still to be seen.

This house was located on the two Wymans' farm of 500 acres in Woburn, adjoining Billerica line, being the farm in that place of the brothers Francis and John Wyman, who were among the earliest settlers of the town of Woburn. Their ancestral home in England was the parish of West Mill, in the County of Hertford, where their father, Francis, died about 1658, and where his son Thomas Wyman remained. The Coytemore grant of 500 acres being laid out against the Billerica line and purchased by the Wymans, was located at their farm at that point in Woburn bounds, and next adjoining their land "where their houses stand." The date of this transaction of the General Court was May 15, 1667. Cf. Lewis & Co.'s *History of Middlesex County*, p. 350. The purchase of this farm by the Wymans made their "farm" in this locality one thousand acres, and this house of Joshua Reed's was one of the "houses" mentioned as standing on their original 500 acre farm in 1667, as stated in the colony records above quoted. It is not supposed that any house existed there before 1666.

The supposition is ventured also that the other "house" was the famous Amos Wyman house in this same vicinity, and a neighboring house, now no longer in existence; the house where Hancock and Adams retreated after their dinner of April 19, 1775, and where in lieu of a better supply they were forced to dine off cold salt pork and potatoes served in a wooden tray.

To verify the age of the Joshua Reed house a few items are cited from the first volume of the Woburn town records:

A country rate made the 18th of August, 1674, specifies separately the entries relating to Francis Wyman, for his farm, and for his house and estate in the town, or the "village," now Woburn Centre. The farm was the estate at the Billerica line.

John Wyman is treated in a similar way in the same list, viz., for his farm, and for his house and estate in the town. For the "farm" the brothers were taxed alike in equal amounts.

In a rate for the country in the town of Woburn, August 23, 1675; Francis Wyman, Senior, is taxed for his person and estate at farm, and Francis Wyman, at Woburn, or his estate and property at the centre village. John Wyman, Senior, is entered for persons and estate, and other Wymans are mentioned. The fact that Francis was entered for his "person and estate at farm," would show that he was then living there, and in the midst of the period of King Philip's war, then raging in the settlements about them. This would confirm the family tradition that the Wymans occupied a frontier post for the protection of Woburn inhabitants in that war; and that however obscure may have been this quarter in recent years or even at the opening of the Revolution a century or more ago, that at that time of direful Indian trouble, it was a post of the utmost importance as a shield against the insidious foe, and hence the reason of the port holes still so prominently seen. All honor to the courage of Francis Wyman who occupied this frontier post, and apparently this very house, at that serious time.

After peace had been established and the savage foe conquered and the remnants of his forces scattered, a town rate made December 22, 1679, mentions

Francis Wyman, for Dunham's house, and for his Wyman's farm—and John Wyman, for his farm—1-x, so much, etc. The farm being the one we have so frequently mentioned.

Dunham's house was near where Mr. Ward Wyman's brick house now is, at Central Square, Woburn, and the land at this place was known for many years as Dunham's lot, and a pond once existing there was called Dunham's pond.

Thus this house of the present Joshua Reed is one of the oldest structures now standing in the ancient limits of the town of Woburn. It is at least two hundred and twenty-three years old, and we hope a strong effort may be made to preserve it in its present antique condition.—C.

*The American Amateur Photographer (vol. 2, No. 9) for Oct. 1890; "One Day of Vacation Abroad," by Horace Wyman.

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A CARD.

In deepest grief but most sincere regard, to the teachers and pupils of the High School, the Society of Christian Endeavor, the Daughters of Rebekah, and all the friends and acquaintances who did so much to comfort and assist us in our late affliction, and paid such beautiful and consoling tributes to the departed—Emily Taylor Weir—the hearts of her sorrowing mother and brother are drawn in deepest tenderness and gratitude.

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Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Dec. 6, 1890.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: How we came to have our Bible. Christmas collection will be taken at 6 p. m.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "Preparation for meeting God." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. A service of song, followed by a short sermon and prayer meeting. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Doubt." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Lecture by the pastor at 7 p. m. Subject: "The evening Guest." The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evening.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. Henry Mathews of Somerville. At 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting. At 7 p. m. Revival Services conducted by Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting. Friday evening Class meeting.

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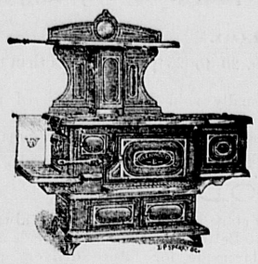

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[Written for the Woburn Journal.]

Ferdinando Gorges and Edward Johnson.

On P. 339 of Lewis & Co.'s *Hist. of Middx. Co*, the writer said: "Edward Johnson was probably the best known citizen of the town in his time in the Commonwealth. His fame extended even in his lifetime to England, where an English Squire printed in London his unique and valuable 'History of New England' as his own production. For many years the fraud upon the labor and brains of our worthy town father passed unrecognized; but posterity now recognizes its true source, and his name and fame are assured as the author of that early New England history."

A recent discovery shows that this statement is an unjust aspersion upon the character and memory of Ferdinando Gorges, and the following is published as an explanation of the true cause of the difficulty:

Mr. James Phinney Baxter in the preface to vol. ii. of his "Sir Ferdinando Gorges and His Province of Maine" (Boston, 1890) calls attention to the position assumed by him in the discussion of the subject of Edward Johnson's work, and says on p. 175 of that volume, that "so much has been written concerning the literary work of the grandson of Sir Ferdinando Gorges, that it is thought best . . . . . to fully examine the Gorges Tracts, so called, consisting of four distinct works, usually bound together, and of which the third is the work of Edward Johnson, which was published anonymously five years before the other three works, which are genuine works of the elder and younger Gorges." "This third tract," he says, "the 'Wonder Working Providence' of Johnson, has in place of its original titlepage a spurious one, bearing upon it the name of the elder Gorges; which has caused several writers to bring against the younger Gorges the grave charge of fraud." Mr. Baxter proceeds to examine the question in some detail, which it is not necessary to repeat, and affirms that the "Wonder Working Providence," a work of two hundred and thirty-six pages, was written by Edward Johnson. "The fraud," continues Mr. Baxter, "if such was really intended by the publisher . . . . . lies simply in prefacing the 'Wonder-working Providence' of an anonymous author, now known to have been Edward Johnson, with a preface bearing the name of Sir Ferdinando Gorges and the titlepage of 'America Painted to the Life'." Mr. Baxter then proceeds to defend the younger Gorges from the accusation of deception, and lays the blame on the publisher. A number of copies of this work having been left on his hands unsold, he conceived the idea of binding them with the works of the two Gorges which were upon the same subject, and which, it is probable, had had a small sale, and thus create a new demand for them. The original Gorges tracts, three in number, were first issued by themselves, and the publisher afterwards added to them the "Wonder-working Providence:" "But, fortunately for the posthumous fame of Ferdinando Gorges, he discovered the fraud," says Baxter, "and promptly denounced it in a public manner. This act of Gorges, however, it is but fair to say, was unknown to the critics, since his denunciation of the fraud was hidden away in an old newspaper, 'The Mercurius Publicus,' bearing the date of September 13th, 1660, and of which but one copy, now in the British Museum, is known to exist. This important evidence of the innocence of Gorges is as follows:

ADVERTISEMENT.

I FERDINANDO GORGES, the entituled Author of a late Book, called AMERICA PAINTED TO THE LIFE, am injured in that additional Part, called SION'S SAVIOUR IN NEW ENGLAND, (as written by SIR FERDINANDO GORGES,) that being none of his, and formerly printed in another name, the true owner.

"This, of course, forever exonerates Ferdinando Gorges from the charge of fraud with which his critics have so cruelly assailed his memory." (*Ibd.* p. 185.)—C

Woburn Mutual Benefit Association.

The trustees of the Woburn Mutual Benefit Association held their semi-annual meeting at College Block last Tuesday evening. John G. Maguire, President of the Association, presided.

The work of the evening was to consider the numerous applications for membership.

Adjourned to Monday evening, Dec. 15, at the same place, when the further consideration of applications will be in order.

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North Woburn.

Mrs. Lewis F. Bond and daughter are passing a few days in Newark, New Jersey.

A sociable and entertainment will be held in the vestry of the Congregational church on Friday evening, Dec. 12.

The fine coasting is a source of great pleasure to the young people. Every pleasant evening their merry voices may be heard and now and then the familiar "Clear the Track."

Saturday, Nov. 29, Misses Hattie Cutter and Bertha Ward of Boston visited their aunt, Mrs. N. P. Sevrens, at 28 Ward street, where there were a number of young folks to meet them. The evening was passed in having an enjoyable time and after refreshments were served all retired well pleased.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Green were surprised at their residence last Friday evening, Dec. 5, (it being their fifteenth wedding anniversary) by friends and neighbors with a china dining set and from Hose 2 (of which Mr. Green is a member) an eight day French clock. Mr. and Mrs. Green are highly respected as neighbors and he as a citizen. They were very much surprised but responded with heartfelt thanks, after which refreshments were served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Page, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mack, Miss E. Tuttle, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eaton, Miss A. Sevrens, Mr. and Mrs. R. Green, Mrs. E. Blanchard, Mr. R. Poole, Mrs. W. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sevrens, Mrs. E. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Curtis, Mr. G. Tuttle, Mr. and Mrs. W. Blaisdell, Mr. G. Wyman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Greeley, Mr. W. Green.

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Investors must have noticed during the recent financial depression, that good copper stocks stood the strain better than most any other kind of securities.

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The American Loan and Trust Co., of Boston, are Trustees for Bondholders, interest payable May 1st and November 1st.

Obituary.

HON. ISRAEL KIMBALL died at his residence in Washington last Wednesday evening after a brief illness. Mr. Kimball was born in Wells, Me., and was graduated from Bowdoin College in the class of 1839. He was a brother of Mr. George W. Kimball of this city, and Mr. William Kimball of Wilton, N. H., formerly a Woburn merchant. In the winter of 1862 he went to Washington in response to a telegram from Secretary Chase and became Chief of Division in the just organized Department of Internal Revenue.

Burlington.

G. H. Bennett and C. Bennett have been drawn as jurors to serve at the Superior Court at East Cambridge.

Rev. W. Murphy of Middleton preached at the church Sunday afternoon. He had an excellent sermon from the text, 1 Sam. 26; 21.

The Centre school was opened for the winter term last Monday with a goodly number of scholars. Mr. H. Kirmeyer of the Bridgewater Normal School is the teacher.

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By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on **Saturday, the third day of January,** in the year A. D. 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, a lot of land containing about five acres, with the buildings thereon, situated in Wilmington, in said County, on the north side of the County road leading from Lowell to Salem, formerly known as the "Stimpson Place," and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises, at a stake and stones at said road and land formerly of Joseph Davis; thence the line runs northerly by land last named to a stake and stones in an acute angle in the fence, at land formerly of T. D. Bond; thence southwesterly by said last named land, by the fence, to said road; thence easterly by said road to the first named bound. Said premises are same as first lot of land described in deed of Washington P. Damon to Ella M. Damon, dated February 1st, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 179, Page 172, and same as lot in deed of said Ella M. Damon to Joseph A. Phelps, recorded in said Registry, Book 187, Page 352.

Also, I shall sell, by virtue of said license, at public auction, on Saturday the third day of January, A. D. 1891, at thirty minutes past ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereinafter described, one other lot of land containing about twenty-two acres seven rods, situated in the northwesterly part of said Wilmington and part in Tewksbury, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises at a stake and stones at land now, or late, of T. D. Bond; thence westerly by last named land 34 rods to a stake and stones at same land; thence northerly by the old road and fence 56 rods 8 links to a stake and stones at same land; thence westerly by same land 398 feet to a stake and stones at same land; thence northerly by same land 314 feet to a pair of bars; thence northerly by a private way 4581 feet by heirs of William Pringle to a stake and stones at land of said heirs; thence easterly by same land 486 feet to a stake at land of Laura A. Miller; thence southerly by last named land 822 feet to a stake and stones, at land late of said Joseph A. Phelps and said Miller; thence easterly by land of said Miller, 4993 feet to a stake and stones at land of A. C. Phelps; thence southerly by said Phelps's land 2084 feet to a stake and stones at a corner; thence easterly by land of said A. C. Phelps 2811 feet to a stake and stones at land of Pauline F. Deloria; thence southerly by last named land 6071 feet to the point of beginning. For title, see Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 187, Page 555.

The mortgage to the Andover Savings Bank now covering said lots will be discharged before the giving of the deeds to the purchasers.

Terms at sale.

PAULINE F. DELORIA, Admx.

E. PRIOR, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Dec. 11, 1890.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Lawrence Rossiter and Ann Rossiter, his wife in her right, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, dated April 1, 1882, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1595, Page 19, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, the 5th day of January, A. D. 1891, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, on Garfield Avenue, formerly East street, containing about forty-six thousand five hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises, at East street, and at land now or formerly of Patrick Glennan; thence the line runs easterly by land last named, and lands now or late of L. B. Allen and heirs of Rufus Wyman, about four hundred and fifty-two feet, to land now or formerly of Holton; thence southerly by land last named, about thirty-five feet to a corner of land now or late of said Holton; thence westerly by last named, and land of Thomas Quinn, about four hundred and fifty-two feet to said East street; thence northerly on and by said East street, about one hundred fifty-two and one-half feet, to the point of beginning.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at the sale.

THE WOBURN FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee, By Edward E. Thompson, Treasurer.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, December 11, 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ella S. Richardson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Theodore M. Parker, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas Connell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of December next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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LESSON XI, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, DEC. 14.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxiv, 28, 43. Commit Verses 36, 40—Golden Text, Luke xxiv, 31—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

28. "And they drew nigh unto the village, whither they went; and He made as though He would have gone further." The threescore furlongs had been passed over and probably the two disciples were surprised that they had reached the end of their walk so quickly, for with pleasant company and such instructive conversation as they had enjoyed a long walk would seem a very short one. And now they have reached the end of their walk, and He will not further thrust Himself upon them unless they desire it. He has enlightened them, and instructed them, and made them glad; and now it is for them to say if He shall continue with them or pass on. How often has He by His Spirit given us light upon His word, both in public and in private, but have we always felt grateful and desired to detain Him, or have we willingly allowed Him to pass on. He will not tarry where He is not wanted.

29. "But they constrained Him, saying, Abide with us; for it is toward evening, and the day is far spent. And He went in to tarry with them." Foolish and slow to believe though they were, yet He is easily constrained and goes in to abide with them. How much they would have missed if they had allowed Him to pass on.

30. "And it came to pass, as He sat at meat with them He took bread, and blessed it, and brake, and gave to them." It may not be necessary to see here that which He instituted on the night of His betrayal as a memorial of His death till He come again; but the action and the words are so similar (Luke xxii, 19) that we cannot help thinking of it, and as they afterward rehearsed the matter that same night to the disciples at Jerusalem they told how He was known to them in breaking of bread (verse 35).

31. "And their eyes were opened and they knew Him; and He vanished out of their sight." In a moment they understood why they had been so interested; they knew whose company they had enjoyed; the report of the women was indeed true; their own eyes had seen Him. But He was gone; as mysteriously as He had joined them (which perhaps they had not thought of) so He left them; gone in a moment. So shall it be with us when in bodies made like unto His (Phil. iii, 20, 21) we shall reign with Him over the earth (Rev. v, 9, 10). We shall go here and there as He may send us, appearing and disappearing at pleasure, manifest to and companions of those on the earth, in His service, but no longer of the earth.

32. "And they said one to another, Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us by the way, and while He opened to us the Scriptures?" It was a precious heart burn which they enjoyed by the way; the burning of holy peace and joy and delight, because of His presence; that blessed presence which burns out self and sin, and the world, and self righteousness and self pleasing, and lays and keeps us low at His feet for His service and pleasure.

33. "And they rose up the same hour, and returned to Jerusalem, and found the eleven gathered together, and them that were with them." What a contrast between the sad hearts of a few hours before when they left the city and the joyful hearts which they now possess as, unmindful of threescore weary furlongs, they speedily retrace their steps.

34. "Saying, The Lord is risen indeed, and hath appeared to Simon." Paul also mentions this appearance to Peter (I Cor. xv, 5). How like our Lord Jesus to appear specially to that poor, self confident disciple whom Satan so severely sifted, but for whom Jesus prayed. So Godlike, but so unlike what man would do.

35. "And they told what things were done in the way, and how He was known of them in breaking of bread." They told of their sad hearts as they left the city, of the stranger who joined them, of His questions as if He knew not anything of the events which had happened, how they in their simplicity told Him everything, and how He then took up the many references to Himself in Moses and the prophets and made them see and understand them as they never did before; how, having arrived at Emmaus, He made as though He would have gone farther, but they constrained Him and He went in to tarry with them; how He then took bread and blessed it and brake it and gave it to them, and all at once they recognized Him; but instantly He was gone they knew not where. They probably also told how it seemed that they could not get back to Jerusalem quickly enough to tell these glad tidings.

36. "And as they thus spake, Jesus Himself stood in the midst of them, and saith unto them, Peace be unto you." As they again talk of Him again He is in their midst. This is His fifth appearance on that day on which He arose from the dead.

37. "But they were terrified and affrighted, and supposed that they had seen a spirit." How strange a reception! He brings peace and proclaims peace, but they are filled with agitation, fear, doubt, unbelief. Is it not so still?

38. "And He said unto them, Why are ye troubled? and why do thoughts arise in your hearts?" Much of our trouble arises from thoughts, or, as in the R. V., "reasonings."

39. "Behold My hands and My feet that it is Myself; handle Me and see; for a spirit hath not flesh and bones as ye see Me have." If in the things which make us afraid we would only see Jesus Himself, that would surely dispel our fears.

40. "And when He had thus spoken He showed them His hands and His feet." There were the wounds; they could doubt no longer.

41. "And while they yet believed not for joy, and wondered, He said unto them, Have ye here any meat?" John xx, 20, says: "Then were the disciples glad when they saw the Lord." They would have been more blessed had they believed the report of Mary and the other women in the morning.

42, 43. "And they gave Him a piece of a broiled fish, and of an honeycomb, and He took it and did eat before them." Here is another feature of the powers of the glorified body. Not that we conclude from this that the resurrection body will need food as these mortal bodies now do, but as the Lord and the angels ate Abraham's food, and as our Lord now actually ate this food, so when we are like Jesus, and with Him reigning over the earth, we shall be able to eat with people as socially as now if necessary, and we shall also eat and drink with Him at His table in His kingdom (Luke xxii, 30).

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He created a panic the first day he appeared in Unter den Linden, and the police had to be summoned to prevent the crowd from stealing from him a battered brass teakettle that he clutched tightly with his right hand. Every effort was made to dissuade him from disturbing the public peace by swinging this kettle wherever he went, but in vain.

He refused to explain his affection for this rather curious adjunct of his street costume, and not until Dr. Peters, the explorer, came to Berlin was any satisfactory reason for his behavior obtainable. The rival of Stanley, however, unraveled the mystery. When the Emin Pasha expedition was in the Massai country, he said, Hussein conducted himself with extraordinary bravery. Peters wished to reward him, but had nothing of value at hand to give away.

While rummaging about in camp for some kind of present, he came upon an old, leaky, brass kettle that was about to be thrown away. He had it polished at once, called together the natives, and in their presence gave it to Hussein, with the assurance that such an article among white men was the customary reward for great deeds. Since then Hussein has never let the kettle out of his sight. When fighting he wore it tied to his waist; on shipboard he carried it in his arms, and in Germany he always takes it to bed with him.—Chicago Times.

Education in Switzerland.

In Switzerland the state's first business is the education of the youth. Teachers must, first of all, be university graduates, or else be graduates of high, very high, class normals. They are employed for long terms, almost for life, and are pensioned when grown old in the public service. The schools stand at the head of everything; even the army costs less than their schools do.

Their system contains six kinds or grades of preparatory schools below the university. There are the primary, the secondary, the repeating, the special, the Real schools, and the gymnasium, the last answering in rank to the American college. The first two of these schools are cumpulsory and free, but the pupil may choose between attending the secondary school and the repeating school. This latter is intended mostly for the benefit of the very poor, who cannot spare the children from labor after they have finished with the primary school.—S. H. M. Byers in Harper's.

Rest the Great Remedy.

The medicine for the heart, of all other organs, is rest—mental and bodily. This does not mean doing nothing at all, but not overdoing; least of all, not giving it anything in the way of physical ill being to overcome. This must be provided for at all points. Food may be delicate and plentiful, air and sunshine generously admitted, baths and massage do their utmost, and chilly sleep for want of some extra blankets or dull days with a poor fire will so disorder the circulation that the other cares go for nothing as far as positive gain is concerned.

It takes an all round intelligence to secure the common health. Most people take the one chance of it that pours out of a medicine bottle. Others add to this care about food and baths, and half care about pure air, while they take little rest and next to no sunshine or any cheerful stimulus of pleasure. Of course, the result is unsatisfactory. —Shirley Dare's Letter.

As to Prescriptions.

A correspondent of The Chicago Tribune complains that he took a foreign prescription to a druggist in Chicago who declined to return the paper after putting up the medicine. The writer claims that in England and Scotland the apothecaries return prescriptions, retaining copies. A Chicago druggist thinks that a good case can be made out for both customs, although "under ordinary circumstances in this city any druggist will give a customer a copy of the prescription he brings in unless the physician's request is to the contrary."

No Danger.

Jamser—What are you doing nowadays?

Spacer—I am writing the lives of great men for a biographical dictionary that is being compiled.

Jamser—Aren't you afraid to undertake work of that sort?

Spacer.—Oh, no! The men I am writing about are all dead.—Puck.

Didn't Want Any Extra Work.

"I'm trying to get up a good pen name. What do you suggest?"

"Don't ask me. I've as much as I can manage to make a name for myself."—Munsey's Weekly.

A Stock Phrase Watered.

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He—Yes; an unpublished one.—Harper's Bazar.

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Therapeutics of Asthma.

In a lecture on the therapeutics of asthma Professor Dieulafoy gives the points of his method, which consists at the beginning of the attack in painting the inside of the nostrils as high up as possible with a camel hair brush dipped in a solution of hydrochlorate of cocaine—1 in 20—or, if preferred, the solution may be sprayed into the nose and throat for four or five minutes at a time with a tablespoonful of the above solution; if this does not succeed the patient is to inhale from 6 to 12 drops of pyridine sprinkled on a handkerchief. The cocaine and the pyridine may be employed simultaneously.

When the attack is at its acme the following solution may be injected hypodermically: Ten centigrams hydrochlorate of morphia and 10 grams distilled water, of which half a syringeful is to be injected; repeated in a quarter of an hour if necessary. The remedy par excellence for asthma, says Professor Dieulafoy, is the iodide of potassium, given in doses of from 20 to 30 grains daily, but beginning with 5 grains only, to be gradually increased. To combat the diathesis the patient should take from 15 to 30 grains iodide of potassium daily for 15 days, then replace the iodide by pills composed of powdered belladonna leaves and the extract of belladonna, of each 4 grains, made into 20 pills, the patient at the same time to take daily after the principal meal a teaspoonful of a solution of 1 grain arseniate soda and 2 1-2 fluid ounces distilled water.—Paris Letter.

Noiseless Carriages.

A large number of carriages of New York are now equipped with rubber tires nearly two inches thick and composed of many layers of rubber of various degrees of springiness. Carriages thus equipped are able to roll over the stones without the deafening clatter and jerkiness which results when iron tiers are used. In the attention which people pay to their private stables New York is making rapid strides in an upward way.

There is more interest now taken in the horse show than there is in the opera, and the breeding and training of carriage horses has been taken up by enthusiastic millionaires without number. The assertion that we go to England for showy trappings for private stables is no longer true. American carriages have all taken prizes in European fairs, and the crack coaches in the Coaching club, as well as the most widely admired dog carts and broughams, are of native manufacture. They have taken up the American buggy in England and France, just as we have adopted the dog carts and tilbury here. —Cor. Richmond Times.

Table Manners.

A napkin is not intended to be used as a bib. The fashion of pinning it about one's neck is obsolete, and only permissible in the very young or those quite beyond the pale of middle age, who are unable to measure accurately the distance between the cup and the lip.

It is not polite for a hostess to press the guest to be helped "again." She should ignore the fact of the previous helping, and simply say, "Shall I help you to so and so?"

A habit of passing things at table savors too strongly of an acquaintance with the boarding house, this handing of dishes being the prerogative of the servant.—Jenness-Miller Magazine.

Nutmegs.

Nutmegs and mace, two of the principal spices of commerce, grow in the same pod. The tiny tree upon which they grow is almost identical with a pear tree two or three years old. The nutmeg is the center or seed of the fruit, which is about the size of an ordinary hen's egg. The best comparison of the fruit would be with the hickory nut. In ripening the outside cracks open, showing the nutmeg inclosed in a thin lacy covering, which is the mace. It is found in all the tropical islands of America and Asia, the most fruitful trees growing in Jamaica, some of them yielding as many as 5,000 nutmegs in a year.—New York Ledger.

A Humorist's Son.

Burdette, the funny man, while in Chicago received a letter from his 13-year-old son, reading: "Dear Papa: I had a dream last night. I dreamed I had a new safety bicycle. Do you believe that dreams come true?" "I fear that boy is going to be a humorist," said his father sadly to an interviewer.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Unsentimental.

Mr. Poeticus (entering cheerfully)—My love is like the red, red rose!

Mrs. Poeticus (looking up from the stove)—You'd look red, too, you lazy scribbler, if you'd been bending over a frying pan for twenty minutes!—Texas Siftings.

The Moment That Comes to All.

Thomas Winans, the millionaire, who had lived luxuriously, said on his deathbed, that he would gladly give $1,000,000 to be able to eat a piece of bread and butter.—Philadelphia Record.

There Was No Ball Game in It.

Duffy—I hear Carson brought out his new play last night. Did he make a hit?

Griggs—No. The audience made a home run.—Munsey's Weekly

Home Government.

Mamma—Sit down, Willie. Do you hear me? (Five minutes elapse.) Willie Jones, if you don't sit up you may leave the table!—Harper's Bazar.

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He accordingly called at the merchant's residence, and asked the privilege of seeing him on very important business. After a little while he was admitted to his presence.

"The matter, sir, on which I called, he began, "involves for you the practical saving of 250,000 franc. I—"

"Oh, my dear sir," interrupted the merchant, "this is too serious to be discussed before dinner, and, as it is now my hour for dining, pray take dinner with me and we will afterward consider your proposition at our leisure."

Having partaken of a meal that left a pleasant flavor in the unfortunate's memory the rest of his life, they returned to the merchant's study.

"And now I am ready to hear your proposal," he remarked.

The Parisian, after a moment's thought, began:

"I understand, sir, your daughter is to be married to the son of the banker, D'Argent?"

"Yes that is true."

"And her dowry is half a million?"

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WINCHESTER and WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.10, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.24 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 5.50, 6.15, ≈6.45, ≈7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15, 11.00, ≈11.35, A. M., ≈12.45, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, ≈3.45, ≈4.45, ≈5.35, ≈6.45, 7.15, ≈7.45, ≈8.45, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Woburnfor Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, ≈7.10, ≈8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10 40, 11.25, A. M., ≈12 M., ≈1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, ≈4.10, 5.10, ≈6.00, 6.50, ≈7.10, 7.40, ≈8.10, ≈9.10, *9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Symmes' Corner at 7.30, 8.30, A. M., 12.20, 1.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Symmes' Corner for Winchester and Woburn at 7.38, 8.38, A. M., 12.25, 1.38, 4.38, 5.35, 6.25, 7.38, 8.38, 9.38, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, ≈8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.15, 7.45, 8.00, 8.45, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 2.10, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.40, 8.10, 8.20, 9.10, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at ≈8.15, 9.15, ≈10.00, ≈10.45, 11.45, A. M., ≈12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, ≈2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, ≈4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, ≈6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, ≈8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at ≈8.40, 9.40, ≈10.20, ≈11.10, A. M., 12.10, ≈1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, ≈3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, ≈5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, ≈7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, ≈9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.45, 6.00, 6.45, 7.00, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.45, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 2.10, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 4.10, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.10, 6.20, 7.10, 7.20, 8.10, 8.29, 8.50, 9.20, 10.05, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 3.30), then every half hour until *6.30, then 7.30 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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38	Cor. Winn and Bedford Streets.
42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
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Lawrence Mail opens at 7.45 A. M., 1 P. M.
Lowell Mail opens at 8.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 9.00 A. M., and 4.30 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7, 8, 8.30, 9.20, 11.00 A. M., 12.30, 1.40, 2.30, 4, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, 7.00 A. M.
Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
Lawrence, 8 A. M., 4.45 P. M.
Lowell 8.30 A. M., *via* Winchester 12.30, 4 P. M.
Nashua, 4 P. M.
Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
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The Woburn Journal

OUR HIGHWAYS.

The following interesting paper was read by Mr. Winthrop Hammond at the November meeting of the Woburn Young Mens Association and is published in the JOURNAL at the request of President Clough of the Association.

Speaking upon the subject of "Highways" at the last meeting of the Young Men's Association, Mr. Winthrop Hammond said that whatever criticism he might make upon those in this city, it was not with a spirit of fault finding; but with the feeling that the city can be greatly improved when all are awake to the deficiencies in comparison with other places of equal age, size and advantages, for I believe we are certainly behind the times in highway construction and adornment.

Is there any one thing that makes a city as attractive as

FIRST CLASS HIGHWAYS

with plenty of shade trees?

Let us realize at the start that for a few years we must bear with our city fathers for they have but about $125,000 to appropriate yearly to all our various departments, including State and County taxes, and of this about $15,000 has been for the past few years, devoted to our highways.

It is certainly unfortunate that we are quite so pinched financially, for it must be plain to every observer that this

YEARLY TEMPORARY PATCHING UP

does not give us satisfactory roads.

We may nearly hold our own but there is no perceptible advancement.

Perhaps a comparison of the amount of money appropriated by other cities for highways may be of interest at this point.

I find by reference to our Mayor's last inaugural address the following statistics as to the average expenditure per mile upon the highways in various cities:

Newton,	$7 50
Brockton,	4 60
Somerville,	9 38
Cambridge,	13 08
Chelsea,	11 00
Lawrence,	5 12
Fall River,	8 25
Boston,	20 12
Woburn,	2 45

We must bear in mind that this $2.45 per mile, or a total of $15,000, not only pays for labor, but also the keeping of horses, care of stone-crusher, purchase of curbing stone and tools, building of bridges, etc.

Whether other places include these items in their reports, I do not know, but it is probable that they do.

Now let us glance at

OUR FINANCIAL CONDITION.

Are our city fathers doing all that can be done under existing conditions?

Right here let me say that I believe the position of the Supt. of Streets, especially when as limited for funds as at present, must be the most undesirable office within the gift of our government. He is in one sense under the control of the aldermen, and still has to stand the criticisms continually heaped upon that department.

We have a total valuation of $8,918,306. Now under the acts of 1885 cities cannot assess over $12, on a thousand valuation "exclusive of State and County tax, and sums required by law to be raised on account of the city debt."

At this limit they can raise but $104,000 for schools; $10,000 for fire department; $10,000 for Almshouse, support of insane and outside relief; $6,000 for Police; $7,000 for salaries; $5,000 Street Lights, and $10,000 for various necessary items such as Library, printing, etc. One does not have to figure long to find that unless we

CURTAIL ON OUR SCHOOLS

or other departments, all we have left for Highways is $15,000.

After 1892 we shall be able to breath easier, so to speak, owing to the retirement of certain bonds, and after 1895 our finances will be in still better shape.

As this financial subject is capable of a separate consideration, I will continue it no further at this time.

It seems to me that there is but one conclusion to reach; *i. e.*: to wait patiently and make our $15,000 per year go as far as possible for the next two years, but at the end of that time let us insist on having

LARGER HIGHWAY APPROPRIATIONS

and begin on a system that will result in eventually giving us roads second to none in Massachusetts.

For two years later we shall also probably be through with the upsetting of our streets necessary to construct the proposed Metropolitan Sewer.

Meanwhile let us consider how we can improve our highways as far as our finances will admit.

MY PERONAL IDEA

of this matter is that our roads are used too much as an auxiliary to our Outside Relief Department.

I have the greatest sympathy for old, broken down men, and if they are in need of assistance, by all means let our city help them, but not by making our highway department a part of our charity.

I firmly believe that the streets would be

BETTER AT THE END OF A YEAR

if the highways had even $1000 less, and the outside relief that amount more, but have the highway department run on sound business principles.

If you pay $2 per day see that you get $2 worth of labor performed.

As $10,000 of our appropriation is expended for labor I should like to see what a business policy of this sort, followed for one year, would accomplish.

In some places a method is adopted for the setting out of shade trees by yearly appropriating for that purpose a small amount of money, say $200 or $300. Upon application the city sets trees with protectors for $1.50 each, the actual cost to the city being from $2 to $2.50 each. In case a tree dies the city replaces it free of expense to the abutter. Why is not this a good idea for Woburn to adopt?

At some future time when

OUR FINANCES WILL ADMIT

it I would like to see a road continued from the pumping station at our water works, around Horn Pond, connecting with Pleasant street, thus giving us a wonderfully beautiful drive, one which would attract our neighbors, and be a source of great enjoyment to our own people.

Our respected citizen, Mr. Edward W. Hudson, says the view from his residence across Horn Pond is unsurpassed by anything in the old world, and we all know it is a truly beautiful view.

A drive begining at the Centre, down Pleasant street, past our Library grounds, down Canal street, around by the nicely kept pumping station, then through some of the prettiest groves imaginable, with occasional glimpses of the pond, and finally back to Pleasant, would be

ONE OF GREAT ATTRACTIVENESS.

A part of the old Mystic Valley Railroad bed could be in this way utilized to good advantage.

In this connection, that is, of beautifying our city, there is a subject of which I would like to speak:—which comes directly under the control of our Highway Committee.

It is the beautifying of a few public squares.

What would be more attractive to strangers than to see in passing through here, a few tastefully laid out spots such as the triangle where Capt. Crane's house formerly stood, beyond the Cummings School.

What influence would be more refreshing to the population in that district?

Other places in the main approaching to our centre, such as Central Square, Nichols Corner, the plot at the junction of Beach and Salem streets, and the one opposite Mr. James Skinner's residence and the triange

KNOWN AS HAMMOND SQUARE.

In the latter location I have a somewhat personal interest.

The history of the past three years of this lot of land I would like you to know and I believe upon a statement of the facts you will bear me out in saying that in this matter our city officials have shown a decided lack of enterprise, of public spirit, and of appreciation of modern tastes of highway adornment.

I am glad of an opportunity to have this subject understood by others than the immediate neighbors.

After three years effort on the part of one of our public spirited citizens, to obtain this land at a reasonable figure, in 1887 it was deeded to the town, all but $70, of the purchase money being subscribed by ten interested neighbors.

The understanding was that the town should continue Plympton street across this triangle to Main street, and make an ornamental square of the balance by properly grading and curbing it.

Let us see how this was carried out.

After the deeds were given, the town roughly continued Plympton street across to Main street, making no walk whatever, and doing nothing to the Square.

AFTER APPEAL UPON APPEAL

a rough sidewalk was finally carried across on one side, but in such a condition that the Unitarian parish were obliged to lay planks for the tenants of their houses to walk on.

The following Summer street refuse was dumped in the Square for filling.

Notwithstanding the remonstrance of neighbors, this place remained in this condition until last spring, where there was a slight effort to level and grade, but left for weeds to take possession.

It would cost about $400 to put this square in first class shape—that is to curb the sidewalk all around it, then place an interior curbing about 10 inches high, and grading, sow to grass.

If the expense be too great the interior curbing could be substituted by a sloping grass bank until some future time.

THE CITY IS IN DUTY BOUND

to carry out its part of the agreement and especially so, as upon continuation of Plympton street, the Unitarian parish built houses upon the two corners of their property, giving to the city enough additional taxes yearly to put this pest hole in presentable shape.

If the neighbors once had an ambition to see this square beautified after grading, by the placing of flowers, or a fountain, is it strange that such ambition is, by this time, strangled?

A petition for the city to carry out its agreement signed by near-by property owners representing several hundred thousand dollars of wealth only resulted in its being referred to the

PARK COMMISSIONERS

who, it seems, have no authority whatever in such matters.

Does it not seem to be a short sighted policy, when by justly laying out a few dollars for public improvement the valuation of many estates would be enhanced.

So much for Hammond Square.

During a recent trip as far West as St. Paul, he was particularly pleased with the highways in several of our Western cities.

A city of 150,000 population in one view can hardly be compared with one of 13,000, but, when we think that Woburn is 250 years old, and St. Paul, for instance, less than 75 years, it would seem to offset to a certain extent the disparity.

However, perhaps it may be of interest to those of you who have not visited the West to know something of their streets.

IN ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS AND

many other places the streets through the business portion are paved—for the most part with wood,—made in the following manner. The street is arched with stout joist, a few yards apart, giving a foundation of the necessary shape. Upon this are nailed planks, making a road of wood. This then has a coating of tar. Round cedar blocks, say 6 inches in diameter, and 5 or 6 inches in depth are set closely together and filled in between with gravel, and the whole covered with tar, which works down through the gravel and makes one solid mass.

They claim it is

NOT AN EXPENSIVE PAVING

and will last from 10 to 20 years constant wear.

Through the residential portions of these cities the streets are laid out wide, nicely paved with asphault, and kept swept as clean as a house floor.

First comes the customary granite curb, next a plot of grass say 10 feet wide, with trees set through the centre; then the walk, often of granite or concrete, then the lawns sloping to the residences; no fences anywhere in sight.

Regarding the making of sidewalks I was interested a few days ago in being told the methods adopted at

CLIFTON SPRINGS, NEW YORK.

Walks there have the appearance, to a novice, of being made of finely cut granite slabs, extending way across the walk. Upon observation it was found that they were made by filling in between boards laid an equal distance apart, with a mixture of gravel and cement, and topped off with a mixture containing a large portion of cement and less gravel.

Every alternating section was left untouched until the others somewhat hardened, and when the boards were removed, stiff paper was substituted.

When the middle section were finished the paper was withdrawn and the crack gouged out, leaving the appearance

OF LARGE SLABS PERFECTLY QUARRIED.

The greater part of the population, not owning horses, are obliged to walk, and why would it not be practical to have a certain annual appropriation for the concreting of sidewalks

BEGINNING AT THE CENTRE

and gradually radiating, thus eventually giving us good walks.

In conclusion I believe the natural beauty of New England, and especially of our own immediate vicinity, to be unsurpassed, and if our highways were strictly first class, one could not find a more beautiful place, East or West than our own favored city.

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Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the weeks ending November 29 and December 6, contain the Idyll of Brook Farm, China, by Gen. Tsheng-ki-tong, Madame, Robert Henryson, Love the Conqueror, Mutual Aid among Animal, Tarsus—Past and Present, Dangers that Threaten Terrestrial Life, Miss Mitford, Rural Life in France in the Fourteenth Century, Lord Iddesleigh, A Buddhist Shrine, Art Notes in North Italy, by Walter Pater, Newman from Newman's Points of Vew, The Cat as an Unconscions Humorist, An Irish Original, with instalments of Marcia by W. E. Norris, and Eight Days, and poetry and miscellany. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The December CENTURY is more Christmast than is usual with that magazine, there being a Christmas story by Joel Chandler Harris, and a Christmas poem by Frederick Henry Morton of Stevens Institute, while the editor in some Chrisimas Reflections says that perhaps the readers may find as much of the true Christian feeling in Dr. Abbott's article, Can a Nation have a Religion? and in the article on the Record of Virtue, as in the more ostensibly Christmas "features" of this number of THE CENTURY. The frontispiece is a striking head, Daphne, and the opening paper is General Bidwell's account of Life in California Before the Gold Discovery. Here is also published Ranch and Mission Days in Alta California: these two articles showing with what thoroughness THE CENTURY'S new and important series is being carried out. These papers are followed by several other finely illustrated ones nearly as interesting, included in which are: Franklin in Allegory, Fourteen to One, A Pair of Old Boys, Colonel Carter of Cartersville, Sister Dolorosa, The White Cowl, Laurels of the American Tar in 1812, and many others.

A new, attractive looking monthly has come to the editorial desk. The title of this new magazine, THE STORY TELLER, is a taking one and very appropriate. The issue before us is November and consists of a complete serial story entitled The Silver City, written by the well-known traveler and lecturer, Mr. F. A. Ober. The story is embellished with many illustrations. The magazine is presumably for the older young people, from ten to twenty; but if this first number is a fair sample of the numbers to come, not many of the older folks will be willing to lay aside the story until read through. The publishers announce the following stories as arranged for: Dec. number, Two Young Homesteaders, by Theodora R. Jenness. Jan. number, The Dogberry Bunch, by Mary Hartwell Catherwood, author of Romance of Dollard, Rocky Fork, etc. Feb. number, Howling Wolf and his Trick-Pony, by Mrs. Lizzie W. Champney. Each number consists of 80 to 100 large-sized pages, large type. The subscription price has been fixed at $1.50 a year; 15 cents a number. A year's numbers will give the subscriber the equivalent of about $15.00 worth of cloth-bound stories of the very best class. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston. Mass.

A high order of stories, poems, articles and pictures fill the Christmas WIDE AWAKE from cover to cover, while brilliant new type and the discardment of columns give the pages a very fresh and attractive look, and we learn that the magazine is permanently enlarged to one hundred pages. Leading attractions include a new Peppers serial by Margaret Sidney, the promised railroad serial, Cab and Caboose, by Kirk Munroe, Drawing the Child-Figure, the first of twelve pictorial drawing-lesson papers (with monthly prizes) by Miss Caroline Rimmer, daughter of Dr. Rimmer the art-anatomist and sculptor, and Marietta's Good Times, an Italian serial by a well-known Italian woman in Boston. The short stories, papers and poems (and there is a full treasury of them, making a Christmas-stocking book in fact) are by Sallie Pratt McLean Greene, Emma Sherwood Chester, Graham R. Tomson, Ethelwyn Wetherald, Charlotte M. Vail, Elizabeth Robins Pennell, Rev. George Whyte, Miss Hawley, John C. Carpenter, Margaret Eytinge, Miss Poulsson, Mrs. Claflin and Prof. Otis T. Mason. A special feature is the fac-simile reproduction of Mrs. Hemans's original manuscript of The Landing of the Pilgrim Fathers, which was brought to America by James T. Fields. The price of WIDE AWAKE will remain at $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

Messrs. D. Appleton & Co. announce for early publication The Log School-House on the Columbia, by Hezekiah Butterworth (the third book of the Fiction Series for Young Readers); a Fluttered Dovecote, a new novel, by George Manville Fenn, with numerous illustrations by Gordon Browne; A Washington Bible-Class, by Gail Hamilton; The Journal of William Maclay, United States Senator 1789-1791, edited by Edgar S. Maclay; The Nugents of Carriconna, an Irish novel, by Tighe Hopkins; Ring-Riding, by H. W. Struss, of the New York Riding Club; Socialism, Old and New, by Professor William Graham, a new book in the International Scientific Series; a new edition (the third) of Brazil: its condition and prospects, with a carefully-prepared account of the recent revolution and of the present Government, by C. C. Andrews, ex-Consul-General to Brazil; a new edition of the Evolution of Man and Christianity, by the Rev. Howard MacQueary, with a preface replying to recent criticisms; and a new edition of Appletons' Winter Resorts, revised for the season of 1890-'91.

50th Year is inscribed on the dainty cover of the January PETERSON. This periodical has stood the test of half a century and still ranks foremost among the magazines for ladies and the household generally. It has been enlarged, and exhibits many improvements and fresh attractions. Besides the beautiful full-page engravings, there are several illustrated articles, poems and stories. Oddities In Foot Gear, by Harriet Latham, is exceptionally good, with numerous explanatory designs ranging from Egyptian sandals to Greenland skin shoes. Miss M. G. McClelland and Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper begin serials which promise brilliantly. Minna Irving has a fine lyric. Clarence M. Boutelle, Frank Lee Benedict and other well-known writers, contribute some of the best stories to be found in the month's round of magazines. The excellence of the fashion, needle work and household departments has always made PETERSON an infallible authority. It is now, in its new dress, a very handsome magazine and will more than ten times save the subscription money to every family that takes it. Price $2.00 a year, with large reductions to clubs, and handsome premiums, to those who get up clubs. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, Philadelphia.

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Mrs. Anna Clotz, of St. Paul, Minn., was run over and killed by the cars there, and while preparing her for burial $35,000 in greenbacks was found sewed into her clothing. She has no known heirs.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

The fan of Agnes Surriage, afterward Lady Frankland, who is sung by Holmes and made a heroine by Bynner, was recently pres

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON.

With hat in hand the JOURNAL makes its best bow to its hosts of readers and wishes them each and all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

CLOSE OF VOL. XL.

With this issue the JOURNAL closes an existence of full 40 years according to the figures which it carries at masthead, but 39 according to the certified date of its origin, which was, according to the records, Oct. 18, 1851.

But whether 39 or 40 years of age, the JOURNAL will enter on a new volume next week in a healthy, happy and prosperous state, for which it is under obligations to its army of generous, open-fisted patrons, and its own efforts to do right by and please them.

Ladies and gentlemen, accept our hearty thanks for your favors; a Merry Christmas to you all, and "many returns of the same."

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
City of Woburn—Aud. No.
W. H. Robertson—Can. Ag.
S. A. Sylvester—Cash Market.

— Merry Christmas.

— Read Prior's advertisement.

— Monday was a delicious day.

— Read C. Willard Smith's change of card.

— Mark what Fred Leeds says about "Cut Rates."

— Mr. Eugene D. Newton is foreman at Carter's coal establishment.

— The dealers say the prospect for a lively holiday business is excellent.

— Fresh walnuts and raisins for the Christmas dinner at the Boston Branch.

— The postoffice will be closed on Christmas Day except from 6.30 to 10 A. M.

— The new City Council will probably make no change in Clerk of Committees.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has a change in his advertisement this week. Please read it.

— No wonder Copeland feels proud of the Christmas display in his windows. It is fine.

— A powerful rainstorm prevailed on Wednesday afternoon and all through the night.

— Just as nice Christmas presents can be bought in Woburn as in Boston and for less money.

— Charles F. Spear, Esq., is not quite certain that he will abandon good old Woburn forever.

— Why not buy your Christmas candies at Holdsworth's where they are made fresh every day.

— Willard Smith offers some rare inducements to Christmas buyers in the way of beautiful pictures.

— Mr. Frank Nichols has no fears about there being a plenty of ice on Horn Pond this winter.

— The stores and shops have been full of people all this week intent on getting their Christmas presents.

— The JOURNAL hopes that every family in Woburn will have their Christmas goose next Thursday.

— Some men were hurt by the blowing out of a boiler head at the Electric Signal factory last week.

— Parents, make the little ones as happy as can be next Thursday morning. Let them find full stockings.

— Auditor Charlie A. Jones has a notice in this paper, to which we call especial attention. It is an important one.

— For variety of holiday goods Prior is entitled to the champion's belt. His store is a complete and perfect museum.

— Mr. J. R. Carter will cut ice this winter on the Richardson pond at Richardson's Mills for the wholesale trade solely.

— A great many Winchester people are buying their Christmas presents in Woburn this year. It shows that they are wise.

— Prof. Clarke will fill the Congregational church with sweet music next Sunday in token of the happy, joyous Christmas time.

— W. H. Smith, Esq., of Salem street, the Boston-Woburn real estate dealer, is nursing one of his arms in a sling just now.

— Mr. Waterman Brown keeps an accurate record of the standing of the thermometer at just 6 A. M. and never misses a morning.

— The Mechanics Association, proprietors of the old Methodist Block, will derive an annual rent of $5000 from it when completed.

— Hurry up, ladies, and buy your holiday presents, for there are only a few more days left to do it. And be sure and buy them in Woburn.

— The alarm from box 61 on Monday evening was for a bit of a blaze in the cellar of the fruit store in Mrs. Connolly's building, Main street.

— Mr. J. B. McDonald, President of the Weston Lumber Co. of Boston, has been visiting the various mills of the Co. in New Hampshire lately.

— Auctioneer Gregory made a big sale of the Windsor Hotel furniture and fixtures last week. He got the very highest prices for everything.

— Wednesday night was a terrible one for wind and rain. It was a terrible night too for sailors out at sea. The wind blew 54 miles an hour.

— On Earth Peace.

— Chief McIntosh made a seizure at Luke McGrath's, Centre street, the other day. The Chief and his aides are active in raiding rumsellers. Good!

— There are piles and piles of beautiful books at Willard Smith's popular store. They are there for Christmas presents and a great many people are buying them.

— A delegation of Woburn Daughters of Liberty and American Mechanics assisted in the work of organizing a Lodge of Daughters at Stoneham last Monday evening.

— If our Stoneham friends want to get the best material that can be found anywhere for a bang-up Christmas dinner they ought to come to the Woburn markets. Boston can't beat them.

— The hook and ladder team frightened Mr. E. G. Clough's delivery horse last Monday evening and the same ran away. But luckily for Mr. Clough, it was caught before doing any damage.

— Mr. Amos Cummings's Christmas Art Gallery is attracting more notice than anything else. It is fixed up and and arranged in nice shape and contains many fine pictures. Everybody visits the Gallery.

— A couple of young men while skating on Horn Pond a few evenings since broke through the ice and got a bad wetting. They came pretty near going under for keeps too. Boys, beware of thin ice.

— Mr. John R. Carter and —— expect to go to California next month with one of Raymond's excursion parties. They will be away about three months. The best wishes of the JOURNAL will accompany them.

— If rumor can be relied on things are working all right for a big row in the Company G. and that at no distant day. For the good of the Company there ought to be a thorough investigation of its condition.

— Mr. F. B. Dodge, the "old reliable" jeweler, has as rich a stock of Christmas gold and silverware, clocks, watches, and everything else kept in a first class jeweler's store, as can be found in Middlesex county.

— There was a whole raft of ladies from Winchester's upper ten circles in this city a day or two ago gathering in presents for the holidays. They found just as nice goods and more favorable prices than in Boston.

— Those persons who have it mind to buy money of the Co-operative Bank will do the best thing for themselves by buying in January and February when it will be much cheaper than in the Spring. "A word to the wise", etc.

— The funeral of Mr. Charles Flagg last Friday was attended by many of his old neighbors and townspeople. The services were simple. Post 161, G. A. R., furnished the bearers, the deceased having been a member of that Post.

— The lecture of Miss Crosby, for many years a missionary in the Micronecian Islands, before the Christian Endeavor Society in the First Congregational church last Friday evening, was largely attended and highly enjoyed.

— There is to be merrymaking at Stoneham on Christmas. On the afternoon of the 25th there will be a sunlight assembly at Armory Hall in that village for which the finest kind of music has been engaged. The tickets will be 50 cents each.

— The Railroad authorities are putting in a large and substantial sewer from their Centre depot to connect with the main pipe on Main street. Superintendent Sanborn looks to it closely that things within his jurisdiction are kept up in good shape.

— Several petitions are in circulation among the Republicans of this city in favor of the reappointment of Mr. Reade for postmaster. They bear the signatures of some of the most prominent men in the party. Mr. Reade has made an admirable record as postmaster and many desire to have him retained.

— If you visit Boston for Christmas purchases, do not fail to see what is perhaps the largest collection of Christmas gifts in the city, at the warerooms of Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, opposite the Boston & Maine Depot. They have hundreds of presents in useful pieces of furniture, costing from $2.50 to $15.

— Last week Mrs. John Couillard and family moved from this city to Saratoga street, East Boston. Almost a quarter of a century ago she moved from Saratoga street, East Boston, to Woburn, and after all that time she returns. She lately sold her place here, and will probably buy or build a home outside of Woburn and settle down.

— Our markets never in their lives looked more tempting than they do at this Christmastide. Such turkeys and geese and yellow-legged chickens and ducks! Such piles of toothsome roasts and broils and fries! Such heaps of tempting fruit and vegetables! But what right has a poor country Editor to be looking at such rich Christmas living.

— It seems natural to see Charlie A. Jones, Esq., back at the City Auditor's desk. He was appointed to fill the vacancy due to the resignation of Auditor Blodgett. Mr. Jones is no stranger to the post. It has never been filled more satisfactorily. He is an expert accountant and the business of the office was always done on time and accurately under his administration.

— The "Cash Market" in Dow Block is a good place to look for a Christmas turkey. There is no better one. If there is anything more inviting to the eye than the rows of corn-fed young gobblers with which the neat, clean, sweet storeroom is fringed and fluted and frilled we don't know what it is unless it be similar rows of fat chickens and ducks, piles of spareribs, juicy roasts and tender sirloins; the firkins of golden butter, fragrant cheese; the vegetables, the fruits, and all the other good things with which the store teems. The epicure in search of a rich Christmas dinner would not be disappointed at the "Cash Market" for every sweet and toothsome thing commonly kept in a firstclass market he would be sure to find there, and it wouldn't cost "all outdoors" either.

— William C. Johnson, inventor and electrician, was booked for an address on "Electricity as a Business," before the Y. M. A. last evening. Under President's Clough's administration the Association have listened to many able addresses during the year past. It has also been a growing institution. President Clough infuses the most active kind of life into all his undertakings.

— Town and city authorities, roadbuilders, etc., will be interested in a paper on "Highways," written by Mr. Winthrop Hammond of the firm of J. W. Hammond & Son of this city, and read by him at the last meeting of the Y. M. A. and cordially approved by the members present. We publish it at the request of President Clough of the Association, and also because of its worth to the public.

— Dr. Harlow, his attending physician, is authority for the statement that Jacob Brown, Esq., who suffered such terribly severe injuries from a fall from a ladder last week, is getting on very well indeed. Of course, it is expected he will be confined to his bed for some time but there is no doubt of his ultimate recovery. The public deeply sympathize with Mr. Brown and hope he may enjoy a speedy return to complete health.

— Particular attention is called to the fact that Highland Hose Co. of this city have *not* withdrawn from the *Globe* contest, but wish all persons having votes intended for the Company to send them in as soon as possible. All votes must be in the hands of the Company by Dec. 23 at 12 M., to give time for stamping and getting them to the *Globe* office before the vote closes at 8 P. M., of Dec. 23. Read this item carefully.

— We have a suspicion that many a little tot in this city is waiting with impatience for Christmas to come not only for the full stockings which he expects to find hanging by the chimney jamb in the morning, but also because of the share he anticipates in the Christmas treat which Rev. Dr. March gives annually to a company of little ones at the church. They all look forward to the Doctor's Christmas party with a great deal of pleasure.

— The following are the newly elected officers of Burbank Relief Corps, No. 84: President, Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside; Senior Vice-President, Mrs. Marion E. Leathe; Junior Vice-President, Mrs. Mary F. Barrett; Treasurer, Mrs. Ella M. Atwood; Chaplain, Mrs. Pauline A. Whitten; Conductor, Mrs. Harriet A. Knight; Guard, Mrs. Abbie A. Smith; Delegate, Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside; Alternate, Mrs. Sarah F. Duren. The Corps has 74 members.

— J. W. Hammond & Son advertise their fall and winter stock of goods in the JOURNAL and we call attention to the same. It goes without saying that their stock in every department—clothing, overcoats, underwear, headgear, umbrellas, gloves, neckwear, etc., etc., is complete, stylish, and of the best, for they have the reputation of selling only that kind of goods. Nowhere are prices lower than at Hammond's, and nowhere is better satisfaction given to buyers.

— Aha! A poetical humorist, is it? Or the reverse, a humorous poet? The *City Press* has one and is as proud as a hen with one chicken. It isn't every poor country paper that can glory in such metropolitan airs and luxuries. Boston must make her manners to Woburn now when they meet. The *City Press* always *did* have the best in the market and *would* indulge in frills when the rest of us had to scratch gravel like fury to get enough to appease the daily cravings of our empty maws.

— By postponement the regular meeting of the Woburn Womans Club will be held to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon at 3 o'clock, the usual hour. It will be addressed by Florence Howe-Hall of New Jersey, a daughter of the famous authoress and lecturer, Julia Ward Howe, whose theme will be "The Art of Conversation." There can be no doubt but that the lecture will be of uncommon interest, for the daughter is as generously endowed with brains and tongue as is her gifted mother.

— J. J. Grothe has been doing quite an extensive business of late in the manufacture of street railroad snowplows. The famous No. Woburn plow is the one he makes, nine of which he has lately turned out from his shops on Everett street. He has made six electric ones: 1 for the Lynn Belt Line, 1 for Newton St. R'y, 1 for Brockton, 1 for Augusta, Maine, and 1 for Dover, N. H.—all these to run on electric roads. He has also built 3 horse-power ones: 1 for Lewiston, Me., 1 for the No. Woburn St. R'y, and a sled for the Merrimac road. He has considerable of the work in this line in view. These plows are superior to any others built.

— Midnight robbers and burglars will be likely to fight shy of the residence of Mr. Joseph Buck in the future. Business will probably call them in a different direction hereafter. Ever since some one or more of the light-fingered gentry made a successful raid at Mr. Buck's only a short time before, he had kept a sharp eye out for them—had indeed held himself in a condition to give them a warm reception should they attempt to repeat their foray on his parlors and sleeping apartments. Not altogether figuratively speaking, Mr. Buck kept himself armed *cap-a-pie*, and last Thursday night his armor came into play very handily indeed. On that night Mr. Buck's home was re-visited by its old enemy, the midnight burglar, and the warm reception spoken of above was ready and waiting for him. He was cordially received by the head of the house in person. Both gentlemen will be likely to remember the meeting for some time to come. As soon as the burglar made his presence known Mr. Buck, with unusual alacrity, was on hand to greet him. Mr. Buck only weighs a little over 200 pounds, and it will be perfectly safe for our readers to conclude that the burglar didn't burgle many household wares nor much money and jewelry from Mr. Buck's premises that night. And it is perfectly safe too to conclude that he will defer a third call on that gentleman until later in the season.

— When Charles Newcomb closed a successful season of fox hunting in New Hampshire some three or four weeks ago he left his hound with a man at Amherst who wanted him to run down some more foxes. He was locked up for the night after Newcomb left and remained confined until the next day at noon when he was let out for exercise. It is presumed that very soon after being released he bid adieu to the Granite hills of N. H., for at a seasonable hour on that same night he reached his home in this city having traveled a distance 40 miles during the afternoon, and that too over a strange road and without a guideboard. In the first place, how did the hound find his way from Amherst, N. H., to Woburn? and in the second place, mustn't he have done a good stroke of pedestrianism that afternoon? Charles thinks his fox-hound is the champion runner in these parts.

— On last Friday evening the Woburn Encampment, No. 72, I. O. O. F., was duly imitated by the following officers: Charles B. Dunkerton, G. C. P.; C. Belding Smith, G. H. P.; William S. Phelps, G. S. W.; Charles A. Mayo, G. J. W.; Francis E. Merriam, G. R.; John P. Loring, G. R.; E. Bentley Young, G. I.; J. Lawrence Martin, A. J. G. At the close of the initiatory ceremonies the following Encampment officers were elected and installed for the then ensuing year: George H. Woodside, C. P.; Benjamin T. Morgan, H. P.; Charles J. Chase, S. W.; Edward A. Dow, Scribe; Robert Duncan, F. S.; George A. Simonds, Treasurer; Etienne C. Colomb, J. W. Subsequent to these proceedings the Patriarch Degree was conferred by Middlesex Encampment of Malden. Then there was a banquet, a pleasant social hour, and a friendly parting. Caterer Hardy of Arlington furnished a handsome repast.

— Some men have a strong repugnance to wearing an overcoat and seldom or never don one. Hannibal Hamlin, ex-Vice-President, used to be one of the kind. He acquired considerable notoriety in this way and also by clinging to his "blue coat and brass buttons" long after they had ceased to be the fashion. Col. Robert G. ("Bob") Ingersoll when he was 40 years old had never worn an overcoat, and we do not know that he has ever in his life put one on. We have had on our list of acquaintances several other gentlemen who cherished this same antipathy against overcoats. Col. H. B. Hayes of this city is one of them. It is very seldom indeed that he is seen with one on. It must be tough weather that can drive him to his ulster and when worn he appears to regard it more in the light of an ornament than a garment whose habitual use is necessary for his comfort. As human animals men indulge in queer fancies sometimes.

— Mrs. Jennings is as well prepared to cater to the wants of buyers of Christmas presents as anybody in Woburn. She is a Mrs. Santa Claus, or Aunty Krisskringle, or whatever the name of the Christmas friend of the young ones may be, and such stores of handsome things she has got hidden away under her counters, in boxes, on shelves, and in secret nooks and corners which will have to yield up their treasures long before the Merry Christmas morning dawns were never seen before! She has everything! There is nobody so thoughtful of the boys and girls as Mrs. Jennings, and one ought just to see what piles of things she has got in waiting for them. Nobody has so many kinds and such beautiful dolls as she has; such an endless variety of toys too! And just look through her windows, boys, and see the sorts of games she has got there for you! and those soldier setts! Aren't they just as big as life and twice as natural? And besides all these, in Mrs. Jennings's "Curiosity Shop" are heaps of elegant pocketbooks, picture-books, toilet soaps—well what's the use trying to name all the useful and beautiful Christmas goods which her store contains? It's *no* use: we give it up.

— Good Will towards men.

Lynn's City Marshal.

According to reports in the Lynn and Boston dailies trouble is brewing over the selection of a proper person to fill the office of City Marshal in the former place, although it is expected that the matter will give the new Mayor less disturbance of mind than some others seem to be laboring under.

THE WOBURN JOURNAL would not think of alluding to this matter were it not for the fact that Mr. Wilmot D. Nelson, a late resident of this city, and for three years Chief of our Police force, is a prominent candidate for the office of Lynn's City Marshal, with the chances strongly in favor of his appointment. It is stated in the newspaper reports referred to that the election of the new Mayor was doubtless due in considerable measure to the work and influence of Mr. Nelson during the municipal campaign, which causes him to lean strongly towards that gentleman's appointment. Only a small minority of the Board are in favor of retaining Mr. Hill, the present incumbent, who is not only a Democrat and therefore opposed to the Board in politics, but the Mayor was elected on a strict "Law and Order" issue which would make Mr. Hill's reappointment, in some measure, a stultification of the new City government. It is said the Mayor and his friends on the Board are not quite prepared to go back on themselves and the people who elected them in any such manner.

The JOURNAL is very glad to learn that Mr. Nelson's chances for the appointment are so fair. If it is a Marshal who will carry out the Mayor's "Law and Order" rule that Lynn is in search of, a better man for the office than Mr. Nelson cannot be found. For Woburn he made a careful, honest and efficient Chief of Police, and not only was he elected three or four years in succession, but at every re-election his salary was voluntarily raised $100 by the authorities.

Under Mr. Nelson's administration of police affairs here better order was maintained than ever before, hoodlums were brought to know and keep their places; there were more arrests made than in any other town in the Commonwealth of like size, more convictions of illegal rumsellers were among the good fruits of his official services, which would have guaranteed him a "steady job" in Woburn if he had seen fit to accept it. This he did not, to the regret of a large share of sober, moral, law-abiding people of the place, but preferred to return to his old home in Lynn.

The Lynn city government can do no better than to appoint Mr. Nelson their City Marshal. He is a man of good practical sense, of excellent executive ability, was always careful in the execution of police duties, never indulged in spirituous liquors, was ever to be found on the side of law and order, straightforward, conscientious, and would discharge his official duties fearlessly, honestly and faithfully, come what would. And he is a clean, square-toed, loyal Republican.

We hope Mr. Nelson will "get there," for which there now seems to be an excellent prospect.

Just Before Christmas Day.

Before appearing in public on the Friday morning next preceeding the joyous and jolly Christmas Day the JOURNAL's habit has been for several years past to take an evening stroll up and down the sidewalks of the business streets of the place and look at the holiday displays by oil, gas or electric lights, as the case might be, and to make notes of what it saw to be subsequently elaborated and given to its readers in due time. The object of this practice has always been to make our columns useful as well as ornamental to both buyer and seller; and to prove that the habit has been a good one in the JOURNAL's case it adduces the public approval which it has met with and the annual public demand for its continuance. We repeat the stroll, the notes, and the familiar talk this Christmastide.

For the benefit of the numerous readers of the JOURNAL whose homes are in neighboring towns and remote corners of our city we would say that the present displays of holiday goods in our stores and shops are deemed by good judges to be much more extensive and finer than ever before. The towns alluded to, especially Winchester, Stoneham, Burlington, Wilmington, etc., which do a large share of their everyday, as well as holiday, trading at Woburn, will save money by making a note of the above fact and utilizing it in the purchase of their Christmas and New Years presents.

For the benefit of buyers we will improve this opportunity to enumerate a few of the leading holiday stocks in this city and leave it to them to "judge by a little what a good deal means." Let us begin down near the Main street railroad crossing:

For furniture and house furnishing wares and choice things for holiday presents Caldwell's, in the old B. & L. station, is as good a place to visit as there is in Middlesex county.——Mr. Alex Ellis is not in the habit of laying himself out very large on holiday goods but he has some fine glassware, vases, etc. that would make nice Christmas presents.——For a Christmas dinner, or to fill a basket for the poor, there is no place better than the Cash Market in Dow's Block.——Webster, at the old Burgess store, makes an attractive display of holiday wares.

As these notes are intended only as a directory, or guide-board, for buyers, more particularly for out of town buyers, no more than a mere mention will be devoted to a few of the prominent dealers in Christmas goods. That will be all-sufficient to put them on the right track.——For spices for the Christmas pie, and raisins for the "plum-cake," for the choicest of fruits, nuts and confections, and for rich mocha and fragrant Bohea, the Boston Branch is the right place to go to.——Mr. Moses Bancroft has slippers enough to supply all the donation parties in Middlesex county with all they want for the ministers, besides other appropriate holiday goods. Call before purchasing elsewhere.——F. B. Dodge can boast of one of the handsomest display windows in this part of the country. It is rich in gold and silver goods, jewels and precious stones, and there is always a crowd around it after the electrics are lighted. His stock of watches is simply superb, and they are very cheap. And there is no end of fashionable jewelry in his store.——Fred Leeds manages to keep up with the procession in fine style. His step is firm and lively, and he makes a show as attractive as any of them.

Copeland & Bowser make a finer Christmas showing than ever before, which is high praise. The front window display is very handsome indeed, while the store proper is piled full of choice goods of every name and nature—crystal, china, books, pictures, toilet sets, brass goods, stationary, and everything else calculated to make the heart glad at this merry, happy season of the year.——Legg, the photographer, shows some beautiful holiday pictures.——The show window of John Duncan's store is loaded down with fine things.——Mrs. Maxwell makes a successful effort to show nice holiday goods.——Brown, the popular newsdealer, is doing a good holiday trade and has the material to do it with.——Mr. Blank, at Dr. Dodge's old stand, presents some nice things for the season.——Gage & Co., make about their customary display, which is always attractive.——Some idea of what Mrs. Jennings is doing for the young people is given in another item in this paper.

This guideboard would be exceedingly faulty did it not point the index finger of its dexter hand directly to the great Christmas Bazaar of Mr. Amos Cummings's and invite people to go in and see for themselves. Nor is there any great need of doing so either for his store is crowded every afternoon and evening with ladies in search of holiday presents, and the public have found out that he has a complete Santa Claus headquarters filled to the collar-beam with beautiful goods.——In rich plushes, boxes of rare woods, ivory and brass goods, brushes, hand-mirrors, toilet sets and soaps, there is no place on the street that comes up to Lovell's drugstore, or begins to. His holiday goods are all the best quality, handsome, and "all the style," and he is selling heaps of them.——Horton always comes up smiling at this merry time of year. Drop into his store and note carefully his fine holiday stock.——Ah, but aren't there nice candies to be had at Holdsworth's, though! Where can a larger or more complete confectionery establishment be found than Holdsworth's in Fox Block?

Nobody can get by the windows of Mr. C. Willard Smith's fine store without halting to admire the handsome things with which they are filled. They not only stop the passers-by, but crowds of ladies are to be seen afternoons and evenings standing at the counters inside admiring the great variety of Christmas gift goods and laying in supplies against the morning of the eventful day when the stockings of the little folks will yield up their treasures and family Christmas presents are given and received. Mr. Smith's windows are a pretty sight.——And such great fat turkeys as Durward's popular market contains! Such thick-meated ducks! Such tempting chickens! And geese and beef, and fresh pork—ah, but it is a firstclass hotel dinner just to look at them all.

Salesman Fred Lowell claims that no clothing house anywhere can "point with pride" to more artistically arranged show windows than those of Hammond's, and when he puts his mind on the subject and speaks in right-down dead earnest Fred generally comes pretty near hitting the bull's-eye. There are great stocks of choice holiday goods at Hammond's.——There is a nice display at E. G. Clough's large store, the wares being useful as well as ornamental.——A good, steady 30 minutes gaze into Prior's windows is better than a 4th of July celebration. His exhibition attracts more attention from Young American and indulgent mothers than any place in the city.——J. P. Shields, druggist, makes tempting offers of holiday goods. He employed excellent taste in making his selections, and is selling choice wares at cheap prices.——Lamps appear to be Mr. Holdridge's best hold for the holiday season. He has a great variety of them—many very beautiful patterns. He has many other goods appropriate to the season. His prices are low.——Mrs. Packard, in the line of observing Christmas, is not an inch behind the best. The windows of her millinery parlors look very inviting. She is a lady of good taste.

Mr. Charles M. Munroe has richly decorated the show windows of his store with holiday goods and they make a very fine appearance. A great deal of correct taste has been employed in arranging them, and the things which they contain are the best that can be bought. A professional decorator could call Mr. Munroe's west window a daisy.——Waldo Thompson, at L. Thompson's hardware store, has heaps of goods appropriate for Christmas presents, and they look firstrate.——J. M. Gerrish has no back seat when it comes to supplying the public with holiday gift goods.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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Christmas at the Churches.

In accordance with past usages Christmas will be observed in the Woburn churches next Sunday with religious services appropriate to the holy season. Especial sermons will be preached in most of them and especial music given. All of which is just as it should be.

BAPTIST.

At the First Baptist church, on next Sunday morning, Rev. Daniel D. Winn, the pastor, will deliver a seasonable sermon on "The First Advent of Christ," and music has been specially selected for the occasion. The choir, under the direction of P. E. Bancroft, with Miss M. L. Bancroft as organist, will render the following selections:

Organ Voluntary.	Whiting.
Anthem. "Unto us a child is born."	Percival.
Solo and chorus. "Calm on the listening ear of night."	Gilchrist.
Christmas Song.	Helmund.
Anthem. "Hail, the King."	Bartlett.
Chorus. "And the glory of the Lord."	Handel.
Organ Postlude. Hallelujah Chorus.	Handel.

FIRST CONGREGATIONALIST.

Rev. Daniel March, D. D., the pastor, will preach a Christmas sermon at the Centre Congregational church next Sunday morning. He has selected for his theme, "The Wonderful Child." The organist, Mr. William Horatio Clarke, who never fails to delight an audience with his selections and masterly execution of them on the organ, has made out the following musical programme for the morning services:

Carol, by Children's Choir. "Glory to God in the highest."
Antiphonal Chant. Gregorian Vente.
Responsive Hymn. "Hark what mean those holy voices."
Anthem. Gloria from Hayden's First Mass.
Congregational Hymns.

In the evening at 6 o'clock, the Sunday School will give a Christmas concert, for which Assistant Supt. Lyford has made out the following:

1. Organ Voluntary.
2. Singing. Glory to God in the highest.
3. Responsive Reading.
4. Prayer.
5. Singing. At last our Star.
6. Opening Address. Ruth Bacon.
7. Recitation. Hail glorious Morn. Sarah Norris.
8. Singing. In the wintry Heaven.
9. Recitation. Christmas Babe. Claire Tagwith.
10. Recitation. In Trouble. E. Fletcher Lyford.
11. Singing. Calm was the hallowed night.
12. Responsive Reading.
13. Recitation. Christmas Story. Grace Norris.
14. Singing. Christmas Bells.
15. Recitation. Out Side. Clara Larsen.
16. Recitation. All the earth is glad to-day. Johnie and Ella Bates.
17. Singing. Song that woke the morn.
18. Reading. A Christ Legend. Miss L. Carter.
19. Singing. Hosanna.
20. Collection.
21. Address. Dr. March.
22. Hymn.
23. Benediction.

UNITARIAN.

This church will hold its Christmas services on Sunday, Dec. 28, for which Organist John C. Buck is preparing a fine musical programme.

ST. CHARLES.

As usual Christmas services will be held at St. Charles (R. C.) church, on Christmas Day for which an attractive order of exercises and musical programme will be made out.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

No special services will be held by this denomination here next Sunday.

SCANDINAVIANS.

For Christmas programme of this church see "Scandinavian Notes" by R. in another column.

She was Bound Over.

Poor Hannah Dillon, more sinned against than sinning, was arraigned in the Woburn District Court last Monday morning on a charge of attempting to shoot James J. Callahan, the switchman at the Green street crossing, and was held for the Middlesex grand jury in $2,500 bonds.

The alleged attempted murder took place on last Saturday evening at the Green street crossing and would probably have proved successful had not the efforts of the crazy woman met with superior physical force. She was arrested while walking on the railroad track about 6 o'clock in the evening in a state of partial intoxication. She resisted arrest by Callahan, who is a special policeman, with all her might, and help was summoned after she had fired two unsuccessful shots at him and she was lodged in the city jail.

The next morning, after becoming sober, the girl told a wild, pitiful story—a story of unrequited love, cruel betrayal, rum and revenge. She said she intended to shoot Callahan. They had been lovers a few years ago, but Hannah fell into bad ways, so Callahan maintains, and he refused to fulfil his promise to marry her. The exciting scene of last Saturday evening was the beginning of the sequel to the former relations of the two.

Hannah F. Dillon is, notwithstanding the ravages made by drink, a handsome woman of 27 years or so. She said she had indulged in no liquor drinking for two years previous to her attempt to shoot Callahan, and the Cainan people where she has worked corroborate her word. But the poor girl is crazy. Her mother has been in an Insane Asylum, and she will have to go to one too.

If the JOURNAL understands the facts, no jury will ever convict her of trying to kill Callahan because no insane person can thus be convicted.

The Woburn Co-Operative Bank.

At a regular monthly meeting of the managers of the Bank held last Thursday evening week $900 was sold at a premium of five cents per share, no more being offered. Why the amount was not larger was owing to the advance sales made during the previous two months which depleted the treasury to that extent.

Public interest in the affairs and success of the Bank has never been so strong as at present since its organization 46 months ago. Its utility as an aid to making homes is no longer a mooted questions, and the number of people who avail themselves of its advantages is constantly increasing.

The Bank has now 375 members; it has $62,825 in real estate securities; and from the funds which it has furnished 16 good houses have been built in this city by people who, but for the aid of the Bank, could hardly have thought themselves able to build homes just yet.

At the regular meeting to be held on Jan. 8 the amount to be sold will be about $3,000 for which, according to present indications, there will be a plenty of bidders. On the 1st of April next will begin the sale of the 9th series of shares, so Secretary Whitcher informs us, at which date probably 500 shares will be offered.

The institution is constantly proving its claim to be regarded a public benefactor.

It's economical—Brussels soap.

"Saved by Death."

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—If you want an opportunity to secure $200 by guessing how Austin Grainge came to his strange death, you must get *The Boston Daily Globe* on Saturday of this week, Dec. 20.

To secure the prize you have simply to read one of the most intensely thrilling stories of the century and guess how it is coming out.

The Globe of Saturday will give you full particulars.

As there will be a great rush for it, order it of your newsdealer to-day.

Every man, woman and child in New England has a chance to solve this problem and contest for the prize.

The two persons who come next to the successful guesser of the solution will receive $50 each.

The name of the story is "SAVED BY DEATH."

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All the latest styles in TRIMMED BONNETS and HATS and MILLINERY GOODS.

Mrs. C. PACKARD, 419 Main St., Woburn.

Fine Picture.

In response to an invitation a JOURNAL man visited the home studio of Albert Thompson, the eminent landscape and cattle painter, last Monday afternoon to look at a picture just finished by him for a party residing at Dayton, Ohio, who ordered it on the strength of former products of Mr. Thompson's brush in the same line of work. It was to leave the next day for the West and a few friends of the artist had been asked to call at his studio on Main street and pass on the merits of his last professional achievement, some of whom were already gathered around it when the JOURNAL representative entered the room.

This studio of Mr. Thompson's and its belongings were found worthy of a more extended notice than space will admit of at this time. It was a bright, sunny room of good size, on the first floor of a pleasantly situated house, and seemingly well adopted in all respects for the uses to which it is put. On the walls hung oil paintings, engravings, etc.; others—the finished and unfinished work of Mr. Thompson—occupied easels scattered about the room; there were numerous drawings and parts of penciled designs for pieces in oil; the "tools" of the artist lay around, and many other such things as are usually found in the workshop of painters were there, which, combined on a single stretch of canvas, would of themselves make a very pretty picture.

The piece which the reporter and some of Mr. Thompsons's friends had been invited in to see was a large composition standing unframed in a western light near the centre of the studio where it could be examined to good advantage. The critics present spoke of it in terms of high praise, and properly so for it was an admirable piece of painting—one of the very best of the many of the same kind that have come from this artist's hand.

The principal subject of the work was cattle of course, and the subordinate one was landscape. Mr. Thompson's specialty is cattle-painting, in which branch of the art he excels and is rated high by his brother artists. In art exhibitions his work receives flattering recognition and attracts the favorable notice and elicits the commendations of the best of judges.

In the picture under consideration the foreground was quite taken up with the figures of three cows beneath a wide-spreading oak tree laden with emerald foliage—one standing, and two lying on the greensward. The animals were perfectly drawn and colored true to life. The figure of the standing one stood out in bold relief against the blue sky and seemed almost imbued with life, while those stretched on the sod were ruminant, and one in particular could almost be seen chewing her cud, while the half-closed eyes of the other was evidence of contentment and peace.

The background of the picture was filled in with a range of low hills, between which and the knoll on which were the cows there was a stretch of green meadow, and here and there were trees, suggestions of farm-houses, old stone walls, etc. In places the gray granite ledges appeared above the sod, and nothing could have been drawn and painted to look more natural than they did. It was a fair scene to look on and, minus the cattle (the chief feature), would have been a charming piece of work.

The canvas was one of the largest that Mr. Thompson has ever covered with a cattle painting, and he says himself that he thinks it the best piece of work he has ever done. Those who have seen it agree with him.

Where the Husband Revolts.

An involuntary respect for a neat housekeeper always arises in the breast of a man. A home may be an humble one; its inmates may be poor but if clean and neat, it is preferable to one wherein dirt abounds. 'Tis hard to hold a husband's affection with dirt, and perhaps this is one of the reasons why housekeepers take so readily to that best of all soaps, the famous Brussels. It's economical.

Schuman Quartette.

We were highly delighted with the Ladies Schuman Quartette of Woburn who sang for us at our Twelfth Anniversary, exercises, Nov. 16, 1890. The selections rendered by the Quartette were excellent and were given with artistic ability. We have received words of congratulation for securing the Quartette's services for that occasion.

I take great pleasure in recommending the Quartette to any who may wish to avail themselves of the best of musical talent, and with this note unsolicited to thank them again for their great help to us.

J. P. BAILEY,
General Sec'y Y. M. C. A.

The worthless soaps of foolish prejudice should be supplanted by the reliable soap of liberal sentiment—'tis Brussels.

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Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

Scandinavian Notes.

The Scandinavian Sewing Circle Auction Sale, last Saturday netted the society about eighty dollars.

Rev. E. Ostergren from Holden, Mass., will occupy the pulpit next Sunday in the Scandinavian church this city.

Mrs. Ann B. Skinner remembered the Scandinavian Society here before she passed away by giving them a very nice parlor table.

Through the efforts of some Scandinavians of this city a Swedish Evangelical free Mission society has been organized in Wakefield. Meetings are held every week.

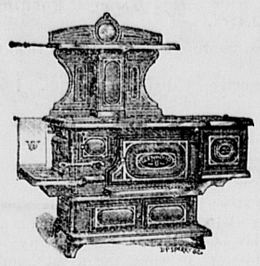
Holiday GoodS.

We are now ready with our usual amount of Goods suitable for the Holiday Trade. Those who have visited our stores in the past need not be told of our many attractions, but simply to be reminded that this year's goods are in no way inferior to those of former years. In fact each year we try to improve. Our Booklets and Cards are vastly superior to anything we have ever had, while the juveniles will not fail to suit all the younger ones. And for the older we have Books by the standard authors. Our Fancy Goods are numerous and our Staple Goods are correct in variety, quality and price.

An early examination solicited.

Copeland & Bowser

355 Main St.



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A Neighborhood Entertainment.

On Thursday evening Organist Clarke invited a hundred of his immediate neighbors, without regard to sect or nationality, to an illustrated entertainment in his new music hall on the Reading boundary, entitled "Faces and Flowers." The enlarged faces of many who were present were illuminated, and the occasion was taken to introduce the features of new comers to the older residents. The delicate pictures were farther illustrated by the appropriate introduction of familiar ballads, but the central thought of the evening was presented by the transmitting upon the silken transparancy that quotation which is silently influencing the lives of many persons with good motives:

"I shall pass through this world but once. Any good thing therefore that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it now. Let me not defer it or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

The pictures were followed by the scene of the grave-diggers from Hamlet which was excellently rendered by a neighbor, Mr. Isaac N. Stearns, who resides on Dragon Court. The exercises were closed by a solo on the trombone by Mr. Ernest Clarke, who had just returned for a short visit home from his western tour with Gilmore's celebrated band.

A hearty vote of thanks was given Mr. Clarke, and it was announced that the next entertainment would be made from the talent to be found in the immediate neighborhood.

This hall has been built by Mr. Clarke with the idea of its being the means of exerting a good influence in the locality for entertainments of an elevating nature which can be given without expense to those who may gather there; but the ultimate use of the building is to establish a school for church organists, for which a large three manual organ has already been purchased which will be placed in position during the coming year in the extension of the hall which is to be built in the spring.

It is hoped that by another winter arrangements will be made for an entertainment to be given each week consisting of literary exercises, organ recitals, concerts of vocal and instrumental music, with such other attractions as circumstances may indicate, and the name of the place will be known to the neighborhood as "Clarigold Hall."

"Gentlemen and ladies," said a celebrated lecturer, "I rise to remark that the American codfish ball is not up to the standard of what a codfish ball ought to be, but Brussels soap is away beyond the standard of all soaps heretofore made."

New Officers.

The following officers of Aberjona Colony, 131, United Order Pilgrim Fathers, were elected Wednesday evening: Past Governor, Eliot L. Packard; Governor, Lawrence Reade; Lieutenant Governor, Thomas J. Fox; Chaplain, William H. Henchey; Secretary, Charles S. Conn; Collector, Edward J. Gregory; Treasurer, Thomas F. McCormick; Sergeant-at-Arms, John E. Osborn; Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, Timothy Calnan; Sentinel Outer Gate, Bernard McHugh; Sentinel Inner Gate, Humphrey T. Toomey; Permanent Member Supreme Colony, Lawrence Reade; Representative, Eliot L. Packard; Trustees, James McMahon, Richard Reynolds, Martin J. Walsh. The officers will be installed Wednesday evening January 7, by Bro. Hutchinson of Cambridgeport, and the same evening several ladies will be initiated.

Y. M. C. A.

Sunday at 3, Boys meeting.

Sunday at 3.30, Men's prayer service.

Saturday evening at 8, Prayer meeting.

4 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, Mass meeting for all.

The entertainment of the Envelope Party was a success.

Mailed free to any address—"The Care and Feeding of Infants"—a book issued by the proprietors of Mellin's Food, and giving much valuable advice and assistance to the mother in feeding her child. Address, Mellier-Goodale Co., 41 Central Wharf, Boston, Mass.

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386 Prizes to be Given Away by the Canadian Agriculturist—A Splendid Prize List.

The third great Word Competition for the "Canadian Agriculturist and Home Magazine," Canada's great and popular Home and Farm Journal, will close on the 25th of February next. The following magnificent prizes will be given free to the persons sending in the greatest number of words made up out of the letters contained in the two words, "The Agriculturist:"

1st Prize,		$1,000 in Gold
2nd	"	$500 in Gold
3rd	"	$1,000 Grand Piano
4th	"	$500 Piano
5th	"	$300 Organ
6th	"	Ticket to England and return.
7th	"	Lady's Gold Watch
8th	"	Gent's Gold Watch
9th	"	China Tea Set
10th	"	Hunting Case Silver Watch
11th	"	Boy's Silver Watch

25 prizes of $10 each. 50 prizes of $5 each. 100 prizes of $2 each. 200 prizes of $1 each.

Making a total of 386 prizes, the value of which will aggregate $5,000. This Grand Word-Making Competition is open to everybody, everywhere, subject to the following conditions: The words must be constructed from the two words, "The Agriculturist." The words must be written in ink on one side of the paper only, and numbered in rotation, 1, 2, 3 and so on to the end of the list, for facilitating in deciding the winners. The list containing the largest number of words will be awarded first prize, and so on in the order of merit. Each list as it is received at the office of the "Canadian Agriculturist" will be numbered, and if two or more tie on the largest list, the first received will be awarded the first prize, the next second and so on. Therefore the benefit of sending in early will readily be seen. Each list must be accompanied by $1 for six months's subscription to the "Canadian Agriculturist." One person can send in one or more lists, accompanying each list with $1, for which the paper will be sent to any address for six months. The best family paper in Canada. It is eminently THE paper for the home circle, and at $2 a year is the cheapest and best paper in the market. Remember, you are paying $1 for six month's subscription to one of the best home papers in Canada, and at the same time run a good chance of winning a valuable prize.

The following gentlemen have consented to act as judges, and their decisions will be final: COMMODORE CALCUTT, Proprietor Calcutt's Line of Steamers, Peterborough; A. V. R. Young, United States Consul, Peterborough; D. O. Frye, General Manager Ontario Telephone Company.

The object of the publisher of the "Canadian Agriculturist" in giving away these amounts in cash, is to extend the circulation of the paper, and a number of agents are required in every locality, to whom liberal pay will be offered. Send three cent stamp for full particulars as to clubbing rates, etc. Address, THE CANADIAN AGRICULTURIST, Peterborough, Ont.

The New Tariff reduces the duty on copper contained in mattex from 3½ cents per pound to 1 cent. This will enable the Eastern Development Co., Limited, owning the Coxheath Copper Mines and the Little River Coal Mines, to ship their copper product to either the American or European markets at about the same profit. Under these circumstances the $1,000 7 per cent. Bonds of the Company, carrying 50 per cent of stock as a bonus, will be sought after. By paying $250 down it secures a bond with the stock, balance on time. Address the Company at its office, 95 Milk street, Boston, Mass.

Woburn all Right, Excepting the Liquor Question.

Politically Woburn's example is worthy of emulation. Partizanship has had no place in her elections since becoming a city, and if she adheres to this course then the stigma that usually attaches to elections of this kind will never mar that city's fair name. The election last Monday emphatically showed the views of her citizens in this matter, for notwithstanding the Republicans and Democrats pledged their support to Mr. Kenney, the Citizens ticket triumphed and not only elected their candidate, George F. Bean, but the entire ticket by a most handsome vote. Partizanship should have no place in municipal or town elections.

Woburn reversed her vote of a year ago and is now classed among the license cities. It was a surprise and it is too bad.—*Winchester Star.*

Esteemed contemporary, please analyze the vote carefully and then say whether or not "the entire ticket" was elected. But Woburn did very badly on the liquor vote—very.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

The Portuguese shoe has a wooden sole and heel, with a vamp made of patent leather fancifully showing the flesh side of the skin.

The Duchess de Chartres wears dark wigs and costumes to match them.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS or firms having BILLS against the CITY are requested to present them on or before **December 31, 1890,** as the financial year closes on that date.

CHARLIE A. JONES,
City Auditor.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Flagg, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Abigail Flagg, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of January, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed Executors of the will of Prinice S. Barnard, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

BENJ. F. BARNARD,
FREDERIC HINCKLEY,
Executors

December 9, 1890.

First National Bank

OF WOBURN.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them, will be held at their **Banking Rooms, on Tuesday, January 13, 1891,** at seven o'clock, P. M.

G. A. DAY, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 12, 1890.

Burlington.

The Town Hall, last Saturday evening, was the scene of a surprise party given to Mrs. C. H. Foster by her friends.

Rev. W. Murphy preached at the church, Sunday afternoon. The evening service was conducted Mr. F. Perry of North Woburn.

The Ladies Benevolent Society met in the church parlor, Thursday afternoon. The ladies are now working for the "Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children." This is an association which accomplishes a great deal of good and is well worthy of support.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Dec. 13, 1890.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Thomas Connell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of December next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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ADMINISTRATRIX' SALE

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on **Saturday, the third day of January,** in the year A. D. 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, a lot of land containing about five acres, with the buildings thereon, situated in Wilmington, in said County, on the north side of the County road leading from Lowell to Salem, formerly known as the "Stimpson Place," and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises, at a stake and stones at said road and land formerly of Joseph Davis; thence the line runs northerly by land last named to a stake and stones in an acute angle in the fence, at land formerly of T. D. Bond; thence southwesterly by said last named land, by the fence, to said road; thence easterly by said road to the first named bound. Said premises are same as first lot of land described in deed of Washington P. Damon to Ella M. Damon, dated February 1st, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 179, Page 172, and same as lot in deed of said Ella M. Damon to Joseph A. Phelps, recorded in said Registry, Book 187, Page 352.

Also, I shall sell, by virtue of said license, at public auction, on Saturday the third day of January, A. D. 1891, at thirty minutes past ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereinafter described, one other lot of land containing about twenty-two acres seven rods, situated in the northwesterly part of said Wilmington and part in Tewksbury, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises at a stake and stones at land now, or late, of T. D. Bond; thence westerly by last named land 34 rods to a stake and stones at same land; thence northerly by the old road and fence 56 rods 5 links to a stake and stones at same land; thence westerly by same land 398 feet to a stake and stones at same land; thence northerly by same land 314 feet to a pair of bars; thence northerly by a private way 453½ feet by heirs of William Pringle to a stake and stones at land of said heirs; thence easterly by same land 486 feet to a stake at land of Laura A. Miller; thence southerly by last named land 822 feet to a stake and stones, at land late of said Joseph A. Phelps and said Miller; thence easterly by land of said Miller, 499½ feet to a stake and stones at land of A. C. Phelps; thence southerly by said Phelps's land 2061 feet to a stake and stones at a corner; thence easterly by land of said A. C. Phelps 281½ feet to a stake and stones at land of Pauline F. Deloria; thence southerly by last named land 607½ feet to the point of beginning. For title, see Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 187, Page 555.

The mortgage to the Andover Savings Bank now covering said lots will be discharged before the giving of the deeds to the purchasers.

Terms at sale.

PAULINE F. DELORIA, Admx.

E. PRIOR, Auctioneer.
Woburn, Dec. 11, 1890.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Lawrence Rossiter and Ann Rossiter, his wife in her right, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, dated April 1, 1882, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1595, Page 19, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, the fifth day of January, A. D. 1891, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, on Garfield Avenue, formerly East street, containing about forty-six thousand five hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises, at East street, and at land now or formerly of Patrick Gleeman; thence the line runs easterly by land last named, and land now or late of L. H. Allen and heirs of Rufus Wyman, about four hundred and fifty-two feet, to land now or formerly of Holton; thence southerly by land last named, about thirty-five feet to a corner of land now or late of said Holton; thence westerly by land last named, and land of Thomas Quinn, about four hundred and fifty-two feet, to said East street; thence northerly on and by said East street, about one hundred fifty-two and one-half feet, to the point of beginning.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at the sale.

THE WOBURN FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee, By Edward E. Thompson, Treasurer.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, December 11, 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ella G. Richardson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Theodore M. Parker, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

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JESUS' PARTING WORDS.

LESSON XII, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, DEC. 21.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xxiv, 44, 53. Commit Verses 45, 48—Golden Text, John xiv, 3—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

44. And He said unto them, These are the words which I spake unto you while I was yet with you." He is no longer with them as when in His mortal body. He is the same Jesus as He has proved by walking, talking, eating with them, allowing them to handle Him; but while all this is grandly true, yet He has ceased to belong to the earth in its present state (I mean only as to abiding upon it), for the immortal and incorruptible does not yet dwell on earth.

"That all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the law of Moses, and in the prophets, and in the psalms concerning Me." Here is the only key to all Scripture, Jesus Himself. Moses wrote of Him, and to Him gave all the prophets witness, while David also in the psalms spake concerning Him (John v, 46; Acts x, 43; ii, 31).

45. "Then opened He their understanding, that they might understand the Scriptures." As He is the key to all Scripture, so He also by His Spirit is the only Teacher. Who teacheth like Him? The inspiration of the Almighty giveth understanding (Job xxxvi, 22; xxxii, 8). The natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness unto him; neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. But he that is spiritual discerneth all things.

46. "And said unto them, Thus it is written, and thus it behooved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the third day." Jesus in all His teaching appealed to the Scriptures, saying, "It is written," or "What is written, how readest thou?" And now he repeats what He had said to the two on the way to Emmaus, that, according to the Scriptures, the Christ must die and rise again the third day. The promise was that the Christ, or Messiah, should put away sin; but in order to do that He must become Himself a sacrifice, the sinners' substitute, as was typified in all the sacrifices and so plainly stated in Ps. xxii and Isa. liii.

47. "And that repentance, and remission of sins, should be preached in His name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem." This the apostles faithfully preached. "Him hath God exalted with His right hand to be a Prince and a Saviour, for to give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins" (Acts v, 31). Thus preached Peter to Jews only, before he received the vision which sent him to Gentiles also. "Through this man is preached unto you the forgiveness of sins, and by Him all that believe are justified from all things" (Acts xiii, 38, 39). Thus preached Paul to both Jews and Gentiles at Antioch in Pisidia.

48. "And ye are witnesses of these things." Or, as it is written in Acts i, 8: "Ye shall be witnesses unto Me, both in Jerusalem and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth." Unto Israel God had said, "Ye are my witnesses, saith the Lord, that I am God" (Isa. xliii, 10, 12). It is considered an honorable and very desirable position to be a representative of a country or a government at a foreign court. God chose Israel from among all the nations of the earth to be His witness to all nations that He is the one only living and true God, but while a faithful remnant stood for Him, the majority of the people failed to honor God, but sadly dishonored him, and made His name a reproach. The apostles were chosen to go forth in the name of Jesus, and by living His life over again, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, to win to Christ such as might believe on Him through their word. The Acts of the Apostles tell how faithfully they did this.

49. "And behold I send the promise of my Father upon you; but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem until ye be endued with power from on high." It is not possible for the natural man to please God (Rom. viii, 7, 8); he must be born again or from above (John iii, 3, 5, 7). It is just as impossible for the new man to be a faithful witness unto Christ except by the power of the Holy Spirit; and here is where all the failure in Christian life and service comes in.

50. "And He led them out as far as to Bethany, and He lifted up His hands and blessed them." During forty days He had showed Himself alive at various times to various individuals or companies of His followers on ten or twelve different occasions, and always speaking of the things pertaining to the Kingdom of God (Acts i, 3). But now the last time has come, and He is about to leave them to appear no more on the earth till His feet shall stand again on the same Mount of Olives when He comes in power and glory, bringing His saints with Him (Zech. xiv, 4, 5; I Thess. iii, 13).

51. "And it came to pass while He blessed them, He was parted from them, and carried up into Heaven." Gradually He ascended from their midst, until a cloud received Him out of their sight, and He was seen of them no more. As Stephen was dying he saw Heaven open, and the Son of Man standing on the right hand of God. As Saul of Tarsus journeyed to Damascus Jesus spoke to him from Heaven and appeared to him. And again to John on Patmos Jesus appeared in vision.

52. "And they worshiped Him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy." When they were so sad at His death, because He had not redeemed Israel as they expected He would have done, how is it that they are now full of great joy when He has gone again and the Kingdom had not yet come? Some tell us that now they understood, as they did not before, that He had come, not to restore the Kingdom to Israel, but to set up a spiritual kingdom in the hearts of men. This is a mere fabrication of man, and it is not only without foundation in Scripture, but is contrary to all Scripture. The true reason of their joy is found in the message of the angels who stood by them after He ascended, and said, "This same Jesus which is taken up from you into Heaven shall so come in like manner as ye have seen Him go into Heaven" (Acts i, 11).

53. "And they were continually in the temple praising and blessing God. Amen." May such be the end of each chapter of our spiritual life, the end of each day and of each week till we see Him. May our days begin and end with praise to God for giving unto us His dear Son, His unspeakable gift, and the great redemption which is in Him. May we be filled with the Spirit, so as to be His faithful witnesses even unto death, and may we each day be found eagerly longing for and expecting His return. Let our hearts say, "I will bless the Lord at all times, His praise shall be continually in my mouth." "My meditation of Him shall be sweet; I will be glad in the Lord" (Ps. xxxiv, 1; civ, 34).

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To time, and each has given me
Its good to help the whole;
And I stand here at thirty-five
To sum up all the years,
To count the worth of what they brought—
Joy, sorrow, smiles and tears.

My childhood hours are with me still,
In memory's golden cup;
And girlhood's jewels glisten, too;
And womanhood's shine up
Into my eager, searching eyes,
Which see these gems of mine,
In spite of flaws, in spite of wrong,
Or careless cutting, still do shine.

What if I stand midway in life
With youth beyond recall?
It has been mine, and from my soul
Its good can no more fall
Than can the growth of yesterday
From yonder glowing tree,
That used the transient, let it go,
And kept its good, you see.

The coming years are no "decline,"
Else I am much to blame;
If I look down instead of up,
If eagerness grows tame,
If inspiration lowers aims
Because I have grown "wise,"
If sunshine seems a thing less glad,
If I search not the skies.

Because, indeed, they have not dropped
The star I reached to grasp,
If I am heedless of the gems
Within my hand's loose clasp,
Then, I am much to blame, I say
For all the years were mine
To have, to hold, to use, to give,
To make my future shine.

The best of life has not gone by,
It still is mine, I hold;
Today, to-morrow, coming days,
Most surely they enfold
The treasure I have grown unto,
So midway, here I stand
And say: Life is still very good,
With heights on every hand!
—Juniata Stafford in Chicago Tribune.

Needless Precautions.

It is always amusing to encounter anybody newly provided with a dog, especially if it be his or her first dog. There is a mixture of pride, of self consciousness and of anxiety in the owner which is somewhat similar, I presume, to the emotions of a woman with a baby, and certainly not unlike the fluttering concern of a hen with a brood of chicks. If the dog, as often happens, is a puppy, the green owner is apt to feel an alarm on one point that is quite unnecessary—grown dogs will not molest a puppy—they respect his tender years and innocent nature. But this great truth in natural history is often overlooked. Only the other day I saw in Commonwealth avenue a young lady leading forth a St. Bernard rough coated pup, a soft, yielding mass of fluffy brown and white. To caress him would be a delight; to hug him, rapture. The fiercest bull terrier would not have harmed a hair of his round, infantile head. But the young woman whipped out her lash and stood guard, even at the approach of an Irish setter. I longed to set her mind at rest.—Boston Post.

Dress of the Fifteenth Century Spaniards.

The Spaniards were the best dressed men in Europe in the Fifteenth century. They were the first to introduce the more saddish colors, as they were termed, in men's attire—an innovation that was accepted by well dressed men the world over. When King Philip married Queen Mary, of England, the exquisites took up the Spanish vogue, which was maintained for many years thereafter. Philip Sydney, Sir Walter Raleigh, and others of the royal set were the first to assume the costume of the Spanish origin and make it the fashion. It consisted of a very easy doublet fitting the body, the trunks to the knees expanded artificially, and below the hose. The colors were dark. Sir Walter Raleigh's white velvet suit decorated with pearls was a bold deviation from the usage of the times. It was worn at Queen Elizabeth's ball and has been immortalized on canvas.—Clothier and Furnisher.

For the Ingenious to Solve.

The Washington National Tribune revives this: Open a book at random and select a word within the first ten lines and within the tenth word from the end of the line. Now double the number of the page and multiply the sum by 5, then add 20, then add the number of the line you have selected, then add 5; multiply the sum by 10. Add the number of the word in the line. From this subtract 250, and the remainder will indicate in the unit column the number of the word, in the ten column the number of the line, and the remaining figures the number of the page.

The following also is recalled by the recent publication of the 21 puzzle or catch: Arrange the figures 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, using each once and none more than twice, so that the sum will be 21.

No Relation at All.

Incidents of the self assurance of the rising generation are not infrequent. They are not confined to the Caucasian race, however, as a Seattle man found out the other day. The gentleman, who is rather paternal in his manner, was riding in an elevator which is manned by a colored youth. Addressing the youngster he said:

"Well, son, do you have to work pretty hard?"

Like a flash the answer came:

"Huh! I ain't no son of yours. I ain't eben no relation. You white trash is gettin' to be too blame imperant to us colored gen'lemen anyhow. You get out right here."

And our paternal friend got.—Seattle Press.

Fads.

Daisy Luggs—Why, bless me, Amy, what new fad is this? Your sleeves are rolled up and you're covered with flour!

Amy Hamoneg—Oddest fad in the world, my dear; I've taken a notion to help my mother in the kitchen.—Puck.

Pain and dread attend the use of most catarrh remedies. Liquids and snuffs are unpleasant as well as dangerous. Ely's Cream Balm is safe, pleasant, easily applied into the nostrils, and a sure cure. It cleanses the nasal passages and heals the inflamed membrane, giving relief at once. Price 50c.

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The Mussulman's shoe is of heavy leather. It is adjusted to the foot by wide leather strap which runs from the heel and buckles over the instep. The only ornamentation is fastening of two feather plumes on the right side of the sharp toe.

Mothers, you can relieve your baby of its discomfort without administering opium, that deadly drug, by using only Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

The remedy needed for a severe case of nasal catarrh is Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

CASTLES IN THE AIR.

A Fraudulent Bait at Which Americans Are Too Often Prone to Bite.

It would seem, after all the publicity given to the scheme in the papers throughout the country, that few persons would indulge in the chimera of obtaining a part or a whole of the estates said to be held unclaimed in the courts of England. Circulars to the effect that more than half a billion of dollars in unclaimed estates are awaiting the rightful heirs in England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland continue to be scattered broadcast through this country, and there is an agency in this city employing men to promote just such schemes.

There is something alluring in this little paragraph: "Thousands of heirs have never seen these advertisements. If your ancestors on your father's or mother's side came from any of the above named countries do not fail to send the ancestral name and ascertain if you are an heir. Your deceased ancestors' rights are yours by British law. We have information of every estate and deceased person whose heirs have been advertised for in 125 years. Send postal note for twenty-five cents to insure information. If you are an heir we will recover the estate for you. No recovery, no fee."

It must have been this circular which caused Miss C. H. Clopton, of Columbia, Tenn., to address the agency in this city for information concerning a supposed Drake estate in England, to which she believed she was an heir. In reply she was told that Mrs. S. M. Redfield, of Edwards, Miss., and Mrs. L. V. Donelson, of Lexington, Homes county, Miss., had filed claims to the estate, and then the ingeniously worded letter suggested to her that she might be permitted to enter the lists with the others' consent. Continuing, it said: "Our terms are the same to each, namely, 1 per cent. of the amount gained. If we gain nothing we get nothing. And if we have to assume the costs, $10 of our fee in advance as a small guarantee of good faith."

The meat of the nut is in the last sentence. The circular distinctly states: "No recovery, no fee."

Miss Clopton replied to this letter in effect that her Uncle Elijah knew nothing about Mrs. Redfield or Mrs. Donelson. In a letter of the date of Oct. 20 she received this brief communication: "In replying to your favor of Oct. 14 we beg to say that Mrs. Redfield has accepted our terms, and suit is now pending in her behalf."

For the benefit of Miss Clopton and others who fancy that they are within one step of wealth the letter of the secretary of the United States legation in London, bearing the date of April 19, 1887, and addressed to a person inquiring about the Sands estate, may be of some benefit: "I beg to inform you that there is no such 'estate' as the one you mention. Vast numbers of people in our country are deceived and defrauded by designing persons, who represent that great estates are awaiting American claimants here, whereas there are none such."

Again, Sept. 18, 1887, a deluded person in Massachusetts, who thought he was an heir to the Lawrence-Townley estate, received a letter of caution, this time the advice coming from Minister Phelps, in which he said: "A worse fraud was never attempted. There is not a pretense of foundation for it in fact. It is simply a device for obtaining money by false pretenses from the credulous."—New York Times.

An Editor's Curious Find.

When the editor of The Athens Banner was living it St. James Goose Creek parish, near Charleston, S. C., he once found a large iron box in an old field, badly eaten with rust. Through curiosity he secured a hammer, and assisted by two negroes broke a hole into it, but some charred human bones and a small key that unlocked the chest were all that rewarded his pains. It was afterward learned that in the early settlement of Carolina an old bachelor left in his will $10,000 to any one who would place his bones in an iron box and burn over it 100 cords of pine wood.

One key was to be placed in a bottle filled with lead, and dropped into a hole in Cooper river, where bottom was never found, and the other left in the coffin. A poor young man complied with the will, and was paid $10,000. The rest of the old man's money he buried, and no one ever found it. He believed that if a person's body was burned in this world he would escape fire in the next. The iron chest is doubtless still where it was left.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Prodigal Son.

The teacher of a Sunday school class of colored children expounded to them the parable of the prodigal son. She described in as graphic a manner as she could the young man eating husks while the swine fed on the corn. In the midst of her description one attentive boy held up his hand and said: "Missus, I think that white boy was a fool." "Why do you think so?" "'Case if I had been him I would 'a' stole one o' dem hogs an' had a good dinner."—Christian Advocate.

Not the Same.

Chalkerley—Say, what sort of a chap is that young Cutadash, who referred to you when he opened an account with me?

Gudepeigh—I have always regarded him as a promising young man.

Chalkerley—So have I! Always promising, but never pays.—Clothier and Furnisher.

The Governor of Missouri has become jealous of the attention given to outlaws; but he still continues to recommend the famous Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for coughs and colds.

The proprietors of Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, will pay a large reward if any certificate published by them is found not genuine. It costs only 25 cents a bottle.

The sandal worn by the Egyptians is composed of a sole made by sticking together three thicknesses of leather. This is held to the foot by a band passing across the instep. The sandal is beautifully stitched with threads of different colors.

Nothing in the Wide World so Good.

I was afflicted with Kidney disease. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y.—I say it with a perfect recollection of all that was done for me besides—is the only thing that gave me permanent relief. I have recommended it to many people for Kidney disease and they all agree that it has not its equal for this complaint.—Lyman Crawford, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

The Comtesse de Paris smokes mild Havana cigars.

Ice Cream and Hot Pie.

"Well, I've waited on gentlemen, ladies and children for twenty-five years," said a waiter in a Broadway restaurant the other day, "and I've seen some queer dishes and some people with queer tastes in that time, but I never saw any one do a thing like that," and he pointed mysteriously over his shoulder to a well dressed young fellow, who seemed to be eating with great gusto on the other side of the room. "What's he got?" asked the man to whom the astonished waiter had addressed his remark. "It looks like ice cream." "Ice cream it is," said the waiter, "sure enough. But what do you think is under it?"

"Give it up," was the reply. "And well you may, sir," said the man with the swallowtails and napkin, "for you might have guessed for a week and not hit it. "It's a piece of apple pie made as hot as can be in the oven. He scooped the ice cream over the top of the pie and it almost hissed. Then he began to eat the mess with a spoon before the cream could melt more than just a little, and he really seems to revel in it. It beats all what people will do to their insides," and the waiter bustled forward to seat a young woman, pretending not to see that an old man who had not tipped him was struggling wildly to get into his overcoat without assistance. —New York Tribune.

Railways' Consumption of Timber.

The round total of timber ties in use on railroads in the United States is nearly 516,000,000, and 80,000,000 are annually required for renewals. Including bridge and trestle work the annual consumption of timber on railways is computed at 500,000,000 cubic feet, requiring the cutting of the best timber from over 1,000,000 acres of forest land per annum. To meet this demand, under our present wasteful management of timber land, the area to be preserved for this purpose would probably exceed 50,000,000 acres, or more than 10 per cent. of our present forest area.

As railway managers prefer "hewn" ties, and "one to be cut from small trees," the timber consumed by railroads, or 20 per cent. of the total consumption, is taken from the young growth. Then 60 per cent. of all ties are oak, the most valuable of all our timber. Reliable investigation shows that in the Kentucky forests, when 40 per cent. of the natural growth is white oak, the new growth of oak is only 5 per cent. after the land has once been cut over for ties.—Philadelphia Press.

Bill of Fare at Andersonville.

The ration for the earlier months consisted of about four ounces of meat and a section of corn bread four inches square by three inches thick. The bread, of unbolted meal, was baked very hard to the depth of one-half inch, while the center was raw. The bread would often be as full of flies as a plum pudding is of fruit. As a large portion of our number drew rations after dark the ingredients were not wasted. During the later months yams, rice or peas were issued in lieu of meat, and meal of grits instead of bread. We had no vessels to receive these, and the steaming rice was shoveled from the wagon box into blankets; or a man would take off his trousers, knot one of the legs and thus receive the portion for his mess. The same method was used in the distribution of the yams and peas, except sometimes the receptacle was a piece of underclothing.—Century.

Usefulness of India Rubber.

Rubber enters largely into the manufacture of artificial flowers, considerable quantities of which are made in this country, and artificial limbs owe much of their flexibility and adaptability to this material. It is the only substance that imitates the ankle action of the human foot, and rubber hands are made so perfectly that many cripples are able to write by their use. The manufacture of smokeless powder has hitherto had most injurious effects on the health of those employed in it; but now the men have been provided with rubber masks, which protect them from the fumes thrown off by the chemicals entering into the composition of the powder. One of the most admirable uses to which rubber has been put is for horseshoes; it is not only light and durable, but it markedly improves the hoof.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Reading During Meals.

To read during meals is commonly reckoned as physiologically erroneous—we won't say as absolutely injurious. The theory is that, as the stomach and other organs require and exert nervous power during digestion, it is better to allow nothing to interfere with their work. We do not say this can be borne out, but the feeling of satisfaction that follows a meal, and which is often accompanied in good health by drowsiness, probably indicates that a certain amount of nervous exhaustion occurs during digestion. The pleasant chat of a dinner party is probably of value physiologically as supplying a slight mental stimulus, without making too severe demands on brain and nerves. If any evidence exists at all on the subject, we think it tends to discourage reading at meals.—Herald of Health.

On the Avenue.

Lanks—Goodness me, Shanks! How do you happen to be trundling a baby carriage?

Shanks—I borrowed it of my sister. It's to protect myself from being run into by other baby carriages.—Good News.

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Woman's Column.

Miss Rose Lee Tucker has been elected librarian and keeper of the Capitol of Mississippi.

Mrs. Maria L. Townsend has been elected school visitor in Middlebury, Ct., by the votes of both parties.

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher is writing her "Reminiscences" of her husband for the *Ladies' Home Journal* of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Cleveland provided a Thanksgiving dinner for eighty children belonging to the kindergarten of which she is Vice-President.

Mrs. Isabel Poland Rankin, daughter of the late Hon. Luke P. Poland, has given the town of Morriston, Vt., a thousand dollars toward a library.

Mrs. Henrietta H. White, of Boston, has maintained a free high school for two years at the Cove of Northport, Me., where she is a summer visitor. This year there were forty-two pupils.

The Oklahoma House of Representatives, on Nov. 27, passed a bill extending full suffrage to the women of that Territory. There is said to be a good prospect that the bill will pass the Senate.

Mrs. Henry Draper, now in Peru, is her husband's constant assistant in all his astronomical researches. She spends much of her time among the telescopes and photographic apparatus of the observatory.

Miss Ray Frank is one of the few Jewesses who in recent times have preached in a synagogue. On the Day of Atonement she spoke at Spokane Falls, Wash., and so interested her hearers that they decided to establish a permanent congregation there.

The vote taken in the Methodist Episcopal churches during October and November is now complete, and shows a good majority in favor of women as lay delegates. New England and the West gave large majorities in favor of the women; the Middle States were closely divided, and the South was generally opposed. This vote does not legally determine the question, which will come before the next General Conference for authoritative settlement. It is merely an expression of opinion; but, as such, it cannot fail to have great weight with the Conference, and will probably secure a decision in favor of equity and common sense.

Frances Willard said, in her address at the recent annual convention of the National W. C. T. U.: "It has been wisely said, 'Only let justice prevail among men, and there will be small need of charity.' Each age develops a new conscience—becomes just concerning a class to which before it had considered itself generous. For instance, a charitable master thought well of himself because he took good care of his slave, but a just master liberated him that he might care for himself. 'An indulgent husband,' as the phrase is, thinks well of himself because he permits his wife to do as she chooses; but a just husband perceives that to do so is her right, which he can neither give nor take away."

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groton, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co's Drugstore, regular size, 50c. and $1.00.

The Wrong Widow.

A man who must have had a bad streak in his nature called at a house on Seventh street a day or two ago and asked for the name of the family. The woman gave it to him, and after some hesitation he said:

"I am the bearer of bad news."

"Oh, my! Is it my boy?"

"No, ma'am."

"My girl?"

"No, ma'am"

"My Tommy—has he met with an accident?"

"No, ma'am, it is far worse."

"But what can it be?" Tell me at once!"

"I just came from the new building."

"What new building?"

"Where your husband was at work. Madam, brace yourself to hear the worst."

"And you, you rascal, brace yourself to get whacked by the broomstick!" she replied as she ran for the broom.

When she got back he was standing on the walk, twenty feet away.

"You must be a cold-hearted woman, not to care about your husband's death," he remarked.

"Yes, I guess I am, seeing I've had 12 years to get over it! Now you skip, or I'll call somebody to raise a bump on your head?"—*Ex.*

The right way to cure catarrh is to eradicate the poisonous taint which causes the disease, by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Siam shoe has the form of an ancient canoe with a gondola bow and an open top. The sole is made of wood and the upper of inlaid wood and cloth, and the exterior is elaborately ornamented in colors and with gold and silver.

The Muscovite shoe is hand woven on a wooden frame, and but little attention is paid to the shape of the foot. Leather is sometimes used, but the sandal is generally made of colored silk cordage and woolen cloth.

The Armenian shoe has a leather sole and heel, without a counter and back quarter. The vamp is made of felt and is beautifully ornamented with needlework done in colored silk thread.

The Persian footgear is a raised shoe and is often made a foot high. It is made of light wood richly inlaid, with a strap extending over the instep.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.24 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Winchester for Symmes' Corner at 7.30, 8.30, A. M., 12.23, 1.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Symmes' Corner for Winchester and Woburn at 7.38, 8.38, A. M., 12.25, 1.38, 4.38, 5.35, 6.25, 7.38, 8.38, 9.38, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.15, 7.45, 8.00, 8.45, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 2.10, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.40, 8.10, 8.20, 9.10, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at ≈8.15, 9.15, ≈10.05, ≈10.45, 11.45, A. M., ≈12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, ≈2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, ≈4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, ≈6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, ≈8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at ≈8.40, 9.40, ≈10 20, ≈11.10, A. M., 12.10, ≈1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, ≈3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, ≈5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, ≈7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, ≈9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.45, 6.00, 6.45, 7.00, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.45, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 2.10, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 4.10, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.10, 6.20, 7.10, 7.20, 8.10, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 10.05, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 10.30 A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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The Woburn Journal.

THE DEACON'S MISFIT.

"I do wish," exclaimed Mrs. Deacon Appleby, "that everything wouldn't allus come in a heap!"

"Wall, wall, Samantha, don't fret," said the deacon, who sat in a corner mending a "hold back," which had broken while driving home from town that afternoon.

"I guess if somebody didn't fret things would get wus than they be, for of all the procrastinatin' critters you beat the wust of 'em. The idea of your waitin' till Saturday afore you went to town to git them clothes, and not a thing to put on your back for Sunday!"

"No use of stewin' about that, now that I've been and got back and bought the clothes," said the deacon, his temper not the least ruffled by the lashing of his consort's rather sharp tongue.

"You've bought 'em but they ain't here," returned the good woman.

"I couldn't wait for 'em to be fixed. The misfit parlor man said that they allus cal'lated to have the goods a perfect, bang up, nobby fit afore he delivered 'em to customers." Lucky, Samantha, that I see that advertisement of the misfit parlors, for there you can git custom made goods at ready made prices!"

"You picked up a good many slang words for one trip to town, it seems to me," said Mrs. Appleby, amid a great clatter of tea kettle and other domestic utensils upon the kitchen stove.

"Them 'ere ain't slang. They're terms that belong to the trade," explained the deacon.

"Wall, I dunno what a suit o' clo'es 'll amount to you, with you in one town and they in another; s'posin' they don't come?"

"I could wear a shawl o' yourn to meetin', and have it given out from the pulpit with the rest of the church notices that I'd got a new outfit somewheres on the way," suggested the deacon, with a humorous twist of his lips, which always had a smile lurking about them ready to spring into visible existence.

"I wouldn't make sport out of sacred subjects if I was in your place," said Samantha with unabated asperity.

The current of debate was turned at this point by the appearance of Doris, whose twenty years of life had developed the energetic qualities of her mother with the never failing good temper of her father—a combination, by the way, which went very well with a sweetly simple manner and a full share of beauty.

"The coach is coming, father," she announced, "and I think it brings Mr. Graves, the new minister."

"For pity's sake!" cried Mrs. Appleby.

"I never thought of its bein' time for the coach yit," exclaimed the deacon, hastily thrusting the piece of harness which he was mending into a pocket and running to the sink to wash his hands.

"Doris has gone to meet him at the door. I shan't with this faded caliker on," said Mrs. Appleby.

"I will meet him, mother, and show him to his room," said Doris, and she added "you and father will have time to brush yourselves up a bit before he comes down to supper."

With nothing but sunshine upon her sweet face she adjusted a ribbon at her throat, and another at her waist, with the effect of a general change of attire, for it took but little to adorn her simple beauty.

She opened the front door just as Mr. Graves alighted from the coach. He was a pleasant faced young man—a student sent there for one Sabbath as a "candidate." As yet he had not gained a very ministerial look, especially since he wore a travelling suit of gray, with russet shoes and crush hat.

Doris greeted him with unconscious grace, but he was a little embarrassed.

"If I may tax your kindness so soon," he said, as he paused in the doorway of the pleasant chamber to which she conducted him, "I would like a needle and thread. I caught my coat sleeve on the door of the coach and the result is a sad looking rent."

And he held up his arm to show the extent of the damage.

"That is too bad, but I can soon mend it for you. I'm afraid," she added, with her sunny smile, "that unless you are more nimble with the needle than father is you would have a hard time mending that. It is a dreadful tear and it will show, the best I can do."

Mr. Graves laughed, and handed her the garment with a grateful look.

"The worst of it is," he added, "I had a parcel checked on the cars and the baggage man couldn't find it at the station when I arrived. It contained more suitable garments than these for to-morrow."

"I hope it is not lost," said Doris.

"Probably it will be found in time for me to check it back again when I return."

In the meantime Mrs. Appleby was bustling about in the preparation of tea and the deacon, having finished mending the harness, was out attending to the chores, which always hurried him at that hour.

Six o'clock came; supper was all ready. Still no express bundle arrived for the deacon. It ought to have come on the coach.

Mrs. Appleby grew more and more uneasy; even the calm deacon began to brush with his hand the clothes he had on, wondering if they couldn't be made to answer in case his new suit did not come.

But no—they would not do. He had been humiliated enough by being compelled to wear them to town that day. The truth was, his thrifty wife had undertaken a few days before these events to sponge the deacon's clothes with a famous cleansing soap which had been recommended to her.

The soap was indeed effective. It removed all the stains and grease, but at the same time took out every vestige of the original dye wherever the sponge was applied. The result was a generally mottled effect which was so ridiculous that the wearer laughed every time he looked at them.

He had hoped that the new suit would arrive before the young minister came down to supper. But it was a vain hope.

"I guess he'll think we're mortal poor for you to wear them things," said Mrs. Appleby.

"Mebbe he'll think I'm all the more stiddy for a deacon if I don't pay so much attention to dress, like the world's people," was the ready reply.

As a matter of fact Mr. Graves did not think of noticing his genial host's attire, and although Mrs. Appleby was "fidgety" at the table Doris and her father were pleasant enough to make up.

But when 9 o'clock—the deacon's bedtime—came and Mr. Graves retired for the night the Applebys looked at each other in dismay.

"Now what d'ye think?" exclaimed Mrs. Appleby.

"Looks as if I'd got to stay at home from meetin' to-morrow or go and wear these here brindle trousers," said the deacon with a rather dismal smile.

"If it only wasn't wicked to pretend to be ill and not to go," said Doris faintly.

"But it is wicked," asserted her father.

"Jest as I expected 'twould turn out when you come home without the new clo'es," said Mrs. Appleby.

"I don't see how I could help it. They needed fixin' over, and I knew you'd scold if I axed you to do it with so little time."

"You oughter got 'em the fust of the week, as I told ye to. It all comes of your procrastinatin' that I'm allus tellin' ye about."

"There is somebody at the door this minute," cried Doris, and she flew to answer the knock.

A boy stood on the step with a bundle.

"Express for the deacon," explained the youngster. "Carried by on t'other train, and come back on the one from the west. Dad told me to fetch it right up, as ye might be wanting of it!"

"There, there, Samantha!" cried the deacon, holding the bundle exultantly close to the good lady's face.

"Now what comes of all your talk? Here's the clo'es, and they sent 'em jest as they said they would."

Samantha relented in spirit, as she usually did after the worry of the day was over, and so they retired in peace. The deacon would have liked to try on his purchase before going to bed, but it occurred to him that that would appear like boyish impatience, so he contented himself with tearing a hole in the wrapping paper and obtaining a glimpse of the dark goods through the opening.

In the morning, for some unaccountable reason, the Applebys all overslept, and when the deacon and his energetic wife arose they found that they had a narrow margin of time in which to do the ordinary morning work of a farm, which cannot be omitted even on the Sabbath.

This tended to irritate Samantha, and even the deacon found it hard to keep his Sunday countenance during a hastily prepared breakfast. Mr. Graves was a little anxious over the coming ordeal of preaching, for the second time in his experience, a regular written sermon.

"We'll be late, just as sure as the world!" said Mrs. Appleby for the dozenth time after Mr. Graves had gone to his room for a half hour of meditation.

"Time enough, mother. Don't fret," said the deacon.

"But you've got your clothes to change yet, and no knowin' whether they'll come within a rod of fittin' ye," persisted Mrs. Appleby.

"I'll risk it. I'll wear 'em anyway, fit or no fit," said the deacon impatiently.

"I will hitch up the horse for you, father, so you can have more time," said Doris.

"That's a good gal! I wish ye would, for I declare for it I hate to have ter hustle round so like a house afire Sunday morning."

Mr. Graves came down ready to start. Mrs. Appleby tried to entertain him with becoming before meeting topics while the deacon was getting ready. Doris came in and said the team was ready.

Still Deacon Appleby did not put in an appearance. His wife fidgeted, Doris became uneasy, and Mr. Graves looked at his watch.

"What in the name of natur' can that man be a-doin'?" exclaimed Mrs. Appleby at last.

She started to go and see, when the door opened and Deacon Appleby came in. His face was very red, and there was a queer pucker about his lips as though he were suppressing an inclination to laugh.

"Good land!" ejaculated Mrs. Appleby.

"Why father!" Doris exclaimed.

Mr. Graves stared at the apparition in the doorway, then looked down at his own slim length, and back again at the ample figure of his host, while his pale cheeks became almost as red as the deacon's.

"Got the hoss ready?" ventured the latter.

"Yes, father. But"——

"Wall, we hain't much time to spare. Ye see"—The good man was on the point of making an explanation, but checked himself and began, with short, cautious steps to cross the room, adding:

"Come, come, if the hoss is ready."

A more ridiculous figure than that cut by the deacon it would be hard to imagine.

He had put on his new suit of clothes. They were made of dark goods of fine quality. But the legs were several inches too short, and so tight that they set like the costume of a circus performer. The coat was equally short, and to introduce the buttons to their respective buttonholes would have been an impossibility. And every moment the deacon made a vain attempt to stretch the too economical waistcoat down to cover a zone of white shirt and suspender buttons betwixt that garment and the trousers.

"What in the world did you buy them duds for?" gasped Samantha in the deacon's ear, when they were seated beside each other on the forward seat of the beach wagon.

"Don't say a word, please don't, and mebbe there won't nobody notice it!" was the hurried response.

"Not notice 'em!" echoed Mrs. Appleby.

"There's a pesky mistake, unless the clo'es shrunk tremendously after I left them," said the deacon.

At the meeting house the latter glided into a pew near the door partially unobserved, after the services were begun; and in perspiring misery he sat through the hour of worship until aroused by a touch upon his arm. It was the boy who had brought the express bundle the evening before, and he had another bundle now.

"Dad didn't see this one when he sent me up last night, and so I fetched it here, knowin' you always was ter meetin'," said the boy, handing over another bundle.

"What have you there, father?" Doris exclaimed noticing the bundle hugged under his arm.

"Oh—yes—I forgot—but it's your'n, I guess," he stammered, giving it to Mr. Graves.

The latter looked at it and shook his head.

"I think not. Mine was larger and in plain wrapping."

The deacon stared at the bundle which was returned to his charge, and the words "misfit parlors" in large letters swam before his gaze.

On the way home Mr. Graves and Doris did all the talking. The deacon went into the house with the bundle, and the first thing he did was to open it.

"Wall, I do vum!" he exclaimed, holding up coat and trousers, which were certainly a fit for himself.

"Them are the clo'es I bought!" he declared.

"Then whose are them you've been tryin' to squeeze yourself into, I'd like to know?" demanded Mrs. Appleby.

Both glanced toward the doorway. Mr. Graves and Doris stood on the threshold, and both were smiling.

"Father," said Doris, with her sweetest laugh, "the parcel which came last night was for Mr. Graves. Those are his clothes which you have on."

It hardly seemed like Sunday in a deacon's household, with a minister for a guest, during the next half hour. It would be difficult to say which laughed the hardest, for even Mrs. Appleby did her share in that line.

"Wall, we'd better swap back, if 'tis the Sabbath," said the deacon at last. And Mr. Graves laughingly assented.

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Mr. Graves remained through his vacation and preached regularly at the little meeting house.

With the next term he graduated, was called to the rural parish, and set up his home there, with Doris Appleby to furnish sunshine for him.—*Ernest A. Young in Yankee Blade.*

CLEVELAND'S SUPERIOR Baking Powder.

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SILK UMBRELLAS with Silver and Natural Wood Handles. FUR CAPS and GLOVES all grades. ELEGANT BRACES, hand painted and embroidered in new and beautiful designs, also mounting for the same. JEWELRY, a fine line, including Cuff Buttons, Bosom Studs, Watch Chains, &c. SILK MUFFLERS and HANDKERCHIEFS. NECKWEAR: we have the finest assortment ever shown. LINEN COLLARS and CUFFS. GLOVES for party, street and driving wear. NOVELTIES in LEATHER GOODS for holding Collars and Cuffs, Toilet Articles, &c,

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He Sat Down.

Every bench on the east side of Battery Park was full of sitters—old and young men and women, boys and girls. A man, who seemed to be pretty well tired out, walked up and down for ten minutes, and then, seeing that nobody moved, he walked up to a bench on which five men were sitting and said:—

"Any of you men seen a $5 gold piece around here? May have been, lower down."

All jumped up and began to search, and three started for the other bench. The man then sat down with a sigh of satisfaction, and five minutes later, when all had seen through the trick, four of the ousted sat down with him, while the fifth stood and figured for a while, and then said:—

"Say, I'll tie one hand and both legs behind me and fight you for a cent!"—*New York Sun.*

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at H. L. Flanders & Co. Drug-store.

A Debating Society.

The Methodist church is at this moment a great debating society, with the question of woman's rights for discussion. This topic is up in their newspapers. It is at the minister's meetings East and West, and North and South. It is in the pulpits, and it will not cease till it is decided whether women may be admitted as lay delegates to the General Conference. Women outnumber the men in the Methodist church, as they do in all the churches, and they do a vast amount of church work. How reasonable it is that they should be delegates to the Conference!

They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Bass drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart.

Read and study out subjects of interest, and be ready to begin the ensuing season's work promptly, with an adequate comprehension of the extent of the business to be conducted, and a just appreciation of the details therein involved.

An Eminent

Temperance lecturer in New England, Mrs. John Barton, says: I was subject to those deathly sick headaches and also dyspepsia. Sulphur Bitters cured *me* when all other remedies failed. Mrs. Barton is the wife of John Barton, Superintendent of Repairs, Pacific Mills, Lawrence, Mass.

Much of the labor of the farm can be avoided by the simple use of good common sense.

The Greatest Sufferers in The World

Are women; their delicat eorganizations being particularly susceptible to derangement and disease. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., purifies the blood, invigorates the system and fortifies it against the diseases incident to age, climate season. It is the best medicine in the world. Keep it in the house for your children's sake, as well as for your own.

The Moustache Index.

There is a great deal of character in the moustache. As the form of the upper lip and the regions about it has largely to deal with the feelings, pride, self-reliance, manliness, vanity, and other qualities that give self-control, the moustache is more particularly connected with the expression of those qualities or the reverse.

When the moustache is ragged, and, as it were, flying hither and thither, there is a lack of proper self-control. When it is straight and orderly, the reverse is the case, other things, of course, taken into account.

If there is a tendency to curl at the outer ends of the moustache, there is a tendency to ambition, vanity or display. When the curl turns upward there is a geniality, combined with a love of approbation; when the inclination is downward, there is a more sedate turn of mind not unaccompanied with gloom.

It is worthy of remark that good natured men will, in playing with the moustache invariably give it an upward inclination, whereas cross-grained or morose men will pull it obliquely downward.

Catarrh
In the head
Is a constitutional
Disease, and requires
A constitutional remedy
Like Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Which purifies the blood,
Makes the weak strong,
Restores health.
Try it now.

Found Courage at Last.

She was a Centreville maiden and he an Oysterville youth. Like all Cape Cod girls she was pretty and as modest as charming. He was the bashfullest of the bashful and could not speak to a girl without flushing up nor touch one's hand without his hair raising his hat from his head. Let her now tell the story herself: "I was at a party and at its close the host asked him to see me home. He consented, but I could see that he was ill at ease. He walked by my side all the way home but never opened his lips. I tried to talk, but being almost as bashful myself, did not succeed very well. When we reached the gate I thanked him, and said "Good-night." He looked at me wildly for a moment, then throwing his arms around my neck he cried, "I snum and I sneow—I'm a goin' to kiss you anyhow." He didn't."—*Cape Cod Item.*

Bid me discourse, and I will enchant thine ear with tales of astounding cures of all sorts of suffering by Salvation Oil. Price only 25 cents.

An Indian boy wanted to hang himself after seven school girls had kissed him. He didn't, for he found they had given him nothing more serious than a cold which he speedily cured with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and then married the prettiest one.

Spanking is Good.

Opinions are much divided as to the efficacy of "spanking," so-called. There are mothers who pride themselves on "never laying a hand" upon their children, and the fiat has gone forth among educators that the teacher unable to manage her class without a resort to corporal punishment does not deserve to be a teacher. Well, all can think as they please, of course, but there are certain times with children and moods in children which call for a genuine, old fashioned spanking as a means of grace. As not a few mothers can testify from actual experience, bad tempers and naughty ways have often been "nipped in the bud" by a little physical pain administered just at the right time.—*Ex.*

Attend to proper ventilation and temperature, as required by changes of weather.

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"The Royal Baking Powder is absolutely pure, for I have so found it in many tests made both for that company and the United States Government. I will go still further and state that, because of the facilities that company have for obtaining perfectly pure cream of tart

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FRIDAY, DEC. 26, 1890.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

EXPIRES ON JAN. 1, 1891.

The agreement made between the Knights of Labor and the Manufacturers Association in this city last spring will expire by limitation on Jan. 1, next. A meeting between the Executive Committee of the Knights and a representatation of the M. A. was held a few days ago with a view of making arrangements for the future, at which however nothing of a definite character was accomplished. Indeed, it is understood that neither side had any propositions to offer in regard business matters.

It does not by any means follow, if we understand the situation, that, because no advances were made for a renewal of last years's agreement or a new one suggested, there is any friction between the manufacturers and employees—it simply means that both sides prefer to continue their business relations untrammelled by arbitrary conditions that both may at any time become weary of. So far as anything has come to light, good feelings exist all along the line and no trouble is apprehended from any quarter. It is earnestly to be hoped that there will be no repetition this season of last winter's disastrous labor difficulties—that there will be no strikes or lockouts—but that patience and forbearance may control the actions of the manufacturers and workmen in all their business relations.

A Woburn correspondent of the Boston *Evening Traveller* had this to say in his last Tuesday's letter, and the suggestions are worthy of being well considered and followed out. Another big strike here this winter should certainly be avoided if possible. The *Traveller* writer says in speaking of the meeting of the committees and labor matters here:

"Neither committee had any proposition to offer and the meeting adjourned without accomplishing anything, thus leaving the matter in uncertain state. The manufacturers are hopeful for good business for the new year and it is desired by the people of Woburn that a definite and amicable understanding may be arrived at between the employers and their help that the city may not suffer from such labor troubles as were passed through last winter. The city has not yet fully recovered from that severe blow."

IRELAND'S DEFENDERS.

"The greatest hero of the whole
Is he who can himself control."

Last Monday a special election was held in Kilkenney, Ireland, for a Member of Parliament at which the anti-Parnellite candidate was chosen by an overwhelming majority. The campaign had been a exceedingly bitter one, for on the result of it Parnell had staked his claim to the leadership of the Irish party in Parliament, although since his defeat he and his friends say the contest for supremacy has only fairly begun.

Since the verdict in the O'Shea divorce case in which he was made co-respondent, and his abandonment by Gladstone, by the Irish priesthood, and a good share of the National party headed by nearly all of its most able and trusted leaders, on account of his moral turpitude brought to light in that case, Parnell has acted more like a crazy person than anything else, and everything he has done would seem to be with a view to political self-destruction. He is now in Paris trying to patch up a peace with some of the anti-Parnellite leaders, in which he will probably meet with poor success.

What effect the sudden and terrible fall of the old leader will have on the Irish question it is hard to say. Davitt, McCarthy and other anti-Parnellite leaders claim that the overthrow of Parnell, who was never true to it, will help along the cause and hasten Ireland's redemption, and every true friend of the Emerald Isle will hope they are right.

BUSINESS BEFORE PLEASURE.

There may be some doubt about the wisdom of Senator Hoar's insisting just at this time on the passage of political measures to the exclusion of those calculated to relieve the business of the country from the state of stagnation into which it has been thrown by the present anomalous condition of the money market. More business and less political legislation by the general government is what the interests of the country demand just now.

☞ Congressman-elect Hoar of this District returned last week from Virginia where he went to enjoy a period of rest demanded by the tremendous draft which the campaign made on his vital forces. It is very gratifying to learn that while away he recovered from the perilous state of exhaustion which he was in. He is said to be quite chipper again.

☞ The amount of advertising in the Boston *Sunday Herald* for a month or so past has been immense. Boston business men know where to go to get the most and best advertising done for their money.

☞ The General Court for 1891 will convene at the State House in Boston and organize one week from next Wednesday.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
D. C. Hoskins—Warning.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Evans & McLean—Removal.
Fire Cts. Sav. Bank—Meeting.

— Happy New Year!

— Read a card headed "Warning" in this paper.

— All the leading magazines can be procured at Horton's.

— Monday was a delightful sort of a day. The atmosphere was balmy and bland.

— There is a plenty of choice poultry left at the Cash Market, Dow's Block, for New Year's.

— William Winn, Esq., gets around just as lively as though he hadn't been quite sick of late.

— The Harrison Club will give dancing assemblies every Saturday evening all winter.

— The carpenters are making good headway on the changes in the old Methodist meetinghouse.

— We wish everybody and their women folks a Happy New Year and many returns of the same.

— Just the most casual glance at the fat ducks at Durward's is enough to make a person's mouth water.

— There will be a Watch Meeting, Wednesday evening, Dec. 31, at the M. E. Church. All are invited.

— The days have increased in length one minute. By the end of the month they will have lengthened out 3 minutes.

— Census Bulletin, No. 16, has been received at this office from Supt. Porter. It contains valuable information.

— There are a plenty of nice things left at all the stores to supply the biggest kind of a demand for New Year's gifts.

— The Highland Athletic Club will hold their annual ball this, Friday, evening. Calnan's Orchestra will furnish the music.

— Nice calendars seem to be about as scarce as hens' teeth this year. We are told that the fashion of issuing them is about played out.

— The Ladies of the "Cecilias," who are all well known in Woburn, will give a fine concert on Tuesday evening, January 13th, in the Unitarian church.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made successful liquor raids on the premises of Barney McHugh, Hugh Dever, and John A. McMullen last Sunday.

— Mr. Levi W. Cooper, who was severely injured by a fall on the ice a fortnight ago, is on the streets again although he still carefully nurses one one arm in a sling.

— Col. C—— is a leading member of the Editorial Staff of the *C. P.* of this city. In picking up accounts of local happenings and doings he makes the fur fly, so to speak.

— Horton, at the Old Woburn Bookstore has on hand all kinds, sizes, patterns and prices of 1891 Diaries. It is high time for everybody to get his or her diary for next year.

— Mr. John C. Buck has accepted the office of organist at the Unitarian church. He was organist at the Congregational church for several years where he was very much liked.

— The JOURNAL was favored with a very pleasant call from Sister Wilson of the Winchester *Star* last Tuesday afternoon. She reports everything lovely in Woburn's fair suburb.

— Renewing his subscription, Mr. T. Frye of Ayer writes "find — dollars for next year's subscription to our old friend, the WOBURN JOURNAL." They all like their "old friend," the JOURNAL, *this* year!

— Albeit the sun was out but a small part of the time, Sunday was by no means an unpleasant day as respects weather. It was fairly moderate as to temperature, and the churches were tolerably well filled.

— We desire never to set our eyes on larger, fatter, fairer or more tempting geese than Fred Hartwell had hanging up in his market for Christmas dinners. He's got some of them left for New Year's.

— In a card Mayor Johnson has requested that there shall be no smoking in the Municipal Building during business hours. The *Globe* tried to make a great hue-and-cry over the "order," but it was stillborn.

— Mr. Waterman Brown, gateman at Church Ave. crossing, will hereafter take the thermometer at 7 a. m. instead of 6 a. m. as heretofore. The former compelled him to rise too early on Sunday mornings.

— A very excellent calendar for 1891 is that issued by D. J. Reilly & Co., printers roller-makers at 324 Pearl st. N. Y. It is large, plain and practical, and that is what calendars ought to be made for.

— Miss Fanny T. Hartwell, oldest daughter of our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. Fred A. Hartwell of the City Market, has gone to Florida with a party of Winchester friends and will remain there until spring.

— Miss Evans and Miss McLean, fashionable dressmakers who have occupied rooms on Church Ave., have changed their headquarters to the Boutwell residence on Pleasant street. Read their card in this paper.

— There will be the usual reception and Pound Party at the Home for Aged Women on Thursday, Jan. 1. All who can do so are cordially invited to call upon the ladies and cheer them with kind words and small gifts.

— We heard quite a number of women say that actual trial proved to them that just as nice Christmas goods were to be found in Woburn as in Boston and the prices were lower here than there. Which speaks well for Woburn.

— Never be led to purchase a cheap Book-case. It is money wasted. Go yourself or send to Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston, where you can purchase a large Bookcase, finely made, and handsome in appearance, as low as $10.

— Prof. Emerson, formerly Superintendent of the Woburn public schools, declined a reappointment to the office of Superintendent of public schools of Newton last week and a successor was elected. Prof. Emerson stands high in this State as an educator.

— The JOURNAL has received many compliments from business men for its racy "Just Before Christmas Day" published in its last issue. With thanks for the same, please be assured, gentlemen, that the JOURNAL hardly ever fails to "get there."

— A holiday in a city comes as near being lonesome as they make them. It seems all right to close places of business on Sunday, but when it comes to shutting up everything on a week day it is rather more than frail humanity can stand without a kick.

— Mayor Bean will deliver his Inaugural Address before the City Council on Jan. 5, prox. We are getting ourselves in trim for listening to a good thing. Mayor Bean is one of the best educated men in this town and as bright as a dollar.

— The installation of the officers of Post 33, G. A. R., will take place on the evening of Jan. 1, by John Welch of Post 42 of Lowell. It is probable that members of Post 119 of Lexington will attend the Campfire and supper which will follow the installation ceremonies.

— The Sunday School of the First Congregational church finds some difficulty in getting their elected officers to accept. John L. Carter declined a re-election, so did Will Crosby as Secretary, and others refused honors. The election was postponed to next Sunday.

— We acknowledge the receipt of local papers from Thomas H. Hill, Esq., of Sequachee, Tenn., where he is located as the Secretary and General Manager of a big land company. One of the papers had quite a piece about Sequachee which, it said, is flourishing like a green bay tree.

— The installation services of Brewster Colony, No. 19, U. O. P. F., will take place Thursday evening, Jan. 1. Dist. Deputy Alice J. Durgin and Staff of Stoneham will perform the work. The Supreme Officers are expected to be present, also a delegation from Miles Standish Colony of Stoneham.

— Mr. Elisha F. Hayward has finished the business census of this city and sent in his final reports last week. They embraced the business statistics of 288 establishments. It was no small job to do this work, but it was important, and Mr. Hayward has received the approval of the Bureau for it.

— Mr. Bryan McSweeney of 7 Munroe St. returned from Olean, N. Y., last Monday for a visit with his family and friends. He was away just 8 months during which time he has been making leather at Olean, and will remain until after New Year's. A plenty of his old neighbors were glad to see him again.

— The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Ladies Charitable Society connected with the Unitarian church will be held in the church parlors next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, but the regular monthly supper which usually follows in the evening is postponed until the following Thursday evening, Jan. 8, at the usual hour.

— Representative Charlie A. Jones has been elected Auditor of the city of Woburn. The choice is a good one, securing the services of an able, painstaking and genial official. Bro. Jones has the congratulations of the *Item*.—*Lynn Item*. Editor Parker knows whereof he speaks, hence the value of his testimony as to Mr. Jones's merits.

— Chief McIntosh will remain at the head of the Woburn police under the new administration it is said. We hope so for he is an honest and efficient Chief under whose sway there has been good order and a decrease of illegal rumselling. That is the kind of a Chief of Police Woburn needs, so there can be no doubt but friend McIntosh is perfectly secure in his position.

— It was tolerable cold weather on the day before Christmas and several not very successful efforts were put forth to give us some snow. There were frequent squalls sometimes accompanied with snow, the wind was high, the sun shed sort of cold, sickly rays, and, take it by and large, the weather and appearance of things were anything but cheerful and Christmas-like.

— Postmaster Reade of Woburn, whose term expires Feb. 22, is being urged for reappointment by the press and citizens generally of that city. Although a Democrat he does not let his politics interfere with the management of his office, and he gives Woburn one of the best administered offices in the State. True reform means a continuance in office of Mr. Reade.—*Winchester Star*.

— The annual Firemen's ball will take place probably on some Friday evening in January. The following members constitute the Ball committee:—Chief Engineer Ferrin, Assistant Ames, Foremen Charles A. Wood of Hose 1, Charles E. Eaton of Hose 2, James H. Doherty of Hose 3, Lawrence Martin of Hose 4, John H. Bates of Hose 5, George H. Newcomb of Hose 6, Edward E. Stowers of Hook and Ladder 1.

— The following are the new officers of Womans Relief Corps No. 83: President, Mrs. Octavia E. Dou; Senior Vice-President, Miss Susan Tebbetts; Junior Vice-President, Mrs. Eliza Tabor; Treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks; Chaplain, Mrs. Margaret Cutter; Conductor, Mrs. Lillian Trull; Guard, Mrs. Lizzie Higginbothom. Delegates to Department convention, Mrs. Helen Patten, Mrs. Martha Mason; Alternates, Mrs. Eliza Fay, Mrs. Maria Stowers.

— Mrs. James I. Hanson's private art exhibition given at her pleasant residence on Eastern Ave. last week was highly enjoyed by all present. Tickets of invitation were issued so that a selection of guests was possible and the company therefore were of a choice character. A variety of paintings and other art products were tastefully displayed in Mrs. Hanson's parlors in the consideration of which a couple of afternoons and evenings were very agreeably passed.

— The JOURNAL was so full of the Christmas spirit last week that it forgot there was more than one day for merry-making and the enjoyment of good things during the holiday season. One of the matters it didn't get right, having been led astray by the spirit aforesaid, was the date of Dr. March's annual candy party to the small folks. It always takes place on New Year Day instead of Christmas Day, and next Thursday instead of last the good Doctor will make many juvinile hearts rejoice over his annual distribution of sweet and toothsome things.

— We don't quite see why Charlie McDonald was "given leave to withdraw" by the Common Council on his application for State Aid. It has always been understood that nobody was more deserving of it than he. Charlie was a brave soldier; he carries the evidence of it around in his body; he is not overburdened with this world's goods; and there is certainly no more deserving person in Woburn on the score of uprightness of daily walk and conversation than the Veteran Charles A. McDonald. It seems to an outsider as though his petition for State Aid ought to have been granted.

— The other day we got a paper called the *Pell City Globe* which was a copy of the first issue of a 4-page, 6-column sheet recently established at Pell City, Ala. This Pell City ought to be named "Maxwelltown," for our friend Mr. John Maxwell of Winchester was its founder and appears to be its principal owner. We see by the copy received that he is a Director of the Bank of Pell City with a capital of $50,000; a Director in the Pell City Iron and Land Company with a capital of $100,000; the proprietor of a big livery stable; Vice-President of the Pike Investment and Improvement Co., capital $200,000; and we don't know what else he has embarked in down there. But Bro. John is a rusher.

— Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, the daughter of Julia Ward Howe and the author of "Social Customs" and other books of a similar nature, lectured before the Woburn Woman's Club on Dec. 20, on "The Art of Conversation." The next meeting of the Club will be held on Jan. 2, at 3 p. m. in Concert Hall when Mrs. Erving Winslow will read from Ibsen's "Doll's House." Mrs. Winslow although born in London of German-English extraction, yet hails from Boston as her husband carries on business in that city. Mrs. Winslow has been favorably received abroad and with enthusiasm in London, where she appeared to large and cultivated audiences in the Haymarket Theatre. Her tour through the Western States was a marked success, and let us hope her visit to our city may be greatly enjoyed and appreciated by our citizens.

— Mr. William B. Ward is an old saw-maker and no one knows the business better than he does. He was an employee of the Woburn Saw factory at Montvale for 35 years and only recently left when the establishment was absorbed by a syndicate. Mr. Ward knows a saw as far as he can see one. He is now engaged in sharpening them, together with scissors, knives, and all sorts of implements of the kind. He is original. He has fitted up a carriage to go about the country in quest of business. It is supplied with all necessary accommodations, "modern improvements," and handy appurtenances, for prosecuting the trade, and it is as unique and attractive as it is comfortable and and handy. Mr. Wood enjoys a first-class patronage and is coining heaps of money as a perigrinating saw-filler and scissors-grinder, and may his shadow never grow less.

— While mince pie is regarded as especially designed for Christmas time it is an article of food that is expected to be current in every well-regulated household all winter long. It is generally looked upon as staple goods, and no thrifty New England housewife would think of such a thing as allowing her cupboards to be without a good supply of juicy, spicy, liberally-fruited, short-crusted mince pies any time from November to April. But mince pies are an insipid kind of a dessert unless "highly flavored," that is to say, unless they are generously furnished with spices, or have pungent and fragrant things plentifully intermingled with the meat, suet, apples and boiled cider of which they are principally composed. A person is seldom met with who does not like a genuine New England mince pie, but he don't like them flat—that is to say, he wants the "seasoning" of them to greet his nostrils pleasantly and take hold of his tongue sharply and tickle his palate lively, else they are no mince pies for him. The spices for them can be procured at Fitz & Stanley's Boston Branch grocery.

— Mr. Frank L. Perry, who has so long occupied the position of head clerk at the coal office of Mr. J. B. McDonald in this city, and so acceptably to the public, will take a similar situation in the Boston office of the Weston Lumber Company, of which Mr. McDonald is President. Mr. Perry will have no connection with the Asbestos Paper Company of Boston, of which Hon. Edward D. Hayden of this city is President and Mr. McDonald Treasurer, except so far as to take care of their books, as he has been doing ever since the election of Mr. McDonald to the office of Treasurer. The Asbestos Paper Co. and the Asbestos Packing Co. of New York, of which Mr. Hayden was formerly the President and W. B. Doyle Treasurer, have no connection, as has been erroneously stated. Mr. Perry will be at Mr. McDonald's coal office in this city mornings and evenings to aid book-keeper Edwin C. Cotton who will continue to occupy the position he now fills so well and acceptably. Mr. Perry will not change his residence on account of taking the Boston position but will remain an esteemed citizen of North Woburn.

— A large percent of the employees of our leather establishments are now idle but why, the JOURNAL will not undertake to say. Workmen, instead of filling the factories, are now lining the streets, which would not be the case could they find work to do. It is a hard lay for the poor man to be thrown out of employment in the dead of winter and for his resources for the means of support of his family and self to be cut off in the hardest part of the year when it costs the most to live and the necessities of life are the most imperative. The reason given for the present slack times in the leather establishments is said to be dull trade. The proprietors claim that sales drag and prices are down. They say they cannot afford to make leather under the present condition of things. Somehow this change seems to have come on very suddenly. The manufacturers have had a prosperous season and just why things should experience such a radical turn-about is something of a riddle to those outside of the business. It is to be hoped that the leather trade will soon revive and that the hundreds of tanners and curriers now idle in this city may speedily be summoned to their old places and work given them that wages may be earned to live on.

Trusts and Mistrusts.

We are often asked to put our trust in things above; sometimes customers ask for "trust," and the pleasant grocery clerk "trusts" all your family are well. Then there are sugar trusts, pork and grain trusts and other trusts, including mistrust. But we trust you will at once try Brussels soap for household use, for you can safely trust to its efficacy. Then it is so lasting, you know, and economical.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Common Council held a meeting on last Friday evening at which considerable important business was transacted.

The monthly report of the Auditor of Accounts was read and accepted. ——Councilman Fox of Ward 2 was called to the chair.——Johnson Richardson and James T. Newcomb were granted $6 each State Aid, and Harriet Ridlon and John Henry were granted $4 each. Charles A. McDonald was given leave to withdraw. ——President Thompson of the Finance Committee, said they had looked over the accounts and recommended the following transfers: $1590 from abatements and overlays to department of ventillation apparatus, Union Street Schoolhouse. The President stated that payment for the apparatus would not be made until it worked satisfactorily; $100, from Almshouse to Outside Relief; $300, from Abatements and Overlayings to Interest on Municipal Debt; $200, from Miscellaneous to Municipal Building; $150, from Miscellaneous to Printing and Stationery; $29, from Miscellaneous to State Aid; $500, from Abatements and Overlayings to Police Department. ——Benjamin Hinckley having declined the office of Sinking Fund Commissioner, Edward E. Thompson was elected to that office, receiving a unanimous vote.——An order was passed to choose a Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. A motion of Councilman Grant lay the subject matter on the table was defeated. President Thompson stated that the question had been raised outside regarding the legality of the election of Mr. Ferrin under the new ordinance. He was satisfied that it was all right, but thought it best to have another election to set the matter at rest. Albert A. Ferrin was then unanimously chosen Chief Engineer.——Charles H. Morgan petitioned for State Aid, and a communication was received from the Selectmen of Saugus, stating that George H. Newhall, who had moved to Woburn, had been paid State Aid for November.

Christmas S. S. Concert.

The Congregational church was filled to overflowing last Sunday evening with people who assembled to enjoy the Christmas Sunday School concert arranged by Superintendents Carter and Lyford and noticed at length in last week's JOURNAL. No spare room was to be seen anywhere in the building. The singing-seats were crowded too and the singers in them did admirably. The little folks sang especially well. Prof. Clarke, organist of the church, has a happy faculty of making everyone do his best, while his success in the production of antiphonal music by adult and juvenile choirs has never been surpassed.

The exercises by the children, under the careful direction of the Superintendents named above, were pleasing and edifying. The literary, biblical and musical selections were each and all appropriate to the Christmas season and showed in their prompt and correct execution much previous preparation and intelligent study. It was evident that the large audience were well pleased with the successful efforts of the little ones to surpass all former efforts at giving a Christmas Sunday School concert. The following programme was admirably carried through by little and big:

1. Organ Voluntary.
2. Singing. Glory to God in the highest.
3. Responsive Reading.
4. Prayer.
5. Singing. At last our Star.
6. Opening Address. Ruth Bacon.
7. Recitation. Hail glorious Morn. Sarah Norris.
8. Singing. In the wintry Heaven.
9. Recitation. Christmas Babe. Claire Jaquith.
10. Recitation. In Trouble. E. Fletcher Lyford.
11. Singing. Calm was the hallowed night.
12. Responsive Reading.
13. Recitation. Christmas Story. Grace Norris.
14. Singing. Christmas Bells.
15. Recitation. Our Side. Clara Larsen.
16. Recitation. All the earth is glad to-day. Johnnie and Ella Bates.
17. Singing. Song that woke the morn.
18. Reading. A Christ Legend. Miss L. Carter.
19. Singing. Hosanna.
20. Collection.
21. Address. Dr. March.
22. Hymn.
23. Benediction.

An irate woman knocked in the head of a flour barrel because her grocer wouldn't trust her for Brussels soap.

At the Unitarian Church next Sunday.

The Unitarians will hold their Christmas service of song and praise next Sunday, for which Organist Buck has selected appropriate pieces, and Pastor Parker has probably written a special sermon.

At the regular morning services of church the music will be a Christmas voluntary on the organ by Mr. Buck, the same to be followed by an anthem, "Be Joyful, O Earth" by Macy. The closing piece will be "The Good Shepherd" arranged by Nevin.

The main feature of the day however will be the Christmas concert at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. On this occasion the music is expected to be particularly fine. The following is the

PROGRAMME:

Songs by the School, assisted by J. H. Parker, Jr., Cornetist.
Christmas Song, by Dow. Solo by Miss Stella Lindoln. Cornet obligato by Mr. F. H. Rogers.
Chorus by Choir.
Song. The Christmas Hymn. Freckel
Miss Mabel Davis.
Song. "I have sought and I have found. Keller
Mr. Jacob Benzing of Boston.

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The Test.

Last Saturday evening a test of the fire alarm and signals and also of the agility and fleetness of foot of the firemen was duly made by Mayor Johnson in company with Mayor-elect Bean, local and Boston reporters, Alderman-elect William F. Davis and numerous invited guests.

The alarm was pulled by the Mayor just before 10 o'clock in the evening, and was as much of a surprise to the "laddies" as it was possible for anything to have been. Chief Ferrin and Captains of Companies were at the house of the Hookies on Montvale Avenue arranging for the Firemen's Annual Ball when the signal came from Box 61, which is at Thomas Salmon's and means business in the region of Main, Salem and neighboring streets.

The Hookies were first to arrive on the ground, but they were only a minute or two ahead of Hose 6, Capt. Geo. H. Newcomb, who made a close second. Other Companies came in at the top of their speed and not many minutes elapsed before they were assembled and wondering what all the fuss was about.

Mayor-elect Bean was highly delighted with the work of the firemen.

So also was Alderman-elect Davis.

Members of the Press were delegated to act as time-keepers on the score of honesty and accuracy.

The time-keepers were directed to count from the last stroke of the first round of six to the time of the arrival of the apparatus at the box, and the following was the time made:

Chief Engineer,	1m. 51s.
Steamer 1,	1m. 30s.
Hook & Ladder, 1,	1m. 34s.
Hose 6,	3m.
Hose 1,	3m. 2s.
Hose 5,	4m. 40s.
Hose 3,	5m.
Hose 4,	6m. 30s.
Hose 2,	8m. 36s.

There was a slight defect in the alarm at North Woburn and the company lost about three-quarters of a minute, so the driver calculates. Hose 5 stopped a few rods away from the box called in, and several seconds were lost thereby. The Steamer and Hose Companies 2, 3 and 4 responded on a second alarm.

The result was highly satisfactory. When the "dismiss" signal was sounded, each captain was requested to assemble his men at the Ward room in Fox Building. Arriving there they found a collation provided by Caterer Cyrus Tay. When the appetites were satisfied a few speeches were made, the speakers being Mayor Johnson, Mayor-elect Bean, Alderman-elect William F. Davis, Chief Engineer Ferrin and others, and the assembly dissolved after cheering for the Mayors and the Engineers.

The JOURNAL some time ago concluded from what other people say that Woburn was the smartest Fire Department in the Mystic Valley or in any of the towns and cities contiguous to the same. The boys can hear an alarm and get to a blaze about as speedily as it is possible for horseflesh to carry them there, and no time is ever fooled away by any of them in getting streams on the fire. The test last Saturday evening was a good one and highly flattering to our fire lads.

Mishawum Club.

Last Friday evening Mishawum Club, the leading social organization in this city, held a "Ladies Night," which was a regular quality affair. It demanded evening dress suits for the gentlemen and attire in the nature of ball costumes for the wives and daughters. A great deal of fashion and gallantry was on exhibition, and everyone enjoyed the occasion highly. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis, Master and Mistress of the Lewis Music School of this city, gave some very fine pianoforte music, while games, songs, etc. were principal features of the evening. The vocal music by the "Cecilia's" was particularly fine and gave a great deal of pleasure to cultivated ears. A comedy overture by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis was received with much applause while Miss Merlena Bancroft accompanying performances on the pianoforte for the "Cecilia's" were particularly pleasing. There was a vocal solo "The Stirrup Cup," Mr. T. Remick; pianoforte selections, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis; vocal quartet, "Blue Bells of Scotland," Cecilia Quartet; vocal duet, "The Moon has raised the Lamp," Mrs. Phinney and Mr. Remick; vocal solo, "Out on the Deep," Mr. Remick; vocal quartet, "Song of the Triton," Cecilia Quartet.

A fine banquet was served at a seasonable hour and everyone enjoyed it with a keen relish after the pleasing exercises which preceded it. The following was the programme for the very fashionable affair:

Musical Entertainment in Club Banquet Hall, Between 8 and 9 o'clock.
Piano-Forte—Comedy Overture. C. Bohm
Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis.
Vocal Quartet—Moorland Ride. Hering
Briar Rose. Vierling
Three Chafers. Truhn
Sung by the Cecilias.
Mrs. Phinney, First Soprano.
Mrs. Partridge, Second Soprano.
Miss Davis, First Alto.
Miss Ramsdell, Second Alto.
Miss Bancroft, Accompanist.
Vocal Solo—The Stirrup Cup. L. Arditi
Mr. H. T. Remick.
Piano-Forte—Three Selections. Leon d'Ourville
The Smithy.
Styrienne.
Hunting Song.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.
Vocal Quartet—Blue Bells of Scotland. Schilling
Cecilias.
Vocal Duet—The Moon has raised the Lamp. Benedict
Mrs. Phinney and Mr. Remick.
Vocal Solo—Out on the Deep. Fr. N. Lehr
Mr. Remick.
Vocal Quartet—Song of the Triton. Molloy
Cecilias.

REFRESHMENTS.
ODD FELLOWS' BANQUET HALL,
Between 9 and 10 o'clock.

MENU.

Lobster Salad.	Chicken Salad.
Frozen Pudding.	Charlotte Russe.
Neapolitan Roll.	Bonbon Glace.
Vanilla Ice Cream.	Strawberry Ice Cream.
Coffee Ice Cream.	
Wine Jelly.	Roman Punch.
Fancy Ices.	
Assorted Cake.	Fruit.
Coffee.	Lemonade.

GAMES:

Billiards, Pool, Cards, and so forth, in Club Rooms, Between 10 and 11 o'clock.

Chief Engineer.

The Common Council, at a meeting held on last Friday evening, re-elected Albert A. Ferrin to be Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, or rather it was a kind of confirmation of his original election. There has been talk through the year that the election of Mr. Ferrin to the office of Chief Engineer last winter was not legal under the then existing city ordinances and to quiet the talk the ordinances were amended to meet the case, although good lawyers took no stock in the criticisms, but pronounced the election legal.

But to dispel all doubts about the matter and to do away with all cause for questioning the legality of the business, President Thompson of the Board suggested the advisability of going through the form of an election, which was done last Friday evening and Mr. Ferrin received the vote of every member of the Council.

Mr. Ferrin is a very competent man for the position and has filled it to the entire satisfaction of the Fire Department and public ever since he first assumed its responsible duties.

The Boston Advertiser.

We have noticed for some time with pleasure the improvement that is being steadily made in The Boston *Daily Advertiser* by its present progressive and live managers. They now announce that beginning with Jan. 1st, the price of the paper will be reduced to $6 a year, putting it at the same rate as the other Boston morning papers, while at the same time, the features which have made it so valuable for many years will be retained and the news department freshened and brightened up. The management say that no one need expect any cheap sensationalism in The *Advertiser*, but that it will be the best morning paper for business men and the family published in New England. The *Advertiser* was for some time under a financial cloud, but the present managers have put a very different face on matters, and are evidently going into the field to dispute it with the papers which have long believed themselves impregnable.

The influenza has again made its appearance in various sections of France.

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Week of Prayer for 1891.

Sunday, January 4.—Sermons: The Glory of the Triune God. Jer. 10:6, 7; Hab. 3:3, 4; 5 Cor. 4:6, 13:14.

Monday, January 5—Confession and Thanksgiving. For the nation, community, church, family and the individuel. Confession. Hosea 14:1, 2; 1 John 1:8, 9; Psalm 32:1-5; 2 Sam. 12:13. Thanksgiving. 1 Thess. 5:18; Psalm 100; Psalm 103; Neh. 12:43.

Tuesday, January 6.—The Church Universal: Prayer that the power of the Holy Ghost may rest upon it. Acts 2:1-8; that the diciples of Christ may be one, John 17:21; that the Church may gain a truer and broader conception of her mission, Matt. 22:35-39, 10; 28: John 17:18. Prayer that the International Conference at Florence, next April, may be crowned with special blessing.

Wednesday, January 7.—Nations and their Rulers: Prayer for all in authority, 1 Tim. 2:1, 2; for peace, Isa, 2:4; for the abolition of the slave, opium, and strong drink traffic, Exodus 21:16; Psalm 72, 4; for all needed reforms—temperance, Hab. 2:15, 12; Sabbath, Neh. 13:15-22; industrial, Jer. 22:13; social, 1 Cor. 6:18-20; political, 1 Sam. 2:36, 8:3.

Thursday, January 8.—The Church at Home: Prayer for a sense of personal responsibility and for co-operation in the evangelization of the city, country and frontier. Matt. 10:5-13; Mark 13:34; Acts 8:4.

Friday, January 9.—The Church Abroad; Prayer for increased missionary spirit, co-operation and enlargement. Joel 2:28-32; Eph. 4:11-16; Psalm 67.

Saturday, January 10.—The Family; Prayer for sons, daughters and servants; for Sunday schools and all Christian associations for all Christian associations for young people; for schools, seminaries, colleges and universities. Prov. 4; Deut. 6:4-15; Mark 10:13-16; Eph. 6:1-4.

Sunday, January 11.—Sermons: The manifestations of Christ in his people. John 17:21-23; Col. 1:27; 2 Thes. 1:12; Eph. 3;10-21.

DeLoriea Was Watched.

Mr. John W. DeLoriea, foreman at Simonds & Co.'s shoe stock factory in the lower part of the city, found himself handsomely watched by the firm's employees under his charge last Saturday evening. He was called to the second floor where he found the whole shop's crew, numbering nearly one hundred persons assembled. He asked them what the trouble was, when Miss Annie Mahoney addressed him and presented him with a beautiful Waltham gold watch. Mr. DeLoriea was greatly surprised and responded, as best he could, thanking them for their kind words which he appreciated more than the gift.

The watch was beautifully chased, and has the three links of the Odd Fellows prominently upon it. On the inside of the case was the inscription. "Presented to John W. DeLoriea by the employes of George A. Simonds & Co.," and the date followed. Mr. De Loriea has been in charge of the Simonds factory for nearly six years.

The whole affair was an exceedingly pleasant one, especially to Mr. DeLoriea who had not the least warning of the plot against him.

Boston Theatres.

The popular romantic actor, Robert Mantell, begins his annual engagement at the Globe Theatre on Monday evening next, on which occasion he will appear in his masterly impersonation of Robert Monbars in D'Ennery's picturesque romantic drama, "Monbars." This play made a good impression here two seasons ago, and Mr. Mantell's interpretation of the title role was warmly commended. Its situations are all cleverly arranged, and the climaxes, especially those of the closing acts, are moving and powerful. The cauterizing of the mad dog bite with a red hot poker in the first act is one of the realistic features of the drama. Mr. Mantell's company is above the average and contains a number of prominent artists.

Commencing Monday evening Dec. 29, Charles L. Davis will appear in his world wide play "Alvin Joslin" at the Grand Opera House. This is his farewell appearance for he settles down with a handsome fortune and a magnificent theatre in Pittsburg, Penn. Alvin Joslin is the funniest of plays and has made millions laugh. Remember this is the last time of his appearance on any stage. Every evening and with the usual matinees, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday afternoons at 2 P. M.

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In Commenting Upon, etc.

The WOBURN JOURNAL, in commenting upon the change in the vote of that city from No license to License, gives the city the following first class (?) recommendation:—

"We regret this decision. A temperance victory would have been vastly more satisfactory to the JOURNAL. But considering the character of our population a different result could hardly have been expected."

Don't you want to go to Woburn to live—that is, if you are a toper and like people of that character?—*Somerville Citizen*.

If the *Citizen* had put into its remarks what the JOURNAL said about the notorious drinking habits of Somerville people they would have sounded somewhat different from what they do now. It takes a great deal of self-denial on the part of the average denizen of Somerville to vote "No" on the license question, but they do it regularly year after year and, as we said last week, on strict business principles. And then again, it is about as handy for Somerville tipplers to get their rum in Boston as it would be to have it sold in their own city.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The real Jesus." Sunday School concert at 4 p. m.

BAPTIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Christian Endeavor Society at 6 p. m. Service of song and a short sermon at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting. Church Covenant meeting Friday evening.

METHODIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "How to read the Bible." Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Subject: by request "The Rich man and Lazarus." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Looking Backward." Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Subject: "Taking Account of Stock." Preparatory lecture Wednesday evening. Christian

Holiday GoodS.

We are now ready with our usual amount of Goods suitable for the Holiday Trade. Those who have visited our stores in the past need not be told of our many attractions, but simply to be reminded that this year's goods are in no way inferior to those of former years. In fact each year we try to improve. Our Booklets and Cards are vastly superior to anything we have ever had, while the juveniles will not fail to suit all the younger ones. And for the older we have Books by the standard authors. Our Fancy Goods are numerous and our Staple Goods are correct in variety, quality and price.

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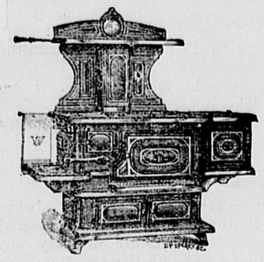

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Weather Prophet Beebe, who lives on a high mountain top on the line between Lee and Great Barrington, in Berkshire County, Mass., was asked what would be the weather in New England this winter.

He said that he had received many letters asking this very same question. The president of the Knickerbocker Ice Company had written him, the president of the Naugatuck Company had written to him, and he has received several letters from Boston earnestly inquiring if there is going to be the scarcity of ice this winter that there was last.

Mr. Beebe says that this will be a cold and severe winter. Ice will be abundant. Snow in New England will be deep, coming on about the first of January and lasting until late in the spring. Berkshire will have something like 90 days of sleighing.

There will be more snow in Boston than usual, and the New England coast will see snow two feet deep before the first of February.

The winds will blow at such a high rate that the winter will be more severe than the one when the forefathers landed on Plymouth rock.

The mercury will often be below zero, and there will be no scarcity of ice anywhere in the Eastern States.

Shipping on the Atlantic coast will be greatly imperilled. Steamers that come in frome Europe will be especially endangered as they approach the Atlantic coast. The waves on the Atlantic will run higher than they have in more than a decade.

The Hudson river will be frozen over earlier than usual, ice will be thick on the Connecticut, and lakes and rivers in the eastern part of Massachusetts will be frozen hard all the winter. Mr. Beebe has struck it right so many times that people in his part of the world [Western Massachusetts] have much confidence in his predictions.—Ex.

A Change of Co-partnership.

It was a matter for regret among the large number of workmen employed at Loring & Avery's tannery on learning that the lease of the buildings were about to expire, and that Mr. Moseley, the owner of the buildings and a special partner had withdrawn from the firm and formed a co-partnership with Messrs. Beggs & Cobb of Woburn, and would take possession of the tannery. Messrs. Loring & Avery have been very considerate to their employees and consequently strikes and labor troubles were unknown. Beggs & Cobb will continue to occupy the Maxwell tannery on Cross street as at present. It is reported that Loring & Avery are negotiating for the Bryant & King factory at Woburn. The employees at Loring's are apprehensive of wholesale discharge, but as the new firm will run the tannery at its full capacity these fears appear to be groundless.—*Winchester Star.*

Sewage Problem.

The question of the disposal of the sewage of Woburn is seriously confronting that city. The city of Boston is not disposed to longer permit of this sewage being emptied into Mystic Lake, and a permanent injunction restraining Woburn from further doing so has been issued. The sewage problem is also one that seriously affects our town, the gravity of which is becoming more and more apparent year after year, and pending the completing of the Metropolitan sewer, the town cannot hope for additional relief from that belonging to Boston. Five years is a long time to wait before Winchester can provide for its sewage, and even after that time connecting drains will have to be built.—*Winchester Star.*

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On last Friday evening Mr. Charles Nichols, Jr. opened the door at his home, in response to the ringing of the door-bell and to his great surprise before him stood a large number of his friends, who gave him a most hearty greeting. The evening was passed in a very pleasant manner and games of all sorts were enjoyed after which a fine collation was served. It was an occasion to which those present will look back as one of great pleasure.

Christmas services N. W. Congregational church Sunday, Dec. 28, at 6 p. m.

Opening Anthem. Glory to God. Trowbridge.
Bass Recitation. Contralto Solo.
Mr. Cummings, Mrs. Bond and Chorus.
Scripture Reading.
Prayer. Rev. W. J. Murphy.
Singing. School and Choir.
Exercise. Primary Department.
Recitation. Maud E. Merrill.
Recitation. Josephine Lewis.
Angels from the Realms of Glory. Solo and Quartette. Arranged from Stabet Mater.
Mrs. J. L. Seaver, Soprano, Mrs. L. F. Bond, Alto, Mr. J. Kimball, Tenor, Mr. F. E. Cummings, Bass.
Recitation, Effie Nichols.
Recitation. Alice Holt.
Selection. "Bells of Memory." By Male Quartette.
Mr. James Kimball, 1st Tenor,
Mr. F. E. Cummings, 2d Tenor,
Mr. F. H. Rogers, 1st Bass,
Mr. E. Story, 2d Bass.
Responsive Reading.
Recitation. Fannie McLellan.
Recitation. Clyde Carleton.
Responsive Reading.
Recitation. Bertha—Recitation.
Selection. Male Quartette.
Address. Rev. Dr. Murphy.
Collection.
Benediction.

Wife:—John, will you take me to the theatre to-night?" John:—"Not to-night, Doxy. I want to read the paper and see what the editor has to say about the economical Brussels soap."

Wilmington.

The fourth entertainment of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, at the Congregational Church, took place last Thursday evening before the largest audience that has been seen in the Church Vestry for many years. Miss Fay Davis of Boston read several selections in a manner that gave unquestionable evidence of a superior talent and culture. Vocal music was rendered by Miss Ellen Maude Kinsman of Cliftondale, Soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Forristall, also of Cliftondale, both of whom gave entire satisfaction. Miss Kinsman was so charming in some of her selections, and especially in the last two, that the audience were hardly willing to excuse her when the limitation of time made it necessary to pass to another part of the programme. A prominent feature of the evening was a fictitious court trial entitled Sheldon *vs.* Eames, for breach of promise of marriage. It had been written especially for the occasion by Chester W. Clark. The scenes of the courtship and trial were located in Wilmington, which gave it a local interest, and the performance created great amusement and laughter. It was pronounced by all to be a great success. The various characters were represented by the following persons: Misses Lottie C. and Francene A. Buck, and Messrs. Walter I. Weeks, Charles E. Corliss, Arthur O. Buck, Albert C. Buck, Warren A. Taylor, Charles Doe, Howard M. Horton, Willard Lowe, George Perry, George E. Richardson, Harry Preble and J. Howard Eames.

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A Correction.

LYNN, MASS., Dec. 22, 1890.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—Upon my arrival in this city from Pittsburg, Pa., where I have just closed a very successful engagement with a theatre company, I was informed that reports were in circulation in Woburn to the effect that I had been arrested for being connected with a train wrecking affair in Lynn, and now I wish to make it public that my name is Will L. Murdock, and *not* Will E. I have not been arrested, neither have I been connected with any such affair. I trust that this party that carried the report to Woburn will feel convinced that it was false.

WILL L. MURDOCK.

A severe drouth prevails in Central Illinois. The railroads run special water trains to supply their engines. The dry, freezing weather and the insects are destroying the wheat crop.

WINCHESTER.

We have a 3 p. m. daily mail now.

Wedgemere Colony, No. 134, P. F., has been instituted here.

The Calumet Club are going to build a 12,000-dollar club-house.

Gen. Sec'y Canfield has returned to his post with the Y. M. C. A.

Samuel W. McCall, Esq., and wife are (it is believed) enjoying life hugely among the fragrant pines of South Carolina.

The growlers still keep up the road discussion to the supreme weariness and disgust of sensible people. Col. Nat is perfectly competent to look out for the roads.

So far, the holiday season has been made much of in this place. Nothing great in the way of public doings can be reported, but about everybody has his Christmas goose.

It is with pleasure that I am able to send the JOURNAL the fact that Judge Tyler and his daughter Gertrude are back to Winchester both in the enjoyment of very good health.

A cloud "no bigger than a man's hand" on the title to a bit of the proposed purchase has caused a temporary suspension of operations by the West Side real estate syndicate in this town.

A party of ladies and gentlemen, including Major Winn, George T. Littlefield and wife, George Carter, and Miss Hartwell (of Woburn) left here last Saturday for a winter visit to Florida.

Lawyer Elder of this place has been appointed by Gov. Brackett and his Council Commissioner on the Portraits of Governors of Massachusetts under Chap. 58 Resolves of 1890. And an excellent appointment it is too.

The officers of the Calumet Club for the current year are:—L. Barta, President; T. C. Hurd, Vice President; Director, Geo. H. Richards, Jr., H. A. Emerson, B. S. Briggs, C. S. Sergeant, E. F. Sanborn, Wm. Keyes; Geo. H. Eustis, Secretary; Geo. H. Carter, Treasurer.

The William Parkman Lodge of Free Masons recently elected the following officers:—Worshipful Master, C. E. Corey; Senior Warden, J. H. Winchenback; Junior Warden, D. W. Pratt; Treasurer, I. S. Palmer; Secretary, T. S. Spurr; Trustee of Permanent and Charity Fund, 3 years, Franklin Perry.

A. D. Weld Post, 148, G. A. R., has elected the following officers: Commander, Edwin Robinson; Senior Vice Commander, A. J. Edwards; Junior Vice Commander, H. Parker, 2d; Surgeon, G. A. Hall; Quartermaster, Henry Smalley; Chaplain, T. Wilson; Officer of the Day, M. E. Lyon; Officer of the Guard, Philip Maher.

The following are the officers of the W. T. A. S., recently elected: William T. Holland, President; James J. Fitzgerald, Vice President; John R. Fitzgerald, Rec. Secretary; Andrew Flaherty, Fin. Secretary; T. H. Haley, Treasurer, with the following Board of Trustees: Rev. Fr. Walsh, Wm. T. Holland, Michael E. Holland, Edward McKenzie and M. S. Nelson.

I am informed on good authority that Mr. Russell is the Winchester Selectman who boasts that he never reads local newspapers. I didn't take Jim to be that kind of a man at all, and yet I was always puzzled over his ignorance of local affairs. He don't read the local papers; that accounts for it. But I don't think it is anything to brag about, do you, Mr. JOURNAL?

The partnership of Loring & Avery, the tanners, expires Jan. 1, after which date Messrs. Loring and Avery will cease to occupy the present shop. Alexander Moseley, who owns the land and building, and Messrs. Beggs and Cobb, who now occupy the old Maxwell tannery in North Winchester and another shop at Woburn Highlands, have formed a stock company and will operate the plant, which is the largest single shop in the country.

There was seen at Winchester on Wednesday afternoon, at a few minutes before 3 o'clock, a rainbow around the sun. Can any of the readers of The *Journal* explain the cause of this phenomenon?—*Boston Journal.* It was an optical illusion supposed to be due to the extra fine quality of the tipple indulged in by the "rainbow chasers" the night before. Old people who knew what they were talking about said the "rainbow" was just a common "sun-dog"—"only this and nothing more."

Abbajona Council, No. 1002, R. A., have elected the following officers for 1891: Regent, A. G. Dominey; Vice Regent, J. E. Corey; Past Regent, W. Foster; Guide, G. A. Dupee; Sec., N. A. Knapp; Collector, W. L. Knox; Treasurer, W. H. Herrick; Orator, C. H. Winn; Chaplain, F. B. Browning; Warden, F. S. Pratt; Sentry, H. H. Hazeltine; Trustees, F. B. Browning, A. G. Dominey, J. E. Corey. On Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, there will be an entertainment and supper to which all members of the order residing in town are invited.

Samual W. McCall, Esq., of Winchester, who was an acknowledged leader in the House of Representatives while serving his District in that body, is prominently spoken of as the successor of Mr. Stackpole in the U. S. Board of Appraisers. Mr. McCall is peculiarly well qualified for the place and we hope the honor will come to him.— *Arlington Advocate.* Lawyer McCall is one of the ablest young men at the Massachusetts Bar. He is brainy, bright and honest — three qualifications which will be sure to win for him a high seat in political councils as well as distinction in his profession, if life and health are vouchsafed to him.

The third annual ball of the Winchester Firemen's Relief Association will take place in the Town Hall on Friday evening, January 16, 1891. Calnan's Orchestra of Woburn will furnish the music. The floor will be under the direction of Chief Charles T. Symmes who will be assisted by N. A. Knapp, F. J. Corcoran, John Lynch and the following aides: E. Chase, P. Monahan, J. W. McCraven, James Murphy, J. H. McCarty, James Noonan, L. Croscigrain, S. S. Symmes, T. H. Callahan, J. J. Fitzgerald, F. P. O'Connor, M. S. Nelson, F. Edgerly, J. S. Ayer. Caterer, N. J. Hardy. Horse cars will leave at 2 and 5 A. M. for Woburn and North Woburn.

At an antequarian supper given by the Ladies Western Missionary Society of the Congregational church last week eleven of the organized members were present, which, considering the Society was organized in 1840, was something quite remarkable. The names of these old members are Stephen Cutter, Mrs. A. A. Hall, Sullivan Cutter, Sylvanus Elliott, Mrs. L. R. Hutchinson, Mrs. A. J. Sanborn, Mrs. Hannah M. Parker, Sumner Richardson, Eliza H. Richardson, Nancy S. Howe and Esther W. Hatch. Several other original members are still living but were unable to be present at the supper. Their names are: Esther Elliott, Mehitable Christy, Susan Johnson, Andrew N. Shepard. Of the above names the following have for fifty years been active members of the Sunday school: Summer Richardson, Sylvanus Elliott, Sylvester G. Pierce, Lydia L. Blood, Maria S. Thompson.

Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for January is a real New Year's number. The colored picture with which it opens, called "A New Year's Greeting from the Cottage Hearth" looks "as sweet as a peach," and the poem which follows, called "The Greeting of the New Year," by Celia Thaxter, one of the most gifted poets of our land, is a fit companion-piece for the picture. Several of the number's articles are illustrated, and the literary contents are fresh, pure in spirit, high-toned, and relishable to those who love clean, elevating reading.

It should be borne in mind that we give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2 a year) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 a year) for $2 PAYABLE INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

Christmas.

It was a cool, bracing, sunny day.

The services at St. Charles Church were very fine and entertaining.

Rev. and Mrs. Denno spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Walker.

There were balls, parties and general feasting on the "Christmas Goose."

It is believed that the street car fare between here and Stoneham will soon be reduced to 5 cents.

A quiet movement is on foot to abolish the Woburn District Court and establish a Police Court in its stead.

Rumor says that the new appointee for Highway Commissioner will be either Mr. William Johnson of Button End or Mr. Richard Terrett.

In the great Boston *Globe* voting match the Woburn Highland Hose Company received 21,260 votes and won a Souvenir; Nellie Sheehan, teacher, 10,548; Phillip McKenna, policeman, 5,305.

The High School pupils demonstrated their high esteem and affection for ex-Principal Dow by presenting him with a fine picture last Saturday. Principal Mendum made a very nice presentation speech.

In the death of Mr. William A. Blodgett this community has lost an upright and useful member, religion a consistant and influential influence, and the first Baptist Church of Woburn one its main pillars. He was an honest man—"the noblest work of God."

Christmas Music.

At the First Congregational Church Sunday morning, Dec. 28, 1890.

Organ Prelude. "Ave Maria" Cherubini.
Prof. W. H. Clarke.
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite." Dr. Wm. Boyce.
Choir Anthem. "O taste and see how gracious." Sir John Goss.
Organ Postlude. Chorus from "Samson." "Then round about the starry theme." Handel.
Prof. W. H. Clarke.

Four men who had been doing Christmas shopping met in a suburban town the other day. Usually, they trusted their wives and sisters to do the buying for them, but in selecting gifts for these wives and sisters it was necessary to make purchases themselves. "I have something very handsome," said the first man, and he produced a vase. The second man, with a smile, uncovered his parcel. "My present is a vase, too, and quite a bargain," he said. The third man had a peculiar expression upon his face, when he, too, unwrapped a vase, and the fourth burst into a laugh when a vase was shown to be his purchase. Such originality was a subject of much wonderment.

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E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

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NOTICE.

The Regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held on **Friday, January 2, 1891,** at 7:30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

Money deposited on or before **Saturday, January 10, 1891,** will draw interest from January 1, 1891.

Dividends payable on and after January 17th, 1891.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk and Treasurer.

Woburn, Dec. 24, 1890.

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Drummer's samples in Bed Spreads at 60 cents on the dollar.
Extra fine Berkeley Cambric, 14c worth 20c.
Short lengths in Pepperel Twill Cotton 9c.
Fast Black Wool, fleece lined and cotton Hose for Ladies and Children, warranted goods, very cheap.

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" Currants,	6c. " "
" Leghorn Citron,	20c. " "
" Lemon Peel,	20c. " "
" Orange "	20c. " "

Notice that these are all new goods.

Broken Candy, 13 cts., two pounds for 25 cts.

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City of Woburn.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS or firms having BILLS against the CITY are requested to present them on or before **December 31, 1890,** as the financial year closes on that date.

CHARLIE A. JONES, City Auditor.

First National Bank

OF WOBURN.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them, will be held at their **Banking Rooms, on Tuesday, January 13, 1891,** at seven o'clock, P. M.

G. A. DAY, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 12, 1890.

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This is to give public notice that I forbid all persons trusting anyone on my account from and after this date without a written order from me.

D. C. HOSKINS.

Woburn, Dec. 26, 1890.

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2	$39.21	$86.51
3	63.70	136.38
4	89.27	185.38
5	115.93	233.42
6	143.76	280.56
7	172.82	326.77
8	203.15	372.04
9	234.82	416.34
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25	1000.00	1000.00

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ADMINISTRATRIX' SALE

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction, on **Saturday, the third day of January,** in the year A. D. 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, a lot of land containing about five acres, with the buildings thereon, situated in Wilmington, in said County, on the north side of the County road leading from Lowell to Salem, formerly known as the "Stimpson Place," and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises, at a stake and stones at said road and land formerly of Joseph Davis; thence the line runs northerly by land last named to a stake and stones in an acute angle in the fence, at land formerly of T. D. Bond; thence southwesterly by said last named land, by the fence, to said road; thence easterly by said road to the first named bound. Said premises are same as first lot of land described in deed of Washington P. Damon to Ella M. Damon, dated February 1st, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 729, Page 172, and same as lot in deed of said Ella M. Damon to Joseph A. Phelps, recorded in said Registry, Book 187, Page 352.

Also, I shall sell, by virtue of said license, at public auction, on Saturday the third day of January, A. D. 1891, at thirty minutes past ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises hereinafter described, one other lot of land containing about twenty-two acres seven rods, situated in the northwesterly part of said Wilmington and part in Tewksbury, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises at a stake and stones at land now, or late, of T. D. Bond; thence westerly by last named land 54 rods to a stake and stones at same land; thence northerly by the old road and fence 66 rods 5 links to a stake and stones at same land; thence westerly by same land 398 feet to a stake and stones at same land; thence northerly by same land 314 feet to a pair of bars; thence northerly by a private way 453 feet by heirs of William Pringle to a stake and stones at land of said heirs; thence easterly by same land 486 feet to a stake at land of Laura A. Miller; thence southerly by last named land 822 feet to a stake and stones, at land late of said Joseph A. Phelps and said Miller; thence easterly by land of said Miller, 499½ feet to a stake and stones at land of A. C. Phelps; thence southerly by said Phelps's land 206½ feet to a stake and stones at a corner; thence easterly by land of said A. C. Phelps 281 feet to a stake and stones at land of Pauline F. Deloria; thence southerly by last named land 607½ feet to the point of beginning. For tittle, see Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 187, Page 555.

The mortgage to the Andover Savings Bank now covering said lots will be discharged before the giving of the deeds to the purchasers.

Terms at sale.

PAULINE F. DELORIA, Admx.

E. PRIOR, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Dec. 11, 1890.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by Lawrence Rossiter and Ann Rossiter, his wife in her right, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, dated April 1, 1882, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1595, Page 10, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, the fifth day of January, A. D. 1891, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, on Garfield Avenue, formerly East street, containing about forty-six thousand five hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises, at East street, and at land now or formerly of Patrick Glennan; thence the line runs easterly by land last named, and lands now or late of L. H. Allen and heirs of Rufus Wyman, about four hundred and fifty-two feet, to land now or formerly of Holton; thence southerly by land last named, about thirty-five feet to a corner of land now or late of said Holton; thence westerly by land last named, and land of Thomas Quinn, about four hundred and fifty-two feet to said East street; thence northerly on and by said East street, about one hundred fifty-two and one-half feet, to the point of beginning.

$100 will be required of the purchaser at the sale.

THE WOBURN FIVE CENTS SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee, By Edward E. Thompson, Treasurer.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney.

Woburn, December 11, 1890.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Flagg, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Abigail Flagg, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of January, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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REVIEW OF THE QUARTER

LESSON XIII, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, DEC. 28.

The Texts Extend from Luke xx, 9-19, to Luke xxiv, 44-53, Including Closing Scenes in Christ's Earthly Mission. Sketches of Participants in the Tragedy.

The quarter now closing began with the parable in which Christ announced to His disciples the method of God's dealing with a sinful race. The world is typified as a vineyard and the prophets as messengers, the proceeding closing with the murder of the Son and a prophecy of God's judgments on the murderers. Then follow the closing scenes—the arrest, trial and crucifixion, the glorious resurrection, final instructions and ascension. As this is an epoch concerning which some historical questions are raised, it seems well at this point to turn aside from the texts and mention some facts in the lives of the principal persons—facts which show the reason of their words and actions as there recorded.

It is no small proof of the authenticity of the four gospels that the writers everywhere assume full knowledge on the part of their readers of the nature of the Roman government, and those who wrote chiefly for the Jews do not pause to tell who Annas and Caiaphas, Herod and Pilate were; they speak of them precisely as an American writing today for American readers would speak of President Harrison, Secretary Blaine and Governor Hill. If he were writing of events occurring in England a century ago he would be careful to add words explaining who the principal men were and why they took certain action under the law; nor is it possible for the most able writers to produce a work in one century exactly in the style of the preceding century. This one fact is a powerful argument against a recent assumption of infidelity that the gospels were produced a century later than their assumed dates.

Of the persons mentioned the most prominent is Pontius Pilate, and we know his history almost as well as that of any man of equal rank in the last century. The Jews had been conquered by the Romans, and governors set over them by the Roman emperors. Pilate was procurator of Judea, just as Governor Bent was governor of New Mexico soon after the Americans had conquered that country; and as there were quarrels and riots in New Mexico on account of race and religion, so there were in Judea. Similarly, as the United States government refused to take notice of the religious differences, but punished only those who rebelled against the nation, so Pilate's duty was to disregard the complaints of the Jews on merely religious grounds. He therefore refused to execute the judgment of Annas, Caiaphas and the council, as it was merely for blasphemy; so they brought a new charge, that of sedition, to make a case under Roman law.

Pilate then assumed jurisdiction, and questioned the prisoner, but as it was evident that Christ's words and acts were not aimed at the government Pilate pronounced him faultless—three times, John says. But Pilate "feared the people." Why? Because he had already caused serious riots by violating their religious feelings, and knew that he was in danger of reprimand from Rome. The cruel and suspicious Tiberius was then emperor, and was changing local rulers in every part of the empire. Pilate was the sixth procurator of Judea, and his first acts there had caused trouble. He entered Jerusalem with the Roman standards advanced, and planted them in places considered sacred by the people. The latter looked upon the figures on the standards as idolatrous, and there was a bloody riot, so Pilate removed the standards. In his dilemma, anxious to placate the people and unwilling to slay the innocent, he gladly heard that Christ was a Galilean, and therefore sent him to Herod, who ruled Galilee, but was at that time in Jerusalem.

This was Herod Antipas, son of Herod the Great and uncle of that Herod mentioned in Acts xii, a man with all the vigor and executive ability of his family, and with more than their average taste for social philosophy and research. To him Christ was no more than a curiosity; he wanted the Saviour to talk, "to give his views," as a modern politician would say, and had some hopes of seeing him work a miracle. Christ, therefore, received all his speeches with a dignified silence; it was no part of his earthly mission to satisfy the idly curious. Herod, therefore, returned the prisoner to Pilate, who made one more feeble effort against the popular clamor, then weakly yielded and gave over the innocent one to a cruel death.

The subsequent history of the two rulers is in the highest degree instructive, and by a series of events which seem providential the facts are clearly proved by the testimony of Jews and Romans who, if they had any feeling on the subject, were hostile to Christianity. The very evil which Pilate had consented to the crucifixion to avoid soon came upon him; he attempted by cruelty to suppress outbreaks, and the cruelty provoked greater insurrection. At length he perpetrated a massacre of the Samaritans, so atrocious that the home government interfered. Pilate was recalled, tried and condemned to banishment to Vienne, in Gaul (France). There authentic history leaves him. There was a tradition that he lived in a cave in the mountain now called by his name and drowned himself in a small lake near its summit, but this is not proved.

Herod Antipas indulged his passion for art and luxury as long as Tiberius remained emperor. The latter, however, was succeeded by Caligula, equally cruel and suspicious, and partly insane. To him went Herod with a request that he might have the title of king and the powers of his father, but it was his misfortune to reach Rome at the time when Caligula was enraged by the discovery of a plot. Herod was arrested and narrowly escaped death. He, too, was banished, and finally died in Spain. He had married a daughter of Aretas, king of Arabia Petræa, and repudiated her to marry his half brother Philip's wife. This caused a war with Aretas and much misery. During these troubles Herod Agrippa, grandson of Herod the Great and nephew of Antipas, was living in Rome, and so gained the favor of Caligula that he was given the rule over Judea and much adjacent territory. He yielded to the prejudices of the Jews, slew the Apostle James and imprisoned Peter, and after seven years of pride and luxury died a miserable death (Acts xii, 23).

When the Jews clamored for the crucifixion of Christ and Pilate protested they cried out, "His blood be upon us and our children!" And verily it was. From that day forth troubles multiplied upon them, and the last few years of their national history is one continuous era of woe and horrors. The Gentile world, even the hard hearted Roman soldiers, stood aghast at the frightful punishment the Jews brought upon themselves, and Josephus presents details which even now can scarcely be read without tears. Verily "the wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God."

Electric Bitters.

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To regain your health if you are all broken down and suffering from nervous prostration? I will tell you what cured me after suffering for months. I used two bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and now I am a well man. C. Stiles, Bookkeeper, Canton.

THE ANTWERP ARMLESS PAINTER.

Sketch of the Life of a Renowned Artist Who Works with His Toes.

The most celebrated and the most accurate of painters of pictures from the Royal Museum and galleries of Antwerp is M. Charles Francois Felu. He was born at Waermaerde, in Flanders, in 1830. His father occupied a superior position in the bureau of finance; his mother is described as a woman of unusual intelligence, courage and devotion. Charles was her third son, and her suffering was intense at the discovery that he was born entirely without arms. Apart from the singular absence of these limbs he was a well developed boy, and grew into a handsome, bright and intelligent lad, with a keen artistic sense and appreciation of color and beauty of form.

It was his frantic attempts as a baby to reach and hold flowers that suggested to his watchful and painstaking mother the use of his toes. She placed some daisies between the little pink toes of his right foot, and was delighted at his pleasure and at the facility with which he learned to hold, arrange and distribute them.

Later his love of pictures suggested to her to put a pencil between his toes, and with this and scraps of paper he would amuse himself for hours, showing even at this early age his talent by drawing quaint objects which always had some likeness to real ones. His brothers Adolph and Theodore aided their mother in the task to which she consecrated her life of developing the boy's artistic talent without the use of hands. His education was continued at Ostend, whither the family removed, and afterward at Bruges.

Finally M. Felu, the father of M. Charles, fixed his residence at Antwerp, and from that time the destiny of his son was fixed, and his talent developed rapidly under Leys and other artists of renown. In 1874 he visited London, and made studies in the Kensington museum and in the National gallery. He painted a charming portrait of Mme. Victoria Lafontaine, of the Comedie Francaise, full of grace and intelligence. He also received an order from the archduke of Austria to paint a portrait of the celebrated Massala.

His principal work, however, is the making of such close studies from the old masters that it is difficult to distinguish the original from the copy. Visitors to Antwerp have seen him engaged in this at the museum, and he is constantly occupied with orders. He is always cheerful and interested in affairs, yet most conscientious and serious in his work, and uses his foot with such dexterity that he hardly seems to miss the absence of hands.—Homemaker.

Pronunciation of Two Common Words.

How do you pronounce a word spelled portiere? We get it all sorts of ways—porteer, porchair, porcheere and portiar. It's going the rounds now, as vase did some years ago. In Boston it was vawz; in Philadelphia varz, and everywhere else, where they didn't care, they struck it vace. We often wonder how these affectations arise. Portiere is a French word, and there is nothing about it which should confuse one; but take notice, among the retailers particularly, and you will find in a day's trip of the trade that views vary all the way from porcheer to portiur. The best rules of orthoepy give the pronunciation portear, with the last syllable taking the "a" as in the word fat, and not the "ai," as in fair. The best authorities, including Webster, Walker and Johnson, pronounce vase with the sound not as harsh as "z" nor soft as "s," but a go-between.—New York World.

Ready Made Shoes Most Popular.

"Few persons have their shoes made to order," says a retail dealer who does custom work—"not more than 5 per cent. of those I trade with. People don't want the bother and delay of getting measured, and besides, the majority of shoe wearers wait till the old ones are pretty far gone, and then they want a new pair in a hurry. A person with a fairly regular foot has little difficulty now in getting a ready made shoe to fit it comfortably. I make measured work for some particular persons who won't have any other or who have peculiar feet. The running of a tape about the prominent parts of a foot will at best always be but an approximate and uncertain method, owing to the impossibility of getting the form of the foot at all points; a cast is the only true method, and not one in a hundred will have one made."—Shoe and Leather Reporter.

Changing a Patient's Linen.

The best time for changing the linen of the patient is in the morning. When able to bear a daily freshening of the toilet it should be done as nearly as possible at the same hour. Before convalescence or strength will permit of daily toilet a frequent sponging of the face and hands with tepid water, to which has been added a little good Cologne water, will be found very refreshing, especially to a fever patient. When a complete sponging is ordered, if done just before the hour of sleeping, it will be found much more refreshing and will conduce to sleep.—Arkansaw Traveler.

A Clever Trick.

Gothamite—Just got back from Europe, eh? What in the world induced you to send home those bogus cablegrams saying that you were dead?

Literary Man—Well, I had to do something to make the magazines publish the articles they have accepted from me.—Puck.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past obliges us to admit that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. The more distressing symptoms yield to it.

A very interesting article by Herbert Spencer appears in this month's number of The Popular Science Monthly. In it he argues against Darwin's theory limiting the origin of music to the early expression of amatory feelings, and claims for it the broader derivation from voice-sounds caused by all kinds of emotional excitement.

If you suffer from catarrh why don't you take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the common sense remedy? It has cured many people.

A MAN WHO GETS A BIG SALARY.

An Engineer Whose Annual Income Equals That of the President.

A gray haired man of possibly 58 or 60 years, of medium height, rather round in build and possessor of a pair of beady black eyes, took a pen in his chubby hand and indited, "A. Bonzano, Phœnix, Pa.," on the register at the Gibson hotel. He seemed to be simply and solely a well to do business man who had come to the city to transact business, and by his nervously quick manner a casual observer might think that he would do his business briskly and shake the mud of Cincinnati from his feet as soon as possible. Now who was he, this Bonzano?

The richest salaried man in America, outside possibly the president of this great and growing nation.

He is merely an "employe" of an iron company, of Phœnix, Pa., and a civil engineer. Here in the west we know not Bonzano, as he is in the east, but nevertheless the men with capital out here, who are backing up great bridge projects with their spondulix, are gradually coming to realize the almost absolute necessity of having Alphonse Bonzano look first into the project and then give his very valuable professional opinion concerning the feasibility of said project. Now as to his salary. An unblushing reporter put it straight to the old engineer last night:

"My salary, my son," replied M. Bonzano, with a strong Teutonic accent, "is simply enormous. Does that satisfy you?"

This is all the old man has ever been heard to say on that apparently delicate subject, but there are at least two men in this city who should know what the salary of this wonderful old man is annually. The reporter met them and requested accurate information on the subject. The answer was simply stupendous. They replied almost in the same voice:

"About $50,000 a year."

The answer may sound more like an exaggeration, to draw it mildly, than a solid fact, but almost any civil engineer of your acquaintance, precious reader, will verify this incontrovertible fact. They say—that is, those who know him say of Bonzano:

"He is a man who loves his home and family, trusts his God, helps the needy in distress, and does his work more accurately and quickly than any other man of his kind in America."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Ate the Blacksmith's Bellows.

Although the "fretful porcupine" is almost unknown in Orange county, the curious creature is quite numerous in the wooded districts of Sullivan, Ulster and Delaware counties.

One of the porcupine's peculiarities is its inordinate fondness for leather, which it seems to think one of the daintiest of tid-bits, and it not infrequently happens that one of them, if it gets a chance at a set of harness, will destroy it in a single night, and many a trout fisherman who has left his water soaked boots or shoes out of doors at night has risen in the morning to find them chewed to pieces by a porcupine's sharp teeth.

It is not often, however, that these animals enjoy such a feast as the one which lives somewhere in the vicinity of Jim Gibbon's blacksmith shop at Stockport, Delaware county, has partaken of, for twice within a year the "pesky critter" has entered his shop and eaten up his bellows. Any one who has seen a blacksmith's bellows knows how much leather there is in one of them, and when, as happened once, the porcupine in a single night ate up more than half of one, it will be seen that he had indeed a sumptuous feast, and must have been fairly gorged with leather.—Middletown (N. Y.) Argus.

Some Model School Rules.

The following is said to be a literal copy of the rules posted on a school house door up in the Big Bend country: "Each pupil is required to make a bow on entering the School House of morning, also on leaving of the School Room of evening. There shall be no profane language used in School nor on the play ground nor shall there be no pinsticking, pinchin, scratchin, nor no taggin, nor no uneasy Whisperin in School. No pupil shall leve the School house without permission of the Teacher. No uneasy moven from seat to seat. No fitin on the road from nor to school nor no Nick-namin. Every pupil over eight years shall be subjec to these rules, and the teacher is to make allowense for all the pupils under eight and enforce the rules accorden. If any scholar brakes these rules tha shall be punished by switchen."—San Francisco Examiner.

A Queer Powder.

Few people have any notion of the queer things that are used in medical practice at the present day. Not the least extraordinary among the remedies employed by physicians is powdered cockroaches. From this insect, dried and reduced to a brown dust, great relief is obtained by dropsical patients. The dust thus obtained contains an active principle called "antihydropin," which is most effective in the stimulation of the kidneys, and serves as a check to the complaint mentioned. Cockroach powder is also used as a vermifuge.—Washington Star.

Classified.

Smalley—I don't like that old Bookley. He's such a rough, rasping old creature, always rubbing some one the wrong way.

Corncorner—That must be because he's a biblio-file.—America.

The moment catarrh becomes chronic it is difficult to overcome. However Old Saul's Catarrh Cure will cure the most obstinate case.

It is hard work for the baby to cut teeth, and it should be assisted by the use of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup which will cool the inflamed gums.

A French doctor has recently been collecting statistics with regard to those of his patients who complain of nervous affections, with the result that he has come to the conclusion that the prime cause of all the evil is the practice of reading in the train.

Nothing in the Wide World so Good.

I was afflicted with Kidney disease. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y.—I say it with a perfect recollection of all that was done for me besides—is the only thing that gave me permanent relief. I have recommended it to many people for Kidney disease and they all agree that it has not its equal for this complaint.—Lyman Crawford, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

It is estimated that the little word "hello" makes at least 16,000 indentations on a phonographic cylinder.

A WINTER HOME ON A MOUNTAIN.

The Family That Lives on the Top of Overlook During the Cold Months.

"I have plenty to read up here, and I can't say that I get lonesome at all, though I have no neighbors," said Mrs. Charles Brink the other day in her cottage on the summit of Overlook mountain in the Catskills. Since the winter signal service station was abandoned on the top of Mount Washington Mr. Brink and his little family live at a higher altitude during the cold months than any one near the Atlantic seaboard. Mr. Brink is in charge of the property of the company which owns the highest mountain house in the Catskills, and during the severest winter weather, when gales are particularly lively round the summit of the fine old hill, he and his family are there alone in their snug little cottage, 3,200 feet above the level of the sea.

About five years ago Mr. Brink's physician told him that if he continued living at West Hurley he would die of consumption. He was told he must make a change of climate, and so Brink made the change. Instead, however, of going several hundred miles away, he changed climates in a perpendicular direction, and by making his home over 3,000 feet above the sea he found the dryness of atmosphere that was essential to his recovery. Now a more vigorous and hardy man could scarcely be found in the state. Mountain air has done wonders for Mr. Brink.

Mountaineers get so used to running up and down hill that Mr. Brink's hired man thinks nothing of travelling nearly three miles every day far down the mountain side for the little milk the family consumes, and though no one else lives on top of the mountain the Brink family are not deprived of social pleasures during the winter, for now and then sleigh loads of people climb the steep ascent from Woodstock and have a jolly party and lots of dancing on top of the mountain.

The snow clad country below is plainly in view on every clear morning from near Albany to the Highlands on the Hudson. Parts of several states are seen, and the view is as fine in the clear air of winter when everything is snow clad as during the season of verdure. Mr. Brink generally makes one or two trips a week down the mountain to the postoffice and stores at Woodstock. During the great blizzard, however, he was cut off from intercourse with the rest of the world for about two weeks by the impassable nature of the roads.

His wife is very fond of reading, and though her little daughter is away from her at school she finds plenty to occupy her attention with an ample supply of reading matter and her household duties. One of Mr. Brink's occupations during the winter is filling the ice house for summer use at the hotel. He cuts the ice from a reservoir of water that is kept on the mountain top, and one winter when the whole eastern country feared that it would not be able to harvest any ice at all, he succeeded in getting his usual supply without much trouble, which shows that the top of Overlook mountain, besides being a solitary place of winter residence, is also not a little colder than the surrounding country.—New York Sun.

He Collects Dead Men's Clothes.

One of the strangest of odd occupations is that of the man who collects dead men's clothes. He is an old rogue who haunts cheap lodging houses. Every morning he takes the newspapers and reads the death notices. He makes a memorandum of the street and number of each house in which a man has died. During the day he visits every house in turn. He rings the bell at the basement door, represents himself as an old and decrepit man in great distress, and if they will kindly give him some old clothes to wear, if they have any, which are of no further use.

The people of the house pity him, think he is an object worthy of charity and give him some old cast off suit that had belonged to the dead man. In the course of the day he obtains a large collection of old garments, some in good repair. He thus falls heir to the cast off clothes of a good many dead men.

He takes them to a second hand dealer and sells them for a dollar or so. They are mended and pressed and sometimes offered for sale as new. He continues this occupation day in and day out, with the obituary columns for his guide and the second hand dealer's for his goal. He generally arrives soon after the undertaker.—New York Journal.

First Ice Cream.

The first mention of ice cream that is found in history is in the account of the festivities following Washington's first inauguration as president in the city of New York in 1789. Among the ices used upon that occasion was ice cream, which is said to have been prepared under the direct supervision of Dolly Adams, wife of John Adams, the second president. Mrs. Adams was at that time the brightest star in social and diplomatic circles. Dolly's popularity by no means diminished when it was discovered that she was first to suggest the new confection.—St. Louis Republic.

Nothing Personal Intended.

Rev. Dr. Freshleigh—My dear Mr. Sampson, what was the name of that beautiful hymn you played just after my sermon last Sabbath?

Sampson (the organist)—Oh, it was called "He Giveth His Beloved Sleep" —er—nothing personal, you know, doctor.—Life.

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Chinese shoes have no fastening or string, buckle or strap. The upper is made of felt, velvet or other cloth. The sole does not extend to the end of the shoe, but curves upward beneath the ball of the foot. The sole being very thick it gives the wearer an unsteadiness of gait, as though a pair of rockers were fastened to his feet.

A Confession of Dietary Faith.

I am today as straight in my spinal column as a pine of my native state. At the age of 20 I was in the itinerant ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church, and when I had been preaching two years a physician said to me: "You must stop preaching or you will not live five years." He has been in his grave forty years. After this busy and exciting life of sixty years, I am here writing a word to my coevals, and "my eye is not dim, nor my natural force (much) abated." Why? Because, with the blessing of God, I have watched the operation of nature's teaching and obeyed the teacher, and taken care of myself.

For eight or nine years past I have eaten no flesh of dead animals. For many years I have eaten whole wheat or Graham bread. My breakfast is the principal meal for the day—two soft boiled eggs, a saucer of oatmeal mush, bread and one cup of coffee. My dinner is bread, a slice or two, a cup of weak tea; at night, a half a pint of milk and a slice of bread. I hardly know, from any sensation, whether I have eaten or not. I have gained in weight, and suppose, unless some accident befall me or I slip into some indiscretion, I shall be at last a centenarian.—Rev. Mark Trafton.

Remarkable Pieces of Cutlery.

"Yes," said a Main street hardware dealer, "that is the largest knife in America. It was made to order by a firm in Germany. One man did the whole job, and it took him just a year."

The knife in question is known to almost every person in Cincinnati, and perhaps for 100 miles round. It has fifty-six blades and is a chest of tools in itself, containing anything from a slender toothpick or a cigar punch to a pair of scissors or a handsaw. The handle is of tortoise shell and the movable parts are gold plated. It weighs thirteen pounds, and a modest card says, "For sale, $500."

"That is not the largest in the world, though," continued the dealer. "Jonathan Crookes invented and made a unique and superb specimen of cutlery in the shape of a knife with 1,821 blades, which has been the wonder of the world of cutlers. He then worked for Joseph Rodgers, of Sheffield, England, who now has the big knife in his possession; but Crookes has since started up in business for himself, and with his old employer and George Wostenholm has made Sheffield famous for its cutlery."—Cincinnati Times-Star.

The Japanese Way of Doing Things.

In Japan babies are carried not in the arms, but upon the back. Etiquette compels the removal of the shoes rather than the doffing of the hat. Boats are stranded with their sterns, instead of their prows, on the shores. Instead of saying northeast or southeast, the Japanese say eastnorth or westsouth. Wine is always drunk before, not after dinner, and sweets are served before the substantial viands of a meal. In all books the footnotes occur at the top of the page; keys turn to the left, carpenters plane toward the body instead of outward, and in cash accounts the figures are written first and the corresponding item next.

The Japanese mount the horse from the right side, the harness is fastened in all parts on that side, and the mane is brushed and made to grow that way. In his stall the horse is placed with his head outward, and his food is always served at the stable door from a tub. In Japan women fall in love with actors, but never a man with an actress. Among Japanese women the penchant is to sew on laces, cuffs and frills topsy turvy and wrong side out.—Cor. Chicago News.

Timber Four Thousand Years Old.

Probably the oldest timber in the world which has been subjected to the use of man is found in the ancient temple of Egypt, in connection with stonework, which is known to be at least 4,000 years old. This was the only wood used in the construction of the temple, and it is in the form of ties, holding the end of one stone to another. When two blocks are laid in place, an excavation about an inch deep was made in each block, in which one of these wooden ties, shaped like an hour glass, was driven. It is, therefore, very difficult to force a stone from its position. These ancient ties are made of timarisk or Shittim wood, the same as that from which the ark was constructed.—St. Louis Republic.

Drowning the Miller.

"Drowning the miller" originated from the following fact: If the mill stream below the mill is dammed or stopped the water is ponded back, and the mill becomes what the millers call "tailed." There is too much water, the mill will not work, and the miller is said to be "drowned out." Hence, when too much of any one article is put into a mixture, it is called "drowning the miller."—Detroit Free Press.

Rather Bad Advice.

In the familiar song, "Pull for the Shore," there is a line, "Cling to self no more," which, as sung by the colored children in one of the schools, sounded strangely, and on having it said slowly it was discovered that they were singing, "Clean yourself no more."—American Missionary.

It is stated by a pharmaceutical conference that the growth of the patent medicine mania has been tremendous in recent years and that the present generation is much more credulous than the last.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy." Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

M. Crocq has argued strongly to the Belgian Academy of Medicine in favor of bleeding. By it he arrests all cases of pneumonia, from which five of thirty-five per cent of deaths result by usual treatment, and cures rheumatic fever.

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And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.05, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

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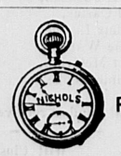
DEALER,  **REPAIRER.**

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Sleet and wind filled the outside world with dreary discomfort. Within the dingy rooms, the atmosphere was sadder and drearier still. Beside a few smoking embers sat a weary faded woman, vainly hushing the sickly cries of a nervous, unpromising infant. Wholly unpromising, save that the hungry persistent whine betokened a persevering will and good strong lungs, which may win in the coming strife with disease and poverty.

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"Hard case, wife; sure she's worse than the boy; gray and grimmy like the time o' year, squint-eyed, she's a perfect albino; I tell you, she's no good any way."

"Say, pa, can't me 'ave de new baby to play wiv?" asked the half-witted son of these unfortunate parents.

"No, no, Bill, go away; she's no good to you or to anybody else. She's just good for nuthin' and that tells the whole story; no use to fret over what can't be helped, she is just good for nuthin'. We'll call her name Albino—our Albino—our good for nuthin'

The poor mother turned away that her husband might not see the sorrowful tears which fell in a baptismal shower on the unlovely head, while her aching heart sent up to a merciful God the appealing cry:

"Gracious Father, make this unwelcome child, somehow, a blessing to my hard-hearted husband and to our poor imbecile son." Prophetic mother-love, your prayer shall be answered.

Years came and went in this lowly cabin among the hills, bringing changes to all its inmates.

The father grew weaker and sterner as the passing years lessened his strength, so that work which once was pleasure, had become a burden, heavy and hard to bear.

The mother was whiter and stiller than of yore: her faith in the good time coming was almost gone.

The half-witted boy had grown in stature but not in intellect.

The feeble infant gained strength with each fleeting year. The well rounded girlish figure shows strong vitality now. The pure mountain air has given her good powers of endurance. Yet the father still looks on her with disfavor—still calls her his good for nuthin', his Albino. The name fitted her well, for her face was lily white, no sun or wind could brown or freckle its fairness. Defective sight caused the sensitive girl to shrink from strangers, and almost shun her own kindred. The mother alone understood and appreciated the retiring child. The distasteful name given by the father, the mother toned down into Alba, for which the child was extremely grateful. She was always a helpful child, running on errands and seeking out ways to lighten her mother's cares.

Early in life she took delight in gardening. Flowers satisfied her for a time, but she was practical, and small fruits soon engaged her attention. Strawberries grew as if by magic under her culture. These brave pushing plants, so hard to kill by neglect, yet so easy to grow into luxuriant beauty of foliage and delicious fruit, filled her with wonder and admiration. Did bending angels whisper low, "This may yet be your life work?" Be this as it may, she was learning many of the wants and needs of this popular berry.

Her time was mostly spent in the open air; among those bleak hills, schools were a far away luxury, and timid Alba had never been so far from home. Her mother was her only teacher,—that mother's bible her library. Her father's political paper served her for light reading.

The strong boorish brother was the torment of all her young life. He took a thoughtless, savage delight in teasing the little sister always insisting that he could double her up snug and round to play foot-ball with.

One summer day he had been more vexing than usual, and Alba lay awake far into the night, devising some plan to make this weak-minded boy, Willie, less unkind, and more like other people.

Suddenly the room fills with smoke. The house is on fire! Instinct must have guided her, for she had never seen a burning building. In a moment a wet towel was bound around her mouth, and she shouting fire and rousing the family, and carrying all sorts of goods from the burning house.

Outside help was beyond call, but they four all worked rapidly and saved nearly all their scanty house furnishings. But it was hard to see their home home dissolve in smoke and flames. It was poor and wretched, but it was their own, and dear to them. They had never known a better one than this poor hut, which had sheltered them from summer heats, and shielded them from winter storms.

At the last moment, the father remembered his box of private papers, containing his deed of this property, hidden away on a high shelf which no one could reach but himself. He rushed into the blinding smoke and scorching heat, secured the box, and groped his way back to the outer door, there a falling timber struck him down. Quick as a flash, Alba bound her hands in the dew-wet grass, lifted the blazing log from her father's breast and dragged him away from the dangerous heat. Cold water freely applied soon brought him to consciousness, but he was unable to move hand or foot, indeed, quite paralyzed.

Now they missed the witless boy, Willie. Faint and trembling, Alba shouted his name. Above the roar of the crackling flames rose the cries of the frightened chickens, which the poor imbecile was risking his own life to save from burning.

Alba caught a rope—slipped it into a noose and flung it over the poor boy's head, then bracing herself by a tree, drew his heavy body clear from the blazing shed.

Breath and strength failed her now, and she fell back in a dead faint.

The weak mother was now the only one to bring water to rouse the fainting girl, or to speak a cheering word to the whimpering idiot. The first dash of cool water on Alba's face roused her to the needs of those weaker than herself.

Her magnetic touch brought sense and vigor to the brother's dull brain.

Her father was still unable to move. His trembling lips were slowly whispering, "My poor little abused Alba, can you forgive me? a thousand times I've called you "good for nuthin'," all your life-long have I done this cruel injustice. Now but for you we'd all be cinders in yonder burning heap."

"Never mind the past now, papa, we must make up a shelter from the night air for our beds, and have you snug and comfortable before you take cold. The corn barn is not burned. Willie is housing his chickens beneath it. He loves them as I do my berry plants. Now we must not fret, but all be thankful that we have so many comforts left."

"But, child, can we all sleep in that crowded corn barn?"

"Surely we can for a few nights. Tomorrow I'll go down into the valley and ask the wealthy farmers to help us get out a frame for a new house. Before you know it we'll have a better house than the old one."

"You poor, bashful puss, you look like forcing all those strangers, begging a favor for the poor old father who always called you good for nuthin'. O my child, this punishment is hard to bear."

"Never you fear, papa, I can and shall do this same." And the close shut lips told with what unflinching courage her powerful will could nerve her sensitive nature to perform this Herculean task.

Calling Willie to help, they soon had the beds ready. Then, they came to assist their father to his lowly cot.

He was still unable to move. The strength had gone from his stalwart frame forever. As he realized this fact, he cried like a child. His wife was too weak and crushed to speak. But Alba's sweet face touched his withered cheek, as she soothingly replied, "Don't cry, papa, don't I'll be hands and feet for you. We'll all be happy yet. You shall never want for bread or care, I am young, and now see how strong I am."

She took a door which had been saved from the fire, and by their united efforts slipped it under the helpless man. But they were unable to lift him. Again she took the strong rope, and making it fast to one end of the litter, they easily drew the sick man to his bedside. Soon he was comfortable for the night. The weary, dispirited mother sought her rest. The brother had a cot in the far corner, where his loud breathing soon testified that his troubles were forgotten in healthful slumber. Alba tenderly bathed the troubled aching heads of father and mother until they were soothed to rest. Then, folding a quilt, she lay down near by where she could know if either needed anything. What to do on the morrow, now must be settled. She must make good those brave words to her father. There could be no shrinking—no turning backward. These low words were borne upward on the still night air, "I will do this work, I must do it. Merciful Father, help me, guide and guard us all with holy, loving care." Soon the rest of the pure and innocent closed her weary eyelids.

They all slept late the next morning—slept till the chickens and pigs woke them, by clamoring for their breakfast. Fortunately, none of their animals were lost in the fire. Willie was competent to attend to all the feeding and to milk the little Jersey cow.

This one eventful night had changed the frail, timid Alba, into an energetic, helpful woman, strong to bear hardship for the friends, dependent upon her for comfort and even for bread.

Quietly she rose, and as both father and mother were still, she glided out into the fresh, pure morning air, flooded the entire world, bright and sweet as if ruined hopes and desolate homes were joys instead of sorrows.

Bravely she choked back the rising sobs, saying to herself, "This will never do, to cheer others, I must first be cheerful myself."

A brisk fire was quickly started in the cook-stove. The delicious coffee aroma roused the inmates of the grain barn. The mother seemed little the worse for the fright and loss during the night. The father could use his hands and feet a trifle this morning. But he was peevish and despondent.

Alba's cheerful greeting did not enliven him. The loss of home and strength and entire dependence upon this frail child was deeply humiliating to this cold, hard man. But the little girl-woman chatted merrily all the while, forgetting to reply to the fret and whims, made her father and mother both clean and tidy, then brought in her breakfast of delicately browned toast, coffee, cream and the first ripe strawberries of the season. It was not in the hearts of these poor people to refuse this tempting repast. Yet the father groaned dismally, "Oh, Alba, this breakfast is good enough for Queen Victoria, and you bring it so kindly to the poor old father who has always called you his good for nuthin'." The words ended in a great sob.

With a powerful effort the young girl controlled her own feelings, and quietly smoothing her father's whitening hair, she replied in clear, soft tones.

'Now, papa, no more of this,—you have always worked hard for us all. This misfortune which has taken our home and your strength no one is to blame for. But if we fret and whine, we are unwise and unthankful. Your words may prove true, I may never be good for anything. But trust me. I am young and strong and shall certainly try hard to earn a living for us all. Hereafter, if you lack for food or shelter, then call me good for nothing. I must now leave you for a few hours, but shall bring back good news before night. Papa, you must bear your troubles manfully and I will send up Dr. Blister to cure you.

And my little mother must keep yourself and papa pleasant. And, Willie, be a good boy, and keep the animals all well fed and take care of papa and mama. Now, good-by all.'

Despite her brave words, the trembling heart was heavy and sad. Resolute action must relieve this sadness. No time need be wasted in arranging crimps or bangs, for her pale, golden hair clustered in natural rings around her face. Their pony was sure-footed and Alba was a fearless rider. The fresh morning air invigorated her tired nerves, brightened her cheeks, and intensified her resolve to save her family from want if human endeavor, aided by divine assistance, could enable her to earn a living for them. She kept saying over to herself, 'I must succeed, I must succeed; Father in Heaven, help me, lead, guide, direct, compel me to go in the right way.'

At the base of this range of hills, almost underneath her humble home, was a busy, flourishing village. Alba was almost an entire stranger here. Her father had always been hard and stern to her. But he was respected by his neighbors as an honest, industrious, well-meaning man.

Alba resolutely put aside her native timidity, and went bravely from house to house, telling her short, sad story of the fire, and of her father's loss of strength. She asked them frankly if they would club together and get out a frame for a new house and put it up for them. Adding that her brother was growing chickens, and that she knew something of gardening, and should start a strawberry field for another year, and she felt confident that she could pay them all in a year or so.

Those sturdy villagers smiled at the earnest faith of this slight, young girl.

But their sympathy went out in ready help.

The first to bring aid and cheer to the helpless man was good, genial Dr. Blister. His cheery words and manner were a stronger tonic than his medicine. True to his name, he thoroughly treated the spine to burning applications. But his most affectual remedy was the hope he inspired.

Long before night, wagons, loaded with all sorts of provisions, clothing, bedding, and delicacies for the sick man, were unloaded before the astonished eyes of this poor homeless family.

Early the next morning, a gang of men were chipping, hewing, measuring, and smoothing lumber for a larger, better house than the old one had ever been. The new structure soon stood on a granite foundation. Then came masons, plasterers, and painters and wonder of wonders to these simple country people, bright, green shutters screened the windows, and neat, bright carpets covered the floors. The eager helpers could hardly wait for the fresh walls to dry before moving the overjoyed family into their new, commodious house.

At the house warming, the contrite father told them all, how he had fretted because Alba's baby face had been so plain; told them, with wet eyes, how he had always thought of her as good for nuthin'; and now she's the angel of this household. Now one and all, kind, generous neighbors, may God in Heaven bless and reward you for this wonderful home so much better than I deserve. We shall all thank you for this every day of our lives. May you never come to want and all be blessed with as smart a gal as my good for nuthin'.

Three cheers greeted the poor man's trembling speech. All joined in singing, 'Home Sweet Home.' The minister said a few words of prayerful benediction, then, with friendly goodbyes, they left the thankful family happy in their cosy, new house.

As they went back to their own homes, the several givers felt that it might indeed be "more blessed to give than to receive." They had "fed the hungry" and "clothed the naked," and, more than this, their united help had given a lovely home to a homeless family. They were justly proud of their generosity. The recording angel must have written sweet approval of that noble, christian charity.

Their kindness did not stop with the house warming. Alba was promised a ready market for any product they could spare. Without delay, she hired a man with a heavy plow-team to prepare a six acre field to put into strawberries for another year's yield. The season was quite advanced to set out plants, but this soil was moist, which was favorable to their growth. Alba's garden experience had given her many hints of strawberry needs, the greatest one being water. A stream crossing this field furnished an unfailing supply.

A wealthy lady living alone, in the valley, invited Alba to board her during the summer and autumn. The proposal was accepted gladly. The advantages were mutual. This lady needed the pure mountain air, while the generous price she gave them for their kindly care of her was a great help to the poor family.

Yet the greatest good of her coming was the few valuable books she brought. These opened a new world to Alba's hungry, thirsting soul.

After the cares of the day were over, some book chosen by this wise friend, kept the eager girl awake far into the night. This nightly reading busied her thoughts during the working hours of day.

The unlettered father grew dismayed at the fund of information thus gained by his busy, hard-working girl.

She was never idle, either in the house or berry field, always active—working and planning, determined that she would make herself good for something.

She had her berry field ploughed, cross ploughed, and richly dressed, harrowed and cross furrowed. Then Alba, herself, taking advantage of a week's cloudy weather, set choice strawberry plants in a small circle at each angle of the cross furrows. Planted in this way, Willie could keep the long rows free of weeds both ways, with the pony and cultivator, leaving only the small circles for hand labor.

Alba proved a capital manager.

When the shortening autumn days grew chilly and dark, their pleasant lady boarder went down to her valley home.

This gave Alba more time to herself. She coaxed her father to teach her to reseat cane-seated chairs. He was skillful at this work. Unwillingly he guided her nimble fingers, for he hoped to be working himself when the spring opened.

But returning springtime brought but little strength to his paralized limbs.

All through the winter months, Alba's busy fingers threaded in and out the long cane ribbons, giving to worn-out useless chairs, a fresh lease of life and beauty. Willie could take written requests to the kindly village neighbors for this work, and return the chairs when finished.

The poor witless boy was a great help to his sister in this and in many other ways. He had brightened mentally since the fire.

His dull brain dimly comprehended that Alba had saved his life and his father's, and was working hard to keep them all comfortable.

The winter, crowded with work and plans, went by like a dream. Spring came on early. April was warm, but brought frequent showers. The strawberry's best friend is water, always. Thus nature seemed smiling on Alba's work. She, fortunately, secured the services of a stout Norwegian and his thrifty wife. His wife proved as willing to work in the pure open air as in a heated cook-room.

They put the berry field in perfect order. The light winter covering of evergreen boughs was carefully removed and burned. Alba was neat and tidy in all of her greatest hurry. No weeds were allowed to grow. Just after a heavy rain-fall, to protect the ripening fruit from sand, the field was thickly sown to grass seed, making the land all ready for next year's hay crop.

Before the hurry of gathering the fruit for market commenced, the Norwegian ploughed and prepared a ten-acre lot for the next year. This field was set out to strawberry plants early in June, to insure a good year's growth before their fruiting.

A large kitchen garden was started early to supply their own table, and the surplus found a ready market, at good prices, in the village. But Alba's main income was from the berry field.

On stormy days, the Norwegian built carrying crates, while his wife and Alba braided baskets in which to market their fruit.

Alba could hardly sleep, so great was her desire for success. And succeed she did beyond her brightest hopes. The long rows were beautiful as the white blossoms thickly starred the dark green foliage. But more beautiful, to Alba's eager eyes, as the fruit grew larger and brighter each day on the clean carpet of soft new grass.

'The first to ripen must be eaten by papa and mamma,' said Alba, 'then we'll enjoy them, afterwards we must all work for market.'

The berries now drove them early and late. Alba sent to the village for wagons to bring up boys and girls for pickers, who could trudge home at night while the wagons carried the delicious fruit to the homes of ready patrons.

The Norwegian proved an honest financier; the marketing went on rapidly and the proceeds returned as quickly. When Alba brought the shining silver and gold to her father, is it any wonder if she archly asked if she had proved good for anything? The happy girl invited the whole township to come up and celebrate the success they had generously helped her to achieve, to come on the fourth, and celebrate our national holiday at the same time.

They all came in the early morning. The breakfast was spread under the apple trees. The hungry company declared they had never tasted such eggs and coffee or such fluffy rolls, and surely strawberries and cream were never so sweet and delicious before. After breakfast, came games and swings and romps among the hills and groves.

Some went to the mountain stream to fish for the dinner's chowder. The dinner was abundant and thoroughly enjoyed. The after dinner toasts reddened Alba's cheeks.

The dear old father was proud and happy, but had to tell the story of his life again.

"My friends, you see I was disappinted in my boy. Then this little gal was so white and picked I couldn't think or speak of her only as jest good for nuthin'. And now my friends, you see what she's done for me. She's cleared five hundred dollars over'n above expenses so far this year, and gin us this jollification into the bargain. I tell you she's good 'nough for anybuddy. All praise to the gal who's good for strabbry growin.'

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You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

ABOLITION OF THE DISTRICT COURT.

A story current in this community has made its appearance in some of the Boston papers to the effect that petitions are in circulation praying that the next General Court will abolish the Fourth Middlesex District Court now located in this city and establish a Police Court in its stead. That such a movement is on foot admits of no doubt, and it is equally a fact that several of our lawyers have been requested to sign the petitions in circulation.

It is barely possible that it means more than the abolition of the Woburn Court. A leading lawyer in this city tells a JOURNAL representative that a change in the arrangements of Massachusetts Courts of inferior jurisdiction has been the subject of debate for a dozen years or so, the fact being recognized by the Bench and influential members of the Bar that improved machinery for them is imperatively demanded by the best interests of the public. The subject has been talked of in many quarters and the preponderance of opinion is largely in favor of abolishing all District Courts as now constituted and of re-districting the several counties of the State on a basis of similar jurisdiction and uniformity of rules of practice in them.

The matter is an important one and it is by no means improbable that it may be included in the list of reforms which it is expected Governor Russell's Inaugural Address will contain. If it should, it will receive hearty support from the friends of a better system for the inferior judiciary of the Commonwealth, but whether Gov. Russell discusses it in his Address or not the change, our legal informant (who is well posted as to judicial affairs) believes the time is close at hand when such changes will have to be made to meet an imperative and nearly universal demand for them.

The movement for the abolition of the Fourth Middlesex District Court is however a private undertaking and means no more than the gratification of a desire to change the personnel of the Court and as an individual enterprise will probably prove signally abortive.

A FEW HARD KNOCKS.

Last Tuesday Senators Hale, Walcott and Teller took occasion to inform Senator Hoar in very plain terms what they thought of his management of the Force Bill as it is called, and were not very mealy-mouthed about expressing their opinion of the measure itself.

It is evident that there are quite a good many Senators who do not regard this Federal Election bill a panacea for all the political ills which the South are afflicted with, and a few men go so far as to express the belief that Mr. Hoar's course and an everlasting agitation of the political affairs of the South are not well calculated to lessen the race difficulties down there. If let severely alone there would soon be two parties in the South and matters would speedily settle themselves in good shape.

It would seem from their speeches in the Senate last Tuesday that Senators Teller, Walcott and Hale entertain some such notions on the subject and are not afraid to say so.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
P. L. Converse—Citation.
Keeler & Co.—Furniture.
E. H. Holbrook—Poultry.
Paine Furn. Co.—Furniture.
Unitarian Society—Supper.
M. C. Messer—Christian Science.

— HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

— It snowed some more yesterday.

— See change in Munroe's advertisement.

— The days have lengthened just 5 minutes.

— Bonelli advertises desirable dress and dry goods cheap.

— Next Monday will be Inauguration Day in this city.

— In dating your letters, etc., don't forget that it is 1891.

— Sunday was a bright sunny day, but the air was sharp and cut like a knife.

— The poor sparrows have had rather a hard time of it since the snow came on.

— Mr. Adam J. Eaton of this city has recently been granted a pension by Uncle Sam.

— Mr. John R. Carter and lady expect to start for California on the 13th instant.

— Our good Methodist brethren "watched the Old Year out and the New Year in."

— Nearly all the street cars on both lines have four horses attached to them since the snow.

— Hall & Jaquith are grinding large quantities of corn and other feed for this market.

— Particular attention is called to the change in the advertisement of Copeland & Bowser.

— Mr. W. H. Slater left late Manchester, England, papers at this office last Wednesday, for which thanks.

— Mr. E. N. Blake who has not been very well for a month or so is getting better every day, so report says.

— It has been good weather back along for Hooper, the plumber. He and his men have been as busy as bees.

— The First Congregational people held a prayer-meeting at 6.30 yesterday morning to welcome in the New Year.

— Our Woburn police are working on the origin of the Bassett fire last Monday night. Crooked business is suspected.

— Mrs. Leach of Montrose, Penn., will please accept our thanks for Christmas tokens of remembrance and good will.

— "New Year's Calls," once a principal feature of the advent of the new year, a jolly, rollicking, rousing holiday are passed.

— Last Tuesday morning was the coldest of the season. Thermometers ranged from 2 to 5 above at 7 o'clock. Pretty sharp that!

— The Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank Trustees will hold their regular quarterly meeting this, Friday, evening at half past 7 o'clock.

— Nichols is entirely satisfied with the prospect for an ice crop. There will be enough of it before the apple trees bloom in the spring.

— Janitor Nathaniel Simonds of the Union and Plympton schools was lately made the recipient of two handsome rugs from the pupils thereof.

— Our public schools will resume business next Monday after a good, jolly holiday vacation. Now, boys and girls, go in big for knowledge.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith has a change in his business notice this week to which attention is called. He is offering great bargains in dry goods.

— A meeting of the W. H. S. G. A. will be held on Jan. 14 to elect officers and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

— It is generally thought that there will not be many changes in the present official holdings at Municipal Building after the new administration comes in.

— We do not believe there is another place in Middlesex county that can boast of as many civic societies as exist and seem to flourish here in Woburn.

— Mr. N. W. Warren of the J. A. Wolf, Advertising Co., with 5 men, is having big success on canvassing for the sale of Legg's 25 cent pink Photo tickets.

— The Bellevue Club will occupy the hall in Mechanic Building after it is finished for their headquarters. The Bellevue is a large and prosperous social Club.

— The contractors for building the new Methodist church expect to deliver it over into the hands of the Church Trustees on Jan. 26, instant, according to contract.

— The St. Charles Minstrels, a popular musical company of this city, will give a show and concert on next Monday evening. It will be worth patronizing.

— Maria Trull, whose decease appears in the appropriate column of the JOURNAL, was a sister of the late Elbridge Trull and was last survivor of the family.

— Rev. W. A. Start, Secretary of the Massachusetts Universalist Convention, will open services for the Universalists in Concert Hall on Jan. 11, in the afternoon.

— The street railroad men had a hard time of it on last Friday afternoon, night and Saturday. But they were equal to the emergency and made good time right through.

— The annual exhibit of the Woburn Fanciers Club will be given in Lyceum Hall on Jan. 21, 22, 23, when brother Legg will show some poultry worth going quite a way to see.

— Before fitting up a business office for the coming year, send to Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston, for an Illustrated Catalogue of Office Furniture. Their prices are very low.

Thursday, January 1, Mr. Chester A. Cotton, one of our members takes his position as Assistant Secretary at Cambridge. Two Woburn Boys at the head of the Cambridge Association!

— The installation of officers of Branch No. 428, Order of the Iron Hall will take place Wednesday evening next. Deputy Supreme Justice G. M. Stevens of Somerville being installing officers.

— Gay evening sleighing parties have been all the rage since the late snow fall. Young people and old indulge in them and lively scenes may be witnessed on the highway every evening.

— With the compliments of Postmaster General Wannamaker we have received his annual report for the year ending June 30, 1890. Political friend and foe unite in saying the report is a good one.

— There was quite a smash-up of a freight train at No. Winchester last Monday night, the result of which was a constant running of freight and passenger trains over the Woburn Loop on Tuesday.

— The annual supper of the Ladies Charitable Society will be given next Thursday evening at the usual time, as the ladies having the matter in charge will provide a good supper a fee will be charged.

— At the Poultry show in Stoneham last week, E. A. Holbrook of Winchester sold Light Brahma pullets to Geo. C. Bucknam of Melrose and to A. B. Yeaton of Stoneham and has more large fine birds for sale.

— Especial attention is called to the card of Miss M. C. Messer in this paper and to what she has to say about healing diseases without a physician. She comes highly recommended as a Christian Science healer, and is a graduate of The Metaphysical College.

— The Woburn Equal Suffrage League will hold its next regular meeting Monday, Jan. 5, at 7.30 P. M. in the Y. M. C. A. parlor. The study of Political Economy begins at 8 and all interested are cordially invited to come.

— It is probable that a good many of the old friends and neighbors of Mr. D. G. Converse will attend his funeral at 2 o'clock this afternoon at his late home on Church Ave. Messrs. Tripp, the undertakers, will have charge.

— The burning of Mr. Bassett's barn near the Stoneham line last Monday night gave our alert firemen a taste of midnight air which did not set any too well on their stomachs. It was a long, cold run, but they "got there all the same."

— The Holdsworth confectionary store in Fox Block is famous for its ice-cream and good old fashioned molasses candy. By the way, old fashioned molasses candy is quite "the correct thing" for parties as well as private consumption.

— It has been decided to hold the Firemen's Relief Association's annual ball on Friday evening, Jan. 30. The report of the subcommittee was accepted by the full committee on time, place and arrangements, and if nothing splits the ball will be a grand affair.

— The weather was 40 degrees below zero at Bangor last Wednesday night and at some places in the Provinces it was 60 degrees below by spirit thermometers, the coldest ever known down there. It was just about the same all through Maine. Tough!

— It is not yet settled whether Loring & Avery, the Winchester tanners who have gone out of business there, will buy the Bryant & King tannery in this city or not. It is greatly to be desired that they should do so for they are the kind of manufacturers that Woburn can't have too many of.

— People who want places on the police force are notified to appear before the Board of Civil Service Commissioners in the Aldermen's Chamber Municipal Building, at noon on tomorrow, Jan. 3, and submit themselves to a Civil Service examination.

Been adjourned one week.

— Last Tuesday John William Stewart, a carpenter employed on the Murdock tannery in this city, fell from that building and was very seriously injured. Dr. J. H. Hutchings, the attending surgeon, found the unfortunate man had sustained a bad break of one wrist and a supposed fracture of the skull.

— Yesterday forenoon the small people of the Congregational Sunday School assembled in the vestry of the church where they were pleasantly entertained with an exhibition of pictures by Supt. Richardson and afterwards presented with oranges and candy by the pastor, Dr March. This was his annual juvenile party.

— Crystal Fount Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., have elected the following named officers: Noble Grand, William D. Wright; Vice Grand, George B. Woodside; Rec. Secretary, Alonzo L. Perham; Per. Secretary, Alvah J. Foster; Treasurer, Olando M. Brooks; Trustees, Marcellus Littlefield, Oliver M. Wade, Henry L. Andrews.

— By referring to the business columns of the JOURNAL it will be seen that the ladies of the Saint Cecilias, a well known and popular musical organization in this city, will give a concert at the Unitarian Church on Tuesday evening, Jan. 13. We need not tell our readers that it will be a fine musical entertainment which will pay richly to attend.

— The Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, Co. G. Mass. Vol. M., are in a peck of trouble and if something is not done to put a period to the internal broils and bickerings there is danger that the old Company, which is the military pride of Woburn, will go to pieces. Its difficulties are, we understand, in the hands of the State military authorities for settlement.

— Prof. and Madam Elmore A. Pierce celebrated the 10th anniversary of their union on Christmas day by a large gathering of relatives and friends at their home in this city, a Christmas Tree, and a genuine Christmas dinner. It was probably one of the jolliest family gatherings that took place here on that festive day. And may they enjoy many returns of the same.

— Mr. Clark, the accomplished organist at the First Congregational church, has prepared the following musical treat for next Sunday morning services at that place of worship:

Organ Prelude. "Pastoral in G." (Dedicated to Mr. Clarke.) by S. B. Whitney, Organist of the Church of the Advent, Boston.
Antiphonal Chant in A flat. "Venite." Clarke.
Choir Anthem. "How beautiful are thy dwellings." F. Kuhnstedt.
Organ Postlude. Fugue in D minor. J. S. Bach.

— Next Thursday will be the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans. Most likely it will be duly celebrated by the Democracy of this city, and in a specially enthusiastic manner by those of them who have never yet failed to vote for General Andrew Jackson for President of the U. S. every four years also quite regularly to make him Governor of Massachusetts.

— Gen. Banks said today that he had not yet made any recommendation in regard to the appointment of a postmaster at Woburn, but expected to move in a few days.—*Wash. Corr. Boston Herald.* There is some ground for the belief that Gen. Banks will advise that a caucus be held to choose a candidate for postmaster for this city. There will be numerous candidates and probably a caucus would be a wise way of settling the question.

— Mr. Amos Cummings will begin his "closing-out sale" of dry goods and millinery on Thursday, Jan. 8, instant, when big bargains will be offered. His store contains stacks of desirable and seasonable goods the prices of which will be marked down to rediculously low figures, and we advise all thrifty ladies to remember the date of the openlng of this great "closing-out sale."

— At the Congregational Sunday School election of officers Mr. Frank B. Richardson was chosen Superintendent, and William W. Crosby was chosen Secretary. It is a wonder that Mr. Richardson has never before been elected to the office, for he is just the man for the place. Mr. Crosby has held the position of Secretary for some time and his repeated re-elections show that his good services are duly appreciated.

— Something good for the city is likely to grow out of the Charles Pollard idea of getting up a large street-car building establishment here. It may not be that Carter's rink will be moved to lower Main street but Mr. Pollard has got money which talks business and there are other gentlemen with surplus wealth who are with him in the enterprise. Pollard is a thorough and well known carriage maker and the "No. Woburn Snow-plow", of which he is the builder, is known far and wide as the very best thing of the kind extant. He stands ready to put lots of money into the new enterprise and we confidently expect to see it a go.

— Henry Davis of the firm of James T. Freeman & Co. returned from a business trip to the West last week and brought back a pocketful of orders for brewery and tannery machinery. He went as far as Milwaukee and circulated pretty well all over that section of the West and thus made his visit a paying one for the firm. Freeman & Co. are doing a large machinery-manufacturing business which is all the time growing larger.

— In the case of Superintendent of streets it is more than likely, if rumors are reliable, that the incoming city government will conclude to "let well enough alone" and make no change. Mr. Jones's administration of our highway affairs during the last two years will stand the severest scrutiny, while it is a fact that the Committee on Highways have cordially approved of his work and endorsed his methods of taking care of our streets.

— Well, it can't be said that the boys do not have fun alive and dead loads of it boarding sleighs, sleds and other things on runners that they catch moving through our streets. Swarms of them enjoy this business hugely all day long and well into the evenings, and some of the drivers foolishly get very mad with the small fry. The snow has given the boys and girls opportunities for this sort of sport, of which they have had none to speak of for some years.

— Last Tuesday evening Liberty Council, No. 38, O. U. A. M., elected the following officers: Councillor, J. E. Furlong; Vice-Councillor, James E. Cutler; Inductor, David H. Eaton; Examiner, George H. Sutherland; Recording Secretary, Lewis W. Patten; Assistant Recording Secretary, Harry W. Annable; Financial Secretary, Francis L. Skinner; Treasurer, George W. Soles; Inside Protector, Walter M. French; Trustee, Frederick E. Ordway.

— The Legion of Honor, Council 774, has elected the following officers: Commander, Francis A. Partridge; Vice-Commander, Frank H. Leathe; Secretary, George W. Nichols; Collector, George W. Soles; Treasurer, Frank B. Dodge; Guide, Edwin W. Gurney; Orator, Abijah Thompson; Chaplain, Amariah V. Haynes; Warden, Joseph E. Stewart; Sentry, Josiah Parker; Trustee, Salem T. Brigham.

— The following are the newly elected officers of Mishawum Lodge, No. 61, A. O. U. W.; Past Master Workman, John M. Willoughby; Master Workman, James A. Adamson; Overseer, William D. Wright; Foreman, William Redford; Recorder, Henry F. Davis; Financier, B. Frank Waldron; Receiver, Simeon E. Kendrick; Guide, Walter T. Litchfield. The lodge has 112 members. The installation of officers will take place Jan. 14.

— In token of the high esteem in which he is held by the members of the Mechanics Investment Company of this city, and also as a recognition of his valuable services as manager of the changes in the Mechanics Building, the members, through the Directors of the Company, last week presented President B. F. Waldron with a valuable gold watch. Mr. James E. Furlong, one of the Directors, presented the watch to Mr. Waldron in a felicitous speech, which was feelingly responded to by the grateful recipient.

— Mr. Charles B. Bryant & Sons have the changes in the old Pollard tannery on Eastern Ave. nearly completed and will soon occupy it for manufacturing purposes. It is said to be one of the best built leather manufacturing establishments in this city, the Pollards having spared no expense in the way of furnishing it with all modern improvements, and when Messrs. Bryant & Sons get ready to go to work they will have a factory whose equipment is second to none.

— The dry goods dealers, milliners, boot and shoe men, and clothiers are moving for a closing of their places of business on Monday evening of each week, and if it succeeds they will then close three evenings—Monday, Wednesday and Friday. It is expected that all branches of trade will adopt the new Monday evening lock-up, and thus no business will be transacted in our stores after 6 o'clock p. m. on one third of the secular evenings in the week. Clerks and salespeople are enthusiastically in favor of the Monday evening shut-up.

— Mr. J. Henry Symonds, publisher and proprietor of *The Cabinet* of Boston, the principal organ of the American furniture manufacturers and dealers, was a guest of the New England Furniture Exchange at their 17th annual dinner at the American House in Boston last Monday evening. Mr. S. C. Small of Winchester, a prominent Boston furniture merchant, was a member of the Committee of Arrangements on the dinner and entertainment. Besides Mr. Symonds several distinguished gentlemen were guests of the Exchange.

— Mr. David F. Moreland, City Clerk, who is probably as well posted on labor matters as any man in Woburn, says he has no doubt but that last year's agreement between the Knights of Labor and the Manufacturer's Association will be renewed at once without any material modification of its provisions. It is earnestly to be hoped that Mr. Moreland is right about it, of which we have little or doubt, for his position gives him unusually good opportunities to find out and judge of such matters.

— If the question was left for the present official occupants of Municipal Building to decide there would be no danger of Mr. John Connolly, the present efficient Janitor, losing his position. He has served the official headquarters of Woburn as Janitor under town and city governments about 4 years, during which time he has given the best of satisfaction. He has always been faithful in the discharge of his duties; he minds his own business and lets other peoples affairs alone; is pleasant, courteous, obligiug, and there is no sort of likelihood that he will be disturbed in his position by the new administration. Of course others will be trying to get it — perhaps they are already thus trying; but a good, faithful public servant is something to be prized and his services should not be hastily or incousiderately dispensed with.

— There are tolerable good grounds for thinking that a 5-cents street car fare between here and Stoneham will soon be established. The Directors of the East Middlesex Company have the question under consideration, the result of which, it is believed, will be a reduction from 8 to 5 cents. Then it would be: 5 cents to Stoneham; 10 to Melrose Highlands; 15 to Malden; 20 to Chelsea, which would be just about the checker. There is no question in our mind but that the reduction would be a profitable move for the Company to make.

— Ensign Charles Walker and Mrs. Walker of the Salvation Army have been transferred from the Woburn Station to Hudson for the purpose of establishing one there. Although needing it very badly indeed Hudson has never had the benefit of Salvation Army preaching and prayer and for this reason Ensign Walker and family have been sent there. They met with good success while here. Some 30 persons were converted and several others were preparing to enter the ranks as new recruits. They were self-sustaining, and they carried on the work in a manner to command the respect of right-minded people.

— The installation of the new set of officers of Burbank Post, No. 83, G. A. R., took place last evening at the Post's Headquarters in G. A. R. Hall. The installation ceremonies were conducted by Past Commander John Welch and Suite of B. F. Butler Post. No. 42, of Lowell. At the conclusion of them a real hot old fashioned Camp Fire was held and highly enjoyed. It consisted of stories of army life, army songs, anecdotes, yarns, experiences on the field, march and bivouac, by Lowell, Lexington and Woburn Comrades, the whole concluding with a fine collation, smoke and talk. It was one of the best Camp Fires the Post has ever held.

— It snowed all last Friday in a very wintry fashion. It looked and felt like a good old style New England snow storm. A stiff wind blew from the northeast and piled the light snow up in big drifts and made locomotion tedious and tiresome. In the night the storm turned to a brisk rain which cleared off cold towards morning and the weather has continued somewhat anti-tropical ever since. The sleighing is good, and from present appearances it is likely to continue until next planting time. The storm was destructive to vessels and crews on the Atlantic and many a scene of suffering was described by survivors in the papers after it had cleared off.

— In Noah Brooks's story of "The Boy Settlers" in the January number of *St. Nicholas* the "Woburn man" comes to the surface again after having been lost sight of for several weeks by the Dixon (Illinois) party—the men and lads who constituted "The Boy Settlers." He had changed the handsome suit of clothes which he bought at Munroe's clothing store before starting for the great and wooly West for a suit of butternut, in which latter he found more personal safety in the great struggle then going on between the pro-Slavery and Free State men for the political ascendency in Kansas. He finally settled on the American Fork a tributary to the Kaw, where he flourished and raised a likely family.

— Nichols, the watchmaker, killed the cat at last after two doses of chloroform, 45 minutes apart, failed to do the business. The old creature seemed to enjoy and grow lively on it. Nichols employed all the latest inventions for killing cats with chloroform including the much-vaunted tin wash-boiler, but it was no go. Each time he unrolled the blankets and things with the expectation of finding a dead cat there lay stretched out before his eyes the happiest old ex-mouser in Woburn, and Nick gave it up—that is to say, he abandoned the idea of terminating the cat's existence with chloroform. As a last resort a sharp axe was used and to that implement of death Tabby yielded and shuffled off her mortal coil without a moan, a groan, or a sigh.

— In the January number of the *North American Review* there is published a paper entitled "How to teach citizenship" written by Mr. Samuel Mendum, Principal of the High School in this city and Military Instructor of the High School Battalion. This is the second article from Mr. Mendum's pen that has appeared in the *North American Review* within the last 10 months, which goes to show that his literary productions are popular with the publishers of the leading magazine of the country. "How to teach citizenship" is an article of merit, and it is particularly commendable for the spirit of patriotism which it inculcates. The general run of our teachers might well read and ponder over this piece of composition from Mr. Mendum's pen.

— Mrs. James C. Richardson who, with her family, recently moved to Princeton, N. J., to reside with her son who is Librarian of Princeton College, writes: "We think we will find our new home very pleasant. We find some things that seem strange to us, for instance, we miss the music (?) of the Woburn gongs and the whistles of the engines on the railroad from the roar of 'Peggasus' to the shrillest one of all. Instead, we hear the far-away whistle and not very loud rumble of the N. Y. trains and the ringing of the College bells. We buy eggs by the score instead of dozen, and oysters by the dozen. When we asked if they ever sold them by the quart they said 'never.' We have several broad Avenues and many handsome residences in Princeton. The College grounds are beautiful and the buildings grand. I send you a small photo of the College Library." Thanks, Sister Richardson, for letter and contents.

— Since the introduction of electricity for lighting our streets and buildings there has been a large increase in the consumption of coal gas, and the demand for it is growing right along. One would hardly have thought it and yet it is true. In the one class of quarterly gas bills Supt. Gilereast's books show that the amount of gas used during the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1890, exceeded that used during the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1886, by over 600,000 feet. In the monthly and other bills a relative increase of consumption is shown. Here is another curious fact about it: Nearly all the business houses in the city illuminated by arc and incandescent lights use more gas than they did before the introduction of electricity for public and private lighting. Can anyone explain why it is that the proprietors of stores pay more every quarter for gas than they did before their places were lighted by electricity, and with the price of gas considerable less than it was before electric illumination was introduced? It is so, and Supt. Gilereast says there has been no time in the history of the Company when their output of illuminating material was so large as now, and yet at the same time electric lighting is on the increase.

— There was a judicial hearing on the Dow contested will case at Cambridge last Tuesday which was the beginning of what will probably turn out to be a hard legal struggle over the will of the late Mrs. Stephen Dow. The lawyers for the contestents who are the children of Mrs. Emma T. Dow of Court street in this city, and the grandchildren of Mrs. Stephen D., deceased, and the Pickering children of Lowell whose mother was a daughter of the deceased, are John W. Johnson, Esq., of this city, and A. A. Strout, Esq., of Boston, and for the defendents, M. T. Allen, Esq., of this city, and Hon. John D. Long of Boston—an array of legal talent which means a sharp, hard fight until victory perches on the banner of one side or the other. The amount of property left by the deceased Mrs. Dow is estimated at a sum approximating $500,000, nearly all of which was willed by her to her son Edward who has the largest interest in proceedings to annul the will. The hearing before the Court on last Tuesday was merely a preliminary step, or a skirmish preparatory to the general battle which will come off in due time. J. W. Johnson, of counsel above named, was appointed special administrator pending litigation over the will. The matter excites considerable interest in this community.

— On last Tuesday evening a Lodge of the Knights of Pythias, named Lotlie Lodge, No. 86, K. P., was instituted in this city with a rousing good membership which includes many leading business and professional gentlemen among us. Besides the charter members there were petitions from quite a number of other people for leave to join the Lodge. Officers of the Grand Lodge present were: Grand Chancellor, Charles P. Newton; Grand Prelate, Charles C. Eaton; Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, Charles A. Cross; Grand Master of Exchequer, Henry C. Allen; Grand Master-at-Arms, Daniel E. Denney; Grand Outer Guard, George O. Gleason; Grand Inside Guard, P. G. C. Walter A. Hanson, assisted by D. D. G. Charles W. Carlisle. The following officers were elected: Past Chancellor, William N. Titus; Chancellor, Fred. E. Lovell; Vice Chancellor, John T. Given; Prelate, Henry W. Deans; Keeper of Seal and Records, B. Frank Waldron; Master Finance, Samuel H. Patten; Master Exchequer, Simeon E. Kendrick; Master-at-Arms, Charles F. Spear; Inside Guard, Charles H. Hunter; Outside Guard, Benjamin F. Story; Trustees, Charles H. Buss, Dr. Nathaniel A. Springer, Walton B. Ward; Representatives to Grand Lodge, William N. Titus, two years; Fred. E. Lovell, one year.

Perfection Makes Them Laugh.

Housekeepers laugh right out when the groceryman shows them some unknown brand of soap, and tells them that it is the best, the cheapest and finer than ever soap was before. They laugh because well they know perfection cannot be improved upon, and as they know Brussels soap is perfection, both in its cleansing and its lasting qualities, they will have no other.

School Meeting.

The School Board of this city held their final meeting for 1890 last Tuesday evening and enjoyed a very refreshing season. An unusual amount of important matters was attended to and harmony prevailed.

Vice-Chairman Mrs. Charles D. Adams presided with becoming dignity and grace. A vote of thanks was extended the Vice-Chairman, and Miss Jacobs was appointed assistant to the Principal of the High School, with an increase of $50 to her salary.

The annual report of the Board contains much matter of interest to the city. The Committee regretted the loss of two such teachers as Herbert B. Dow, Principal of the High School, and Edward H. Lounsbury, Principal of the Cummings school, but their places are ably filled by Messrs. Mendum and Crocker. The duties of the Superintendent have been performed with zeal and fidelity, and it is due to him that the schools compare so favorably with other cities and towns, a fact which deserves recognition and appreciation.

Thanks were extended to the persons and organizations presenting flags to the schools. The High School by Post 161, G. A. R.; Cummings, by Hon. John Cummings; Plympton, by the pupils; Union, by John G. Maguire; Lawrence, by William F. Kenney; Main street, by Francis P. Curran; Morse street, by pupils and others; Rumford, by United American Mechanics; Montvale, by Baeder, Adamson & Co.; Johnson, by Hon. Edward F. Johnson; Cedar, by James R. Wood; Cambridge, by neighbor subscription.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

There was a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen last evening. Willis L. Gould sent in his resignation as a member of the Fire Department; accepted. The Chief Engineer nominated, and the Board confirmed, Patrick H. Greeney as a member of the Department. The report of the Highway Committee laying out Brown street, was accepted and adopted. Adjourned to Monday, Jan. 5, at 2.30 p. m.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

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Reunion Class '89, W. H. S.

Last Monday evening 25 out of the 30 ladies and gentlemen who composed Class '89 of the Woburn High School held their first reunion at the residence of Mrs. Florence W. Crosby on Court street by invitation of her son, Mr. William W. Crosby, President of the organization. A very pleasant evening was passed and everyone felt grateful for the presence of so many of their classmates.

In literary and musical pleasures the evening hours flew rapidly by and all too soon the time for home-hieing arrived.

Mr. J. Winn Brown was Toast-Master on the occasion and filled the office admirably. Toasts and responses, interspersed with songs, etc., occupied a large share of the time, while social intercourse, story-telling, anecdotes of the Class while students, and the discussion of a fine collation provided by Mrs. Crosby, filled out the rest of the evening hours.

Frank P. Johnson responded to "The Classics;" Arthur Wyman to "Business men of the Class;" Leonard Buchanan to "Science;" and Stillman Shaw, President of Class '90, eloquently responded to the toast, "Class '90." The Class Poet, Harry G. Carter, wrote a poem for the occasion, the reading of which was listened to with marked attention.

Fine music was furnished by a Quartet composed of Miss Remick and Miss Ramsdell, Mr. William W. Crosby and Mr. F. P. Johnson. Several musical good things were finely rendered by them, thus materially enhancing the pleasures of the reunion.

The Roll of Honor.

The following is a list of the names of the bright, smart boys and girls who furnished 9,712 votes to secure for the Woburn Highland Hose Co. the Fireman's prize in the great *Globe* contest:

Cora Buxton,	2225
Belle Cutler,	1833
Fred. A. Ames,	1289
Besse Barrett,	1076
Grace Parkhurst,	534
Chas. D. Wyman, N. Woburn	530
George Waters,	436
Harry W. Singer,	380
Selwyn B. Parker, Lynn,	315
Annie Parker,	280
Lellie Giroux,	183
Marcia M. Stearns,	112
George McCafferty,	110
Minerva M. Harrow, Reading	105
F. H. Jackson,	102
Carl Carter,	101
Wilbur Leathe,	46
Eddie Warren,	42
John McGrath,	12
Winnie Cooke,	9
Total number received,	9,712

Will Close.

The following is the agreement signed by the several merchants of this city to take effect next Monday:

We, the undersigned, Merchants of Woburn, agree to close our stores on Mondays at 6 P. M., in addition to the other evenings we already close. This agreement shall not be binding unless all the dealers in our line of trade signed this agreement.

COPELAND & BOWSER,
AMOS CUMMINGS,
WILLIAM WOODBURY,
C. WILLARD SMITH,
CHARLES M. MUNROE,
MRS. C. PACKARD,
J. M. GERRISH,
J. MCGRATH,
MRS. L. M. FOGG,
A. N. WEBSTER,
BOSTON CLOTHING CO.,
J. W. HAMMOND & SON,
F. B. DODGE,
FRANK J. BRIGGS,
CHARLES HERTKORN,
H. W. DEANS.

Congregational S. S. Election.

At the First Congregational Sunday School last Sunday, Mr. Frank B. Richardson was chosen Superintendent to succeed Mr. Carter who has filled the office so acceptably for the past year. The resignation of Mr. William W. Crosby as Secretary was not accepted. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows:

Supt., Frank B. Richardson.
1st Asst. Supt., Chas. F. Lyford.
2d Asst. Supt., Geo. C. Conn.
Secretary, William W. Crosby.
Treasurer, Chauncy B. Conn.

Obituary.

GERTRUDE A. STEVENS.

Died Dec. 26, 1890.

The graduating class of the Plympton School has been called to mourn the loss of one of its members, Gertrude Stevens, who died Dec. 26, after a brief illness.

She was a diligent and conscientious pupil and leaves many friends who deeply sympathize with the stricken family, though none but those who have passed through a like sorrow can fully conceive of the desolation in that home bereft of the sunny presence of an only daughter.

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Mr. Elmer F. Blank is a prescription pharmacist of great care and reliability at 389 Main St., Dr. Dodge's old stand.

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BEAUTIFUL HANDS.

"She hath finished the work Thou gavest her to do."

Beautiful hands, so still and pulseless,
Folded now for the endless rest;
Beautiful! yet so unresponsive,
Motionless! cold! He knoweth best.
Dear, aged hands so full of doing,
So full of planning for others' good,
So willing and glad to be helpful,
So anxious to lighten our load.

Holding our hands in childhood's stumblings,
Making us strong when trials came;
Bearing our loss and pain and grieving,
Trusting in joy and sorrow, the same.
Over our lives as the years slipped by,
No hands like these e'er helped us so,
No touch so soothing, no love more strong,
No one so true to us here below.

Never before were these dear hands still
When our tears were falling like rain,
Never before was their touch unfelt,
When our hearts were so sore with pain.
Folded to sleep! for oh! they were weary,
Feeble and worn, for life's day was long,
But, oh! we would fain keep them with us;
Though feeble, their help was so strong.

Dear hands! they were parted from loved ones,
Long years they have waited to clasp
Again, on the hills of heaven's glory,
The hands that came back from the past.
So we'll lay them away for their resting,
And look up through her faith's strong hands,
For we know, in the home everlasting,
We'll again clasp these dear! dear! hands.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: A New Year's Homily.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: Everlasting remembrance of the Good. Communion Service at 2.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6. p. m. Missionary Concert at 7 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Looking Forward." Young People's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly Concert. Mission Reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST—Holy Communion and reception of members at 10.30 a. m. Epworth League prayer meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by pastor at 7 p. m. Prelude Address to the incoming Mayor and Aldermen. Subject: Rich Man and Lazarus. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

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An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 50 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

C. F. Gibbs of Atlanta, Mich., traded a horse for forty acres of pine land on a 15,000 foot estimate. He has already cut 250,000 feet of pine, and he's still cutting. The horse was worth about $35.

Mr. Elmer F. Blank succeeds Dr. G. S. Dodge in the drug business and will continue a firstclass pharmacy at 389 Main street.

Married.

In this city, Dec. 18, by Rev. H. C. Parker, Willis Luther Gould and Mary Alice Wade, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Dec. 25, Mary T. Wilson, aged 75 years, 4 months, 5 days.
In this city, Dec. 26, Gertrude A. Stevens, aged 16 years, 8 months, 15 days.
In this city, Dec. 27, Abigail Winn, aged 81 years, 6 days.
In this city, Dec. 28, William Shannon, aged 3 days.
In this city, Dec. 30, 1890, David Gould Converse, aged 70 years, 1 month, 16 days, one of the oldest residents, and best known of the business men of the city.
Funeral services at his late residence, Church Ave., on Friday, Jan. 2, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited without further notice.
In Stoneham, Dec. 28, Maria Trull, formerly of Woburn, aged 87 years, 11 months, 18 days.

Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. Distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, "all gone" feeling, bad taste, coated tongue, and irregularity of the bowels, are some of the more common symptoms. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful, persistent attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet surely and efficiently. It tones the stomach and other organs, regulates the digestion, creates a good appetite, and by thus overcoming the local symptoms removes the symptomatic effects of the disease,

Remnants. Remnants. Remnants.

Our Annual Sale of Remnants and Shop-worn Goods, remnants of Dress Goods, Cloakings, Linings, Flannels, Cotton Cloths, Table Linens, Towelings, Ginghams, Calico, etc.

Shop-worn Blankets, Comforters, Underwear, Men's Laundered Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Neckwear.

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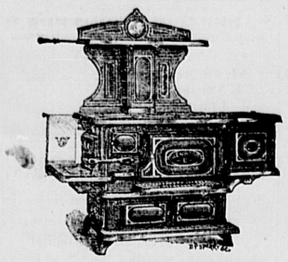

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Garland Oil Stoves.

Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

Some Calendars.

The calendar fashion has died out to quite an extent, and yet some very pretty ones are printed and sent out for distribution, in which the country Editor is almost the first one to be remembered. He must have a calendar sent to him if everybody else has to go without, and to prove that at least one country Editor is particularly blessed in this line all one need do is to enter his sanctum (!) and take a careful survey of its walls and other places and spots for hanging things on. These tell an eloquent story of the favors of other years, but, alackaday! not many of the much prized tokens of respect for 1891 are to be found there.

A few however for the current year are to be seen hung in the JOURNAL'S Editorial rooms, and among the handsomest that have recently found their way there as well as the most useful are two issued by The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York of which Mr. Webster Woodman, at Munroe's Clothing store, is the very successful local agent. They are of different sizes and designs, and each seems to be as near a perfect calendar as it is possible to get from the standpoint of neatness and utility. The Mut. Lf. of N. Y., thanks to Mr. Woodman's commendable manner of doing its business, is a very popular Company in Woburn.

Another neat, nice, pretty calendar is that just issued by Mr. F. E. Lovell, the popular druggist at 361 Main street, a copy of which the JOURNAL has hung in a conspicuous place among the specimens of this and former years. Mr. Lowell shows enterprise in issuing this handsome calendar. In fact, he is a go-ahead sort of a person, and a gentleman who can be implicitly relied on every day in the week, Sundays not excepted. We are glad to know he is doing a fine business and can afford to get out such a handsome calendar.

Next comes a handsome one issued by the Canadian Agriculturalist Company of Peterborough, Ontario, and it is as handy as ornamental.

On Tuesday morning when we entered our Sanctum we knew in a moment Ben T. H. Porter had been there before us for on the table were six new handsome 1891 calendars all containing his footprints. They were a choice lot and were issued by The Citizens Mutual Ins. Co. of Boston; The Ætna Ins. Co. of Hartford; The Royal Ins. Co., Liverpool, England; The Merrimack Mut. Fire Ins. Co., of Andover, Mass.; The Pennsylvania Fire Ins. Co. of Philadelphia, for all which Mr. Porter is the Woburn agent. Each was a beauty, and here's our hand on the same.

And Alderman S. B. Goddard, whose pleasant and busy business headquarters are in the new Five Cents Savings Bank Block on Pleasant street, was not far behind with a choice collection of very handsome calendars for 1891 for the use and behoof of the JOURNAL and its employees. This fine batch which the bright, smart Vaughn lad brought from the Alderman's office consisted of calendars issued by The Orient Insurance Co. of Hartford; The Hanover Fire Ins. Co. of New York; and Middlesex Mutual Fire Ins. Co. of Concord—the latter a particularly neat and appropriate piece of calendar work. Thanks, Alderman Goddard.

She—"Dear me, those people next door have half a dozen children to annoy us!" He—"And we have half a dozen to annoy them!" "Well, that's our lookout; I guess we have a right to have children.

A rascal at Pittsburg, Pa., has been fleecing colored people by advertising to take the kinks out of their hair.

A most valuable little book which should be in every household, has been prepared by the proprietors of Mellin's Food, entitled "The Care and Feeding of Infants." It contains advice that every mother will find of the greatest value and assistance in feeding her child. Mailed free on application to the Doliber-Goodale Co., 41 Central Wharf, Boston, Mass.

WE WISH YOU

A Happy New Year!

Your presence is respectfully requested to inspect the beautiful assortment which we have just opened of the

Celebrated W Lock Stitch

brand of Muslin Underwear for Ladies.

We wish to call your personal attention to the fact that this brand is the only one that guarantees all garments to be made entirely on Lock Stitch Machines, and with the best 6 cord thread upper and under, everything full size in length and width, made of good Muslin and Cambric, and are in every respect the best that is made.

Do not fail to examine this line of Goods before you make your purchases.

Very respectfully,

C. Willard Smith

WOBURN, MASS.

Y. M. C. A.

Sunday at 3 P. M. Boys meeting.

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, Prayer meeting for men.

The Singing class on Monday evening, Jan. 5 will be resumed and all who have joined express their pleasure at the way the teacher is conducting it.

4 o'clock Men's meeting will be lead by Mr. Frank Johnson assisted by all the Chester College Boys of the city. All men invited to be present. Subject: "The one way." 2. Kings 5.

The 23d, 24th, and 25th of Jan. the third District of Mass. and R. I. Y. M. C. A.'s will meet in this city and on the 24th Rev. Dr. Munhall of Philadelphia, Penn., the Evangelist, will be present, and it is hoped it will be one of the best conferences ever held in this part of the State if not in the whole State. A fine programme has been arranged which will be out before long. Plan to attend it.

Tuesday evening, Jan. 6 at 8 o'clock the annual meeting of the Association at which time 5 Directors are to be elected in place of the five whose time expires. Those expiring are E. E. Thompson, W. E. Blodgett, Thomas Heartz, James Frasor and C. E. Richardson, also one in the place of F. S. Burgess, deceased; also a Clerk and Treasurer. Immediately following this meeting, the Directors will meet and elect a President and Vice-President.

The Womans Auxiliary met last Tuesday at 3 P. M. for their regular meeting. The following officers were elected for 1891: President, Mrs. E. T. Dow; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Robert Duncan, 1st Congregational; Mrs. George Russell, 1st Baptist; Mrs. C. E. French, Methodist; Mrs. Tylor, No. Woburn Congregational; Mrs. John Flagg, Independent Baptist; Secretary, Pro. Tem., Mrs. A. B. Dimic; Treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Heartz. Raised about $300 this year besides membership dues; Members nearly 100.

North Woburn.

Miss Austin, of Portland, Maine, spent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Bixby.

Mr. John O. Page, Jr., of Haverhill, passed the holidays at his home in this village.

Mr. Charles W. Edgcombe and his daughter Miss Susie Edgcombe are passing a few days in New York.

A fine strap of fish was caught at the mill pond on Christmas day by Mr. J. O. Cummings and some of his friends.

The inmates of the Old Ladies Home were given a pleasant surprise by the scholars of the Rumford school on the afternoon before Christmas.

The Christmas concert which took place in the Congregational church on last Sunday evening was very well attended. The exercises were conducted by the Superintendent Mr. B. F. Kimbal.

On Christmas Eve the Unitarian Chapel was decked in an appropriate dress of green and bore a cheerful and cosy appearance. The fir tree was made beautiful by the artistic arrangement of quantities of presents. After the presents were distributed ice cream and cake was served.

Burlington.

The schools had a Christmas vacation of two days last week.

There was a social dancing party in the Town Hall, Christmas Eve.

Mr. G. Goodwin has opened his blacksmith shop again after his sickness.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society are making preparations for an "Auction Supper" to be given at the time of the annual sale of the pews in the church. The date and further particulars will be announced later.

The storm of last Friday filled our roads with snow so that a force of men were busy "breaking out" on Saturday. The sleighing is quite good and would be enjoyable if the weather could be induced to be favorable but a sleigh ride with the thermometer below zero is "cold comfort."

American genius has given to us the mowing machine, liver pad and wire bustle, and last but not least Brussels, the economical soap.

$5,000 in Prizes.

386 Prizes to be Given Away by the Canadian Agriculturist—A Splendid Prize List.

The third great Word Competition for the "Canadian Agriculturist and Home Magazine," Canada's great and popular Home and Farm Journal, will close on the 25th of February next. The following magnificent prizes will be given free to the persons sending in the greatest number of words made up out of the letters contained in the two words, "The Agriculturist:"

1st	Prize,	$1,000 in Gold
2nd	"	$500 in Gold
3rd	"	$1,000 Grand Piano
4th	"	$500 Piano
5th	"	$300 Organ
6th	"	Ticket to England and return.
7th	"	Lady's Gold Watch
8th	"	Gent's Gold Watch
9th	"	China Tea Set
10th	"	Hunting Case Silver Watch
11th	"	Boy's Silver Watch

25 prizes of $10 each. 50 prizes of $5 each. 100 prizes of $2 each. 200 prizes of $1 each.

Making a total of 386 prizes, the value of which will aggregate $5,000. This Grand Word-Making Competition is open to everybody, everywhere, subject to the following conditions: The words must be constructed from the two words, "The Agriculturist." The words must be written in ink on one side of the paper only, and numbered in rotation, 1, 2, 3 and so on to the end of the list, for facilitating in deciding the winners. The list containing the largest number of words will be awarded first prize, and so on in the order of merit. Each list as it is received at the office of the "Canadian Agriculturist" will be numbered, and if two or more tie on the largest list, the first received will be awarded the first prize, the next second and so on. Therefore the benefit of sending in early will readily be seen. Each list must be accompanied by $1 for six month's subscription to the "Canadian Agriculturist." One person can send in one or more lists, accompanying each list with $1, for which the paper will be sent to any address for six months. The best family paper in Canada. It is eminently THE paper for the home circle, and at $2 a year is the cheapest and best paper in the market. Remember, you are paying $1 for six month's subscription to one of the best home papers in Canada, and at the same time run a good chance of winning a valuable prize.

The following gentlemen have consented to act as judges, and their decisions will be final: COMMODORE CALCUTT, Proprietor Calcutt's Line of Steamers, Peterborough; A. V. R. Young, United States Consul, Peterborough; D. O. Frye, General Manager Ontario Telephone Company.

The object of the publisher of the "Canadian Agriculturist" in giving away these amounts in cash, is to extend the circulation of the paper, and a number of agents are required in every locality, to whom liberal pay will be offered. Send three cent stamp for full particulars as to clubbing rates, etc. Address, THE CANADIAN AGRICULTURIST, Peterborough, Ont.

Boston Theatres.

W. J. Scanlan the graceful and smiling man who sings with a charm all his own will play his annual week's engagement at the Globe Theatre commencing Monday evening, Jan. 5, appearing in a grand scenic revival of Jessop and Townsend's picturesque Irish drama, "Myles Aroon," the play which made such a pronounced success when produced there last season. It tells a pretty love story, introduces typical Irish scenes and characters, and its dialogue whenever the hero is cooing with the colleens is filled with such blarney as anyone can appreciate. Scanlan himself appears to be several degrees cleverer than heretofore. In his picturesque attire, and jaunty cap he is a romantic figure, and in his songs he is as sweet voiced as an Irish minstrel ought to be. His character of Myles Aroon gives him ample opportunity to display all his graces, and that he does so delicately is the best praise that can be given him. Mr. Scanlan brings with him the same strong supporting company that shared his success last season, and will sing the following songs, written and composed by himself for this play: "You and I, Love," "My Maggie," "Live, my Love, Oh! Live," "The Swing Song," and in the last act will introduce his widely known, and always popular "Peek-a-Boo."

The renowned American actor, Mr. Lewis Morrison as Mephisto in his magnificent production of Faust, will open a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House, commencing Monday, Jan. 5, and may be seen every evening with the usual matinees, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons. The press speaks very highly of Morrison among other things saying his Mephisto is one of the most finished pieces of acting in the annals of the stage. The piece is magnificently staged and the electric and calcium effects are truly wonderful.

To get a tight boot on, grease your heel with Brussels soap.

Literary Notices.

OUR LITTLE ONES for January, 1891, is a very nice number. The small people will be charmed with its pictures, stories and poems, and the old folks will find things in it to interest them. OUR LITTLE ONES is issued by the Russell Publishing Company of Boston.

With the number bearing date January 3d, LITTELL'S LIVING AGE begins its one hundred and eighty-eigth volumn. This standard weekly magazine grows more assential every year to readers who wish to keep abreast with the best current work in literature and science.

The first number of the new year has the following table of contents:—Lavoisier, Contemporary Review; Marcia, by W. E. Norris, Murray's Magazine; Provincial France, Quarterly Review; Geoge Elliot and her Neighborhood, Gentleman's Magazine; My Second Marriage, Temple Bar; Chateau Malbrouk, National Review; The Omnibus, Speaker; together with choice poetry and miscellany. This, the first weekly number of the new volume, is a good one with which to begin a subscription. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4.00 monthlies or weeklies with THE LIVING AGE for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

An important gastronomic question has arisen in Baltimore. Shall the size of the guests' mouths be taken into consideration when raw oysters are served at dinner?

DON'T BUY A

Turkey for Christmas

UNTIL YOU GO TO THE

CASH MARKET

And get prices, they are always the lowest in the city.

DOW'S BLOCK, 312 Main St., Woburn.

WINCHESTER.

Lawyer McCall and wife got back home a week ago or more.

The Y. M. C. A. gave their last entertainment last Tuesday evening.

We are having some of what the doctor's call scarlet fever here. There is no scare over it.

Winchester people in the South write back to friends here that they are perfectly happy down there.

Mr. Josiah Robinson and Miss Lizzie Morse have recently engaged to be married. Congratulations.

The Highland Chapel Sunday School gave their Christmas concert last Sunday afternoon. It was a very pleasant affair.

Considerable complaint against the working of the street electric lights in this place is heard. We are left in darkness too often for comfort.

Plans are maturing for a lively winter of amusements here. There is a disposition on the part of our leading people to stop quarreling during the cold weather and be jolly.

The Boston Ice Company is making arrangements for cutting a crop of ice in Woburn this winter.—*Star.* Well, don't they harvest a crop of Woburn ice every winter when ice is to be had?

Henry F. Johnson has returned from Washington and south of there in season to open his campaign against the Highway Commissioner and such other of our public functionaries as may be so unfortunate as to fall under the lash of his displeasure.

A New Year's party was given in Rangely Hall, Thursday evening Jan. 1, 1891, from 8 to 12 o'clock. The matrons were Mrs. C. A. Cutter, Mrs. J. W. Suter, Mrs. Gen. J. M. Corse and Mrs. Daniel March.

A cooking school will be opened here next Tuesday. Does anyone dare to stand right straight up and boldly affirm that Winchester is'nt hightoned with her cooking school and other fixins? But if the cooking school is suffered to become a permanent institution the population of this town will show a great falling off in the next lustre. Cooking schools are tough on the constitution.

Principal Fred Shattuck of the Wadleigh Grammer School has sent his resignation to the School Board to take effect as soon as his successor can be appointed. Mr. Shattuck has accepted a position at Somerville, in a school where there are 500 pupils. His resignation will be a loss to the schools of our town, as he is a gentleman of unusual ability as an instructor, and had the love of his pupils and confidence of parents. We wish him success in his new field—*Star.* The regret over Principal Shattuck's resignation is universal and sincere. His going away will be a great loss to our schools. He is one of the best educators in this part of the country, and by good rights he ought to have been made to stay here by the offer of sufficient pecuniary inducement.

It's economical—Brussels soap.

The New York *Times* has this item: "The private secretary of a railroad man who is supposed to be worth $10,000,000 remarked yesterday that, if 'the very rich' millionaires got as many letters prior to Christmas as did his employer, there was an unprecedented amount of begging done through the mails this year. 'Persons who beg by lerrer,' said he, 'almost invariably name the amount of money that they desire to have sent to them. The figures run from $10 to $1000, and a large proportion of the appeals come from women, who say that they want the money to pay off morgages on their homes.'"

The *Buffalo Express* relates that a green clerk in a large crockery store in that city sold a plate that was marked $125 to a female customer for $1.25. The first sum is the price per dozen. Great was the dismay of the clerk when the mistake was discovered. But all's well that ends well. The day after the mistake occurred in came the customer with the ten-dollar plate. She didn't like the plate—didn't think it was quite good enough. She wanted something better. She was accomodated with a two-dollar plate.

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— AT THE —

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NEXT

Thursday Evening,

AT 8 O'CLOCK.

Tickets, 25 Cents.

Rooms To Let.

Furnished Rooms with Furnace Heat, To Let. Enquire at

JOURNAL OFFICE.

21,979 FEET.

Eleven thousand, four hundred and sixty-seven columns of advertisements were printed last year in the

BOSTON HERALD

And the

SUNDAY HERALD.

If placed end to end, they would extend twenty-one thousand, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet.

SEE *Saturday's Boston Herald for the contents of next Sunday's Herald.*

The ablest and cleanest Newspaper published in New England. No Objectionable News or Advertising.

Just the Paper for your Family to read.

Another Reduction

IN THE PRICE OF

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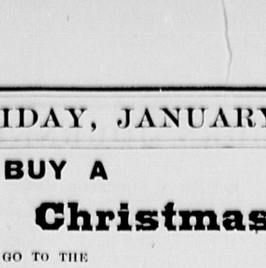

The Perfect Flour,	$6.75 Bbl.
Corrugated Flour,	6.50 "
Pillsbury's Best Flour,	6.50 "

All other Brands equally low. A discount of 25c. per bbl. made on Flour taken at the store.

Boston Branch Tea and Grocery House,

327 & 329 Main St.

FITZ & STANLEY.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

IS OUR SPECIALTY.

We make it a point to suit all who call on us for Parlor, Boudoir and Sitting-room Goods or Chamber Sets, and Tapestries.

We have many unique single articles, which cannot be duplicated elsewhere—Lounges, Ottomans, Desks, Luxurious Chairs, What-Nots, and Hall Furniture.

Our establishment is in the direct way of all who arrive at the Haymarket Square Station of the Boston & Maine Railroad.

Keeler & Co.

81 to 91 Washington Street, BOSTON.

One Price and Plain Figures.

Concert!

BY THE LADIES OF THE

SAINT CECILIAS

CONSISTING OF

Mrs. Phinney,
Mrs. Partridge,
Miss Davis,
Miss Ramsdell,
Miss Bancroft,

— IN THE —

Unitarian Church,

— ON —

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 13, '91,

Quarter after eight o'clock.

Tickets, 35 Cents.

Three for One Dollar.

For sale at the Drug Stores of Messrs. Buss and Leeds.

Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

Incorporated A. D. 1854.

JOHN CUMMINGS, President.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Open Daily, 9 A. M. to 12 M., 2 to 4 P. M. Saturday evenings, 6 to 8.

NOTICE.

The Regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held on **Friday, January 2, 1891,** at 7.30 P. M., for the transaction of such business as may legally come before said meeting.

Money deposited on or before **Saturday, January 10, 1891,** will draw interest from January 1, 1891.

Dividends payable on and after January 17th, 1891.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk and Treasurer.

Woburn, Dec. 24, 1890.

Have you smoked the famous La Corona de Fifield, sold at Cyrus's Cigar Store, 339 Main street?

THE BEST PLAN OF

Life Insurance

Is that which fixes a definite value on the Policy each year during its existence; always securing to the holder, a sum greater than the gross premiums paid, in Paid Up Insurance, or its Equivalent in Cash on demand on any anniversary.

Paid-up and Cash Values in the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. on a Policy of 1,000.00 Endowment for 25 years. Age 25. Annual Premium, $39.85.

YEARS PAID.	CASH VALUE.	PAID-UP VALUE.
2	$39.21	$86.51
3	63.70	136.38
4	89.27	185.38
5	115.93	233.42
6	143.76	280.56
7	172.82	326.77
8	203.15	372.04
9	234.82	416.34
10	267.92	459.74
15	457.47	662.63
20	696.10	842.46
25	1000.00	1000.00

An Endowment Policy in this Company, issued under the new perfected non-forfeiture law of Massachusetts, provides for three most important things.

1st. It is a security to the beneficiaries in case of the early death of the assured.

2d. It makes a certain provision for the wants of one's older years.

3d. It provides a sum of money continually increasing in amount, that the policy-holder may at any time receive, should he be overtaken by misfortune and lose his property.

No business man can afford to do without the advantage that such a policy may be to himself if unfortunate in business; to his family in case of his early decease or as an endowment to himself at a time in life when, if he has no property, he will be poor indeed.

All classes Policies for any amount issued on this principle.

For further information call on

E. J. GREGORY,

Auctioneer, Real Estate and Insurance Agent.

Office, 396 Main St., Woburn.

M. BANCROFT,

345 Main Street, WOBURN.

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BOOTS, SHOES,

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FULL LINE

Goodyear Glove Rubbers.

ALSO DEALER IN

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AND FINDINGS.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abigail Winn, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Parker L. Converse and Leonard Thompson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles Flagg, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Abigail Flagg, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of January, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Christian Science

LECTURES!

Healing without medicine by

Dr. Clara E. Choate of Boston,

At Y. M. C. A. Parlor, **Saturdays, Jan. 3 and 10,** at 3 o'clock, P. M.

All cordially invited.

Miss M. C. Messer, Graduate of "The Metaphysical College," will receive patients at 12 Franklin street, every day, except Tuesdays and Fridays.

First National Bank OF WOBURN.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them, will be held at their **Banking Rooms, on Tuesday, January 13, 1891,** at seven o'clock, P. M.

G. A. DAY, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 12, 1890.

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Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.

Central House, Woburn, Mass.

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At 15 cents a pound of 120 sheets, and BEAUTIFUL BOX PAPER for 10 cents to 37 cents, at

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Genuine Bargains!

Always to be obtained by all who are in want of

Strictly All-Wool Fabrics,

For Ladies', Gents', Youths' or Children's Wear,

In all Weights and of the Latest Shadings and Styles.

The many who have availed themselves of the bargains offered by us in the past can testify to this, and all in want in the future are invited to send for samples and prices before supplying themselves elsewhere and be convinced.

All the Remnants and Imperfect goods made at the Assabet Mills also sold by us, and they are offered at PRICES LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Write for Samples or gives us a call.

The People's Dry Goods Company,

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Examine our Elysian and Wilton

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Extra Fine Wall Paper,	10c.
Gilt Papers,	8 & 10c.
Best Gilt,	15c.

Window Shades at Boston Prices and put up free of charge. Paper Hangers furnished.

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LESSON I, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 4.

Text of the Lesson, I Kings xii, 1-17. Commit Verses, 12-14—Golden Text, Prov. xvi, 18—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "Rehoboam—Shechem—all Israel—to make him King."

Such are the words and phrases in this verse demanding our attention; but let us remember that we are reading the word of the Lord, and the Holy Spirit in this word is ever bringing before us persons, places and events which show us God honored or dishonored, God manifest and glorified, or the adversary manifest and God despised. Rehoboam was, so far as we know, the only son of Solomon, and therefore heir to the throne. His name, according to Young, signifies "Freer of the people," but he proved to be a great oppressor.

2. "Jeroboam, the son of Nebat, who was yet in Egypt, heard of it."

The previous chapter gives the history of this widow's son, God's purpose concerning him and offer to him if he would walk in His ways and do right in His sight.

3. "Jeroboam and all the congregation of Israel came and spake unto Rehoboam."

This seems outwardly all fair and submissive, but Jeroboam cannot have forgotten the promise of the Lord by the prophet Ahijah (xi, 29-31), and he is only quietly awaiting the developments which shall give him the ten tribes for his kingdom.

4. "Thy father made our yoke grievous; make thou the grievous service * * * lighter, and we will serve thee."

This, too, seems fair and reasonable, and it looks as if all might be well with Rehoboam if he will only do right.

5. "Depart yet three days, then come again to me."

The third day in Scripture is the day of resurrection and life and deliverance (Hos. vi, 2; John ii, 19; Matt. xvi, 21), but only for such as follow on to know the Lord.

6. "And King Rehoboam consulted with the old men * * * and said, How do ye advise, that I may answer this people?"

"With the ancient is wisdom; and in length of days understanding." "Days should speak, and multitude of years should teach wisdom" (Job xii, 12; xxxii, 7). But if the king had consulted the "Ancient of days" (Dan. vii, 13) he would have found true wisdom, and the word "Ancient" in Job xii, 12, according to the margin of the next verse, refers to God and not to man.

7. "If thou wilt be a servant unto this people this day * * * and speak good words to them, then they will be thy servants forever."

If he would only seek the welfare and peace of his people, as did those kings who sought to do right in the sight of the Lord, and as did Mordecai (Esth. x, 3) at a later period, then all would be well. But this was not his spirit.

8. "But he forsook the counsel of the old men * * * and consulted with the young men."

The old men had stood before Solomon, his father, but these young men had grown up with himself and stood before him.

9. "And he said unto them, What counsel give ye?"

10. "My little finger shall be thicker than my father's loins."

This is part of the answer which the young men instructed him to give to the people. The loins are significant of strength as in Job xl, 16; Prov. xxxi, 17; but in the case of Solomon it was strength of oppression.

11. "My father hath chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions."

So they would have him draw his people to him by encouraging him to act not as a shepherd of his people, but as a cruel taskmaster, a veritable Egyptian Pharaoh.

12. "So Jeroboam and all the people came to Rehoboam the third day as the king had appointed."

It is a dark day for Israel. They are to hear no comforting words; their yoke is not to be lightened nor their service made easier. And yet this man was king on the throne of David, ruling over the Lord's people.

13. "And the king answered the people roughly."

"Roughly" is the same word that in verse 4 is translated "grievous." Joseph also spoke "roughly" to his brethren (Gen. xlii, 7, 30), but in his case it was only outward roughness, yet well deserved, while back of it there was forgiveness and love.

14. "And spake to them after the counsel of the young men."

Wicked counsellors are a great curse, and are all in the service, for the time at least, of the first wicked counselor, who in the garden led Adam and Eve astray. It is bad enough when friends give evil counsel, but how much worse when one's own mother is the evil counselor (Gen. xxvii, 13; II Chron. xxii, 3).

15. "The cause was from the Lord."

Back of all these apparently ordinary circumstances God was working. He cannot do evil, but He often permits evil to take its course, and yet overrules all for the good of His people. Again in verse 24 we read concerning the conduct of Rehoboam and its results, "This thing is from me." It is a fearful thing to refuse to obey God and walk in the truth, for that lays us open to the possibility of His sending us strong delusion that we should believe a lie (II Thess. ii, 11). There is much in the Bible about evil from the Lord, as in the following texts: Judg. ix, 23; xiv, 4; I Sam. ii, 25; xvi, 14; II Chron. xviii, 22; xxii, 7; Isa. xix, 14; xlv, 7; Amos iii, 6; but it will always be found that the person or persons have deliberately turned away from God, and the evil that overtakes them is the result of their own doings, which God permits to come to them because they will not have His love and care (I Kings xi, 11).

16. "All Israel saw that the king hearkened not unto them."

Then they departed to their tents and made Jeroboam their king; there was none that followed the house of David but the tribe of Judah only. And when Rehoboam would have gone forth to subdue the rebels God by His servant forbade him, and he had to be content to have it so (vs. 20-24). Thus the highly privileged nation were divided because of their sins, and to this day they have never been as a whole nation reunited. We shall see as we go on in our studies that the revolting tribes grew worse and worse, wandering farther and farther from God, until after more than 200 years their iniquity came to a head and they went into captivity, from which they have not yet returned.

17. "But as for the children of Israel which dwelt in the cities of Judah, Rehoboam reigned over them."

Not for his sake, nor Solomon's, but for David's sake was this one tribe left him (xi, 13, 36); and because the scepter should not depart from Judah till Shiloh should come (Gen. xlix, 10).

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and medicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of others state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

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THE RIVER.

We stood on the banks of a river
And its tide was calm and still,
While soft shadows fell upon it,
From the moon behind the hill.
There was never a restless ripple
On its bosom fair and wide,
But I stood on this bank of the river,
And you on the other side.

The flowers bloomed on this side the river,
The birds sang, the night wind was sweet,
With pale moonlight soft in its bosom,
The wide river flowed at my feet.
Yet my eyes were heavy with weeping,
As I gazed on the wonderful scene—
For we stood on the banks of the river,
And its waters flowed silent, between.

'Tis a beautiful, cold, moonlit river,
But the name of the river is death,
And we only cross over its waters
When done with our frail, mortal breath.
It floweth for ever and ever;
On its bank lies the "city of gold;"
But it shuts from our wondering vision
The hearts that have loved us of old.

I stand on this side of the river
And I call, but no echo comes o'er,
To show that you listen, my darling,
From your home on the far away shore;
And the river that floweth so calmly
Bears no ripple to me on its breast,
To tell me that you still remember
And love me, though you are at rest.

O river of death, wide and boundless,
With moonlight of grief on thy breast,
Wilt thou bear me away into silence,
To silence, to love and to rest?
Wilt thou take my poor heart, worn and broken,
Away from this life's changing scene,
And bear me away to my loved one,
Where no more thy waves are between?

Oh, rest, to be borne on thy bosom,
To float with the outgoing tide
Till I land on the shore of "the city"—
And stand by the waiting one's side;
Oh, joy—when we stand by the river
And no more our souls are apart,
While we wander in heaven forever,
With peace in each wild weary heart.

—Agnes L. Pratt in Boston Globe.

Preserving Rope.

It has been suggested by a French exchange that, in order to insure greater strength and consequently more safety in ropes for scaffolding purposes, particularly in localities where the atmosphere is destructive of hemp fiber, such ropes should be dipped, when dry, into a bath containing twenty grains of sulphate of copper per liter of water, and kept in soak in this solution some four days, afterward being dried. The ropes will thus have absorbed a certain quantity of sulphate of copper, which will preserve them for some time both from the attacks of animal parasites and from rot.

The copper salt may be fixed in the fibers by a coating of tar or by soapy water, and in order to do this it may be passed through a bath of boiled tar, hot, drawing it through a thimble to press back the excess of tar, and suspending it afterward on a staging to dry and harden. In a second method the rope is soaked in a solution of 100 grammes of soap per liter of water. The copper soap thus formed in the fiber of the rope is stated to preserve it even better than tar is capable of doing, which acts mechanically to imprison the sulphate of copper, which is the real preservative in the case.

Turpentine Cures Diphtheria.

Once, when traveling in Montana, I had to stop in a small settlement many miles from a city, says a contributor. A child was sick in the house, and a neighbor who had a reputation as an amateur doctor was sent for. He was an intelligent man, and after a few minutes pronounced the disease to be diphtheria or croup, or a little of both. While the distracted father mounted his horse and rode off after a doctor the neighbor proceeded to get some turpentine and burn it.

The smell was pretty bad, and he nearly suffocated both himself and his patient. The physician arrived at midnight and found the child vomiting. Instead of accusing the amateur of being a quack he said quietly that it was clearly a case of diphtheretic croup, but that the turpentine treatment had removed the child from danger. His words proved true, and I don't see why a remedy when proved effective in a Montana frame shanty shouldn't help sick children in a large city when a doctor isn't right handy.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Deferred Annuity Bond.

Some one wants me to explain what a deferred annuity bond offered by a life insurance company of this city is. It is this: You pay a certain amount of money for a certain number of years for the benefit, say, of your son. Should he die before you have paid up all the money all the premiums that you have paid the company promises to return to you. In a word, you pay a certain premium for a certain time, either for your benefit or for that of some other person whom you may designate, and after that time the company binds itself to pay every year a certain sum of money to you or that other person during life. It may be added that a medical examination is not exacted.—Epoch.

Queer Definitions.

Dr. Johnson, the celebrated English dictionarymaker, whose definition of the word "excise" would lead one to consider him a splendid political economist, often found himself badly tangled up in the great sea of letters, words and phrases. In the first edition (London, 1755) the following comical blunders appear:

Garret, a room on the highest floor of the house.

Cock-loft, the room over the garret.

Network, anything reticulated or decussated at equal distances with interstices between the intersections.

Pensioner, a slave of state hired for a stipend to obey his master.—St. Louis Republic.

Paris was once a seaport, as London still is, and from time to time during the present century its citizens have discussed the feasibility of restoring its connection with the sea.

The best medical writers claim that the successful remedy for nasal catarrh must be non-irritating, easy of application, and one that will reach all the remote sores and ulcerated surfaces. The history of the efforts to treat catarrh during the past obliges us to admit that only one remedy has met these conditions, and that is Ely's Cream Balm. This pleasant remedy has mastered catarrh as nothing else has ever done, and both physicians and patients freely concede this fact. The more distressing symptoms yield to it.

The now-completed Forth Bridge, in Scotland, has been provided with an indicator which records the number of trains passing, the daily contraction or expansion of the bridge, and the behavior of the bridge while each train is passing.

Deformity from Bright's Disease.

S. D. VanBuskirk, of Demarest, N. J., says: "Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., has cured our daughter of Bright's Disease, after all other means had failed. She was so swollen that she measured 45 inches around the waist, and 18 inches below the knee. To say that we feel thankful for such a boon as Favorite Remedy is but a poor expression."

JOHN STRANGE WINTER.

Luck Brought to the Author of "The Other Man's Wife" by Horseshoes.

Mrs. Arthur Stannard, better known as "John Strange Winter," is an author whose outlook in life is sunny. London, or the most interesting part of it, goes out often to visit her in her fine old house at Putney, near the Thames. At her summer garden parties and winter "at homes" artists, authors and journalists make a charming Bohemian circle about the peculiar trophy of horseshoes arranged in her reception hall. The writer of "Bootles' Baby" confesses to a pet superstition. After the manuscript of that story had been hawked about to six publishers she picked up a horseshoe an hour before the news came that The London Graphic had accepted it. On three other occasions of finding horseshoes she has immediately heard of good things, and her friends affect a joking reverence for these mascots and invariably hold all discussions of important enterprises within the radius of their auspicious influences.

It is not every visitor to Putney who has the entree of the nursery of Mr. Winter, so called until the favorable receptions of "Hoopla" and "In Quarters" induced the author to let the public into the secret of her sex. She is the mother of three chubby babies, the eldest of whom is 5 years old. These mischievous, sunny tempered youngsters fill their end of the house with laughter. With a toddler on each knee and another hanging over a chair behind she answered a question as to the happiest hour she had ever seen.

"To understand the pleasantest little thing that ever happened to me you must know that when I was 12 years old my dear old schoolmistress politely, but firmly, informed my father that I got into so many scrapes he must really take me home. When my 'Cavalry Life' began to receive favorable notices the impulse came to me to write and let this teacher into my secret. The congratulations I received in reply gave me more pleasure, I think, than any others I have ever received."

Mrs. Stannard is not a beautiful woman, though her face is a pleasant one. Her knowledge of military life came to her naturally, her father, the Rev. H. V. Palmer, having been prior to entering the church an officer in the royal artillery. Mr. Stannard is by profession a civil engineer, but his time is altogether at his wife's disposal, he being her private secretary and conducting all negotiations with her publishers.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Protest Against Cut and Dried Criticism.

The art of criticism is such a fine thing that one must regret its present tendency to formulary. It has, I think, such a tendency among us, curiously enough at the very moment when elsewhere—in France, at least, it has emancipated itself into the license of a mere record of irresponsible impressions; in England, perhaps, it is equally irresponsible, but certainly not impressionist. With us the novel mainly seems to be the victim of this tendency.

Our critics—do not inquire too closely who they are—are at the present moment nearly unanimous in their preoccupation with prescribing to the novelist from the old rules of French unity and German objectivity. This would be all very well if they were professors in a conservatory where novel writing was taught, but it savors distinctly rather of pedagogy than of criticism. And though pedagogy may be more important than criticism it is at any rate a different thing. The great distinction perhaps between the two is that one is mechanical and the other spiritual.—Scribner's.

Norwegian Razors.

I have nice specimens of Norwegian cutlery, but not until a few days ago did I know that the inventive Norseman had marched before us in razors. A friend who has been traveling hard for two whole years came to stay with me, and exhibited the most beautiful pair of these toilet tools I ever saw, of very highly finished Bessemer steel, simple and scientific, being merely thin, flat blades of metal, inserted in grooves of thicker stuff. The agent warrants their edge to stand three months, when the razors must be sent to him, dismounted and sharpened, having to be removed from the grooved back to do so. Chantrey, the sculptor, made one of hard bronze with a keen and effective edge, and there are relics of Pompeii manufactured in that alloy.—New York Ledger.

Red Snow.

At the head of Holy Cross creek, near Leadville, Colo., and in the almost inaccessible defiles of Mount Shasta, Cal., there are hundreds of square feet of ground continually covered with snow as red as blood. In the polar regions red and scarlet snow is a familiar sight, but the two places named above are the only spots within the limits of the United States where it is known to exist. The phenomenon is due to the presence of the minute animalculæ in the snow. How the little midge ever got there is a question that has never been satisfactorily answered.—St. Louis Republic.

The Way with Men.

If a man is successful and everything goes as he wants it, he lifts up his voice and says: "Lo! and behold! I am a great and brainy man. I have made myself what I am, and the man that fails in life must be a fool." But when things go wrong he says, with a hang-dog look, "Providence always was down on me for some reason."—Boston Courier.

The First Step.

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Consul General Cardwell, at Cairo, reports that the artificial hatching of eggs was known to the ancient Egyptians, and that by their process, handed down from father to son, 15,000,000 marketable chickens are now produced each season.

Leading authorities say the only proper way to treat catarrh is to take a constitutional remedy, like Hood's Sarsaparilla.

RATHER A NUMEROUS MAN.

A Commuter Has Fun with an Obdurate and Thick Headed Ferry Man.

"It is a singular thing," remarked one man to another as they made their way toward the ferry waiting room, "how long it takes the average man to get accustomed to faces that he is seeing every day. That fellow at the gate makes me show my commutation ticket every time I come through, though he sees me every day. I never have any trouble with the train conductor, but that's because he is a man of unusual intelligence. I have met many conductors who would make you show your ticket at every station, and would never get to know you, even if you rode with them twice a day.

"That's the kind of a man that fellow at the gate is. It's awfully provoking when you're running for a boat to have to stop, unbutton your overcoat and get your ticket out of your inside coat pocket. I'm a pious man, but it makes me swear sometimes."

As the two walked about waiting for the boat, an idea struck the man who had been talking.

"It would be interesting," said he, "to see how many times a fellow could walk through that gate without being recognized. Suppose we try it?"

"All right," said his friend.

"You go along, and I'll stand here and watch."

The commuter went out through the wagon gateway into the street. He returned through the passenger gate, and had to show his ticket. He tried again, with the same result. He tried several times more, and still the obdurate gateman failed to recognize him. There were few people going through at that time, and it was singular that his continued reappearance was not noticed. Persistence did, however, have an effect at last. On the sixth trip through the gateway the gatekeeper stared at him in a rather bewildered manner. On the seventh trip the gatekeeper swore gently to himself, and demanded to see the name on the commuter's ticket. The commuter permitted him to read it, and on reaching the waiting room said to his friend: "He has found out my name. Lend me your ticket."

On the eighth trip through the gateway he showed his friend's ticket. The gatekeeper swore loudly as he approached.

"I've got you," said he; "you can't make game of me. Let me see the name on that ticket."

The commuter assumed an air of indignation, but complied.

"Well, I'm beat," exclaimed the gateman, as he read the ticket. And he scratched his head in perplexity.

"What do you mean by addressing such harsh remarks to me?" asked the commuter.

"Well, I'll tell you, stranger," said the gateman in an apologetic tone, "you're the most numerous man I ever ran across. Chaps looking just like you have been passing through this gateway in a regular stream for the last fifteen minutes, an' I began to think it was some fellow making game of me. But I guess it must be something the matter with my eyes, for I see by your ticket that you're not the feller I was layin' for."—New York Tribune.

Two Famous London Streets.

Paternoster row is the name of a street in London almost under the shadow of St. Paul's cathedral. It is so called, according to antiquarians, from the fact that 400 or 500 years ago the makers of rosaries or pater nosters lived and had their shops there. As education became general religious books were added to the stock in trade, and in course of time the entire street was given up to publishers' and stationers' establishments. No vehicles were formerly allowed to enter the street, which, although in the midst of a great metropolis, was thus kept quiet, and even at present it is not a general thoroughfare.

Many of the essayists and poets of a century ago mention it, and not always in the most reverential terms. As Paternoster row was the publication center, so Grub street, now Milton street, so called not from the poet, but from a wealthy builder, was the headquarters of the writing fraternity. It was filled with houses of mean aspect and poor interior, hence the name came to be applied to trashy and worthless productions.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Convenient Trunk Labels.

The most expensive of trunks, portmanteaus, etc., are soon rendered unsightly by the repeated pasting on of labels. All this may be avoided, it appears, by the use of an English invention, which consists of a base of tough, flexible board on which are placed, one on top of the other, twelve parchment paper labels, the whole being securely fastened together with metal clips and an eyelet to carry the string for attachment to luggage. The frequent attachment of fresh labels is thus avoided, as the old or directed surfaces have simply to be torn off as used and a fresh one is always ready for redirection until the "tablet" is exhausted.—New York Telegram.

Caught the Meaning.

Good Minister—I was greatly overjoyed, madam, to find your little boy so attentive during the sermon. Do you think he understood what I meant?

Fair Dame—Yes, indeed, sir. He's a born mind reader.—Good News.

What Did He Mean?

A resident of Hardwick has his fence decorated with the following notice to owners of horses: "Nobuddy hich no hosses to this fence."—New York World.

An eminent Presbyterian divine announced to his congregation that he must take a vacation on account of bronchitis, the elders raised his salary and gave him Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. He was cured.

My daughter suffered greatly with neuralgia in the face and forehead and was unable to secure any relief. I saw Salvation Oil advertised, sent for a bottle, and one application gave entire relief.—J. S. McCaulley, (Policeman.) Residence, 204 N. Bond St., Balto., Md.

The Grecian shoe is made almost entirely of leather, and has a thickly padded sole, with a sharp turn up toe which is surmounted by a large ball of colored wool or hair. The shoe is fleece lined and is gorgeously decorated with beads and ornamental stitching.

Eleven Years In Charge

Of the package department, Boston & Maine Depot, Boston, Mass. Miss Helen Jones says: I was a sufferer from general debility, biliousness and water brash for several years, and life seemed a burden to me. After using almost everything, Sulphur Bitters cured me.

Jay Gould's Fear of Dynamite.

One day a man presented himself at Mr. Gould's office and demanded to see the millionaire. Somebody else offered to transact any business that he might have. The man was very dignified, and said he would treat with nobody except Mr. Gould. Mr. Gould happened to overhear his remark, and stepping to the door asked him the nature of his business. The man reached into an inside pocket and quickly drew out a long brass cylinder. The natural conclusion was that the man was a dynamiter and that the instrument which he held in his hand was a bomb. The door was slammed shut and everybody in the office made a wild rush for a place of safety.

No explosion followed, and after a time one of the clerks reconnoitered. The man still stood where he was left with the cylinder in his hand. He succeeded in convincing the clerk that there was no danger, and Mr. Gould returned to the door. The man said he had the greatest invention of the age, in which he wanted Mr. Gould to invest a few millions. It looked like a squirt gun, but the man said that it was a pocket churn, which would make it possible to have fresh butter at each meal. All that was necessary to do was to put some cream in the churn, stick the churn in the pocket and in idle moments agitate the paddle.—Interview in New York Sun.

A Wonder of the Grave.

At Assens, in the canton of Vaud, Switzerland, on Sept. 9, 1890, while some gravediggers were removing the contents of a grave from a low, wet portion of a cemetery, a coffin, which contained the remains of a woman, was found to be full to overflowing with crisp, curly black hair. The coffin was of wood and laid the undermost of three, all in one grave. As soon as the first two had been removed the workmen noticed that the clay on the lid of the under coffin, as well as the cracks in the lid and sides, was matted with hair which seemed to be pushing out through the cracks.

On removing the lid a most remarkable sight met their gaze. There was the whole figure of the corpse, exhibiting the eyes, mouth, ears and every part, every square inch of the body being covered with the long, curly hair. Exposed to the air for a few minutes the contents of the coffin became a shapeless mass of hair, one hand and the great toe of the right foot only retaining their shape.—St. Louis Republic.

The Gentlemanly Bank Teller.

It always amuses me when I receive a notice to the effect that my bank account has been overdrawn (and, by the way, I trust that I shall fall in no body's estimation through the frank admission that I am sometimes overtaken by this misfortune). The manner of it is this: A messenger, not the postman, brings me a letter couched in the following terms:

DEAR SIR—I make your account overdrawn $575.84 (it is usually a little less than that) and I think the mistake is yours. Yours truly,

———, Teller.

The politeness of this pleases me very much. Of course the teller knows that the mistake is mine, but with a kind of Chinese civility he puts the unpleasant fact in the form of a mere opinion. Perhaps this considerate formula has come down as a tradition in banks from the old and courtly days. It only remains to add that my bank account is overdrawn, not because my resources are straitened, but because I have such a lavish, careless, munificent way of throwing my money about.—Boston Post.

A Handy Invention.

Few of those who fasten their gloves with the ingenious little snap button in use for a few years past know the history of the contrivance. It was invented by an American, who tried in vain to enlist in his invention the interest of American capitalists. Nobody could see any promise in the tiny bit of mechanism, and the inventor finally betook himself to France. There he found capital, and the invention speedily became popular. Now the inventor and the capitalists interested are getting rich out of the contrivance, and even the American agency is proving a mint of money. The fastener, at first applied chiefly to gloves, is now affixed to umbrellas and to a dozen other articles of daily use. Made of silver, it is put upon ornamental pocketbooks, portfolios and the like.—New York Star.

She Forgot Something After All.

She came into the first coach with a bandbox, and a birdcage, and a bunch of dried stinkweed, and an umbrella, and two sachels, and a bottle of coffee, and a lunch basket, and an old sunshade, and a summer hat, and a squash done up in a newspaper, and a bag of autumn leaves, and two shawls, and a wrap, and a hunk of meat and cheese, and when the whole menagerie was seated she turned around and, raising her hands in disappointment and horror, exclaimed, "There, Maria, I've forgot something!"

And when they brought the man in the corner out of a fit the conductor got a shovel and began digging for her ticket.—Albany Argus.

Cure for a Felon.

For a felon take common rock salt such as is used for salting down pork, dry it in an oven, then pound it fine and mix with spirits of turpentine in equal parts. Put it on a linen rag and wrap around the felon. As it dries put on more, and if followed up the felon will be dead in twenty-four hours.—Exchange.

The clog worn by the Japanese is of wood, and as viewed from the side is the shape of a boy's sled. It is fastened to the foot by a string which passes between the great and second toe and across the former. A strap, an inch in width and lined with linen, is carried across the instep.

The Hungarian shoe, or moccasin, is made of rawhide, prepared by a sun curing process. Loops or thongs extend upward around the ankle and through these loops is passed a strap which is buckled at the side.

Now is the time to purchase breeding fowls. They will be dearer in the Spring, and perhaps not so healthy as if you had raised them yourself.

No animal can be healthy without exercise. If it is not healthy it will not pay for its keep. Make a "run" for the Winter use of your hens.

Mother and Daughter.

In the winter of 1870-71 a great costume festival was held in Munich. Among the many beautiful women present was a Greek girl, dressed in classic costume of extreme simplicity, her only jewels being a single string of pearls about the neck. A Boston artist, then a student at the Royal Art academy, who was present, was impressed with the classic charm of this virgin beauty, made sketches and notes, and at once set to work to paint the picture, but in vain; the time had not come in which to realize the conception, and the canvas was laid aside.

Two years ago, as the artist was returning from a summer trip in Europe, he was introduced to a Hungarian nobleman, who had been appointed consul, and with his family was sailing for New York. When introduced to the consul's family, a glance at the daughter, a beautiful girl of 16, brought to mind the Greek girl seen at the costume festival in Munich years ago; another look at the mother, and indeed it was the same woman. An intimate acquaintance brought to light the fact that the Hungarian, then a student at the University of Munich, lost his heart that memorable night at the festival, and soon after married the girl.

A few months after the arrival in New York the daughter gave sittings to complete the picture "Leukopis," which had been inspired by the mother years previous. The artist was Mr. J. M. Stone, of this city, and the picture was at the Art Club exhibition.—Boston Transcript.

Odd Postoffice Names.

I saw a letter recently postmarked Negro Foot, Va. The name seemed so odd for a government postoffice that I consulted an official postal guide to see if Uncle Sam indorsed it. A glance through the guide discovered hundreds of others as little creditable to his taste and dignity. For instance, Big Foot is an office in Indiana, Pig in Kentucky, Skull Bone and Mouse Tail in Tennessee, Buzzard's Roost in Georgia, and Corn Cob in South Carolina. Number One is a Maine postoffice, and Vermont has a Bread Loaf. In New York there are a Promised Land, a Painted Post, Good Ground and Half Moon.

Pennsylvania might have selected better sounding names than Bird-in-hand, Bean, Bald Eagle, Burning Bush, Darling, Good Interest and Gum Tree. Gunpowder is in Maryland, while Old Hundred and Alone, with Negro Foot, are in Virginia. West Virginia boasts a Left Hand, and North Carolina the grace of Charity, blessing of Prosperity and Forks of Pigeon. Georgia is discredited by a Dirt Town, and has Alligator, Fish and Cold Water. Pay Up and Cut Off are also Georgia offices. Big Coon, Coal Fire and Red Rose are in Alabama, and Bananas in Florida. I'll wager you never heard of half of those.—Philadelphia North American.

"Overlaying" Woodcuts.

Overlaying is merely an intelligent adjustment of pressure on woodcuts—a pressure adjusted to suit the resistance, so that light lines shall have little and solid surfaces much pressure. So treated light lines will print sharp and clear; the compact and closer lines of middle tints will be smoothly gray, and the solid portions of the dark shadows will be full velvety black. The different degrees of light and shade in every woodcut require this graduation of pressure. The theory seems simple enough, but putting the theory in practice is not.

Every printing machine is made so that the pressed and the pressing surfaces shall be in exact parallel—so that pressure shall be absolutely uniform in every part. If woodcuts were like the ordinary text types of books and newspapers in their equality of color and their equal resistance to impression, there would be no need of overlaying; no more pressure would be required in one portion than in another. But woodcuts are conspicuously unequal—the thin lines, the close lines, the solid blacks, are irregularly combined. Yet each must have a different degree of pressure.—Theo. L. De Vinne in Century.

Only Once.

There is nothing like making the best of everything, but even when people do make the best of things they are very apt to put in a qualifying "but" somewhere.

Two very old people were talking one day about the delights of old age.

"Why," said one, "we get the best of everything. At our house all the tenderest bits of steak, the nicest morsels of chicken, the largest pieces of pie, are saved out for me."

"Yes," said the other; "at our house I have the most comfortable room in the house, the easiest chair, and the warmest corner at the fireplace."

"And everybody looks at us kindly and respectfully."

"To be sure. But, ah, John, it's sorrowful to think"——

"What, Jane?"

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

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Mayor Bean's Inaugural Address.

Gentlemen of the City Council:

As we assume today the duties of the several positions to which we have been chosen, I am impressed with the important and serious responsibilities which devolve upon us as public officials.

And when I say this, I assure you I am not merely uttering a commonplace expression which is not supported by an honest and earnest conviction. It is gratifying to men to be regarded worthy of the confidence of their fellow citizens and to have such confidence find expression in their selection for positions of honor and trust. Such gratification is both natural and creditable. I believe, however, that in quite recent years public servants, while they have experienced no less satisfaction in the public choice, have generally come to entertain a more just and broader idea of the obligations which they assume. The popular sentiment that "Public office is a Public trust" is so sound in policy and so obviously safe and wise to follow in practice that it has become a fundamental plank of the platforms of all parties. I do not wish to appear, therefore, to lay claim to any exceptional appreciation of the character of the duties upon the discharge of which we enter today, but only to indicate that I have no light opinion of their nature. I believe you will all agree with me in the expression of this sentiment.

The conduct of the affairs of a municipality like ours corresponds in my opinion in great degree to the management of a large business corporation. They are considered valuable and capable directors of a business enterprise who with keen foresight plan for its development and safe prosecution, who calculate the means at their disposal and how best to use them, who choose agents, officers and employees to attend to the details of their business with careful regard to their efficiency and honesty and who seek to understand the public desires and demands and to provide for them. We are the directors of this Municipal Corporation for the coming year and we cannot do better than, as business men in the exercise of our best judgment, to administer the affairs of the city and attend to the variety of duties which come to us in a business-like manner, always to place the needs of the public before our own wish or that of any individual, and public welfare before private advantage, to bear in mind constantly that we are to administer a trust, not to indulge ourselves as we please with a gift.

I propose now to lay before you such facts concerning the city's affairs as I have deemed of importance enough to be considered at this time and to make a few suggestions concerning some subjects for your consideration.

FINANCE.

Our entire municipal and water debt is now funded. During the year 1890 there was added to the former the Public Park Loan $7,000 and the Highland School House Loan $14,000 and maturing obligations to the amount of $43,516.67 were paid: $30,000 was taken from the Sinking Fund and applied to the payment of the municipal debt, and the balance of the amount paid $13,514.67 was paid out of appropriations.

There was added to the Water Debt in 1890 the Conduit Loan $6,000 and notes to the amount of $30,300 have been paid: $28,300 was taken from the Sinking Funds for this purpose and the balance $2,000 was paid out of appropriations.

The Sinking Funds on Jan. 1, 1890, amounted to $134,412.23. During the year there was received from appropriations, interest on bonds and sales and premiums on sales, $17,844.44, making a total of $152,256.73. Deducting from this sum the total amount used to pay debts $58,300 a balance remains of $93,956.73. Adding to this the sum transferred by the Water Board as the balance from Water Works maintenance for 1890, $1,235.75, gives the amount of the Sinking Fund Jan. 1, 1891 $95,192.48.

The following is a statement of the city's debt, Jan. 1, 1891:

Municipal Debt,	$ 84,583 33
Water Debt,	416,000 00
Total,	$500,583 33
Less Sinking Funds at their face value,	95,192 48
Net debt, Jan 1, 1891,	$405,390 85
The net debt, Jan. 1, 1890 was,	$412,987 71
Deducting from this the net debt Jan. 1, 1891,	405,390 85
Reduction of debt in 1890,	$ 7,596 86

In calculating the debt notes given in anticipation of taxes are not reckoned, as they are offset by the taxes themselves and the net result would be the same if they were taken into account.

The proportion of our indebtedness to our valuation is less than ever before. The latter was, according to the Assessors valuation May 1, 1891, $8,918,306. The debt is about 4.6 per cent of the valuation or about one-fifth of one percent lower than a year ago.

Suly 1, 1892, $200,000 of Woburn Water scrip falls due. It is estimated that the Sinking Fund will then amount to about $105,000. The Sinking Fund Commissioners have hitherto purchased $23,000 of water scrip of the series of 1893 and $1,000 of the series of 1894. These bonds were cancelled when purchased as required by law and their aggregate $24,000 must be deducted from $105,000 in order to get at the amount of the Sinking Fund which will be available to apply to the payment of $200,000 in 1892. According to this estimate we shall have about $80,000 for this purpose. The balance, $120,00, must be provided in some other way. While it will not fall upon the City Government for 1891 to make this provision yet as our financial policy in order to be a wise and intelligent one must be based not only upon present necessities but also future requirements, it is not, I think, out of place to say that in my opinion the amount required should be raised in accordance with Chap. 133 of the Acts of 1882, that is, notes maturing in successive years should be given, and in order to distribute the payment of the debt over an extended period I suggest that twelve notes of $10,000 each be issued. This plan appears to be especially desirable since the revenue from the water works is continually increasing and has now reached a point which renders them self-sustaining, notwithstanding the large amount of interest which is paid out of the funds of that department.

Water scrip amounting to $400,000 now bears interest at the rate of 6 per cent, an annual charge on the department of $24,000, When half of this scrip matures in 1892 a loan can undoubtedly be made on $120,000 not provided for by the Sinking Fund, at 4 per cent or less. The result will be that whereas we now pay $12,000 interest on $200,000 we shall have only to pay $4,800 or less on $120,000 thus at once effecting a saving of $7,200 or more per annum. We shall be relieved of a part of this interest each year as we pay the notes. Every dollar saved in interest will increase the net income of the department.

$100,000 of water scrip matures in 1893 and the balance ($100,000) in 1894. If the same course is pursued with these amounts as that just indicated we shall make in each of these years a saving in interest of $2,000 and in succeeding years the interest will be rapidly reduced. A careful estimate of expected income from the water works in the next few years and the reduction of interest account on the water debt makes it reasonably certain that after the first half of the debt matures and is provided for in 1892, the annual appropriation of $8,500 for the Sinking Fund of 1874 will no longer be needed and that the water works will take care both of the interest on the debt of the department and the debt itself as it becomes due, and at the same time the entire original water debt of $400,000 will be paid within the period of time required by law, or before 1905. We shall thus be in better condition to bear the burden which the Metropolitan system of sewerage will bring upon us as well as to establish and maintain such local system of drainage as we may decide upon.

TAXATION AND APPROPRIATION.

The tax rate in 1890 was $16.50 per thousand. This was exceeded by but five cities in the Commonwealth, the highest rate in any city being $17.60 in both Taunton and Chelsea. The rate in Woburn was 94 cents in excess of the average rate of the cities of the Commonwealth exclusive of Boston. The financial status of a municipality cannot however be properly determined by simply considering its tax rate. If all regular expenses are provided for by the tax levy and the expedient of a permanent loan is only resorted to when some unusual expense is incurred, then the tax rate may be above the average. This has been the case in this city for the past two years, the rate of taxation however continually going lower. Not infrequently in some cities and towns expenses which should be met by appropriations and be anticipated in the tax levy are provided for by loans, relief being not infrequently sought from the General Court and permission obtained to exceed the limit of indebtedness provided by law. Thus, while the people are gratified by a moderate tax rate, there is created an additional debt at the same time which they or their successors must pay. It is a sound and safe policy to pay each year what may be termed our "living expenses" and to live within our means though we may thus go without some luxuries which we desire to have.

The problem before us in Woburn is to so distribute the very moderate sum which by law we can raise by taxation as to reasonably and equitably provide for the various departments of the City Government. It is impossible to appropriate for all departments such sums as could be well expended therein. Woburn is relatively speaking a poor city. Her valuation is less than that of any of the other twenty-eight cities in the Commonwealth except Chicopee and Marlborough which have just received their charters and in which the rate of increase in valuation is several times greater than in Woburn. There is not enough wealth here to make it feasible to expend in the various departments such amounts as many other cities can use, at the same time keeping their tax rates below the average.

By the Act of 1885 the appropriations for all other purposes than the State Tax, County Tax and sums required by law to be raised on account of the city debt, cannot exceed a sum equal to a rate of $12 per thousand of the average valuation for the three immediate preceding years less abatements. The sum which can lawfully be raised by taxation in 1891 is computed to be $104,581.41.

To this should be added the unexpended balance for the year 1890 which amounts to $8,137.18.

The total sum is $112,718.09 which with several thousand dollars to be paid into the treasury for licenses for the sale of liquor constitutes the available funds at our disposal. It will require the most careful attention and scrutiny to determine what appropriations the several departments shall receive. Undoubtedly more money could be expended to good advantage in several departments and it is probable that strong arguments can be advanced in support of greater demands. I am however in favor of the most rigid economy. There are certain purposes for which we must appropriate certain and definite amounts. These are such portions of the debt as mature, the interest on municipal debt, the sinking funds, and the State and County taxes. For all other purposes I consider that we should aim, not to appropriate as much as we can legally raise by taxation but rather to bring the total expenditure as far within that limit as we can with regard for the reasonable requirements of the departments. If this is done the public will uphold the policy and the public should, at the same time, bear in mind that such a policy in this city is not compatible with general liberal expenditures.

Woburn's tax rate should be reduced to at least the average of the cities of Massachucetts, not simply so that it can be said that it is at that point, but because it is an important advantage to a city and will be to Woburn to have taxation moderate. I trust you will be disposed to join me in a determined effort to approximate if not accomplish this result.

Our valuation in 1890 was $225,843 greater than in 1889 but as already stated, it remains relatively small. An examination of the valuations of the several cities for 1889 and 1890 shows that one (Northampton) lost in 1890 over 1889. All the others with three exceptions gained at a rate in excess of our advance. There is no reason to expect that our valuation May 1, 1891 will show a material increase over 1890. Any reduction in the tax rate will therefore be mainly due to a reduced tax levy and the latter will in turn depend on your action.

SCHOOLS.

During the past year the city has borrowed $14,000 to build the new Highland School House. The structure is approaching completion and will be occupied in the coming Fall. It contains four school rooms, a gain of two rooms over the former accommodations. A purchase of land at Central Square upon which to erect another four room school house has been already considered and will be brought to your attention during the coming year. These new buildings have been considered necessary on account of the rapid increase in the number of school children.

In order to ascertain what are our present school accommodations and thus determine what our needs are, I have obtained from the Superintendent of Schools some statistics from which the following facts are deduced.

In 1885, 40 school rooms were occupied exclusive of the High School and the average number of children attending school in these rooms daily for the month of September of that year, was 1737. The average number of pupils per room was 43 1-2. The attendance exceeded 40 in all the rooms except at the Morse, Cedar and Cambridge street schools.

At present 45 rooms are occupied exclusive of the High School. The average daily attendance for September 1890 in these rooms was 2050. The average number of pupils per room was 45 1-2. The average attendance constitutes about 82 per cent. of the enrolled membership of the schools. The number of enrolled scholars is about 2500.

The gain of rooms in five years is five and of scholars in average daily attendance, 333.

The year 1885 followed the year when the Parochial School was opened. The reduction in school attendance which resulted from the opening of this school has been more than made up now. There is an average daily attendance of 51 scholars per room at the Cummings, Union street, and Rumford Schools; of 50 at the Lawrence School, of 49 at the Highland School, and 48 at the Plympton School. The Morse, Cedar and Cambridge street schools have less than 40 scholars per room in daily attendance, though the first named has an average of 39. There are fully 500 scholars in the Parochial School. I think it is apparent from these statistics that more school accommodations are required. The average daily attendance increases about 75 scholars per year. Many of the schools are overflowing now and all of them except two in the outlying sections have a full complement of pupils.

The proportion of the taxes which the schools receive is a large one and I take it that the people of the city generally approve the outlay. The schools hold high rank, they are well directed and the corps of teachers is exceptionally earnest and efficient. A material reduction of the appropriation for the department would mean poorer schools, and would, I believe, be received with marked general disfavor. The School Committee has extensive powers not only as to the management of the schools but also in determining the appropriations for their support. It remains for the City Council to provide the amount of money, which the Committee, acting they undoubtedly will with discretion and care, shall deem necessary.

SCHOOL HOUSE VENTILATION.

By an Act of the session of 1888 the General Court provided that "Every public building and every school house shall be ventilated in such a proper manner that the air shall not become so exhausted as to be injurious to the health of the persons present therein. * * * * *

A succeeding section of the Act says that "Wherever it shall appear to an inspector of factories and public buildings that further or different * * * * means of ventilation are required in any public building or school house in order to conform to the requirements of this Act and that the same can be provided without incurring unreasonable expense, such an inspector may issue a written order to the proper person or authorities, directing such means of ventilation to be provided, and they shall thereupon be provided in accordance with such order."

An Act of the session of 1890 allows an appeal within ten days to the Superior Court by the person or authority so ordered by the inspector.

The Union Street Schoolhouse has recently been provided with ventilation under the Act of 1888 and under the supervision of an inspector. At the present the new system there employed is not accomplishing the work in a manner satisfactory to the authorities or the inspector himself. The expense of the work has not been paid, $1390 having been set aside by the retiring City Government to be paid when the requirements of the contract shall have been met. It is possible that the City will be directed to provide new means of ventilation in other school houses and the question becomes one of importance in view of this prospect as to what the probable expense will be. It is estimated that not less than $20,000 would be needed if all our school houses are to be provided with new systems of ventilation. Another and even more important item is the cost of maintenance after the change has been made. A calculation based on the Union Street experiment indicates an additional annual expense of $6,000 for fuel and janitors, our city should not be made to bear this burden through any arbitrary and unreasonable enforcement of the law. I am certainly in favor of good ventilation and the provision of all proper safe guards for the health of our children, but I am opposed to radical measures which are unnecessary.

The law requires that ventilation shall be provided when ordered by the Inspection department of the District Police in order to accomplish the purpose of the Act, and that purpose is stated to be that every school house "shall be ventilated in such a proper manner that the air shall not become so exhausted as to be injurious to the health of the persons present therein." Besides this the new provision for ventilation is to be ordered by the Inspector only when it can be provided without unreasonable expense." It should be satisfactorily shown that the present ventilation in the school houses is altogether inadequate and that the effect of it is manifest in the health of the children before the city is compelled to incur heavy initial expense and to introduce a system of ventilation which will double the expenses for fuel and janitors. I should favor the prompt exercise of the right of appeal, if without good proof of the reasonableness of the requirement, Woburn is directed to reconstruct the heating and ventilating apparatus of her schoolrooms, at great expense.

SEWERAGE.

During the past year the City of Boston has obtained and served injunctions on several establishments in Woburn restraining the proprietors from discharging sewage through natural outlets and thus, it is claimed, contaminating the Mystic Water Supply.

During the summer of 1890 an eight inch drain was laid along the easterly side of Main street from Walnut street to the Mystic Valley Sewer which was entered near the railroad crossing on Main street, thus forming a connection which allows the discharge of sewage from the premises abutting the pipe. This affords drainage, however, to a very limited area and number of buildings and the question of the disposal of the sewage of the centre of the City remains open. This question I do not regard as very serious, or one to excite grave apprehension on the part of our citizens. Woburn's natural drainage advantages are certainly curtailed and limited by Boston's requirements in connection with the Mystic Water supply, but the Metropolitan Sewerage System is not far away now, and Woburn's problem meanwhile is to make the best practicable disposition of her sewage. I am of the opinion that Boston and the other communities below us will not be unreasonably exacting in view of the circumstances and the prospective solution of the difficulty at an early day. Woburn cannot be said to be thickly settled except in a very limited part of her territory, and the parties and premises against whom injunctions have been or may be obtained or who desire to dispose of their sewage will be able in most cases to provide private facilities which will answer until the Metropolitan System is completed and Woburn has determined upon and constructed in her central section a local sewer system.

The construction of cesspools and catch basins in cases which from time to time call for relief will help us to bridge over the period before the permanent system is established.

It will soon become necessary to determine what our local system is to be. The Metropolitan Sewerage Act requires that any city or town entered by any main sewer constructed under the Act shall connect its local sewers with such main sewer. The Act does not prescribe what the local system of any city or town shall be or when it shall be constructed. It is to be expected however that in order to dispose of our sewage and remove the cause for complaint and legal proceedings against the citizens of Woburn as well as to more surely secure the public health and welfare, the city will proceed to construct a local system and effect connection with the main sewer as soon as practicable.

My predecessor in his inaugural address a year ago explained with clearness and particularly the details of the plans which the Commissioners are to proceed upon in their work so far as they relate to Woburn. I do not therefore dwell on those matters. It would seem that it will be wise, when we begin the work, to build a sewer through Main street. If it is constructed as far north as New Boston street it will reach the height of land. Beyond that point the sewage will be conducted through the North Woburn arm of the system when that is built. This Main street sewer may connect with the Mystic Valley sewer which is to be acquired by the State from its outlet to a point just across our southern border. It will be necessary for Woburn to acquire the remainder of this sewer unless a parallel line is built at a cost not much in excess of what we would have to pay for the present one and so built as to better adapted to present and prospective needs. In the present state of our finances sewer construction on any extended scale ought not to be undertaken till after 1892, but in view of the need of drainage in the centre of the city the Main street sewer should be built first and connected with the Mystic sewer as soon as practicable.

The question of what is to be Woburn's share of the expense of Metropolitan Sewerage system and when payments upon it will begin is of interest and importance. As far as operating expenses are concerned I understand from officers of the Commission that there will be no assessment upon Woburn before 1894. Woburn will be one of the last cities to be reached by the system and will not therefore be assessed for operating it until it is completed. The date of completion is now set by the Commission as August 1894. The total annual operating expenses of the completed system are estimated at $89,000.

The Act of 1889 provides for the issuing of scrip or certificates of debt by the State Treasurer not to exceed $5,000,000 to meet construction expenses. The term of this loan is forty years and its payment to be provided by a sinking fund to which all the cities and towns enumerated in the Act are to contribute annually according to an apportionment by the Treasurer. The assessment is to be at the rate of 1-80 part of the whole amount in each of the first ten years, 1-60 part in each of the second ten years 1-30 in each of the third ten years and the balance in the last ten years. A calculation by a state official which I have been permitted to copy but which is not yet published as an official apportionment gives the following figures as the approximate amounts which the entire sewerage district will contribute annually in the successive periods.

From 1890 to 1899 inclusive,		$22,291 32
" 1900 to 1909	"	40,030 90
" 1910 to 1919	"	107,831 15
" 1920 to 1929	"	163,387 79

It is plain that Woburn's annual contribution to the Sinking Fund will be an inconsiderable sum for at least 20 years, whether the apportionment be based on population, area, or as is more probable both combined. The assessment to pay operating expenses will, when it comes, exceed that for the Sinking Fund during the first twenty years of contribution to the latter. The city will not be burdened with any tax the present year in connection with this matter.

It is, as I have already said, our local sewerage system which demands special consideration, and it seems none to early to take steps towards determining what is to be and how the expenses of it is to be provided for.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 9, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

MAYOR BEAN'S ADDRESS.

The JOURNAL presents to its numerous readers and patrons this morning the Inaugural Address of Mayor George F. Bean delivered on last Monday afternoon in Lyceum Hall in the presence of the retiring and new city governments and a large concourse of interested people of both sexes. We recommend it to the studious perusal of all those not already familiar with what it sets forth.

The Address is a plain business document from start to finish. Its main characteristics are distinguished by common sense, intelligent ideas, and terse English.

The suggestions and recommendations appeal strongly to public approval by their practicableness. We have failed to find in the production a single suggestion that is not timely and sensible.

The financial condition of the city is clearly set forth. Our debt is so plainly figured out and stated that the tyro in mathematics can easily understand and tell how much it is. Credit is due Mayor Bean for making this part of his able Address intelligible to the common understanding.

The JOURNAL regards the Address of the new Mayor as a sound business paper, and it finds that the public voice is in entire accord with this view of its merits.

THE CITY OFFICES.

It was never contemplated, we presume, whoever might be elected, to disturb City Treasurer John C. Buck, City Collector John G. Maguire, or Clerk of Committees Edward H. Lounsbury. Their services are worth more to the public than party success and therefore their tenure of office is likely to become a long one.

Unquestionably some of last year's incumbents would have failed to secure a re-election if certain political movements had succeeded in making connections, which they did not. As city officers they were as free from objection as the gentlemen named above, but as partisans they were obnoxious to some.

The positions of City Clerk, City Solicitor, and City Physician have been as well and satisfactorily filled by Messrs. Moreland, Curran and Conway respectively as any public places could be. And that is what the people, the tax-payers, want—capacity and faithfulness in the discharge of the duties of the public offices.

And so it is with the minor offices—they are filled with good men.

The Republican and Democrat parties in the city feel very well indeed over the election of same old corps of city offices, but we have heard that those deluded members of both parties who broke away from their friends and went after strange gods don't feel quite happy over it.

ABOUT "THE RING."

The People's movement was started in the city before the late charter election to beat the alleged "Ring" at Municipal Building—meaning Moreland, Conway Curran, etc. Their success was not monumental.

The "Ring" is still on deck and the livest dead body in this community. The People's movement made just about as much out of the election as the Democrats did out of the State election.

Every one of the "old gang" from City Clerk Moreland down through the gamut to City Janitor Connolly is back in his warm nest as happy and contented as anybody can be.

In a practical way what did the People's movement gain by the election? The columns of the JOURNAL are open for replies from Democrats only.

MEETING OF THE LEGISLATURE.

The Massachusetts General Court for 1891 met and organized last Wednesday.

With the Senate evenly divided between the Republicans and Democrats and only a small Republican majority in the House; with a Democratic Governor and Republican Lieut. Governor and Council; with these things thus, it wouldn't be at all strange if there should be considerable fun for outsiders in the doings of the forthcoming session between now and next haying time.

☞ The talk at the State House is that Capt E. F. Wyer of this city, Senator for the 5th Middlesex District, is the first member of the Massachusetts General Court ever known to refuse a railroad pass. They say he returned his to the officials with thanks and thus greatly surprised them.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
M. T. Allen—Citation.
M. E. Society—Supper.
R. C. Whittier—Concert.
W. F. Club—Exhibition.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
T. C. Evans—Ivers & Pond.
Rev. W. A. Start—Meeting.
J. J. Mead—Manure Wanted.
Pettengill & Co.—Dr. Greene.

— "A Vision" will appear in the JOURNAL next week.

— There was a bit more of snow last Monday.

— Tuesday was a raw, cold, cheerless sort of a day.

— Sneak theives are about, at least W. A. Russell thinks so.

— There was never better sleighing in all the world than now.

— Don't fail to keep in mind Amos Cummings's great mark-down sale.

— Don't fail to feed the sparrows while snow is on the ground and food scarce.

— Lovers of good living, please run your eye over the change in the Cash Market ad.

— An excellent article on "Tobacco" by one of our brightest ladies, will appear next week.

— The Woburn Democracy reorganize and form a Club twice a year generally. A new one is on the tapis.

— The great Peace Dance by Shawsheen Tribe, No. 49, I. O. R. M. will take place at Lyceum Hall on Feb. 4.

— Rev. W. A. Start will open services for the Universalists of this city next Sunday afternoon. See announcement.

— Editor Kenney, we rejoice to note your promotion on the Woburn School Board. We doff our beaver to you, Chairman K.

— Last Friday Mr. George Thompson, a well known citizen of Woburn aged about 76 years, dropped dead with heart disease.

— Mrs. Charles A. Fowle has left her summer home at Swampscott and is pleasantly domiciled at the American House in Boston.

— Let's see, wasn't there something said by somebody before the city election about "smashing the ring?" Or did our ears deceive us?

— Bro. Dorr suggests that the Pine Tree Club hold a meeting soon to arrange for the annual celebration, and the JOURNAL seconds the motion.

— The officers of Woburn Post, No. 161, were duly installed last Monday evening by Post Commander A. A. Davis and suite of Post 185 at Lowell.

— That "ring" is quite a chipper combine considering the "smashing" which the "People's Movement" in the last city election said they were going to give it, eh?

— The annual election of the Woburn High School Graduates Association will be held in the High School building Wednesday evening, Jan. 14, '91, at 8 o'clock.

— The officers of Aberjona Colony, 131, United Order Pilgrim Fathers, were installed last Wednesday evening by Brother Hutchinson and suite of Cambridgeport.

— Deputy Great Sachem, O. J. Hart, and suite of Nahmeokee Council, D. of P., installed the officers of Iyanough Council D. of P., of Stoneham, Thursday evening.

— Mr. Thomas Salmon met with a sad bereavement last Tuesday morning in the death by consumption of his only son, Thomas, for which this community will deeply sympathize with him.

— Auctioneer Gregory has sold the Ann Rossiter place, No. 122 Garfield Ave., to Mary Rooney for $1320 and the taxes for two years. He always gets the highest price for everything.

— Mr. William Johnson, late of Button End, has taken up his abode on Canal street. We are glad that he is not going to pull up stakes and leave. Mr. Johnson is a worthy citizen.

— Some one asked: "how is Dea. Gage this morning?" The reply was: "his signature on the business end of a bank check is as good as any man's in Woburn," which seemed to be satisfactory all round.

— Please bear in mind, ladies and gentlemen, the time and place for the concert by the Saint Cecilias. Read the card. Our word for it, it will be of the very best. Note the talent who will take part in it.

— A good photo of Mr. Warren Teel, the "Old Reliable" of the Davenport (Iowa) postoffice for lo, these many years—nearly 30 of them—smilingly turned up in our mail last Wednesday morning, to the great pleasure of the JOURNAL family.

— A large party of Woburn people took a sleigh ride to Brighton last Wednesday night and had one of the times you read of. Mr. Jones's big barge never held a merrier crowd. Supper and chicken fixins were enjoyed at the Brighton tavern.

— Supt. Sewell has done firstrate in removing the snow shovelled from the street car tracks from the streets altogether. There are no heaps or banks of snow from No. Woburn to Winchester, for which Supt. Sewell is entitled to much credit.

— Mr. F. Schuartz, formerly with A. H. Davenport, and Keeler & Co., Upholsterers and Interior Decorators, will occupy the upholstery department 404 Main street, lately occupied by F. M. Frye, about Feb. 1. First class work and fair prices will be given by him.

— The annual report of P. M. G. Wannamaker for 1890 shows that for correctness in handling incoming and outgoing mail the Woburn postoffice stands at the head. It is a record that Bro. Reade, Miss Celia, and the other employees of the office have a right to feel proud of.

— Mr. John Maxwell, who founded Pell City in northern Alabama, returned to his home in Winchester last Saturday. There isn't much doubt left that "he struck it rich" down there and is just more than lining his pockets with gold. Well, he's a big-hearted fellow—John Maxwell is.

— The St. Charles Minstreis gave a very fine entertainment at Lyceum Hall last Monday evening. The house was packed with the best kind of an audience who enjoyed the performance in the highest degree. There is no amateur minstrel combination in the country superior to the St. Charles. They gave an excellent entertainment at Arlington lately, and have been invited to go to Malden. Everybody was pleased last Monday night.

— The public bequests in the will of the late D. Gould Converse were: $3000 to the First Baptist Church of Woburn; $500 to the Woburn Home for Aged Women; $500 to the Salem Street Cemetery. Of the private bequests the public know nothing, notwithstanding what has been published respecting them.

— Because Mr. Freeman A. Loring has rented the Maxwell tannery at No. Winchester for two years it does not follow that he will not in the mean time buy or build one here in Woburn. Each kind of business naturally flocks by itself, and this is the place to make leather in, it being the centre of the business in this State.

— Read the notice of the coming exhibition of the Woburn Fanciers Club in this city. It is going to be a good one. Hardly anyone would believe it, but a poultry breeder of Savannah, Georgia, has entered some game birds for the show and will have them on the spot at its opening. For a long range entry that beats them all.

— Uncle Edward Simonds, allow the JOURNAL to congratulate you on your re-election to the office of City Messenger. When you, Uncle Edward, shall cease to be an official at Municipal Building the JOURNAL'S visits thereto will be robbed of more than half of their present enjoyment. Shake, Uncle!

— Mr. John J. Mead, who recently bought the farm, stock, etc., of Mr. William Johnson of Button End over near the Reading line, wants to buy manure and advertises the fact in the JOURNAL. He is going into the farming business for all there is in it, and has the pluck and good sense which will enable him to make a success of it.

— Every house should have at least one good Easy Chair. The most comfortable pattern ever invented is the famous Morris Chair, which adjusts to four different inclinations of the back. Morris Chairs cost usually from $40 to $75 but a new and beautiful pattern is now offered by Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal street, Boston, at the low price of $28.

— The business outlook in Woburn is gloomy enough. More than two-thirds the leather workmen are out of employment, and the number is likely to be added to.—*Reading Chronicle.* What silly twaddle that is. Woburn was never more prosperous or growing faster than now. It does more business in one day than Reading does in a month.

— The most solid basis any paper can have, is that the people buy it because they want it. Hiring people to buy a paper by "cheap john" inducements is a practical admission on the part of its proprietors that the publication they offer has little merit of its own to stand upon.—*Milford Journal.*—True as preaching. Real merit always wins in the end.

— We are glad to be informed that Mrs. Dorinda Hadley of this city has been awarded back pay by the government and receives a pension of $12 a month. On the score of inability to make a living Mrs. Hadley is entitled to State aid and ought to have it. She is a sick woman and the pension which she receives is not sufficient to give her a maintenance.

— Regarding the Woburn postoffice it is believed here that Col. Grammer, who was the Republican predecessor to Mr. Reade, the Democratic incumbent, will try to get his old berth again, although at present he does not figure as an applicant for the place.—*Boston Herald.* Undoubtedly Col. Grammer will be a candidate for his old place, and if so he will be found a very hard man to run against.

— The ladies of the Methodist church advertise to give the first supper in the Society's new church and dining-roooms on next Thursday evening for the purpose of raising funds with which to buy a carpet. The banquet room of the church has been arranged, fitted up and furnished especially for the purpose, and is a fine one. Be sure and patronize this first supper of the ladies.

— Organist Clarke has arranged a fine musical programme for next Sunday's morning services at the First Congregational church in this city, to wit:

Organ Prelude. "Allegretto in A." Gustave Merkel.
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite in G." Richard Farrant.
Choir Anthem. "Show me thy ways, O Lord." Clarke.
Organ Postlude. "Fugue in C. Minor." F. Mendelssohn.

— Post 33, G. A. R., had a royal time at their installation last week Thursday. For real enjoyment the campfire was never excelled. The "boys" seemed to feel as young and sprightly as they did in 1861-2 and along there while at the front defending their country's flag. Comrade John F. Larkin, the new Commander, presided at the feast. A large number of the members of Post 119 of Lexington, were present as guests of 33.

— The Woburn Orchestra furnished some very fine music for the installation ceremonies of the officers of Post No. 161, G. A. R., last Monday evening and the entertainment that followed. It was good, and a fitting accompaniment of the speeches by Mayor Bean, Commander Frank W. Graves, P. C., James I. Pinkham, Edward H. Lounsbury, Esq., Mrs. Flower, Mrs. Dorr, President of Corps 83, and Miss Susan Tebbets. It fitted in well with the supper too.

— The venerable Mr. Stephen Cutter of Winchester renewed his subscription to THE JOURNAL promptly on the advent of 1891, as it has been his custom to do in years gone by. Mr. Cutter's name is on the original list of subscribers to THE JOURNAL, placed there with his own hand in October, 1851, and on the first of January (or very near that date) every year since he has promptly renewed the same and always paid in advance. Mr. Cutter is now 93 years old or over, but he is active, with a clear brain, well preserved faculties, and continues to hold to the very rational opinion (with many hundreds of other good and reputable Winchester and Woburn people) that THE JOURNAL is the best family paper printed in Middlesex county if not in Massachusetts.

— Last week Thursday evening Woburn Lodge, 57, Order of Ægis, held a special meeting and elected the following officers: Past President, Oliver M. Wade; President, Charles H. Stevens; Vice-President, Joseph C. Bishop; Secretary, John M. Wallace; Treasurer, J. Fred Richardson; Chaplain, Zoeth W. Atwood; Marshal George Dargie; Guard, William T. Kendall; Outside Sentinel, William W. Wade; Trustees for one year, Lawrence Reade, William R. Bartlett, William H. Curtis.

— Mayor Bean hadn't much more than uttered the last sentence of his Inaugural Address before the JOURNAL had it on the streets and the news depots corrected, revised, and red hot. The JOURNAL got a big "scoop" on its slow-going neighbors, as it never fails to do when there is anything going on worth reporting. Before 5 p. m. Monday the pedestrian could hear all along our streets: "the JOURNAL gets in ahead every time, don't it? Good for the JOURNAL!" Yea, friends, the JOURNAL always leads, and that is why it has so many good patrons.

— Mr. William E. Blodgett, late City Auditor of Woburn, and a very likely sort of a fellow all the way through, is Secretary of the Gustavino Fire-Proof Construction Company of New York City, and makes his home at the Metropolis. It was to accept that position that he resigned the office of Auditor of this city. Mr. Blodgett is a gentlemen of excellent judgment on literary and journalistic matters, as please note: "Life in N. Y. without the JOURNAL is unbearable, so, if you will kindly send it to me", etc. Only the levelest kind of a level head could write like that.

— On Monday evening Jan. 5, the following officers of Crystal Fount Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F. were installed by District Deputy Grand Master, John E. Brown and suite of Boston: N. G., William D. Wright; V. G., Geo. B. Woodside; Rec. Sec'y, A. L. Perham; Per. Sec'y, Alvah J. Fosier; Treasurer, Orlando Brooks; R. S. N. G., Henry L. Andrews; L. S. N. G., Elmer Soper; R. S. V. G., Benjamin L. Trull; L. S. V. G., John DeLoriea; R. S. S. Winthrop Hammond; L. S. S., G. W. Soles; Chaplain, Herbert S. Dickinson; Warden, Geo. Anderson; Conductor, William A. Poole; I. G. Charles Smith; O. G., Jamsey Bennett.

— By referring to the JOURNAL'S business columns the musical people of this city can learn the particulars of a firstclass hightoned, and every way choice concert which is to be given at Winchester on Monday evening, Jan. 26. The talent are all, except Mr. Robert Whitten, Boston artists and the best to be found in the city. Miss Clark and Miss Woodbury are very fine singers, especially in duets. Mr. Parker, as everybody knows, has no equal in Boston, and the same is true of both Mr. Tucker and Mr. Schuecker, both of whom have played at the celebrated Boston Symphony Concerts, and Mr. Schuecker is the regular harpist for them.

— A lot of the worst kind of profanity was indulged in by the old style Democratic moss-backs in the Mishawum Club last Monday night when the news of the "smashing of the ring" at Municipal Building reached there. They had no doubt but that Moreland and Conway and Curran and the rest of the "ring" would get "laid out colder than a wedge," but oh, my! when the returns began to come in wasn't the swearing just awful, though? An "eye witness" said he used to hear a good deal of pretty tough cursing when he was in the army, but what he heard at the Mishawum Club last Monday night beat it all hollow. Those old fellows felt bad.

— Old Mrs. Skinner, 90 years of age, has done the housework for four in family, besides working over and packing 1400 pounds of butter, since the first day of April last.—*Bellows Falls (Vt.) Times*, Dec. 18, ult. Mrs. Skinner, mentioned above, lives at Chester, Vt., where she did the above work, and is a sister of Mr. L. W. Perham of this city. She is a wonderfully preserved woman and seems to be good for several more years of active life. Mr. Perham is the youngest of 14 children and is 72 years old. He can "fight, run or rassle" as well now as he could when only 25 years of age. Mr. Perham's name stands in bold letters on the list of original subscribers to THE JOURNAL of date Oct. 18, 1851.

— The American Association for the Study and Cure of Inebriety was established more than 20 years ago in New York City during which period it has done a great deal of good. Dr. Albert Day, Superintendent of the Washingtonian Home in Boston, is Vice-President of the Society, which has decided to hold monthly meetings during the present winter. At the last one, which was held in N. Y. City on last Wednesday, several very eminent physicians read papers of great merit on the subject, and Doctor Ephraim Cutter exhibited and described a series of photo-microscopic slides, with a lantern, illustrating the effect of alcohol on the blood tissue. He has spent much time in studying the effect of alcohol on the human system and his opinions on it are valuable.

— Among the bequests made by Mrs. Abigail Winn, relict of the late Col. Moses F. Winn, whose death occurred at the old home at No. Woburn a week ago or more, were the following: $2,000 to the Home for Aged Women, $1,500 for the North Woburn Chapel Association, $2,000 to Woburn cemetery, $800 of which is to be used for the care of the Winn and Nichols lot; Sallie J., wife of Alden Knight, $100 in trust; Abbie Buckman of Iowa, $1,000; Charles D. Wyman, $100; Franklin Knight, son of Alden, $400; Harry Fuller, for his mother, $100; Surviah B. Thompson and Rosanna B. Eaton, all of her personal effects and $100 each; Mary S. Nichols, $1,000, and if deceased, the money to go to Mary E. Conn, widow of the late George H. Conn; Ellen Warren, $1,000; Rumford Historical Society, $500; Clarissa Pope of Reading, $100; May Nichols, daughter of Charles Nichols, $1,000 Charles Nichols, $1,500; Mrs. Thomas Warland, $100; Ruth Poole, $100, if deceased, then to go to Henry and William Poole.

— Mrs. R. H. Chamberlain received her Sunday School class and numerous invited friends at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain on Eastern Avenue, on New Years night, in fine style. The hostess entertains in a graceful manner and the company of more than 100 young gentlemen and ladies who filled her parlors and reception rooms were delighted with the welcome given them. It was a dress and society affair for the successful carrying out of such Mrs. Chamberlain is not excelled.

— Mayor Johnson and President of the Common Council E. E. Thompson did the handsome thing by the Boards of Aldermen and Common Council about to retire into private life, last Friday evening. The banquet, provided by that prince of caterers, Dill of Boston, was given in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, and the tables were handsomely decorated by a profusion of beautiful flowers generously presented by Dea. G. R. Gage, whose enforced absence the banqueters deeply regretted, while the company was a choice one of course. The latter was composed of the following named: Mayor Edward F. Johnson, President of the Council Edward E. Thompson, Aldermen Goddard, Ramsdell, Kenney, Place, Kendall, Linscott, Doherty, Councilmen Beggs, McGowan, Fox, Shaw, Grant, Beggs, Fowle, Thompson, Walsh, Emery. There were also present City Clerk D. F. Moreland and Clerk of Committees Lounsbury. Speeches were made by the Mayor congratulating them upon the harmony which had prevailed. Messrs. Moreland and Lounsbury gave a vocal duet, after which resolutions of thanks were passed for Deacon Gage the Mayor and President Thompson. The party separated after singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The New Government.

At Lyceum Hall, on Monday afternoon, Jan. 5, the new city government of Woburn was duly inaugurated. The retiring government marched over from Municipal Building and took places near the stage of Lyceum Hall. The newly elected Boards were appropriately seated.

Rev. Daniel March, D. D., offered up a prayer.

City Clerk Moreland announced the names of the officers elected, after which the oath of office was administered by Justice P. L. Converse of the Fourth District Court.

Mayor Bean then delivered his inaugural address. [See 1st and 4th pages to this issue of the JOURNAL].

When Mayor Bean had concluded his address which, by the way, appeared to meet with public approval, the new city goverment went direct to the City Hall, where both branches were organized. The Aldermen chose W. Frank Fowle President. Edward Simonds was chosen City Messenger, receiving four votes and Martin Doyle three. Dr. James H. Conway was chosen City Physician, receiving five votes to two for Dr. Blake.

An order was passed making the regular meeting nights on the first and third Thursday of each month.

The Common Council elected B. Frank Waldron of Ward 4 President. Edward H. Lounsbury was chosen Clerk unanimously.

The Aldermen then came in and a joint convention organized with Mayor Bean in the chair.

Vote for City Clerk—Arthur W. Whitcher, 8; David F. Moreland, 10. Mr. Moreland was chosen.

Vote for City Treasurer—Elisha F. Hayward, 4; John C. Buck, 14. Mr. Buck was chosen.

John G. Maguire was chosen Collector of Taxes unanimously.

The convention then dissolved.

The Council received a notice from the Aldermen that that body had chosen Edward Simonds City Messenger and Dr. James H. Conway City Physician. Concurred action was taken.

Two ballots were required for Janitor of City Hall. On the second ballot Mr. Connolly was chosen.

An order was passed, making the regular meetings nights of the Council the first and third Friday of each month. Adjourned to Friday evening next.

Political Science and Soap.

It is often charged that men gain high positions by a liberal use of "soap." If "soap" enough is used a man may make a clean sweep. Of course this is spoken figuratively, yet one can always make a clean sweep if he or she uses Brussels soap, for its mission is to purify and cleanse, and this it does with astounding rapidity and celerity. All who use Brussels soap attest the fact. It's economical.

Meeting of School Board.

Last Monday evening the School Committee of 1891 met at the regular headquarters of the Board and organized by the choice of William F. Kenney, Chairman; Henry E. Smith, Auditor; and Frank B. Richardson, Secretary.

Mrs. Jennie K. Adams, Frank F. Dodge and Supt. Richardson were appointed a committee on appropriations to report to the City Council.

The matter of the confusion caused by the similarity of the "no school" signal of the Woburn and Stoneham gongs was referred to the Superintendent. Mr. W. F. Kenney, the newly elected Chairman of the School Board, has been a member of the committee six years. For the past three years he has been chairman of the Evening School committee. Mr. Kenney is day editor of The *Boston Globe*.

Dr. Greene's Free Lecture.

The name of Dr. Greene, 34 Temple Place, Boston, has become a familiar one to the sick and well throughout the United States, and many, whose vitality was swiftly and surely leaving them, now testify to the value of Dr. Greene's Nervura and other wonderful remedies. We have the pleasure of announcing that Dr. Greene will give a series of free lectures every evening next week except Saturday in Lyceum Hall. The lectures will be finely illustrated by the stereopticon and always draw crowded audiences. Admission is entirely free.

It is easier to slake the thirst of a bottomless barrel than to get along without Brussels soap.

Woman's Club.

On Friday, Jan 2, Mrs. Erving Winslow read to the Woburn Woman's Club from Ibsen's "Doll's House."

Mrs. Winslow is a woman of fine appearance and pleasing manners, and her cultivated and well modulated voice is well fitted to render the diverse characters of this celebrated play.

Her delineation of the characters of Nora and Christina was especially good, and one was forced to admire in the character of Nora the many strong and lovable points, and to forgive the mistaken acts of this imperfectly educated woman—acts founded on love and a spirit of self sacrifice.

Mrs. Winslow's voice is capable of expressing sorrow and deep feeling, yet can also express flippancy and coquetry. The face, now lit up with joy, now full of mischief, her eyes dancing with fun, or filled with tears, and again shadowed by fear, or saddened by grief, was an interesting study.

The different types of men: the masterful, selfishly weak, and unwisely indulgent husband; the grim, unscrupulous lawyer; the suffering and erring doctor; were as well rendered as were the characters of the women.

The two hours and more spent in listening to the charming reader sped all too quickly, and the tale was too soon told.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Concert Hall on Friday, Jan. 16, 1891. Reception at 6.30. Supper at 7.30. It will be the Annual Social and Supper and there will be a musical and literary entertainment.

Full particulars will be sent to the members as soon as possible.—G. M. B.

If Your House is on Fire

You put water on the burning timbers, not on the smoke. And if you have catarrh you should attack the disease in the blood, not in your nose. Remove the impure cause, and the local effect subsides. To do this, take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier, which radically and permanently cures catarrh. It also strengthens the nerves. Be sure to get only Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Religious Announcement.

EDITOR OF JOURNAL:—At the request of many Protestants and Catholics I am going to preach five sermons on the five principal points on which Protestants and Catholics differ. This is to be done in the spirit of Christ without any abuse whatever.

They will be delivered the following Sabbath evenings:

Jan. 11. Purgatory.
Jan. 25. Worship of the Virgin Mary and the Saints.
Feb. 1. Confession and Absolution.
Feb. 8. Transubstantiation.
Feb. 15. The influence of Romanism on Morals.

HUGH MONTGOMERY,
Pastor M. E. Church.

Jan. 7, 1891.

Highly Complimentary.

Mr. William H. Smith, the Real Estate Agent, of 162 Salem street, Woburn, fell on the ice a few weeks ago and very badly sprained his right arm, necessitating his wearing it in a sling several weeks. Mr. Smith has for a number of years held a policy in the "U. S. Mutual Accident Association of New York and Boston" and as soon as his injury would permit he presented his case before Messrs. Bishop & Robinson, General Agents, at the Boston office in the Equitable Building, which promptly met with their attention, and at the expiration of three weeks from the time of the injury Mr. Smith received the tidy sum of seventy-five dollars.

MORAL.—Keep insured. Messrs. Bishop & Robinson, Equitable Building, Boston, are the right one to insure with.

Allow me to add my tribute to the efficacy of Ely's Cream Balm. I was suffering from a severe attack of influenza and catarrh and was induced to try your remedy. The result was marvelous. I could hardly articulate, and in less than twenty-four hours the catarrhal symtoms and my hoarseness disappeared and I was able to sing a heavy role in Grand Opera with voice unimpaired. I strongly recommend it to all singers.—Wm. H. Hamilton, Leading Basso of the C. D. Hess Grand Opera Co.

Statement

Of the condition of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank at the close of business, December 31, 1890:

RESOURCES.

Loans on Real Estate,	$603,165 00
" " Personal Security,	177,255 00
" to Cities and Towns,	22,188 42
Public Funds,	18,500 00
National Bank Stock,	218,210 00
Real Estate,	55,000 00
Real Estate by foreclosure,	700 00
Railroad Bonds,	53,700 00
Loans to Banks,	22,587 10
Safe, Furniture and Fixtures,	4,872 00
Cash on hand,	1,184 53
	$1,197,362 05

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors,	$1,148,354 98
Guarantee Fund,	19,843 31
Profit and Loss,	29,163 76
	$1,197,362 05

Number of accounts open, 4,726.

A semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. was declared payable on and after January 17, 1891.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, Jan. 8, 1891.

A Lecture.

Mrs. Choate's lecture on Christian Science healing Saturday afternoon was a clear and concise statement of the power of mind. In a very simple, easy manner she showed that this is not the "stuff dreams are made of" but a great, helpful reality.

Saturday next she will continue the thought with "Psyco-Physical Culture" as her subject, and we are sure of practical suggestions and explanations.

Surely there is "nothing new under the sun" that does not deserve a candid and patient hearing Let all hear and know. Mrs. Choate is giving a course of 3 P. M. Sunday afternoon lectures in The Woman's Journal parlors No. 3, Park street, Boston, to appreciative audiences. Free to all.—X.

Y. M. C. A.

The Junior Departments of the Massachusettts and Rhode Island Young Men's Christian Associations will hold a Conference at Everett, Mass., the 28th of this month.

Addresses will be made by prominent men. Papers upon several phases of boys work as done in Associations will be given by boys.

This is the first Conference of the kind ever held in the State, and it is expected that it will be an inspiring gathering.

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[For the Woburn Journal.]

The Coming Poultry Show.

The Woburn Fanciers Club, composed of gentlemen interested in the breeding of Thoroughbred Fowls, will hold an exhibition at Lyceum Hall on the 21st, 22d and 23d of Jan., 1891, and it promises to be a success so far as numbers and quality of birds entered can contribute to that end. The premiums offered are liberal, and the arrangements for the care and display of the entries are such as to insure to every exhibitor a fair chance among his competitors.

The Society has made a new departure from the old established customs, in that they have included a class of cross-bred, or general utility, fowls. It is well known that many in our community are interested in crossing two families of thoroughbreds, believing they get better results in eggs, poultry, and a hardy race, than by close inbreeding. To all such here is offered an opportunity to show what skilful mating of two pure breeds will produce. This class must not be confounded with an exhibition of Mongrels. In order to be eligible to entry in this class the birds must have been produced by the crossing of two different families of pure breeds: for instance, the Bramah with the Leghorn, the Plymouth Rock with the Game, or any other cross of strictly pure bred varieties, and it must be the first outcross of such unions. It is believed this feature will interest breeders and the public generally.

There will, however, be no lack of interest in the strictly thoroughbreds.

Already entries have been made by many of the largest and most successful breeders of light Bramahs, D. K. Bramahs, Partridge, Cochins, Brown Leghorns, White Leghorns, Plymouth Rocks, Houdans, Wyandottes, Games, Hamburgs, Bantams, Pigeons, &c. to insure one of the finest exhibitions of choice bred birds ever shown in New England.

This being a home Club composed largely of Woburn breeders and fanciers they look to the people of Woburn and vicinity to sustain them in this, their first, venture as exhibitors, believing all will be amply repaid for the time and money expended by the variety and excellence of the attractions offered. This exhibition will not only interest those already engaged in breeding, but the whole community will find it an interesting study. It will be attractive to many children, and parents having boys of the right age cannot do better than to encourage them to keep and care for a flock of chickens or pigeons: it keeps them employed and out of idleness; teaches them habits of industry and application to business; and no one who has facilities for keeping them and manages judiciously but can make it profitable.

It is hoped this first exhibition of the W. F. C. will be so well sustained as to insure its becoming one of the permanent annual shows of Woburn. Other places much smaller have maintained them for years.

Let us see what our young city can do.

A MEMBER OF W. F. C.

To Nervous Debilitated Men.

If you will send your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances on a trial. Pamphlet free.

VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

[For the Woburn Journal].

Abigail Winn.

Died at North Woburn, Dec. 27, Abigail Winn, widow of the late Col. M. F. Winn, aged 82 years. Mrs. Winn was the oldest daughter of the the late Capt. Stephen Nichols and Mrs. Nabby (Tidd) Nichols, and was born Dec. 21, 1808. On her mother's side, she was a great granddaughter of Sheriff Abijah Thompson, and a descendant from James Thompson, one of the first settlers of Woburn in 1642. Her only child dying in early life, she and her devoted husband lived in a little world of their own, till the husband's death in 1875. During the fifteen years succeeding his death, the bereaved and broken hearted widow has lived a life of solitary sorrow in her spacious but deeply overshadowed home. Though once fond of society and often journeying abroad for recreation and pleasure, she has of late rarely left her house even for a call upon her nearest friends. This seclusion doubtless unfavorably affected her health, and the younger portion of the people have not known her as the older class once knew her. But the few remaining friends of former years know that she had many kindly traits of character and often in a noiseless way, has manifested tangible proofs of her thoughtful generosity. What ever may be the destiny of her Will as affected by legal technicalities, it certainly reveals kindly intentions on her part towards objects of which many would not have even thought. Her liberal bequest to the Home for Aged Women is one which bespeaks a thoughtfulness which we may well wish were often imitated. Her kind remembrance of the Rumford Historical Association is thankfully appreciated. Though that Association has had an existence since 1877, and has accomplished much more in its line of work than its original members dared to hope, it has never, during these thirteen years, received a dollar from any bequest. There are some people left who know that Mrs. Winn was not the selfish recluse that, to the stirring throngs of passers-by, she may have seemed. She had a heart beneath her sable attire, and some who knew her in her brighter days, as they have passed and repassed in recent years her silent and darkened home, have felt, if they have not expressed the ejaculation, "God bless the stricken and childless widow within."—LONG AGO.

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First Church Statistics—1890.

Funerals attended by the Pastor,	37
Marriages attended by the Pastor,	17
Church Members died,	14
Average Age,	69
Received to the Church,	18
Sunday School Officers,	13
Teachers,	58
Scholars,	651
Average Attendance,	440
Parish Expenses,	$4,700

BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS.

Monthly Concert Collections,	$522 06
Home Missions,	225 23
Foreign Missions,	200 00
Congregational Union,	90 00
Peace Society,	25 75
Maplewood Church,	89 40
Church Assessment,	179 50
Church Poor,	51 17
Scandinavian Church,	1,091 00
Christian Association,	780 00
Methodist Church,	270 00
By Charitable Society,	211 06
By Social Benevolent Society,	205 03
By Sunday School,	821 76
By Ladies Missionary Society,	100 00
By Christian Endeavor,	124 66
By Mission Club,	57 00
Total contributions,	$5,043 62

The above facts were communicated to the congregation by Dr. March, the pastor, at the close of the religious services on last Sunday morning. The total of benevolent contributions shows that the church was very liberal with their money last year.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. Cyrus Richardson, D. D., of Nashua. Young peoples meeting at 6 p. m. At 7 p. m. Dr. Richardson will preach. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Pastor. Subject; "Heaven." Matt. viii, 11, 12; at 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting. At 7 p. m. preaching by Pastor. Subject: by request, "Purgatory." Matt. v, 26. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening Class meeting.

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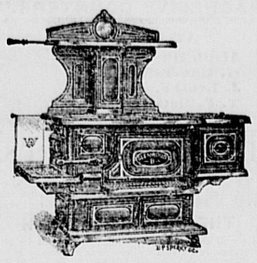

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Woburn Public Library.

The following are the statistics for the year ending Dec. 31, 1890. Whole numbers of books in Library, 27,706; of these 775 have been added during the last year. Number of books given out for home use, 60,958; largest number given out in any one day, 585; smallest number 18, on Tuesday, Aug. 12, Grand Army week in Boston. Of the large numbers of books circulated 51,107 are from the classes of fiction and juveniles. This may seem a very large proportion but when we take into account the great number of children who come daily to the Library, it will not perhaps seem so strange, for the food of a child's mind must be fiction as well as fact and with the number of healthy juvenile books flooding the market our American boys and girls should stand fully equipped for the intellectual battles of life. But when supplied with too lavish a hand a child is tempted to read too much and the mind becomes shrunken from a lack of a vigorous stimulant to excite and expand it. Children should be freely advised against hasty, excessive reading for one book thoroughly digested is better than twenty hurried through and then as quickly forgotten. Our minds grow by what they feed upon; the more stimulating and the more elevating material we supply them with the stronger they will become and as the development arrived at through this means of education will sooner or later impress its stamp upon the thought, energy, and action of the coming generations so it becomes the guardians of the young to give all possible help and attention to those under their care.

Just now the "Journal of Sir Walter Scott" is creating much interest. It is edited by his great granddaughter, Mrs. Mary Maxwell Scott. Miss Mary Scott married the Hon. Joseph Maxwell and by a special act was allowed to take his wife's name and thus the family of Scott was saved from extinction. Sir Walter began this journal in 1825. The volume was provided with a lock and Sir Walter continued the practice of writing almost without intermission until 1832 a few months before his death. His first appearance as a writer without a name made a new epoch in the literature of fiction and before his light all others paled. The impulse which Scott's works gave to literature, and the interest they awakened, excited all thinking minds to new energy and prose fiction became so abundant that it is difficult even to take a brief few of the distinguished novelists in England and France who were his contemporaries or successors. A clear knowledge of the great writer is gained from his Journal and no one who reads it will fail to appreciate his great fund of information. He was the brightest and most pleasant of companions; "The wealthy courted him and the poor blessed him."

Mr. Froude portrays for us in his Life of Lord Beaconsfield the several stages of his career when as a writer in his early life the literary world acknowledged that a new star had appeared, and he became a London lion. As a Member of Parliament he met Peel and Canning in debate and then after a few years of changing scenes the author of Vivian, Tancred and Lothair became Prime Minister to the Queen. The author says Disraeli achieved no marked success for his country. He won his way by parliamentary ability and by a determined resolution to succeed. His chief motive was ambition. He started as a soldier of fortune and he won all that his ambition deemed was worth the winning. His vanity was satisfied with garters and peerages. He was English only by adoption, and he never completely identified himself with the Country which he ruled.

"Richard Henry Dana," a biography by Charles Francis Adams. Mr. Dana is well known to our readers as the author of "Two Years before the Mast," a member of the Boston bar, a prominent political leader and intimately acquainted with distinguished men of his time in this country and Europe. The work, in two volumes, gives views of many illustrious persons and sketches of many important events.

"Higher Education of Women in Europe" by Helen Lange is one of a series of educational works. This somewhat special work is printed because of its interest to English-speaking nations which have advanced beyond the first steps and engaged actively in establishing institutions of various characters for the higher education of women. In this matter of female education the Editor says we may behold reflected as in a mirror the entire movement in all countries and see all of its stages from the imitation on to the most advanced line of progress.

"The History of Greek Literature" by Thomas Sargeant Perry is a large and richly illustrated volume, which gives an admirable abstract of this important subject, and the reader can find no other volume in the language which gives so good a view of Grecian learning. A hundred pages are given to Homer, a hundred to Æschylus and Sophocles, and nearly a hundred to Herodotus, Socrates, Plato and Aristotle. The book is not so much adapted to classical students as to the general reader or one who has no definite knowledge of the subject.—E. F. H.

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An Interesting Will Case.

On the first of last November Mrs. Celende T. Dow, of Woburn, widow of Stephen Dow, and daughter of the late Abijah Thompson, died, leaving a will which bequeathed the bulk of her estate to two of her sons and cut off the rest of her children and grandchildren with amounts ranging from $50 to $1,000. Two codicils to the will on account of an increase in her property increased the latter bequests, but did not materially alter the body of the will. The case was brought up in the Probate Court, Judge Brooks presiding, Tuesday morning, and undue influence was alleged as the cause for the hearing. Because of the absence of some important witnesses the case was postponed until January 12. Aside from the large amount of property involved in the case, a great deal of interest is taken in it because of the array of legal talent employed, Messrs. Strout, Coolidge and John Warren Johnson representing the children of the late Stephen Henry Dow, son of the testatrix, and Emma T. Dow, their guardian, Alfred A. Dow and Edward A. Dow. The executors are represented by Ex-Governor John D. Long and Alfred Hemenway; Charles D. Adams representing Mrs. Ellen T. Ellis, and Messrs. Marshall, Hamblet and Burke the five Pickering children, grandchildren of the testatrix.—*Cambridge Chronicle.*

M. T. Allen, Esq., of this city is also of counsel for the executors although for some technical reasons his name does not appear on the Court docket. The hearing on the case is to be resumed on next Monday at East Cambridge.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

A Leaf from the Past.

The subject of the following correspondence was a leaf from the book of accounts kept by the Treasurer of the Woburn Young Men's Christian Association in 1869—22 years ago. Mr. W. H. Holmes General Secretary of the Topeka, Kansas, Y. M. C. A. The correspondence explains itself, while the leaf will be kept by the Woburn Y. M. C. A. as a memento of other days:

TOPEKA, Dec. 17, '90.

MR. HOMES:—This is a leaf from the Treasurer's book of the Woburn, Mass., Y. M. C. A. of 30 years ago. I was Treasurer of the Association at the time, but we failed to keep the Association alive.

Yours,

(signed) JAS. F. GRIFFIN.

TOPEKA, KANS., Dec. 17th, 1890.

J. P. BAILEY, Gen'l. Sec'y. Y. M. C. A. Woburn, Mass.

DEAR SIR:—Our Treasurer, Mr. James F. Griffin, was in the office this morning and showed me the enclosed leaf as a curiosity.

I prevailed on him to let me have it. Thought you might like to see it yourself. It is yours Enc.

Yours truly,

(signed) W. H. HOLMES.

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Reference to the announcement in another column of IVERS & POND will be of interest to all who desire what is almost as indispensable as a sewing machine, a good piano; as the terms on which they supply one of their noted instruments, are such that all can be accommodated.

While excavating for the foundation of a new opera house in Atlanta, Ga., last week, workmen found a live snake "six feet below the surface." It was an ugly, poisonous moccasin, nearly five feet long, and fought hard until killed.

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North Woburn.

A sociable will take place at the Congregational church tonight.

Mrs. L. K. Tidd and her son, Mr. A. W. Tidd, have been visiting friends in Malden.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 31, friends of Miss Bertha Richardson gave her a very pleasant surprise party at her home.

The will of Mrs. Abigail Winn gives general satisfaction throughout the village, where her kind deeds will never be forgotten.

The annual meeting and the monthly sociable of the Unitarian Society was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Linscott on last Wednesday evening.

The Whist Clubs had a jollification at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bond on Saturday evening, Jan. 3, which was the tenth anniversary of their wedding. An elaborate supper was served and music both instrumental and vocal helped to enliven the occasion, nor did the guests forget to bring a good supply of tin ware even to tin horns.

On New Years Eve Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bond entertained the two Whist Clubs of this village. Mrs. Bond served a very fine collation which was given a most hearty reception by the players. The evening was made exceedingly pleasant by the genial host and hostess who put so much life and jollity into the occasion that the old year was played out and the new year in before the party broke up.

Rheumatism.

Our daughter had the rheumatism so severe that she was helpless for months. We were induced through our uncle, James McFarland, of this place, to give Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y., a trial. In a short time she began to improve, slept well, and soon recovered from all effects of the dread disease.—L. M. Sanford, No. 315 Fifth street, Des Moines, Iowa.

Burlington.

The name of Ruth Wilson is an honored and familiar name in Burlington. Many of our people remember her and those who do not are accustomed to hear our citizens frequently speak of her generosity to the town and the church. Born in Burlington in 1782, she led a quiet and unassuming life and probably no one ever thought of her as a woman who was to be a public benefactor. In her youth, like many country girls of that day, she went to the city and spent some years in domestic service and working in a factory. Her earning were carefully saved and invested for her by her employer and formed the basis of a snug little fortune.

After several years she went back to Burlington and lived in the home of her father, leading a retired life, yet contented and happy in her sphere of duty, enjoying the love and respect of her friends and neighbors in her native town. Just before her death, which occurred when she was eighty-nine years old, she sent for one of her valued friends and unfolded to him her plans for the public good. After leaving her real estate and some other property to her relatives she gave to the town a fund to keep in good condition the burying ground of our forefathers, and to the church a fund for the support of preaching. The original sum invested she returned to the heirs of her employer by whom it was sent to the "Girls' Home" at Constantinople. During the past week a tablet to her memory has been placed in the meeting-house. It bears the following inscription:

This tablet is placed here in memory of
RUTH WILSON,
A native of Burlington,
Who, at the close of her long life, gave to the Church, from the earnings of her youth, a fund for the support of the Gospel.
1782—1871.
"Let her own works praise her in the gates."—Prov. 31:31.

The tablet is made of pure white marble and was procured from Everson & Co., Rutland, Vt., through their popular agent, Mr. J. M. Portal.

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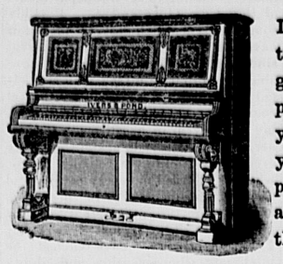

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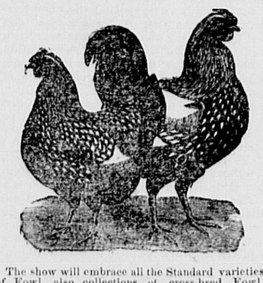

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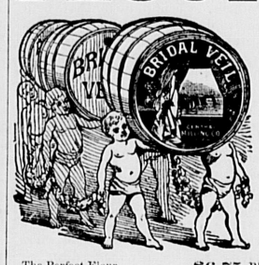

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abigail Winn, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Parker L. Converse and Leonard Thompson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of David G. Converse, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate by Oliver P. Bryant of said Woburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of January instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLETEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Ella G. Richardson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Theodore M. Parker, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of January instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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LESSON II, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 11.

Text of the Lesson, I Kings xii, 25-33. Commit Verses, 28-30—Golden Text, Ex. xx, 4—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

25. "Then Jeroboam built Shechem in Mount Ephraim and dwelt therein."

Rehoboam having been warned by Shemiah, the man of God, not to go against the revolting tribes to subdue them, returned home with his army and contented himself to be king of Judah only, according to the word of the Lord (vs. 22-24). Thus the twelve tribes became two nations, not to be united again till the coming of the son of David in power and glory (Ezek. xxxvii, 21-28). Shechem became for a time the capital of the kingdom of the ten tribes.

"And went out from thence and built Penuel."

Here the angel of the Lord wrestled with Jacob and changed his name to Israel. Jacob called the name of the place Penuel (the Face of God), for, said he, I have seen God face to face, and my life is preserved (Gen. xxxii, 28, 30). Jeroboam's building these places may be explained by the fact that in the days of the Judges they had been destroyed (Judg. viii, 17; ix, 45).

26. "And Jeroboam said in his heart, Now shall the kingdom return to the house of David."

He evidently did not know in his heart anything of the meaning of either Shechem (shoulder) or Penuel (the face of God). His heart had not received the precious promise of Deut. xxxiii, 12, nor did he know Him of whom it is written "the government shall be upon His shoulder."

27. "If this people go up to do sacrifice in the house of the Lord at Jerusalem, then shall the heart of this people turn again unto their Lord, unto Rehoboam, king of Judah, etc."

There is no gratitude to God in this, nor any confidence in Him, but there is a thought of direct disobedience; for Jeroboam knew that God had commanded that sacrifice should be offered only in the city and at the place which he had chosen (Deut, xii, 5, 14).

28. "Whereupon the king took counsel and made two calves of gold."

It was not the counsel of God, it must have been the counsel of the ungodly. He must have known the story of the golden calf in the wilderness and of the thousands who fell because of that sin; but if any one had reminded him of that, and had suggested that his present course was a dangerous one, he might have replied: "Oh, that was 500 years ago, and we do not know whether there was any truth in it or not; that is an old story and perhaps only a tradition. Then look at those idol groves and high places on Olivet which the great Solomon built for his wives, and where they worshiped also (I Kings xi, 5-8), and yet he prospered and died peacefully."

"It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem; behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt."

He talked like the devil in the garden of Eden when he suggested to Eve that God demanded too much when he told them not to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, or when he suggested to Achan that it was too much self denial not to take that garment and that gold, or when he suggested to Jesus through Simon that it was too much to think of dying at Jerusalem.

29. "And he set the one in Bethel, and the other put he in Dan."

What a desecrator of holy places! Bethel (house of God), where God gave to Jacob such a glorious vision of heavenly things and such promises for the future (Gen. xxviii, 11-19); where God set up a ladder that reached to heaven and Jacob dedicated a pillar to God, here this rebel sets up an idol and establishes idolatry.

30. "And this thing became a sin."

Not only a sin against God, but a sin against himself and all his house to cut it off, and to destroy it from off the face of the earth (xiii, 34). He that sinneth against God wrongeth his own soul, and all they that hate Him love death (Prov. viii, 36). Moses, when speaking to Israel of the calf which Aaron made, said, "I took your sin, the calf which ye had made, and burnt it with fire (Deut. ix, 21).

"The people went to worship before the one, even unto Dan."

It would be such worship as Cain offered, the worship of disobedience, and therefore hateful to God. They were breaking the first and second commandments of the law, besides all the other commands which God had given concerning the only place of worship. There is no particular place now where we are to worship God, but as Jesus taught the woman of Samaria, God seeketh true worshipers who will worship Him in spirit and in truth.

31. "And he made an house of high places, and made priests of the lowest of the people which were not of the sons of Levi."

Notwithstanding the command, "Thou shalt give the Levites unto Aaron, and to his sons, * * * and the stranger that cometh nigh shall be put to death" (Num. iii, 9, 10), this man takes any one and sets him apart as a priest. It is not enough to despise the only true God, the God of Israel, and the Holy City, and the Temple, the only appointed place of sacrifice, but he also despises God's chosen priesthood and sets up one of his own. We do not need to seek far, even in our own day, for a man made priesthood, many of whom, to judge by their conduct, are among the lowest of the people, and if they do not worship golden calves they certainly do worship golden eagles. Nor need we step outside the Protestant church, nor even enter the Episcopal church, to find them, for they may be found in all.

32. "And Jeroboam ordained a feast * * * like unto the feast that is in Judah, and he offered upon the altar.

Moses did not ordain feasts; everything connected with the tabernacle and temple, and worship and feasts was appointed by God; but this man takes the place of God and imitates God. He reminds us of one described in II Thess. ii, 4, "who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshiped; so that he, as God, sitteth in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God." God had appointed that on the seventh month and tenth day of the month Israel should fast, and afflict their souls, and by appropriate sacrifices such as He ordained keep the great day of atonement, the high priest on only that one day in all the year going into the holy of holies to sprinkle the blood upon the mercy seat. Then on the fifteenth day they were to keep the feast of tabernacles. But this man knows better than God; he has no day for atonement, but on the fifteenth day of the eighth month he will have a feast and sacrifices.

"Sacrificing unto the calves that he had made, and he placed in Bethel the priests of the high places which he had made."

God was the architect of tabernacle and temple, but these places of worship were made by this man, to whom God had been so kind, and who was now so vigorously setting himself and his people against God.

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr. Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

The spire of a church at Middletown, Pa., that was bent by a storm in 1826 was straightened out by the recent gale.

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I renew the recommendation made by the Mayor last year, that the City Council consider the advisablity of asking for an amendment to the Charter of the City providing for the appointment of a Board of three Sewerage Commissioners, who shall have ample powers to deal with all matters relating to the subject.

WATER WORKS.

A new conduit from the pumping station to the reservoir which has for some time been advocated by the officers of the department has been put in during the latter part of the past year, and water has been pumped into the reservoir through it for about three weeks. The estimated expense of the improvement was $6,000, and a loan for that sum was effected. The expenses have however, not reached that limit and a balance of about $800 remains unexpended. The new system is working to the perfect satisfaction of the officials. There has not yet been an opportunity to observe what effect the change will have on the quality of the water, particularly with reference to the growth of algæ in the reservoir. Another summer will demonstrate whether this difficulty has been obviated. It is apparent *now* that the water is clearer than before. Water has hitherto been pumped directly into the mains or into the reservoir through the same main in which, when the pumps were not working it flowed to the city. By this method little opportunity was furnished for circulation in the reservoir and the water remained comparatively stagnant in upper or westerly end. The outlet of the new supply pipe is near this upper end through a standpipe at about high water mark. The water in the reservoir is therefore constantly in circulation.

It will not be necessary to pump directly into the street mains hereafter except when the reservoir is undergoing repairs, and as the pumps are working under a uniform pressure they run much smoother than before and work to their full stroke with safety. There is no longer danger of strain and sudden shock upon the pumps and water pipes which was liable to occur at any time under the old system. The main through which the pumping is done and that supplying the city are distinct and any break or sudden escape of water through a hydrant will have no effect in the pumping station. The water mains are relieved of the constant hammering to which they have been subjected and fewer breaks in them may now be anticipated. These advantages are very important and unquestionable and alone justify I think, the work which has been done. I recommend to you and to the citizens generally an inspection of the plans of this improvement as well as the Pumping Station and reservoir.

The Commissioners believe that a lot of land should be purchased near the centre of the city to which the buildings now on Cove street could be removed and such additions made as to afford accommodations for manufacturing water pipe, storage of tools and service construction material and stabling for the horses owned by the department.

There is much to be said in favor of this project, and I recommend the consideration of the subject by you when the Commissioners are ready to present to you the reasons for the improvement and any estimate of the expense.

It give me pleasure to express the favorable opinion which I have formed of the exceptionally judicious and careful manner in which the Water Department is conducted. Its officers appear deeply interested in their work, and take a justifiable pride in the system and its development under their competent direction.

HIGHWAYS.

The public streets are peculiarly open to observation and comment. Defects in them are quickly discovered and promptly commented on. Poor schools or an inefficient fire department are not so soon discovered nor so generally appreciated to be such. I am satisfied as the result of my own observation and inquiry that complaint is made in all cities concerning the streets. Woburn is not an exception in this regard. It would be surprising if complaint were not common in this city, since the amount of money which is possible to set apart for repairs of highways is altogether disproportionate and inadequate to our needs. The streets are not by any means what the citizens would like them to be. I believe they are substantially as good as we can afford to make them.

The appropriation for highways in 1890 was $15,000 and there was an unexpended balance of $646.73. The expenses of the department for the year fall within this aggregate amount. $1000 has been expended for land and in connection with the stone-crusher. I believe that the balance, about $14,000, has been judiciously expended under the direction of the Superintendent of streets. It is impossible with such an appropriation to answer all demands for repairs and to make the streets compare favorably with those of other cities where thousands are spent to our hundreds. Little can be done in the construction of sidewalks or in macadamizing and paving. Our citizens must bear this in mind when passing judgment on our streets.

If you make the same appropriation in this department in the coming year which was made in 1890 it is believed that a more manifest improvement in the streets will be the result as the entire fund can this year be expended directly on the streets. If it is found practicable I shall be glad to see the appropriation increased to a moderate extent and a part of the increase expended in improving the sidewalks. In this regard Woburn should make a decided advance as rapidly as possible. Public sentiment in favor of better sidewalks ought to be stronger than it is. The city now puts in edgestones and lays concrete where abutters are willing to pay one-half the expense. It would add materially to the attractiveness of the city if this were more extensively done, though the city could not respond to a general demand for the work. But there is a lack of uniformity in width and grade of sidewalks, and as far as possible I recommend the establishment of grades and the construction of sidewalks. Regular though slow progress in this work will in a few years lead to marked improvement.

A permanent loan would have to be made if the streets are to be generally graded and paved or macadamized and sidewalks and cross walks built. This course is sometimes advocated but I doubt if the citizens would generally approve the plain or willingly acquiesce in the establishment of a system of street improvements which called upon real estate owners in general to share in the expense of sidewalk construction as is the custom in other cities.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The appropriation for the Fire Department in 1890 was $10,000. The expenses have been kept within the total of this amount and $1346.93, the unexpended balance of 1889. There will be no unusual demand from the department for funds in the coming year and the same appropriation with the unexpended balance and receipts will probably be sufficient for its needs.

The basis of organization of the department remains the same as a year ago.

Two tests, one of which was made without the slightest knowledge on the part of any member of the department that it was to occur have recently demonstrated that the several companies respond with promptness and speed to calls as well as that, while there is a natural rivalry among them, yet all are united and interested in the important work which they must stand ready to perform. Woburn has been fortunate for many years in escaping disastrous conflagrations. Many incipient fires which unchecked would have brought disaster, have been extinguished by the department. The experience of other communities like ours plainly shows, however, that the Fire Department must be kept momentarily ready for a serious emergency. The citizens take pride in an efficient fire force and proper apparatus. The Woburn Department has not had a severe test of its ability to subdue and control a fire, but I am confident that it will give excellent account of itself when the occasion arises.

POLICE.

The Police Force consists at present of a Chief, seven regular officers and six special officers, the latter of whom are paid by the hour when on duty. I have had no opportunity to familiarize myself with the operation of this department or to become acquainted with the men. It is possible that my observations hereafter lead me to recommend some changes. Those who are to patrol our streets as the guardians of persons and property, to prevent or quell disturbances and to enforce the liquor laws, should be men of courage, discretion and integrity. They should be men who will not be deterred by threats or influenced by bribes to neglect their duty, who by their deportment cultivate a wholesome respect for law, who are well disciplined and promptly obedient to the orders of their superiors. There is every incentive for an officer to properly conduct himself and to contribute by his own law-abiding and decorous behavior to the maintenance of law. For under our charter as well as the Laws of the Commonwealth the members of the Police Force hold their positions "during good behavior and until removed by the Mayor with the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, after hearing for cause in their opinion sufficient." I apprehend that an officer may often find himself in trying and difficult situations and for that reason as well as others he should be a man of good judgment, determination and force of character.

An officer of the force who does his duty manfully should be upheld and all the officers should understand that they are not to protect or favor anyone or wink at the violation of laws anywhere. This is and will be my attitude toward the police. If I have reason to believe an officer is guilty of conduct requiring investigation or calling for discipline or removal, I shall take action without delay. If occasion arises to appoint new members to the force the appointments will be made after careful investigation as to the fitness of the candidate for the position.

The citizens of Woburn by a decided majority voted at the last election in favor of licensing the sale of intoxicating liquors for the year beginning May 1, 1891. The Aldermen will be called upon to grant thirteen licenses before that date. I hope this difficult duty will be discharged judiciously. The licensees well know that the conditions under which they are allowed to engage in the liquor traffic are distinct and stringent and must be given to understand that the known violation of these conditions will bring about a revocation of the license. The police force has an important work to perform in connection with the restraint of liquor selling within lawful bounds. They will be directed to impartially enforce the law both in stopping as far as possible unlicensed sales and in holding those who are licensed in all cases to the terms under which they are granted the right to sell.

PUBLIC PARK.

The land which has been purchased for a Public Park is considered to be well situated and well adapted for the intended purpose. The citizens of Woburn by a large majority accepted the Provisions of the Park Act and the Board of Park Commissioners appointed in consequence of the public expression of opinion recommended the lot which has been purchased. Woburn's limited financial ability will prevent any rapid development of the Park. I should favor the appropriation of a limited amount if the Commissioners ask for it, to be expended in beginning the work of improvement.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Public Library which is the pride of the citizens of Woburn and the object of admiration by our visitors makes but slight demand for public support. It gives much and demands but little. I only refer to the subject for the purpose of expressing the hope that the eminently high character which the Board of Trustees now sustain in in its membership may be continued by the selections which shall be made in this and succeeding years. It is gratifying to know that the Library is coming to be more extensively consulted and employed for purposes of study and and research, and that a more intelligent use of its contents is apparent from year to year.

ARMORY.

An agreement binding on the city has been entered into for the purchase of a lot of land from the Winn estate in the rear of the High Schoolhouse on which to erect an Armory. The Committee who negotiated the purchase were led to make this selection, aside from the availability of the site, in order that a proper place for drilling by the High School Battalion might be provided near the schoolhouse, thus supplying better accommodation and at the same time removing the exercise from the High School Hall. It is expected that before long the City will be called upon to borrow enough money to pay for the land and the Armory to be erected on it. No plans for the Armory have as yet been prepared and its cost is not estimated. The City is by law required to furnish the militia suitable accommodations. The building now occupied is not large enough for the Company and it is needed for other purposes to which its adapted. I therefore recommend action by you which shall provide for the erection of the new Armory. When this is completed and occupied it will be probable and apparently advisable to transfer the Middlesex Fourth District Court and the Police Headquarters to the present Armory, thus relieving City Hall and making room for some departments and officials not suitably accommodated.

ALMSHOUSE AND OUTSIDE RELIEF.

The number of inmates of the Almshouse is not as large at present as it generally is at this season of the year. The management of the institution deserves the warmest praise. The unfortunates within its walls are provided with all that is necessary to make them comfortably. The buildings and premises are kept scrupulously clean under the direction of the Superintendent and Matron who are most worthy and faithful officials.

The Overseers of the Poor have a delicate and difficult work to perform. To distinguish deserving calls for help from others, to lead those to whom help is given to do what they can to help themselves, to temper firmness with charity and confine generous impulse within the limits of public duty is a hard and ungrateful task. It appears to be discharged at present with patience and discretion. The demand upon the department has lately increased and it is probable that the appropriation for 1891 will need to be larger than in 1890 when it was $3,750.

The charges upon us for pauper insane at the several State asylums are very heavy and the number of these unfortunates is steadily increasing.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

The 250th, anniversary of the incorporation of Woburn occurs Oct. 7, 1892. On that date in 1642 the public Act of incorporation of the town of Woburn was passed. I regard it as eminently fitting that the completion of this rounded period of the corporate existence of Woburn should be appropriately observed. I am inclined to go farther and express the opinion that it is incumbent on the citizens and the city to provide for such a celebration. I think it will be of material advantage to the community if the observance is carried out on a scale befitting its importance and significance. Woburn is one of the historic towns of the Commonwealth. Her history goes back to the earliest period of the Colonies. Her revolutionary record is a proud one and her territory is historic ground. If Woburn's patriots were not actually in the track of the famous ride of Paul Revere and were not actually roused by him to help repel the invaders, they were quick to respond to the call when it reached their ears. They were on hand at Lexington and Concord Bridge and fought where

"The embattled farmers bravely stood
And fired the shot heard round the world."

The occasion comes to us in the slow march of time. We have not to seek it and no one can question our right and duty to embrace it. No trivial or doubtful incident or fancied anniversary date is the foundation for the observance.

Considerable inquiry has satisfied me that the past and present citizens of Woburn generally desire a fitting observance of the occasion. Other cities and towns of the Commonwealth have already celebrated like anniversaries with exercises which have called together their sons and daughters in grand reunions and entertained them with civic and military parades and public orations, poems and banquets. The effort has in every case been to awaken local pride, stimulate local business, and promote general good feeling and good will.

While speaking to the City Council, I would also reach the Woburn public. It is desirable that the initial steps in this undertaking should be taken by the citizens. Though not a son of Woburn by birth or ancestry, I desire as a citizen who has made this his home, to urge that local organizations for historic or other purposes and individual citizens by petition or otherwise, indicate to you and each other their sentiments on the subject.

If the celebration is to take place the City Council should take steps to secure during the coming session of the General Court, the passage of an Act authorizing the appropriation of a proper sum to defray expenses. I recommend that this be done.

WOBURN RECORDS.

The records of births and of deaths in Woburn down to 1873 which has been completed under the direction of Mayor Johnson, has been printed in connection with the City Report for 1890. A similar record of marriages covering the same period is completed. I think it should be included in the printed City Report for 1891, and recommend action by you to secure this. These records are invaluable. The compilation of them has involved long and patient work and while it has been voluntarily undertaken and prosecuted, it deserves recognition and its results should be placed in permanent form.

In the opinion of those eminently fitted to speak on the subject, Woburn's town records are unusually complete and valuable. As soon as possible they should be transcribed and indexed and eventually published. They are now in fire-proof vaults, but unindexed they are practically closed books as far as their value for purposes of reference is concerned, and the oldest of them, which naturally are the most interesting, are rapidly becoming obscured and destroyed by the ravages of time.

CONCLUSION.

I have thus inadequately considered matters relating to several departments of the City Government. Possibly some subjects which deserves attention have not received it. In the interval since the City election I have not been able to familiarize myself with municipal affairs to such a degree as to feel competent to consider them at the opening of the year in a satisfactory manner. I desire here to acknowledge my great obligation to the retiring Mayor who has afforded me every facility and assisted me materially in preparing myself for the assumption of my duties. I shall be fortunate if hereafter I shall be deemed to have reached the intelligent comprehension and ability to faithfully discharge the manifold duties of the office of Mayor which have characterized his incumbency.

The City Government today installed in office is made up to an unusual degree of men new to their positions.

We need on this account to be specially diligent and careful in our work. I invite and expect your hearty support in every effort to secure and maintain good government and promote the public interests. I shall be happy to have your counsel to the end that there may be intelligent co-operation and mutual understanding between us regarding the policy to be followed and that this policy may contribute to the City's prosperity and secure the citizen's approval.

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$5,000 in Prizes.

386 Prizes to be Given Away by the Canadian Agriculturist—A Splendid Prize List.

The third great Word Competition for the "Canadian Agriculturist and Home Magazine," Canada's great and popular Home and Farm Journal, will close on the 25th of February next. The following magnificent prizes will be given free to the persons sending in the greatest number of words made up out of the letters contained in the two words, "The Agriculturist:"

1st	Prize,	$1,000 in Gold
2nd	"	$500 in Gold
3rd	"	$1,000 Grand Piano
4th	"	$500 Piano
5th	"	$300 Organ
6th	"	Ticket to England and return.
7th	"	Lady's Gold Watch
8th	"	Gent's Gold Watch
9th	"	China Tea S t
10th	"	Hunting Case Silver Watch
11th	"	Boy's Silver Watch

25 prizes of $10 each. 50 prizes of $5 each. 100 prizes of $2 each. 200 prizes of $1 each.

Making a total of 386 prizes, the value of which will aggregate $5,000. This Grand Word-Making Competition is open to everybody, everywhere, subject to the following conditions: The words must be constructed from the two words, "The Agriculturist." The words must be written in ink on one side of the paper only, and numbered in rotation, 1, 2, 3 and so on to the end of the list, for facilitating in deciding the winners. The list containing the largest number of words will be awarded first prize, and so on in the order of merit. Each list as it is received at the office of the "Canadian Agriculturist" will be numbered, and if two or more tie on the largest list, the first received will be awarded the first prize, the next second and so on. Therefore the benefit of sending in early will readily be seen. Each list must be accompanied by $1 for six month's subscription to the "Canadian Agriculturist." One person can send in one or more lists, accompanying each list with $1, for which the paper will be sent to any address for six months. The best family paper in Canada. It is eminently THE paper for the home circle, and at $2 a year is the cheapest and best paper in the market. Remember, you are paying $1 for six month's subscription to one of the best home papers in Canada, and at the same time run a good chance of winning a valuable prize.

The following gentlemen have consented to act as judges, and their decisions will be final: COMMODORE CALCUTT, Proprietor Calcutt's Line of Steamers, Peterborough; A. V. R. Young, United States Consul, Peterborough; D. O. Frye, General Manager Ontario Telephone Company.

The object of the publisher of the "Canadian Agriculturist" in giving away these amounts in cash, is to extend the circulation of the paper, and a number of agents are required in every locality, to whom liberal pay will be offered. Send three cent stamp for full particulars as to clubbing rates, etc. Address, THE CANADIAN AGRICULTURIST, Peterborough, Ont.

Eleven Years In Charge

Of the package department, Boston & Maine Depot, Boston, Mass. Miss Helen Jones says: I was a sufferer from general debility, biliousness and water brash for several years, and life seemed a burden to me. After using almost everything, Sulphur Bitters cured me.

New Zealand has a bank on wheels. On certain days of the week a clerk from one of the Palmerston banks travels up and down the railway line from Palmerston to Otaki, transacting the ordinary business of the bank en route. Laden with a satchel containing his supply of cash, and provided with a teller's usual precautions against danger of robbery, he makes the carriage his headquarters, and there receives visits from customers at the way stations, changing checks or taking deposits as occasion may require. This plan is said to bring a good share of grist to the bank's mill, and proves a great convenience to settlers, who are saved all the trouble of journeying to town to relieve themselves of surplus money or to procure change. This will probably continue until some bold rascal interviews the clerk and cleans out his bank.

A singular story comes from Greenpoint, N. Y. A large mansion in the vicinity took fire, which originated in the main chimney, and the flames were spreading rapidly. A young man ran to the duck pen and secured a number of the largest fowls. Then he took a ladder, and mounting to the top of the house went to the chimney, from which flames and smoke were pouring, and dropped the ducks one after another into the fiery shaft. This had the effect of checking the flames and the fire was subdued.

Deformity from Bright's Disease.

S. D. VanBuskirk, of Demarest, N. J., says: "Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., has cured our daughter of Bright's Disease, after all other means had failed. She was so swollen that she measured 45 inches around the waist, and 18 inches below the knee. To say that we feel thankful for such a boon as Favorite Remedy is but a poor expression."

A ward politician at Pittsburg, Pa., last week, knowing that he must die, expressed a wish that he might die on Friday, so that he could be buried on Sunday, when the "boys" would not lose a day by attending the funeral. And his wish was gratified.

Gold Disliked by Bankers.

"Do you know that gold is the most unwieldy of all the different kinds of money now in circulation?" said a prominent banker.

"Why?" was asked.

"Because it is not bankable without careful scrutiny."

"How is that?"

"Simply this: Take a greenback, a silver certificate, a gold certficate or a national bank note to your bank, and it is received and placed to your credit without a moment's delay. Not so with gold. A few days ago a gentleman brought to our bank upward of $3,000 in gold of different denominations, and was much provoked because we would not receive it forthwith, and give him credit with the amount the face of the coin represented. This we could not do, because the law requires that gold shall be redeemed only at its actual value. Coins carried in the pocket for any length of time naturally lose something in weight by abrasion, probably but a fractional part of a cent on a $10 piece, but it is a loss, nevertheless, and bankers cannot give credit for gold deposits until the coin shall have been weighed."—Indianapolis Journal.

Kindness Unappreciated.

A little boy who did not know what it was to feel the effects of poison ivy one day carried an armful of its autumn tinted leaves to his teacher, and laid them on her desk as a pleasant surprise. That morning she came late to school, and approached her chair just as the head master had finished conducting devotions. She glanced at the offering on her desk, started back, and put her handkerchief to her face.

"Who brought this?" she called, with emphasis.

The little boy rose, proud of receiving public thanks.

"Take it away at once," was the peremptory command. "The smell, the very sight of it, poisons me."

Poor Johnnie, very much depressed, gathered it in his arms, and deposited it in the waste basket.

"Not there," said the teacher; "the janitor might touch it. Go down and put in the furnace."

Then Johnnie, amid the titters of his fellows, took his embarrassed way out of the room. All his pleasant anticipations had been turned to bitterness by the mortifying fact that he had done the wrong thing.—Youth's Companion.

An Actor's Peculiarity.

Each actor may have some peculiar, particular and different difficulty. One finds his voice unmanageable, another his walk, another this, another that. For myself I can perambulate freely enough, and always regret I never learned dancing—stage dancing I mean. My particular "difficulty" is, or rather was, my hands; but I manage them better now. I was once rehearsing a part with a man, a very clever actor, who used his hands exceedingly well, but he had his "difficulty." We were discussing the best way in which he should give me a flower. "Why not do it like this?" said I. "Yes, that is very well," he replied; "but, you see, I shall be there"—pointing to a spot about five feet off on the stage—"and how shall I get to where you are?" "Take a hansom," I jocosely replied, thinking he was in fun; and it was a long time before I came to realize that it was a serious matter to him to stir five feet on the stage unless he had planned out his movements beforehand.—Ellen Terry in Treasure Trove.

Wall Paper Is Cheap.

Wall paper is turned out now at prices that are little less than absurd. Nobody ever thinks of paying the advertised price for wall papers any more than for a piano in these days. An owner who was papering a large up town apartment house recently made up his mind that the paper hanger's estimate was too heavy. He called on an architect with whom he was acquainted, and the two men went to a large wholesale place in Seventh avenue, where he found that he could buy the paper for which he had been charged seventy cents by the paper hanger for thirty-two cents. Then he went to the factory, where the same paper was offered him in quantity at nineteen cents a roll. He subsequently called on his architect friend, who bought the paper in his own name for sixteen cents a roll.—New York Sun.

Thoughts of Animals.

Animals must frequently be surprised at receiving punishment "for their good," when they are innocent of intentional wrongdoing. Puss, in her kitten days, steals a bit of tempting fish from the table, and has her ears boxed. She is a wiser cat from that time, as well as a sadder one at the moment. One can imagine her retreating to the woodshed to think it over after the blow has fallen. Perhaps she bewails her sad fate, and exclaims against its cruelty, as we all do when we have sinned through ignorance and not escaped the penalty. — Youth's Companion.

Samples, Mostly.

Singleton—It's a wonder to me that more women are not robbed when they carry their purses so openly in their hands.

Doubleday—If you were married, and knew what they carry in those purses, you would not make such a remark.—Puck.

Ready for Him.

Arthur Q. Bunco—Where do you live when you are at home, Silas?

Silas Wiley—Ter hum, of course. Where'd yer 'spose?—Life.

A brougham built by an English firm is a model of conveniences. It is fitted with electric light sufficient for reading or writing. Opposite the seat is an ivory plate on which are several buttons properly lettered "Left," "Right," "Stop," "Go On," "Home," and so on. On the dashboard, in the coachman's view, is a case lettered to correspond, so that when a knob is pressed he understands at once what is expected of him. One button brings out the word "Speak," in which case he will put the speaking tube in position and receive orders.

The Poncho Springs in Colorado are all on the side of a mountain, and hot and cold water flows from the ground in places not more than three inches apart.

More than 2000 women of India sent a petition 60 feet in length to Queen Victoria, praying for the increase of the age at which marriage may be legally entered into by women.

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Researches made by geologists are said to show that the diamond mines of South Africa are situated in vents or chimneys varying from 75 to 1500 feet in diameter.

Judge Guerry of Georgia is determined that his court shall be treated with respect. Last week he fined the Solicitor General $2.50 for smoking, and the Sheriff $5 for talking while the court was in session.

The negroes of Terrell county, Ga., are steadily increasing in prosperity and acquiring real estate, for which they have an especial liking. They own some of the best farm lands in the county.

A prehistoric smelting furnace has been discovered near Bibuquerque, New Mexico. Near by a bar of pure silver was found. The furnace had been filled with ore and never fired. It is not larger than a common baker's oven.

Mr. Cheapside—"I thought you said you were going to Mrs. Brick's 5 o'clock tea this afternoon. It's after 5 now." Mrs. Cheapside—"There's no hurry. Her 5 o'clock tea isn't likely to be ready before 7. She's got the girl I used to have."

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FOR BOSTON, 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.15, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37, A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.00, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.29, 9.15, 10.30, P. M. RETURN, 6.05, 6.55, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35, 11.00, A. M., 12.10, 1.07, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 4.45, 5.35, 5.55, 6.15, 6.40, 7.35, 9.00, 10.00, 11.10 P. M.

SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.39, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.41, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M , 6.42 P. M.

WINCHESTER and WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.00, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.30, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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On and after December 1, 1890, cars will run as follows:

WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 5.50, 6.15, s6.45, s7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15, 11.00, s11.35, A. M., s12.45, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, s3.45, s4.45, s5.35, s6.45, 7.15, s7.45, s8.45, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Woburnfor Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, s7.10, s8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10 40, 11.20, A. M., s12 M., s1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, s4.10, 5.10, s6.00, 6.50, s7.10, 7.40, s8.10, s9.10, *9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Symmes' Corner at 7.30, 8.30, A. M., 12.20, 1.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Symmes' Corner for Winchester and Woburn at 7.38, 8.38, A. M., 12.25, 1.38, 4.38, 5.35, 6.25, 7.38, 8.38, 9.38, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.15, 7.45, 8.00, 8.45, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 2.10, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.40, 8.10, 8.20, 9.10, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at s8.15, 9.15, s10.00, s10.45, 11.45, A. M., s12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, s2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, s4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, s6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, s8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at s8.40, 9.40, s10.20, s11.10, A. M., 12.10, s1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, s3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, s5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, s7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, s9.10, 9.40, P. M.

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Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.45, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.45, 6.00, 6.45, 7.00, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.45, 10.00, P. M.

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Leave Woburn at 5.15, *6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 3.30, then every half hour until *6.30, then 7.30 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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51	Cor. Green and Mt. Pleasant Sts.
53	Fowle Street near Highland Station.
56	Main Street, opp. Joseph Buck's
57	Conn Street, Bryant & King's Factory.
61	Main Street opp. Salem Street.
62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
63	Junction Montvale Ave. and Union Street.
65	High Street, McDonald's Lumber Yard.
67	Cor. Main and Kilby Streets.
68	Main Street opp. Catholic Chuach.
69	Cor. Pleasant and Canal Streets.
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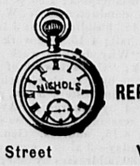

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[Original.]

A VISION.

A form of gentle, youthful grace,
Before the massive gates of pearl,
Now stands, with eager, happy face—
'Tis Gertrude, dear, our gentle girl.

And now the portals slowly swing
Far out—disclosing radiance bright,
The splendor of our Savior King,
The glory of unfading light.

She passes through the gateway grand,
Without a burden or a care,
She joins the bright, immortal band,
And myriads turn to greet her there.

Her eyes but one emotion show,
And that the joy that angels feel;
All sorrow left she, here below;
Distress gave place to joy and weal.

Her spirit sensitive will grieve
No more for thoughtless word or act;
No more will disappointment weave
Its mesh of sorrow in her track.

There in Elysian fields so fair,
She waits for loved ones here on earth,
To come to her—to join her where
No care nor trouble e'er has birth.

The father, dear and well-beloved,
Who, here, his child naught e'er denied,
Who daily found hope, joy and love
All fulfilled, answered, satisfied.

The mother too, so weak and frail,
Lived in her daughter's smiling face.
And watched her grow, and did not fail
To note her winsomeness and grace.

The brother dear, she waits for too,
In distant realms beyond the skies,
Stalwart protector, kind and true,
Type of a love that never dies.

Ah! not for her shed tears, dear friends,
To die is gain—then why this woe?
For her, the joy that never ends
Is won, while we must wait below.

Must linger, till our Father calls
Hence, to meet our darling there,
In spacious mansions, golden halls,
Her home, and ours, eternal fair.

[Original.]

MARGOT.

Margot, of chiefest treasure now bereft,
Has scarce a thought for any trifle left;
She can but count the cost
Of this that she hath lost,
And sighing, says, "Until I find once more
What I have lost I cannot be content."
So, mourning, all her days are spent,
She cannot smile till God her gift restore.

Searching by day and night she soon will learn
That each good thing unto which she will turn
Shall hold some little part
Of this that filled her heart;
And, searching, she shall other treasures gain,
And goodly gifts shall add unto her store,
Till, going where her precious gem has lain,
She holds it as her own forevermore.

—L. P. S. BARNARD.

A PAIR OF NIECES.

"You can't expect me to support you in idleness any longer," said Mrs. Ubsdell, a tall, stout woman with level black brows, very red lips, and a loud voice.

The woman's two young nieces sat by the window, shrinking back as if every word had been a blow. They had been with their aunt a month—just long enough for the grass to become green on their father's grave and the crape trimmings on their frocks to grow a little crumpled and rusty.

"And now," went on the portly dame, "it is time for you to do something for yourselves. I'm not rich you know."

"But we don't know what to do, Aunt Matilda," said Kate.

"We are willing to work if any one would show us how," murmured Ginevra.

"General Livingston wants a governess for his granddaughters, six and seven years old. Music, French and Latin required. You shall take that position, Ginevra," said her aunt.

The taller of the girls changed color.

"I don't know much about music," said she. "Papa taught me Latin; but I'm quite ignorant of French."

"Say you know it," said Mrs. Ubsdell, sharply. "And do the best you can. General Livingston is at home very little. Twenty to one he'll never find it out. At all events, I've told Miss Jenks, the housekeeper, that you will be there to-morrow at nine o'clock to take the situation.

"But Aunt Matilda, wouldn't that be acting a lie?" faltered the girl.

"A lie, indeed!" almost screamed Mrs. Ubsdell, her eyes ablaze with anger. "How dare you use that word to me, Ginevra Hall? As for you, Kate, you are to go as companion to Miss Ramona Ray. She's deaf as a post, and you've got a good clear voice to read aloud to her. She's bad-tempered and exacting; but it's the business of you young people to give way to your elders—and any way you have your living to earn."

The girls looked aghast at each other when Mrs. Ubsdell left the room.

"What shall we do?" asked Kate.

"Obey, I suppose, sighed Ginevra. "It is very evident that we are unwelcome here. Aunt Ubsdell grudges every bit of bread we eat. Oh, Kate, Kate, if we could only have died and been buried with papa!"

"We must do the best we can," said Kate, who was dark, with soft velvety eyes, and skin as fair and fine-grained as a Bermuda lily. "Perhaps this Miss Ray is not so bad as we think. I shall try to be patient."

"And I am to enter the family of an aristocrat under false pretenses!" cried Ginevra. "I hope I shall earn my salary."

Ginevra was as unlike as possible to her dark-haired sister—a rosy, dimpled childish girl, who scarcely looked her seventeen years.

Kate looked at her with tender regret.

"The idea of your being a governess?" exclaimed she.

"Or of your turning lady's companion!" retorted Ginevra. "But I do believe, Kate, we would go as gypsy fortune-tellers, or take situations as scullery-maids, to get out from under Aunt Matilda's eye."

Miss Ramona Ray was rather deaf—there could be no doubt of that. But Kate Hall had a clear, distinct enunciation, and found little trouble in making her hear.

And really, her temper was not so very bad after all.

It was necessary to be very particular in the care of her parrot and the daily bath of her poodle dog, the watering of her plants, and the preparation of the rose-creams and the lily lotions that she used for her venerable complexion. But she conceived a decided fancy for her new companion; took her out in the carriage for her new companion; took her out in the carriage for a daily drive, and told her the whole story of the Mexican officer who had once been engaged to her, and who went away to Chapultepec or some of those four syllabled places, and married a Spanish senora even while Miss Ramona's wedding cake was being baked.

When Miss Ramona told this story to any one, it was a sign of a very high favor indeed.

Miss Ramona had only one relative in the world—a nephew—and he was a naval officer. And, as it happened, he came home on a visit when Kate Hall had been a week with his aunt, bursting into the room at twilight, like a cheerful tornado.

"Well, Aunt Mona," said he. "Here I am. Got your letter at Norfolk What sort of a companion have you got now? Regular old maid, eh? or a widow in dyed bombazine and eyeglasses?"

"Hush, Geoffrey," said Miss Ray. "Kate, my dear, bring candles. This young lady is my companion at present. Miss Hall, allow me to present my nephew, Lieutenant Rossmore."

"You see," said Kate, laughing, "I am neither an old maid nor a widow."

"I'm sure I beg ten thousand pardons!" said the lieutenant, blushing mahogany color.

Meanwhile Ginevra had gone to her situation at Livingston Larches, where two blooming little maidens were sitting up in the school-room, with clean slates and spotlessly new school-books, waiting for their governess.

Miss Jenks was on hand to introduce the stranger to her new domains.

"You're rather young miss," said she, "and insignificant-looking for the place. Mrs. Ubsdell told me—"

"I shall do my best," said Ginevra, with gentle dignity; "and I do not doubt that I shall succeed very well."

But Eva and Ella were born rebels. They had conquered governess after governess, and driven her off defeated. They liked the excitment of it, and did not like to study; and the natural sequence was that in less than an hour Ginevra Hall was in tears.

Eva had imitated her French accent with scorn; Ella had mischievously rubbed out the figures on the slate as often as Miss Hall made them. And when the hour of noon recreation came, and the little mutineers rushed out to play on the lawn, poor Ginevra hid herself among the palms in the conservatory to weep without stint.

"Is anything the matter?" said a voice.

"Oh, I beg your pardon," said Ginevra, reddening to the very roots of her hair. "I didn't mean to be in the way, if you are the gardener, I just broke off this one little white orange blossom I may keep it?"

"You may keep it—certainly," said a tall, fine looking man, who was trimming the superfluous branches from a magnificent, white-blossomed daphne.

"I thought, perhaps, you had pricked your fingers on the great Colorado cactus and hurt yourself. You seemed to be crying."

"It wasn't the cactus," fluttered Ginevra. "It was the children."

"The children?"

"They won't mind," explained Ginevra; "they only laugh at me, and I don't know what to do."

The stranger opened the side door, which, garlanded over with passion flowers, looked on the lawn, and called out, in stern, imperative tones,—

"Children!"

Eva dropped her croquet mallet, Ella left off munching strawberries. Both obeyed the newcomer at once.

"Have you been disobeying this young lady?" questioned Ginevra's champion.

"N-no," faltered Ella. "We didn't disobey her, we only didn't do as she told us."

"Very well," said he. "Hereafter you will be a good little class, or there shall be no more boating on the river for you, or rides on the cream-colored ponies; and nothing but bread and water for dinner. Do you understand?"

"Yes, sir," murmured Ella, meekly.

"Yes, grandpapa," said Eva, obediently.

Ginevra looked up in surprise.

"You are not General Livingston?" said she.

"How do you know that I am not?"

"I—I thought you were the gardener."

"I do garden sometimes; but the gardener is a snuffy old Scotchman, in a wig and a pepper-and-salt suit."

"But—General Livingston is an old gentleman, isn't he?"

"Five and forty—if you call that old. I see how it is," said the master of the house, laughingly. "You are misled by those little sprites calling me grandpapa. My late wife was a widow, considerable older than myself. Eva and Ella are her grandchildren, not mine. This may explain some of the inconsistencies that puzzle you, Miss Hall. And now, if you will resume the charge of the young Turks, I think I can guarantee that they shall make you no more trouble."

He was right. Eva was docile as any kitten; Ella sweeter than an angel. Evidently some miracle had been wrought.

"You see," said Eva, "when grandpapa says a thing, he means it."

"And we are so afraid he'll send us to boarding school!" whispered Ella.

General Livingston came in toward evening to see that the children kept faith, and then Ginevra made her confession to him.

"I have deceived you, sir," said she. "I don't know French at all; but my aunt told me I must not let you know it."

And then she told him the simple story of her bereavement and dependence.

"And if French is essential," she added, "I must go back to Aunt Matilda. But I couldn't keep on deceiving you, when you had been so kind to me."

General Livingston smiled.

"You are a good little girl," said he, "and we must try and dispense with French for the present."

After this, Ginevra found very little trouble. The children, wild and wayward though they had been at first, became attached to her, and were quick to learn. At the end of six months Mrs. Ubsdell came to Livingston Larches.

"Ginevra," said she, "you must strike for higher salary. Every one else is doing it."

"Oh, Aunt Matilda," cried the girl, "I can't. The terms are too liberal already. I feel that I am not earning the money I receive."

Mrs. Ubsdell, however, insisted.

"I will go to General Livingston myself," said she. "These aristocrats can't expect to grind every one down into the earth."

Poor Ginevra burst into tears; but Mrs. Ubsdell was implacable.

Ginevra scarcely dared look General Livingston in the face when she met him in the garden, a couple of hours later. His face wore an amused expression.

"Miss Hall," said he, "your aunt has been kind enough to pay me a visit."

"Please don't think that I had anything to do with it," she said, almost inaudibly. "I am too well aware that I am already overpaid."

General Livingston looked calmly at her.

"Miss Hall," said he, "I have been thinking matters over, and I have come to the conclusion to dispense with your services as governess hereafter."

Ginevra involuntarily clasped her hands; she grew pale.

"Oh," she cried, "must I go back to Aunt Matilda? And I was so happy here!"

"Ginevra," said General Livingston, "I am five-and-forty years old, and yet I have been sanguine enough to hope that I can win the love of a girl of seventeen. It is for you to decide whether I am right or wrong."

"For me?"

"I have fallen in love with you, Ginevra. Tell me—will you be my wife instead of the children's governess?"

She stole one timid glance at him. It was as if some strong, serene archangel had stooped from a celestial clime to ask her to nestle under the shadow of his gleaming wings. Did he suspect how long she'd secretly worshipped him? Had he penetrated into the mysteries of her heart? That glance, however, was a sufficient answer. He put out his hand and drew her to his heart.

"My darling! my own darling!" was all that he said.

Ginevra Hall was standing in the shadow of the tree ferns in the conservatory that evening when the gardener showed in a young lady. It was her sister.

"Ginevra," said Kate, "Aunt Matilda has been to see me. Surely she has not succeeded in making you discontented with your situation?"

"Dearest Kate," said Ginevra, "I am going to tell you a secret. I am to be General Livingston's wife next week. Oh, I am so thankful that I came here! I don't think there ever was a girl so happy before."

"Except me," said Kate. "I also am to be married to Lieutenant Geoffrey Rossmore. And Miss Ray is so pleased and proud.

And Mrs. Ubsdell arrogates to herself all the credit of having settled her nieces so well in life.

"They ought to be very much obliged to me," she says. "If it hadn't been for me it never would have happened."

How to Read.

How to read so as to obtain the best results is almost a science, and is acquired only after patient and persistent effort. Goethe once said: "I have been fifty years trying to learn how to read, and I have not learned yet."

Thomas W. Higginson tells of a girl who read "dutifully and torpidly whatever was set before her," but she forgot every page as soon as read. He advised her to read one chapter a day, and compel her mind to ask one question on every chapter. A young man applied to Charles O'Conor for advice read. Mr. O'Conor replied that he had not read one half of the list, but judged it was safe to advise him to "read less and think more."

These men recognized the fact that good reading requires effort. Read with a purpose. Unless you know why you are reading, you are very much like the loafers who collect on the sunny side of a fence and whittle, without even the intention of making a round plug; and like them your time will be lost, and you will have only a pile of shavings. The value of your work depends on its purpose. Without purpose you have no interest; without interest you have no concentration; and without concentration, you have no benefit. The benefit depends not on the quantity of your reading, but on its quality, and your ability to use it.

Having decided on your purpose, fix upon a starting point and a goal, and map out a way; that is, read with a system. Without a system, or general direction, you are apt to wander too far from your purpose. It is difficult to plough a straight furrow across a ten-acre lot unless there is something to aim at. The difference between knowledge acquired systematically and unsystematically is this: in the first case you know what you have read or where you can find it; in the other you have a confused jumble of ideas, unarranged and unavailable. Your mind is a library with the thoughts shelved and numbered, or a garret where the books and papers of years have accumulated, grown dusty and musty, unused and unusable. The best readers have a system; many have lamented the lack of one.

Webster once said: "Many other students read more than I did, but so much as I read I made my own." Burke read exery book as if he never expected to see it again. Francis Homer made it a rule to read few books, but to read these few well, believing that continued application on a given subject, and a careful reading of a few of the best books on that subject would furnish the best mainspring for a successful life. It is the man thoroughly versed on one subject who is honored. Hobbs of Malmesbury was once asked why he didn't read more books. "Read more! If I had read as many books as other men, I should have been as ignorant as other men."

Read to remember, to digest, to have ready and available the knowledge acquired. Many people read a book just as they go through life, without seeing anything; never close a book without seeing something, without feeling you are richer than when you opened it. This can be done only by remembering. To remember, you must think. Think as you read and after your book is closed. A good plan is to compel yourself to recall the substance at the close of each chapter. Dr. Macaulay, of New York, went further than this, and retraced the thought at the end of each page. If he could not retrace it, he re-read it. Each chapter thus reviewed will give a concise idea of the volume when completed. If you can get only a few moments' leisure, read what you can, and then as you go about your other work, ruminate. Chew the cud of reflection long and earnestly.

Conversation is one of the best aids to remembering. If possible, find a friend to read upon the same subject with you, and converse together frequently. If you cannot find such a one, you can generally find someone willing to exchange his time for your information. Conversation is the "student's workshop," of exceeding value.

You need not only to remember, but also to digest. It is not enough to simply swallow food; you must digest it so that its nutritive portions may be assimilated, to become "bone of your bone, and flesh of your flesh." Mental digestion is the same. Unless the thought is digested, you will talk book, not your own thoughts. You will return your information much as the sponge does water, in the same form but not so clear as the original. Remembered and digested, it naturally becomes ready and available.—*W. H. Small, in Morning Star.*

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8th "	Gent's Gold Watch
9th "	China Tea Set
10th "	Hunting Case Silver Watch
11th "	Boy's Silver Watch

25 prizes of $10 each. 50 prizes of $5 each. 100 prizes of $2 each. 200 prizes of $1 each.

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Rev. James W. Ford, who has spent nearly all his life as a missionary to China, says he has studied Chinese for fifty years and yet has not mastered the language.

Rheumatism.

Our daughter had the rheumatism so severe that she was helpless for month. We were induced through our uncle, James McFarland, of this place, to give Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y., a trial. In a short time she began to improve, slept well, and soon recovered from all effects of the dread disease.—L. M. Sanford, No. 319 Fifth street, Des Moines, Iowa.

Marshal Von

The Woburn Journal

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN CLUB.

Last week leading Republicans from all over the Commonwealth assembled in Boston and organized a State Republican Club for the purpose of helping the party to win a victory at the polls next fall. There was need enough of such a step being taken for if the Republicans do not pull themselves together and work shoulder to shoulder for success they have got through winning victories in Massachusetts. A similar movement must be made all over the Union, else Grover Cleveland will occupy the Presidential Chair again in 1893.

Hon. Edward F. Johnson, ex-Mayor of Woburn, was made Vice President of the Club for the Fifth Congressional District, and Hon. Edward D. Hayden of this city, ex-Congressman, sent a sound letter of approval to the convention, the reading of which helped strengthen the courage of the men present.

A GOOD MOVE.

Congressman-elect Sherman Hoar of this District was in Washington a few days ago trying to get a pension of $200 per month for his distinguished predecessor, General N. P. Banks. He succeeded in enlisting the sympathy of quite a number of influential members of both branches of Congress and it is not improbable that the pension will soon be forthcoming.

If there is a man in the Union who deserves consideration at the hands of the general government for gallant and distinguished services as a civil and military leader it is General Banks.

Whether Mr. Hoar succeeds or not in getting the old General on to the pension list his philanthropic efforts to do so are worthy of the highest commendation.

A THIRD TERM-ER.

On the organization of the General Court last Wednesday week William E. Barrett, Esquire, was elected Speaker of the House. It was his third successive election to that honorable post. He received 225 of the 228 ballots cast.

Mr. Speaker Barrett, the JOURNAL offers it congratulations.

ON THE COMMITTEES.

In making up the Joint Standing Committees last Tuesday the Legislature put Senator Wyer on the Committee of Military Affairs and Committee on Water Supply, both important; and Representative Hevey on the Committee of Woman Suffrage.

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— The days have lengthened 23 minutes.

— "Iron Hall" will appear next week.

— Bonelli has a change of card this week. Read it.

— Read the card of Druggist Lovell in this paper.

— Tramp printers are quite plenty about these days.

— Just as Old Prob predicted, Tuesday was a pretty cold day.

— Mr. A. F. Morrill will please accept thanks for late California papers.

— Mr. F. H. Lewis has a firstclass concert at an early day in contemplation.

— Last week ex-Alderman Ramsdell left this city for Tennessee on business matters.

— Wednesday morning it looked as though another big snow storm had set in, but there hadn't.

— The price of the best brands of flour range very low at Fitz & Stanley's, Boston Branch.

— Mr. Alonzo T. Young sold land and buildings on Main street to Joseph H. Parker for $1,700.

— The Union meetings of the Week of Prayer were none too well attended by the people in this city.

— Mr. S. Sargent of Wilmington is one of the dealers who supply the best of meat to Woburn people.

— The Charitable Society of the Congregational church held their annual meeting last evening.

— The District conference of the Y. M. C. A. mentioned elsewhere in this paper is to be held in the First Baptist church.

— Mishawum Lodge, A. O. U. W., installed their officers last Wednesday evening, and closed with a banquet, stories and songs.

— The Y. M. C. A. extend a cordial invitation to men and women, old and young, to attend the Y. M. C. A. conference next week.

— Mr. L. Houghton Allen is enjoying life at Riverside, California, having recently driven his tent-pins at that delightful winter resort.

— President Buchanan is very desirous that there should be a full attendance at the meeting of the Board of Trade next Tuesday evening.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe has an important notice in the JOURNAL this week in respect to prices of men's winter clothing, especially of overcoats.

— Five hundred veterinary surgeons in Great Britian have signed a paper condemning overhead check reins as painful to horses and inducive of disease.

— Officers of Masonic Mutual Relief Association: S. Frankaford Trull, President; C. H. Buss, Vice President; F. B. Dodge, Secretary.

— Hon. B. F. Whittemore of this city was elected Chaplain of the Fusilier Veteran Association at its annual meeting in Boston last Wednesday evening.

— A 1890 Tufts College catalogue contains the name of Stillman Shaw in the first class in Engineering, and George Mayo Gerrish to be a member of special class.

— Pupils of the Primary and Grammar schools in this city will be admitted to the show of the Fanciers Club at Lyceum Hall on next Wednesday afternoon free.

— The next meeting of the Friday Night Club will be held in the Unitarian Vestry on Friday evening, Jan. 23, at 7.45 o'clock. The evening will be devoted to music.

— There is to be a grand musical entertainment by the Friday Night Club at the Unitarian Church this evening. The F. N. C. never give poor entertainments.

— A big rain storm set in on Sunday afternoon and continued until Monday morning. It injured the sleighing, of which there had been a week or two of prime.

— People interested in fowl breeding will do well to remember the date of the Woburn Fancier Club's exhibition in this city—Jan. 21, 22, and 23—and then go and see the birds.

— Instead of the pupils it was the teachers of the Plympton and Union street schools who gave Mr. Janitor Simonds holiday presents in token of their appreciation of his valuable services.

— The Woburn Electric Light Co. are about to enlarge their plant. An increase of business demands more power and to secure it Supt. Fish informs the JOURNAL that more room is necessary.

— The new Methodist church is the first building we ever saw that was handsomer than any picture of it. No architect's or photographer's reproduction of it has equalled its actual fine appearance.

— Auctioneer Gregory will sell at public vendue next Monday, Jan. 19, at 2 P. M., on the premises, No. 122 Garfield Avenue, the household furniture and effects of Lawrence Rossetter. Sale positive.

Mr. Horace N. Conn, the popular and flourishing Insurance Agent of this city, has issued one of the handiest and best calendars that we have seen. One of them graces the Editor's desk, for which thanks.

— The officers of Crystal Fount Lodge Mut. Ben. Association for the current year are: President, Orlando M. Brooks; Vice-President, George N. Gwynn; Secretary and Treasurer, Henry L. Anderson.

— Miss Fannie Hartwell is enjoying life immensely with her uncle's family on Indian River, Florida. Just now they are all living on the finest oranges raised in that State—and that means the finest in the world.

— Recently Mr. Simeon Weymouth, 26 Charles street, this city, returned from a visit of several weeks among his many relatives in York county, Maine, his native heath. He enjoyed the trip and visit very much.

— The JOURNAL correctly foretold the re-election of Mr. Gilman F. Jones to the office of Road Commissioner. There was no thought of electing anybody else and the vote for him was unanimous. That is all right.

— The St. Charles Minstrel troup played at Peabody one night last week for the benefit of the Lynn strikers. They went over in one of Mr. G. F. Jones's barges and had a fine sleigh ride. The show netted some $400 for the strikers.

— At the election of Uuitarian Sunday School officers last Sunday Mr. D. H. Richards was chosen Treasurer for the 19th successive time. Not many people can show such a record of Sunday School service as this of Mr. Richards's.

— Mr. S. H. Leathe of St. Louis, Mo., sends to the JOURNAL cordial New Year's greetings and the wherewithal to enhance the JOURNAL's comforts. Our old friend out on the banks of the Mississippi will please accept thanks for his kindness.

— A Winchester team indulged in a furious runaway on Main street in this city last Saturday. The occupants of the sleigh, two ladies, were thrown out, and the last seen of the horse he was pushing for Winchester at a terrible rate of speed. No one was seriously hurt.

— Can it be that it is the extraordinary influx of Colonels into the ranks of the State Military which is having a disturbing effect? Here is a company at Woburn all at sixes and sevens, and mainly because of $5 worth of meal tickets and some extra trousers. —*Boston Record.*

— The funeral of William H. Doody took place from the Lodge of the Celtic's in the JOURNAL building yesterday morning at 9 o'clock under the direction of Undertaker Lawrence Reade. He died in the Mass. Gen. Hospital. He had no family here but was a member of the Celtic Association.

— Last Monday was the day to which further hearing in the Dow will case was postponed. When the time arrived a further continuance was granted at the request of counsel for the executors. The postponement is to a date as yet uncertain, but which will be fixed by agreement between counsel.

— We would respectfully inform those staunch old Democrats who took exceptions to the JOURNAL's bit of pleasantry at their expense that the gentleman whom they have heard and suspect to have been the JOURNAL's informant was not the one at all from whom our reporter got his information.

— The Woburn First National Bank held their annual meeting in the Bank parlors last Tuesday evening and elected the following Board of Directors: E. L. Shaw, John Johnson, E. D. Hayden. E. N. Blake, J. M. Harlow, Jacob Brown, Griffin Place, Benjamin Hinckley, Julius F. Ramsdell. Subsequently on the same evening E. L. Shaw was elected President, and John Johnson Vice President, of the Board.

— Organist Clarke has arranged the following choice programme for next Sunday morning's service at the Congregational church:

Organ Prelude. "Andante in B flat." T. Dubois.
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite." English.
Choir Anthem. "Blessed are they that dwell in thy house." Berthold Tours.
Organ Postlude. Chorus from the "Creation." "Achieved is the glorious work." Haydn.

— The business people of this city will read Secretary Fox's notice in this paper with pleasure for it insures harmony and good feelings between employer and employees and good times. It shows too that the Manufacturers Association stand ready to act squarely with their workmen at all times.

— A manufacturing business enterprise is being organized here, to have a capital of $30,000, to manufacture street cars. Already a fair share of the stock has been subscribed for. The man at the head of the enterprise is Charles P. Pollard, who for nearly 25 years has been in the carriage building business in this city.—*Boston Paper.*

— A few days ago we received a mammoth copy of the San Francisco, (Cal.) *Chronicle* from Mr. Oliver C. Bryant, Secretary of the El Paso de Robles Land Company, who, as every here knows, is the son of Mr. Oliver F. Bryant of this city. He settled on the Pacific coast some years ago and thinks everything of his adopted home. Thanks for the favors.

— The Conundrum Supper given at the Unitarian church parlors last week Thursday evening was a jovial one. It was a great success too, there being over 150 guests present. Mrs. Alonzo Young suggested the character of the affair, arranged the menu (there was when the fun came in), and generally supervised matters. It was a novel entertainment and everyone enjoyed it.

— A very useful article in the house is a Cheval Glass. It shows the full length figure and is very essential to every person who is mindful of personal appearance. Cheval Glasses cost from $25 to $75, but a full size glass in an antique carved oak frame is offered this mouth as low as $18 at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal St., opposite the Boston & Maine Depot in Boston.

— With its issue of last week THE WOBURN JOURNAL completed 40 years of its existence. It does not show age in the least, and this institution of Middlesex County promises not only to keep young, but reflect public opinion and give all the news for many, many years to come. Continued success to you, Brother Hobbs.—*Winchester Star.* —Thanks awfully! And the same to yourself.

— Mr. Cyrus Lamb furnishes the best weather strips, or house protectors from winter winds that seek entrance at doors, that are made. They are correct in principle and practice and no people who would keep comfortable during the winter should fail to apply to Mr. Lamb and have their outside doors supplied with these strips. They come cheap, but there is nothing that equals them.

— Mr. Frank Nichols finished filling his ice-houses at Horn Pond last Saturday and Woburn's next summer's supply is secured. It averaged 14 inches thick and was as clear and pure as crystal. On Monday Goodrich and Nichols began to fill the former's houses for Winchester. The houses of the Boston Ice Co. at Horn Pond hold about 50,000 tons, and will be filled to the ridgepoles.

— We should think our good Christian people would make an effort to get Moody to come out here and hold a series of meetings. He has done so at other points in the neighborhood of Boston lately. We do not mean by this suggestion that the clergy of Woburn are not earnest, honest and able, but that with Moody to help them they might give us stirring times here this winter.

— The Woburn Mutual Benefit Association elected the following officers last Monday evening: President, John G. Maguire; Vice President, James L. Pinkham; Secretary, Charles K. Conn; Treasurer, Lawrence Reade; Directors, John I. Munroe, Edward J. Gregory, Albert P. Barrett, Eliot L. Packard, Myron B. Field, Elmore A. Pierce, Horace N. Conn, Jacob A. Ham, Thomas Moore.

— If all the members of the Board of Trade would attend the meetings as regularly and promptly as President Buchanan and Secretary Lewis do, and a few others who could be named, a great deal more good would be done by it. On next Tuesday evening there is to be a very important meeting and it is desirable that the Rooms should be filled. Business of interest to the city will be considered. Come all!

— There will be snow enough in February—depend on that. Mr. E. P. Marion's record of the weather during "the twelve days of Christmas" tells that on the 2d day, Dec. 26, there occured the biggest snow storm of the season—a real, double-and-twisted Northeaster, and February corresponds to the second day of Christmas: so, look out for big snow storms during nearly all through next month.

— Perseverance Division, S. of T., recently held an election with the following result; W. P., Hugh Murray; W. A., Miss Emma Russell; P. W. P., Winfield S. Fetridge; Chaplain-Mrs. Donald T. Stewart; R. S., Austin Crowell; A. R. S., Mrs. L. M., Daland; F. S., J. W. Stewart; Treasurer, Miss Mary J. Whittie; Conductor, Miss Jennie Waters; A. C., Miss Sarah Sweetin; I. S., Miss Clara B. Kean; O. S., William Fraser; Pianist, Ralph Barrett.

— No person deserved to be more generously remembered in the will of the late David Gould Converse than his faithful housekeeper for the last 16 years, Miss Hattie A. Kenney. For the two years and more previous to his death she was indispensable to his comfort and happiness—no one could have ministered to his wants so intelligently and satisfactorily as she did, and the public were glad to hear that the deceased had dealt fairly by her in the distribution of his wealth. Mr. Converse appreciated Miss Kenney's worth to him as a nurse, attendant and companion and therefore generously remembered her in his will.

— The following office-bearers of Clan MacKinnon, 45, Order of Scottish Clans, have been elected and installed: Chief, Daniel Waters; Tanist, William S. MacGregor; Past Chief, John W. Hutchinson; Chaplain, John Beaton; Secretary, Hugh Murray; Financial Secretary, Hugh D. MacDonald; Treasurer, Alexander Murray; Senior Henchman, Walter Stackpole; Junior Henchman, Archibald MacKinnon; Seneschal, Thomas Grant; Warder, James Sweetin; Sentinel, Robert Duncan.

— The funeral of Thomas W. Salmon, son of Mr. Thomas Salmon, merchant of this city, which took place on last Friday, was one of the most numerously attended that has ever been witnessed here. More than 100 carriages followed the remains to their last earthly resting place in Calvery cemetery at Montvale, which showed, in some sense, the esteem in which the deceased was held. The services at the church were solemn and impressive; the music fine and appropriate; and the floral tributes numerous and rich.

— The first service of the Universalists was held in Concert Hall last Sunday. Rev. W. A. Start, who has had charge of the mission work of the Massachusetts Universalist Convention for the past fourteen years, conducted the service and preached upon the mission of Christ and its object. The afternoon was stormy, yet a goodly number were in attendance. Rev. Mr. Start will preach again next Sunday at the same hour 2.30 P. M. President Capen and Professor Leonard of Tufts College are to aid Rev. Mr. Start in establishiug a Universalist church here.

— Mr. J. F. Spinney, the ever popular Agent of the Yarmouth S. S. Co. in Boston has recently been presented with an elegant gold watch by the Company, through the Hon. L. E. Baker, President, for his long and faithful services with them. Spinney, although not having yet attained the age of twenty-five years, has been in the service of the Company in various capacities for the past thirteen years, receiving promotions each year until he has attained his present responsible position and we have no doubt but that many of his people here will be pleased to hear of his success.

— Charles H. Taylor of Woburn, formerly in the employ of E. C. Cottle & Son of that city, has been engaged by Beggs & Cobb to take charge of their new place of business, now the Loring & Avery tannery in Winchester, where he was formerly for upwards of 8 years, and will assume his duties immediately.—*Winchester Star.* Mr. Taylor has just returned from quite a lengthy visit to Pennsylvania and regions thereabouts. It will be some three weeks yet before he takes charge of the establishment of Beggs & Cobb at Winchester owing to the time Loring & Avery require to close out their business.

— General Miles, the Indian fighter now in command of the military forces operating against the hostile tribes in the remote West, was, when the War of the Rebellion broke out, a dry goods salesman in Boston. He enlisted and served bravely through to the end of the trouble and then joined the Regular Army. He married a niece of General and Senator John Sherman, since which his advancement in army rank has been rapid. He served in the War of the Rebellion in the Massachusetts Regiment in which Captain John P. Crane of this city commanded a Company and was very well known by him. General Miles is a great man to deal with the Indians and will probably come out of the present conflict with additional feathers in his cap.

— Mrs. E. M. Drake, who for several years past has been doing successful Christian missionary work with her husband, Rev. A. J. Drake, in South Dakota, was duly ordained a minister of the gospel a few weeks ago at Iroquois, S. D. She is a woman of bright talents, a sincere and earnest desciple, and a worker in the vineyard of uncommon industry, energy, single-mindedness, and success. Mrs. Drake has lectured in and around Boston—at Worcester, Salem, Peabody, Woburn, and many other places—under the auspices of the Home Missionary Society in the last four or five years, and at its annual meetings held at Saratoga every summer she has been for several successive seasons relied on as the "drawing card." The large number of people in New England who know Rev. Mrs. Drake and honor her for her work in the West will doubtless be surprised, as they certainly will be pleased, to hear of her ordination into the Christian ministry.

A Bit of Medical Truth.

Typhoid fever often gets into a community and has a "run." Science says it is born within the human system, and that when the germ reaches the open air, perhaps through the pores of the skin, its touch is contamination. It is then very essential that clothing should be thoroughly washed, and this can best be done with Brussels soap, and then all typhoid and other germs become inert.

Its the Doctrine We Believe in All The Same.

"Civil Service Reform" has a pretty, jingling sound, but no greater humbug in point of fact, practice and principle has ever been peddled off upon the American people or any other people for that matter. It is the nesting place of demagogues and the garb for charlatans to masquerade in.

The "Spoils Doctrine?" Well, we suppose so. But it's the doctrine we believe in, all the same. — *Milford Journal.*

We welcome the Milford *Journal* to our side of the house with much pleasure. We have been battling away at the Civil Service humbug for a good while without getting many recruits. At times we have felt lonesome, believing ourselves all alone in the fight, so when the JOURNAL's eye fell on the above paragraph it felt to rejoice that there were two Republican Editors at least in Massachusetts who had too much sense to be carried away with this British importation, for the growth of which American institutions and ideas are not at all well adapted.

We can sympathize with a man who falls down stairs; also with the woman who does not use the economical Brussels soap.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Aldermen met last Thursday evening week, all the members being present. Elwyn G. Preston was chosen Auditor, receiving six votes to one for C. A. Jones. Edward H. Lounsbury was chosen Clerk of Committees, and Gilman F. Jones, Superintendent of Streets, each unanimously. The annual report of the Chief of Police was received and ordered printed. The Treasurer was directed to pay bills until the appropriations are made. Ordered, that the record of marriages be printed with the city reports.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At the meeting of the Common Council last Friday evening all the members were present. Concurred with the Aldermen in authorizing the Treasurer to pay bills and in printing the record of marriages, limiting them to 2500.

A communication was received from the Aldermen notifying the Council that they had chosen Elwyn G. Preston, Auditor; Gilman F. Jones, Superintendent of Streets, and Edward H. Lounsbury, Clerk of Committees. Put on file. The annual report of the Sinking Fund Commissioners was read, accepted and approved. Ballot for Superintendent of Streets: William Johnson, 1; John Hutchinson, 1; Gilman F. Jones, 9, and the latter was elected in concurrence. Auditor: Charlie A. Jones had 3; Elwyn G. Preston, 8, and the latter was elected in concurrence. Clerk of Committees Edward H. Lounsbury had all the votes cast, and was elected in concurrence.

The Treasurer was authorized to hire a sum not exceeding $120,000 in anticipation of taxes.

An order was passed authorizing the appointment of a committee on the part of the Council, with such of the Aldermen as may join, to have charge of the construction of the Highland school.

An order was passed to draw seats, and they were drawn as follows: Hanson, 1; Simonds, 2; Weafer, 3; Bowers, 4; McAvoy, 5; Cutler, 6; Kendrick, 7; Larkin, 8; O'Donnell, 9; Littlefield, 10. Councilman Littlefield suggested a ballot for City Solicitor, but the President thought it only courtesy that that should be left with the Aldermen. Adjourned.

Mr. David Gould Converse.

Since the death of Mr. David G. Converse, which was announced in our issue of Jan. 2, we have learned some facts which we think will interest those who must have known him well for many years.

Mr. Converse was born in Woburn, Nov. 13, 1820. The house is still standing and is occupied by the florist whose greenhouses are not far from the Railroad station at Bæder & Adamson's works near the Stoneham line.

He was descended from three of the oldest families in this locality; from Edward Converse on his father's side, and from Samuel Richardson on his mothers side, both original founders and settlers of the town of Woburn. He was also a descendant through his paternal grandmother, from the Gould family of Stoneham, made famous by the murder and robbery of which it was the victim many years ago.

Mr. Converse was named David Gould for his great uncle, one of the survivors of that murderous assault and robbery. From this relative, David Gould, Mr. Converse received a small legacy of a few hundred dollars, which came into his possession at his majority. This was prudently loaned in accordance with the advice of a skilful financier, a native of Woburn long since passed away. Such was the beginning of Mr. Converse's long and successful business career.

He was a man of unquestioned integrity, whose word was as good as a bond. He never ensnared men that he might profit by their necessities, nor exacted his dues with cruelty or oppression. While pursuing his own calling he liked best to help those who were earnest in their efforts to help themselves. Many can bear testimony to the value of his helping hand ungrudgingly given in times of business stress.

Mr. Converse was simple in his manners and did not seek notoriety. His many benefactions were so made that few except the recipients knew of them, and now that he is gone some will certainly miss a kind friend in time of need. His public bequests, of which we spoke last week, show that he was not unmindful of the benefits which came to him, in common with every other citizen, from the church, philanthropic and municipal organizations of our city. His success was the reward of integrity, intelligence and a wise economy.

Let our young men heed the lesson.

[Written for the Woburn Journal.]

Thoughts on Seeing

THE MASTERPIECE OF REMBRANDT, "THE SETTING OF THE WATCH," IN AMSTERDAM.

It is famous and yet, as we think of it, the City of Woburn has a greater scene to commemorate, just as the victories of peace are greater than those of war, and as those who have done the most good should be remembered longest.

It is difficult to estimate the value of the discovery of the vulcanization of India-rubber, but had not Charles Goodyear happened on a winter's day while waiting to be served in Col. John Wade's store (now extant), to put a piece of sulphur and India rubber to the stove and found that they fused together, the world's progress in all departments of the art could not have been what it is. Woburn should erect a monument to the discovery, or have a painting of the old store, the red hot cylinder stove, and with the impoverished inventor holding a piece of rubber against it.

The time is coming and has come when Woburn is to be visited by foreigners and the original but humble incident commemorated in the place of its nativity would be a most interesting thing to point out and remember far more than the setting of a watch by armed police in sturdy solid old Holland.

One has only to recall the thousand and one applications of vulcanized rubber which are indispensible modern civilization to be convinced of the truth of these thoughts.—E. C.

Amsterdam, Holland, Aug., 1890.

The Saint Cecilias.

An audience of good size composed of the *elite* of the city assembled at the Unitarian church last Tuesday evening to enjoy a concert given by the Saint Cecilias, an organization of our best lady musicians, both vocal and instrumental. It was one of the finest ever given in Woburn. The most exacting and critical heard nothing in the singing or playing with which they could find fault.

Mrs. Phinney, Mrs. Partridge, Miss Davis, Miss Ramsdell, vocalists, and Miss Mertena Bancroft, pianist, compose the combination, each of whom is a thoroughly trained and highly educated musician. The singing of each of the ladies was superb, and Miss Bancroft acquitted herself handsomely as an accompanist and also in the execution of several classical piano solos.

The public vocal efforts of Mrs. Phinney are always received with high favor and applause. She is a local favorite and people never fail to come out to hear her when her name is on the bills. Mrs. Partridge is a prime singer too. She has a charming soprano voice—full, round, sweet and well cultivated—and always pleases an audience whose ears are attuned to an appreciation of the best. Miss Davis is popular with music-loving people not only at home but in Boston where she frequently sings. Miss Ramsdell has a very fine and well-educated voice, and to listen to her is a genuine pleasure. The training of the Quartette has been thorough and the blending of their voices is exceptionally good. Of Miss Bancroft nothing need be said. As a pianist she is too well and favorably known to need commendation from our pencil.

The following programme indicates to some extent the character of the concert:

PROGRAMME.

Quartette—Song of the Triton. Molloy.
Song: *a.* "Still as the Night. Bohm.
b. Spring Song. Ries.
Mrs. PARTRIDGE.
Pianoforte Solos: *a.* Prelude E-minor. MacDowell.
b. Caprice, E-minor. Mendelssohn.
Miss BANCROFT.
Quartette: *a.* Russian Song. Rees.
b. Last Night. Kjerulf.
c. Legends. Mohring.
Songs: *a.* The Heart's Fancies. Thomas.
b. Love Song. MacDowell.
c. "Oh! that we two were Maying". Nevins.
d. Child's Garden Sons. Nevins.
Mrs. PHINNEY.
Trio, "Night Sinks on the Wave." Smart.
Mrs. PARTRIDGE, Miss DAVIS, Miss RAMSDELL.
Song, Sancta Maria (with organ accompaniment.) Faure.
Miss DAVIS,
Quartette, Waltz Song. Brinkworth.
Pianoforte Solo, Spinner-Lied (Flying Dutchman.) Wagner-Liszt.
Miss BANCROFT.
Songs: *a.* Willow Song. Sullivan.
b. Warning. Helmund.
Miss RAMSDELL.
Quartette: *a.* Lullaby. Chadwick.
b. Briar Rose, Vierling.
c. Annie Laurie. Arranged by Buck.
Duett, Barcarole. Gounod.
Quartette, "Goodnight." Goldberg

Can See the Stars Fall.

And now you can look and see the stars fall and the heavens disappear at any moment. Deacon George A. Hobbs, the most ultra of all the radical Republicans of Massachusetts, in his WOBURN JOURNAL rebukes Senator Hoar for "playing the part of Nero and fiddling while Rome is burning—for persistently pressing partizan legislation while the country is on the verge of bankruptcy and every interest is appealing to Congress for relief. Editor Hobbs sagely concludes: "More business and less political legislation by the General Government is what the interests of the country demand just now." All over the country the command is: Change Direction—Left Oblique—Forward on first Company—Genoa Junction *Journal* Stand Fast—Battalion Right-About Face—Guide Left—Forward—March!—*Genoa (Wis.) Journal.*

The eye of THE WOBURN JOURNAL is never dimmed by partisanship to an extent detrimental to public interests. We plead guilty to the charge of being "the most ultra of all radical Republicans," etc. nevertheless our esteemed Mugwump contemporary of the Badger State will please be assured that we never sacrifice principle to personal considerations, nor let party affiliations deter us from an honest discharge of duty towards the people.

Like the Mugwumps in general, our esteemed Mugwump contemporary of the Badger State is, politically, like a rudderless ship on a tempestuous sea, driven hither and yon, no safe harbor in sight, anchor gone, sails rent, and in a dilapidated, used up, and unenviable condition generally. We would that Editor Riggs might be convicted of this political backslidings and return to the tents of the true believers—to his old associates, the Republican party, quit wandering into by and forbidden paths, and be happy once more.

Carter—Hinckley.

John R. Carter, Esq., a prominent business man of this city, and Miss Josephine S. Hinckley, late teacher in the Winchester Schools, and a lady of superior personal worth, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of Mr. William W. Hill (brother-in-law of Mr. Carter) in this city on Tuesday last by Rev. Edward F. Wheeler of Wilbraham, this State, also a brother-in-law of the groom, and brother of Mrs. Hill.

The wedding was strictly a private affair, the attendance being composed solely of relatives and near friends of the bride and groom. The bride was dressed in a white gown of rich material, and the groom stood in full wedding suit.

There were many beautiful presents from warm friends and business acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter left on the same day on a Raymond excursion train for California where they intend to remain and enjoy the genial winter climate of the Pacific coast for two or three months.

They will please accept the JOURNAL's best wishes for their future peace, prosperity and happiness.

Chief McIntosh's Report—1890.

This annual exhibit of the Chief of our Police shows two things; first, that Chief McIntosh has "attended strictly to business" during 1890 and has proved himself an efficient and capable head of the Force; second, that prohibition reduces the number of arrests for drunkenness and gives the Force less to do in every direction as respects rum than does its opposite, or license rule.

We call particular attention to the statistics presented by Chief McIntosh below. He has made a good officer and it is to be hoped that he will be retained by the new administration in the responsible position now so well and satisfactorily filled by him.

His report shows: that there were 376 arrests, or 200 less than the year before, of which 229 were for drunkenness; 43, assault; 23, larceny. There were 261 search warrants issued, and 91 liquor seizures. 978 gallons seized. Imprisonment, 134 years; committed to House of correction, 123. There were 1568 lodgers entertained.

First Congregational Sunday School.

Secretary's Report for the quarter ending Dec. 28, 1890:

Average Atten.	Whole School,	456
" "	Advanced Dep't,	267
" "	Primary "	147
" "	Bible Class,	42
" "	Teachers Whole School,	55
" "	Adv. Dep't, 38 or 92 pr. ct.	
" "	Prim. " 17 " 94 " "	
" "	Off. Whole School, 72 " 92 " "	
Largest atten. during Quarter was on Oct. 5.		527
Smallest " " " " " " 19.		312

W. W. CROSBY, Secretary.

Agreement Renewed.

WOBURN, Jan. 12, '91.

WOBURN JOURNAL: At the Annual meeting of the Leather Manufacturers Association held Jan. 9, in their rooms in Dow's Block, the Board of officers now serving were re-elected for the year 1891.

It was also voted to accept the proposition made by the Knights of Labor to renew the agreement now in existence for the year 1891.

E. P. FOX, Secretary.

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Y. M. C. A.

Sunday 4 p. m. Union meeting for all.

Monday evening, Jan 19, singing class.

Saturday evening Prayer meeting at 8 o'clock.

Sunday 3 p. m. Boys meeting. Prayer service for men at 3.30.

Tuesday evening the first Directors meeting in 1891, at 8 o'clock, at which the committees are to be appointed for 1891.

On Friday evening Jan. 23, Rev. D. N. Beach of Cambridge is to give the opening address of the conference in the Baptist church.

The annual meeting of the Woburn Y. M. C. A. was held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 6, and the following were elected to the Board of Directors to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of the terms of five members of the Board and by the death of Mr. Frank S. Burgess: William W. Hill, Dr. H. E. Chase, Richard H. Chamberlain, Everett E. Thompson, Thomas Heartz and James Frazer, the last three named being re-elected.

The full Board then chose William W. Hill President; Albert B. Dimmick, Vice President and Clerk; Thomas Heartz, Treasurer. The matter of a new building on Main street for the Association was referred to the Board. Reports were read by General Secretary Bailey and other officers and committees. The Association is in good financial condition, having a surplus of about $200 in the Treasury after paying all expenses of the year.

In Mr. Hill the Association made a judicious choice for President. He takes a lively interest in the prosperity of the organization, and is willing to make sacrifices for its good. Experience will unquestionably demonstrate the wisdom of the choice.

The Association are fortunate too in securing Mr. Bailey for General Secretary. He appears to be capitally fitted for the work of rescuing boys and young men from the paths of vice and folly and of teaching them of the better way of life.

A somewhat larger share of vital piety wouldn't hurt a few of the officers and members that could be named, but on the whole the Association under able and judicious management are doing a power of good.

The conference of the Y. M. C. A. of the District of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held in this city on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 23, 24, 25, for which the following order of exercises has been arranged. A number of eminent Y. M. C. A. men will be present and participate in the meetings. The local Association are looking for much pleasure from the conference. The following will be the programme: Friday, 6 p. m., reception of delegates in Y. M. C. A.; 6.30 collation; evening session in church; 7.30, praise service, J. H. Gilkey presiding; 7.45, opening exercises; 8 boys' business meeting; 8.15 address. Saturday, forenoon session, John Allen, Waltham, presiding; 9.30 a. m., prayer service, conducted by C. L. Pitkin, Boston; 10, district work, "The Duty of Organized Towards Unorganized Towns," O. E. Ryther, Hyde Park; "Suggestions to District Committee," R. C. Goodwin; 10.30, boys work, conversation, E. McAllister, Waltham; reports from junior department; 11, Bible reading; L. W. Munhall, Philadelphia; 2.30 p. m., devotional services, conducted by W. W. Lyman, Boston; 2.45, building quiz; 3.15, address, L. W. Munhall; 4.15, The work of the Y. M. C. A.: "Why definite work for men." J. W. Cook; "Can the work of the Y. M. C. A. be done by a single church?" Rev. J. F. Fielden, Winchester; 5 to 6, prayer service conducted by George S. Avery, Boston; evening session; 7.30, praise service; 7.45, reports; 8.15, address, Gen. Sec., Boston; Sunday—9 a. m., consecration meeting; 10.30, addresses by delegates; 3 p. m., boys' meeting; 4, men's meeting; 5, women's meeting; 6, prayer meeting; 7.30, mass meeting in the Congregational church. Associations in the district, Boston, Brockton, Charlestown, Cambridge, Harvard University, Hyde Park, Natick, Newton, Watertown, Waltham, Wincester, Woburn. District committee—Alfred H. Whitford, Chairman, Cambridge; George S. Avery, Secretary, Boston; O. E. Ryther, Hyde Park; F. V. Wooster, Winchester; W. L. Rockwell, Watertown; George H. Brown, Quincy; L. H. Roots, Harvard University; Hugh Campbell, Newton; W. W. Lyman, Brockton; W. B. Herrick, Natick; E. McAllister, Waltham; Horace P. Wilder, Marlboro'; Albert B. Dimick, Woburn. Entertainment will be provided for delegates.

Complimentary.

At the closing meeting of the Common Council of 1890, held on Friday evening, January 2, the following resolutions, offered by Councilman Fox of Ward 2, were passed unanimously:

WHEREAS: By the retirement of our esteemed President, E. E. Thompson, our official relations with him are brought to an end, therefore be it

Resolved, That, the thanks of the members of the Common Council are due Mr. Thompson for the able manner in which he has presided over our deliberations; and be it

Resolved, That, we his associates take this opportunity to express the esteem in which we hold him as a faithful public servant and the respect we entertain for him as a citizen of high character and sterling worth, and we sincerely hope that his future life may be marked with that success and prosperity which the actions of his public and private life so richly merit as the reward of an honorable career.

At the same meeting Councilman Eames of Ward 6 offered the following:

Resolved, That, the thanks of this Council be and are hereby extended to its Clerk, E. H. Lounsbury, Esq., for the prompt, efficient, and business like manner which he has performed the duties of his office.

Passed by a unanimous vote.

Both gentlemen responded in a few appropriate and feeling remarks.

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Capt. Wyer Not Alone.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL: I see by your last week's issue that there is much talk at the State House about Hon. Edwin F. Wyer of this city, present Senator for the 5th Middlesex District, being the first member of the Massachusetts General Court ever known to refuse a railroad pass. Now, I don't believe there is a single member of the Legislature who would not express his honest convictions on all questions of interest to the people whether he rides on a pass or not.

I have known Senator Wyer all his life. I never knew him do anything but speak out frankly and act honestly in regard to the interests of Woburn and the public generally. His fellow-Senators will find Captain Wyer ready to free his mind fairly and intelligently on any questions of moment that may come before the Senate.

But I will take the liberty to inform the present Legislature that there now lives in the City of Woburn, and has for many years, a gentleman whom all the people respect; who has held many important offices; who was elected some years ago to the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and subsequently to the Senate; and who was given railroad passes by the Boston & Lowell RR. Co. What did he do with them? He returned them to the Company. And who was the member? Hon. Joseph G. Pollard.

I have known many others to do the same thing. I do not believe that all men the service of the State would violate their oaths and consciences for a railroad pass. And many ride on them. I do not know of a State in the Union whose members of the Legislature do not accept and ride on railroad passes during the sessions.

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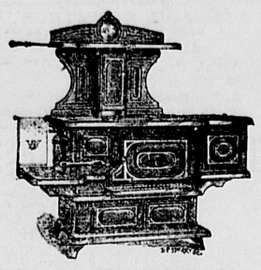

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[For the Journal.]

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The practical value of culture in every form is admitted by all and the growing interest in Physical Culture is shown by the time and care given in our schools and gymnasiums to these forms of development.

"What is culture if not mental?" asked Mrs. Choate in her lecture Saturday afternoon. "It is doing away with limitations we have made for ourselves, or allowed to be made for us; it is asserting, I can do what I believed I could not do; that constitutes so called Physical Culture; is it then in mind? Surely. Who sets your limits? What holds you in bonds? When we come to understand the power of mind, that our thinking makes our conditions, we find freedom."

Mrs. Choate talks with earnest consciousness of the truth of her words and was eloquent in declaring that the Christ work is as truly the healing of the body as the saving of the soul. Jesus went about teaching and healing and so taught his disciples saying "greater things shall ye do."

An appreciative audience were sorry for the lecture to close and many lingered to ask questions. We are therefore glad to say to those, and to the public who may wish to hear more, that Mrs. Choate has consented to come again, and will be glad to meet everyone in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor, Saturday at 3 o'clock. She will answer questions at the close of the lecture, which will be entitled: "Man's relations to the Eternal: the Infinite."—VERA.

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Words of Praise.

A prettier or more enjoyable concert has seldom been given in Woburn than that of "The Saint Cecilias" Tuesday evening in the Unitarian church. The Club, consisting of Mrs. Phinney, Mrs. Partridge, Miss Davis, Miss Ramsdell, with Miss Bancroft at the piano, gave a bright and varied programme of quartettes, trios, duets and solos.

Mrs. Partridge was in fine voice and sang with clearness and power. Her solo, "Still as the Night," was a gem.

Mrs. Phinney's exquisite group of songs were artistically given.

Miss Ramsdell is a young singer of much promise and sang the "Willow Song" delightfully.

Miss Davis always gives pleasure, and her solo "Sancta Maria," with organ accompaniment, deserved high praise. We were only sorry it was not repeated.

With the quartettes we were much pleased, particularly the old favorite, "Annie Laurie." The perfection of the accompanying was not the least of success of the concert and Miss Bancroft's piano-forte solos were finely rendered and highly appreciated.

A very attractive feature was the novelty of young lady ushers and programme girls in white gowns.—LISTENER.

W. H. S. G. A.

Last Wednesday evening the Woburn High School Graduates Association held their annual meeting at High School building for the election of officers. In the absence of the President, E. F. Johnson, Vice President Elmore A. Pierce presided. The Secretary and Treasurer made their annual reports, that of latter showing all expenses paid and a balance in the treasury. Also that 91 people had joined the Association in the last year.

A committee of 5 were chosen by ballot to bring in a list of officers for next year to report at an adjourned meeting at 8 o'clock, Wednesday evening, Jan. 21. The committee were: F. B. Leeds, H. B. Grant, Belle Menard, E. A. Pierce, H. N. Conn, to which Mrs. H. M. Strout was added by the committee. Subsequently the committee met and selected a ticket.

Members of the Association are earnestly solicited to attend the meeting next Wednesday evening without further notice.

Joint Installation.

At a joint installation of officers of Shawsheen Tribe, I. O. R. M. and Nahmeokee Council D, of P. the following officers were installed by deputies from Stoneham on last Friday night:

SHAWSHEEN TRIBE: Prophet, A. U Dickson; Sachem, A. T. Webber; S. S., John H. Bates; J. S., E. J. Hart; C. of R., Chas. H. Harrington; A. C. of R., A. P. Tabor; K. of W., W. A. Hanson.

NAHMEOKEE COUNCIL: Prophetess, S. Jessie Crowell; Pocahontas, Hattie Knight; Wanonah, Abbie N. French; Powhatan, J C. Knight; K. of R., O. C. Greenleaf; A. K. of R., Rebecca Brooks; K. of W., Mabel E. Dickson.

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WOBURN, MASS.

North Woburn.

Mr. A. W. Tidd is confined to his home with a severe cold.

Mr. Arthur Page has been quite sick but is now gradually recovering.

On last Tuesday Mr. Enoch Curtis slipped and fell and hurt his foot badly.

Miss Gertrude Anderson of Malden has been visiting friends in this village.

A spelling match will take place in the vestry of the Congregational church this, Friday evening.

Mr. Arthur H. Linscott is travelling through the Carolinas on business for J. B. Lewis & Co., Boston, Mass.

The annual meeting of the W. C, T. U. was held in the parlor of the Congregational church on last Wednesday afternoon. Officers were chosen.

The Woburn City L. and I. Co., is still prospering. Mr. Peters has moved into his new house on one of its thoroughfares. A big boom is expected in the spring.

A party of twelve young people enjoyed a pleasant sleighride on last Saturday evening. The jingle of bells and the blowing of horns could be heard in all directions.

Burlington.

The "Social Five" had a dancing party in the Town Hall Thursday evening.

Tickets are being sold for the ball to be given by the Agricultural Society, Friday evening, Jan. 16.

Dr. Torrey of Lynn preached at the church Sunday morning, and is expected to supply the pulpit next Sunday.

The annual sale of seats in the church was held Thursday afternoon. The popular auctioneer, Mr. G. W. Austin of Arlington who every year generously contributes his services to the church, officiated. The sale was prompt and very satisfactory, the first choice selling for nearly twice as much as last year and all the seats averaging a higher price than ever before. At half past four o'clock an adjournment was ordered, and the company repaired to the church parlor where an excellent supper was served by the Ladies Benevolent Society. After the supper the sale was continued until all present had selected their seats.

Mr. William H. Walker, who died at his home in Burlington, Jan. 10, was one of our best known citizens. Born in Burlington, he spent his whole life in the town occupying the farm which was owned by his father. Mr. Walker was very successful in his chosen occupation and demonstrated to all who knew him that the tilling of the soil may be as pleasant and profitable as any other employment. As a neighbor and friend he was highly esteemed. His strict integrity and faithfulness in every relation of life were well known. He held, at different times, important town offices and discharged his duties with marked success. Mr. Walker had been for many years one of the most active members of the church and his place will not be easily filled. During his long illness he still kept his interest in the affairs of the church and his last work was to take part in the annual parish meeting which was held at his house a few weeks before his death. The funeral services, Tuesday afternoon, were conducted by Rev. A. S. Hudson of Ayer, a former pastor of the Burlington church.

Those who worship at the shrine of the economical Brussels soap arise purified.

Boston Theatres.

Next Monday evening, Jan. 19, "Kajanka" begins a short engagement at the Grand Opera House. Kajanka is as near perfection as modern stage management can make it. The story is entirely new and typifies the battle of good against bad in the guise of spirits. *Electra* is the good fairy of nature, and *Beelzebub* is, of course, her arch enemy. The staging of the extravaganza is gorgeous in the extreme. At the rising of the curtain the audience gazes into *Beelzebub's* cave, a pit of blackness illuminated only at intivals by sepulchral flames. Changing scenes display successively the Janish Idol Temple, a fairy grotto, the floral bower, an artist's studio, *Electra's* home, and the grand final transformation scene. Good comedy work is done by Chas. W. Ravel as the clown, William Ruge as harlequin and Joe Allen as the high priest of the temple. The specialties are of a high order, of which Mlle. Bertoto, the baby premier, takes the lead. She is apparently no more than 6 or 7 years of age, but can dance like a fairy and change her costume in the twinkling of an eye.

A Good Paper.

Every housewife can find much help and advice in the columns of "*The Home*", a family paper adapted to the wants of every member. It is published monthly at 141-a Milk street, Boston, Mass., has 16 pages filled with interesting stories for young and old, fashions and fancy work illustrated, and much valuable matter for the kitchen and farm. Subscription price of "*The Home*" only 50 cents a year. Sent on trial 3 months for 10 cents. Sample copies mailed free; also illustrated premium list of 100 premiums sent to any address.

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Tobacco.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—Your issue of Dec. 26, announces the fact that Mayor Johnson has made an effort to suppress tobacco smoke in the Municipal Building during business hours.

To a Woman who hates tobacco—emphatically hates it whether indulged in as "smoke," "snuff" or "chew"—this effort on the part of Mayor Johnson seems the crowning glory of his highly honorable administration of public duties since he became the Mayor of Woburn.

Taxes, water rates and other matters of business compel women to go to that building. Often the question has arisen in the mind of the writer: What right have the men who assemble there for the adjustment of matters relating to the inhabitants of the city, to indulge themselves in filthy habits that defile the atmosphere, rendering it sickening and detestable for others to encounter who are compelled to go to the various offices? Non-compliance with legal demand for taxes subjects the individual to suit-at-law or process that disgraces reputation.

And yet, till this out-spoken gallantry on the part of Mayor Johnson, women have been obliged to endure the infliction and wait before officials in an atmosphere loaded with the fœtid fumes of tobacco. To many it is not merely offensive but seriously injurious to health.

Men do the voting that establishes men in the public offices. Men demand of women the same prompt payment of taxes that is required of men. But, is it fair, is it in keeping with gentlemanly department, to subject women to contact with the vile odor that emanates from tobacconized breaths and smoke? Praise, emphatic praise, is due Mayor Johnson for having assailed the Protean vice, even at this late day in his official power. May the succeeding Mayor follow the lead of Mayor Johnson till all public offices and thoroughfares shall be freed from the effects of tobacco, so that clearly people who despise it may be spared exposure and annoyance.

The revival of an old fashioned edict, if in force to-day, would enhance the moral and physical interests of thousands who are now being victimized by the curse of tobacco. The men of our city have deliberately licensed the sale of rum—by many declared "the way to enrich the Treasury." Gladly women would see "the Treasury enriched" by the following becoming, like license, a city law:

"TOBACKO."

"fforasmuch as it is observed, that many abuses are crept in, and committed, by frequent taking of tobacko:

"It is ordered by the authority of this Courte, that no person under the age of twenty-one years, nor any other, that hath not already accustomed himself to the use thereof, shall take any tobacko, until hee hath brought a certificate under the hands of some who are approved for knowledge and skill in phisick, that it is useful for him, and allso, that hee hath received a lycense from the courte, for the same.——And for the regulating of those, who either by theire former taking it, have, to theire owne apprehensions, made it necessary to them, or uppon due advice, are pursuaded to the use thereof. It is ordered

"That no man within this colonye, after the publication hereof, shall take any tobacko publiquely, in the streett, highways, or any barne yardes, or uppon training dayes, in any open places, under the penalty of six-pence for each offence against this order, in any the particulars thereof, to bee paid without gainesaying, uppon conviction, by the testimony of one witness, that is without just exception, before any one magistrate.

"And the constables in the severall townes, are required to make presentment to each particular courte, of such as they doe understand, and can evict to bee transgressors of this order."

When the above becomes a City law, in Woburn (?) and necessary to procure "a certificate under the hands of some who are approved for knowledge and skill in phisick" it is to be hoped the Dr. who is so enslaved by the smoke habit that he indulged in the pet sin while waiting in the vestibule of a church for his wife to put on her wraps after an evening entertainment, will not be Chairman of the Board for granting the certificates. "Fair play" would appoint from the other side.

"Tobacco, thou art the greatest curse of the whole earth, for thou maketh man hunger and thirst for rum."—X.

Unitarian Sunday School.

The annual election of officers of the Unitarian Sunday School occurred on Sunday, Jan. 4, and the following persons were elected:

Superintendent, Rev. H. C. Parker; First Assistant, Wm. F. Davis; Second Assistant, Harry Brackett; Treasurer (for the 19th year), D. H. Richards; Secretary, Miss E. F. Platts.

Directors, Mr. H. M. Aldrich, A. W. Parker, Mrs. J. T. Trull, Mrs. E. D. Shaw, Miss Grace Bryant. Music Director, H. M. Aldrich; Librarians, George Ferguson, Henry Parker, Harry Richardson.

Number of attendants one hundred sixty-five.

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Some More Calendars.

Hood's Calendar for 1891 is out and it is certainly a beautiful production of the lithographers' and printers' arts. The subject represents three children playing musical instrumeuts, and the positions, expressions, coloring and general fluish make a most charming picture. But to be appreciated it must be seen. Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla Calender, or send six cents in stamps for one copy, or ten cents for two, to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Jan. 10, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

A. E., Woburn, Mass. P. O., Henry Carey, M. Gerty, 16 High St., Mr. S. D. Jakes, Harry Kenney, Mrs. Robert Mabey, Box 1060, Mr. S. G. Smith, Mr. Andrew Spence, Vinney Terry.

WINCHESTER.

The new quarters of the Y. M. C. A. are nearly completed and ready for occupancy.

The meetings of the Week of Prayer, held at the Congregational and Baptist churches were quite well attended.

Mrs. Henry Howe has been quite ill for some time, but her many friends hope to soon see her about again fully restored to health.

"Farseer" raked our town authorities over the coals in last week's *Star* from a financial stand-point. There was a good deal of truth in what he said.

Everybody is expecting the concert, to be given here on the evening of the 26th instant, is going to be the richest musical treat of the season. And everybody is getting ready to attend it.

The officers of William Parkman Lodge, F. and A. M., were installed last Friday evening by Worthy Brother H. G. McGrew, grand lecturer, assisted by R. W. William H. Parkman, P. G. M. They are as follows: W. M., Charles E. Corey; senior warden, J. H. Winchenback; junior warden, D. W. Pratt: secretary, Thomas S. Spurr; treasurer, I. S. Palmer.

It is the prevailing opinion here, and it is certainly the prevailing wish, that General John M. Corse may be his own successor in the Boston Postoffice. He was a brave and gallant soldier in the War of the Rebellion. His military skill, quick thought, indomitable courage, hard work, and plucky soldiery, enabled him to "Hold the Fort" and thus secure General Sherman's triumphant "March to the Sea." He never ought to lack any good thing which the general government has in its power to give.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abigail Winn, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Parker L. Converse and Leonard Thompson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of David G. Converse, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Oliver P. Bryant of said Woburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of January instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLETEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Ella G. Richardson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Theodore M. Parker, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of January instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Eli Cooper, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alva S. Wood, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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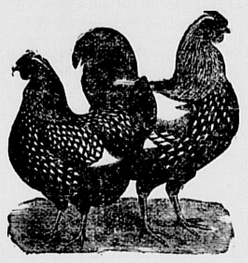

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LESSON III, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 18.

Text of the Lesson, I Kings xvii, 1-16. Commit Verses, 2-5—Golden Text, Ps. xxxiv, 10—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "And Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the inhabitants of Gilead, said unto Ahab."

Sixty years have passed since the kingdom was divided. Six kings have reigned over the ten tribes (Jeroboam, Nadab, Baasha, Elah, Zimri and Omri), each seeming to excel his predecessor in wickedness (xvi, 25, 30), and all walking in the ways of Jeroboam, who made Israel to sin (xiv, 16; xv, 26, 30, 34; xvi, 19, 26), and now we have Ahab, the seventh, the worst of all, the perfection of wickedness (xvi, 33).

"As the Lord God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word."

2. "And the word of the Lord came unto him, saying."

There is nothing under the sun like "the word of the Lord." It is pure, sure and unchanging like the Lord Himself. "Forever, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven." "The word of our God shall stand forever." His name is called the word of God (Ps. cxix, 89; Isa. xl, 8; Rev. xix, 13). Let us be filled with His word and wholly subject to it.

3. "Hide thyself by the brook Cherith, that is before Jordan."

"Get thee hence" teaches us that one who would live close to God must not tarry long with those who know Him not; just long enough to testify for Him and then be gone.

4. "Thou shalt drink of the brook; and I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there."

5. "So he went and did according unto the word of the Lord."

Here is one man who is obedient; he questions not, but simply obeys. He is subject to the word of the Lord.

6. "And the ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and bread and flesh in the evening; and he drank of the brook."

He could sing the song of Hab. iii, 17, 18, and say, "Though vineyard, field and flock all fail, yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation!"

7. "And it came to pass, after awhile, that the brook dried up, because there had been no rain in the land."

The source of this brook was not unfailing; it was dependent upon the clouds, which empty their contents upon the earth. Elijah, however, depended neither upon the brook nor upon the clouds, but upon Him who is far above all.

8. "And the word of the Lord came unto him."

God does not forget those who trust in Him, nor is He ever too late with His providing. Elijah saw the brook drying up day by day, but so did his God whom he served. Just enough of the necessaries of this life, and one day's supply at a time, keeps one very close to God, while an abundance is apt to lead us to forget Him.

9. "Arise, get thee to Zarephath, * * * behold I have commanded a widow woman there to sustain thee."

Young says that Zarephath signifies "place of refining;" and if Cherith signifies "cutting," as the word would seem to indicate, we can see the processes by which the Lord was fitting His servant for the great day on Carmel. Without the cutting and refining of Cherith and Zarephath he never would have been able to stand alone for God as he afterward did on Carmel.

10. "When he came to the gate of the city, behold the widow woman was there gathering of sticks."

It was quite a journey from Cherith to Zarephath, but the journey is not noticed. Observe the silence of Scripture concerning such matters.

11. "Bring me, I pray thee, a morsel of bread in thine hand."

As he came near to the city and saw this poor woman the Spirit must have whispered, "This is she."

12. "As the Lord thy God liveth, I have not a cake, but an handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse."

Behold the larder that is to sustain the prophet in this widow's home. By the brook he had bread and flesh twice a day; but now there is no flesh, and only enough meal to make one last cake for the woman and her son, after which they expect to die.

13. "And Elijah said unto her, Fear not; go and do as thou hast said."

He wavers not, he trembles not, he is not moved; "his heart is fixed, trusting in the Lord;" "he waits only upon God; his expectation is from Him" (Ps. cxii, 7; lxii, 5, 6). God, who could direct ravens where to find bread and flesh, can as easily supply the need in this case. If ever a woman had cause to fear to give away her last morsel surely this woman had; but the command comes strong and clear: "Fear not, * * * Make me a little cake first." If we would grow strong in faith let us consider well the "Fear nots" of Scripture from the first ones in Gen. xv, 1; xxi, 17, to the last in Revelation, and see how God, even our own God, is above all circumstances of time or place; and how abiding in His love will cast out all fear (I John iv, 18).

14. "Thus saith the Lord God of Israel, the barrel of meal shall not waste, neither shall the cruse of oil fail, until the day the Lord sendeth rain upon the earth."

It would seem from this that God had told Elijah how he would provide in this case, viz., by a miraculous increase of the meal and oil from day to day; and this is told the widow for her encouragement, for she has not been living at Cherith, and has not learned the secret of peace when cut off from seen resources. This meal and oil would make unleavened bread, symbol of the putting away of all evil (I Cor. v, 7, 8), for we cannot know the power of God unless we walk with him in sincerity and truth.

15. "And she went and did according to the saying of Elijah; and she, and he, and her house did eat many days (Margin: "A full year")."

Here again is obedience and consequent blessing. It was a poor time to take in a boarder, with not enough in the house for present company. It seemed to the disciples a poor time to have 5,000 hungry men around when five loaves and two fishes were all that the disciples had for themselves. But they learned, and this widow learned, that "There is that scattereth and yet increaseth" (Prov. xi, 24). Many are poor because they keep their little all for themselves.

16. "The barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord, which He spake by Elijah."

This is the fourth time that we have met in this lesson the expression, "the word of the Lord." We called attention to it in the second verse, urging full subjection.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a *hopeless victim of consumption* and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at H. L. Flanders & Co.'s Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

The young Viscount Belgrave, grandson of the Duke of Westminster, if he lives to inherit his patrimony, will be the richest man in the world. By the time he attains his majority his income will amount to between $10,000 and $20,000 a day.

Wharton Barker, the Philadelphia reformer, is a journalist and successful banker.

A LAND OF QUEER CUSTOMS.

The Ways People in Holland Have for Doing Ordinary Things.

All things are reversed in Holland. The main entrance to the finest public building in the country, The Palace, or late town hall, of Amsterdam, is its back door. Bashful maidens hire beaus to escort them to the kermis, or fair, on festival days. Timid citizens are scared in the dead of the night by their own watchmen, who at every quarter of the hour make such a noise with their wooden clappers one would suppose the town to be on fire. You will see sleds used in summer there. They go bumping over the bare cobblestones, while the driver holds a dripping oil rag in advance of the runners to lessen the friction. You will see streets of water, and the country roads paved as nicely as Broadway. You will see vessels hitched like horses to their owners' doorposts, and whole rows of square peaked houses leaning over the street, as if they were getting ready to tumble.

Instead of solemn striking clocks you will hear church chimes playing snatches of operatic airs every quarter of an hour by way of marking the time. You will see looking glasses hanging outside of the dwellings, and pincushions displayed on the street doors. The first are called spionnen (or spionnetjen), and are so arranged outside of the windows that persons sitting inside can, without being seen, enjoy a reflection of all that is going on in the street. They can learn, too, what visitor may be coming, and watch him rubbing his soles to a polish before entering.

The pincushion means that a new baby has appeared in the household. If white or blue the new comer is a girl; if red it is a little Dutchman. Some of these signals are very showy affairs; some are not cushions at all, but merely shingles trimmed with ribbon or lace; and among the poorest class it is not uncommon to see merely a white or red string tied to the door latch—fit token of the meager life the poor little stranger is destined to lead.

Sometimes, instead of either pincushion or shingle, you will see a large placard hung outside of the front door. Then you may know that somebody in the house is ill, and his or her present condition is described on the placard for the benefit of inquiring friends, and sometimes, when such a placard has been taken down, you may meet a grim looking man on the street dressed in black tights, a short cloak and a high hat from which a long, black streamer is flying. This is the Aanspreker going from house to house to tell certain persons that their friend is dead. He attends to funerals, and bears invitations to all friends whose presence may be desired. A strange, weird looking figure he is; and he wears a peculiar, professional cast of countenance that is anything but comforting.—Mary Mapes Dodge in St. Nicholas.

Just in Time.

In the good old times, when it was the custom to proclaim the banns in public from the pulpit two Sundays before the marriage of a couple, there lived in western New York a youth named Isaiah Gage, who was about taking to himself a wife.

It was the custom in the particular church which Isaiah attended for the minister to read the banns with the other notices just before the sermon.

Isaiah was familiar, of course, with this custom, and on the morning when his own banns were to be read timed his movements so as to come into church quietly just as the sermon was beginning.

The old minister was an eccentric, absent minded man, and as he saw the young man come down the aisle he paused—he had just announced his text—and said: "Oh! seeing Isaiah Gage reminds me of his banns with Polly McCabe. I have the document here somewhere!"

And to the overwhelming embarrassment of the now prominent Isaiah the banns were read.

Isaiah said afterward that it was done on purpose by the old doctor, but the minister solemnly declared that he had really forgotten the notice.—Youth's Companion.

French Fruits and Vegetables.

The French larder was much better furnished than the English in mediæval times, but some things were considered dainties which are now discarded. Our modern confectioners offer us candied violets, but the French of the Fourteenth century used to cook violet leaves like spinach or serve them as salad. They also used to eat the green ears of wheat boiled with melted butter, just as in this country we eat the unripe ears of Indian corn. The young burgeons of the grapevine boiled and dressed with a piquant sauce was a favorite vegetable entremet on a French mediæval table. In general, however, it must be said that even in the most civilized parts of the continent of Europe 500 years ago people had fewer flowers, fruits and vegetables than we have now.—New York Ledger.

A Parlor Receptacle.

This is a box 30 inches high, 20 inches wide and 16 deep, made of black walnut or of white wood stained and varnished. Fifteen inches from the bottom put a shelf to fit the box perfectly. Inclose the front and fit a drawer thereby, making a receptacle for dust cloths, brushes, etc. Above this place a rack having four compartments for music or two shelves for books. A curtain falling in front of the books and music is an improvement.—Cor. New York Press.

Card of Thanks.

I hereby desire to extend to all of my friends my thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me during my past illness of over three months from rheumatism, and I especially desire to tell them that but for Sulphur Bitters I should have been suffering still. May you never suffer what I have, is the wish of your friend,

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Gen. Butler's happy faculty of dropping off into a sound sleep on short notice is one secret of his great vitality and vigor. In his stumping tours he will sleep in railway trains and in carriages as readily and as comfortably as in his bed.

Jay Gould employs often two brokers, but never lets one know what the other is doing. He has twenty-five special wires running from his office.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has purchased two of Turner's famous pictures in London for $80,000.

CONSTINE'S LOST CHARM.

Missed It in Atlanta and Had It Served to Him in a Seattle Restaurant.

H. L. Constine, of New Orleans, La., who has been in Seattle for several days, tells a story that would rival in its improbability the tales of the "Arabian Nights." Mr. Constine, however, declares that his story is true, and says that he is willing to swear to it.

"When I was in Atlanta, Ga., some time ago," said Mr. Constine, "I was invited by a friend, Mr. John Sawyer, to visit a peach cannery in which he was employed. After I had completed my tour of the cannery I missed a very valuable charm that I had been wearing on my watch chain. The loss was a sad one to me, inasmuch as the charm was a gift from a dead sister. I offered a liberal reward for the return of the charm, which I supposed I had dropped somewhere about the cannery, but all to no purpose, as I never heard from it.

"I had returned home and had given up all hopes of recovering the charm. About two months ago I conceived the idea of visiting the Pacific coast, and arranging my business in short order, started at once for the west.

"I arrived in Seattle and was visiting friends who live near Yesler avenue. One day I was down town and stepped into a restaurant for lunch.

"After eating a hearty lunch I called for some peaches and cream. I started to eat the peaches, and was in the act of cutting one of them with a spoon, when the spoon struck some hard substance which appeared to be imbedded in the heart of one of the peaches. I worked the substance out with my spoon and held it up to the light. My surprise can be better imagined than described when I found that I held in my hand my missing charm, which I had long ago given up for lost.

"The story is a strange one," concluded Mr. Constine, "and I should hardly be willing to believe it myself if told to me by a stranger, but nevertheless every word of it is strictly true. The only way I can account for the mysterious disappearance and recovery of the jewel is that it became disengaged from the chain when I was watching the performance of a new coring and paring machine in which I was much interested while I was visiting the cannery in Atlanta, and it fell in among the peaches without my noticing it."

The charm, which Mr. Constine showed the reporter, was a gold cross, with a small diamond set in either end and a larger one in the center, and was of very unique design. The story is a strange one, but was told in a concise and straightforward manner that argued well for its veracity.—Seattle Press.

The True Story of Don Juan.

Don Juan was a real character—Don Juan de Marana was his name—and the house where he lived may still be seen behind the Church of All Saints, in Seville, the building itself being the property of the Montijo family, to which family the Empress Eugenie belongs. The house has a balcony and large window, half Mauresque, half Gothic, by which it may be distinguished from its neighbors. And, next, the true story of the final incident is quite different from the stage story.

Don Juan was returning late at night through the city when he met a funeral cortege with singing friars and torches and dirges. He stopped a priest and asked whose it was. He was told Don Juan's. Fascinated he followed the procession and entered the church. The ceremony was conducted with extraordinary solemnity; but at the last moment Don Juan, lifting the coffin lid, recognized himself. Next morning they found him wandering about the church, half demented. He was nursed through a long illness, lived a better life, and died leaving all his wealth to the Hospicio de la Caridad, which he had founded at Seville.—London News.

Something on Eggs.

Eggs are generally considered healthful if properly prepared by the cook. Whether it is worth an act of legislation to classify them, as they do in London, is very hard to tell. There they have "new laid eggs" or "first rate eggs," "fresh eggs" or "moderately good eggs," and "eggs." It is very positive that "eggs" of the third class cannot be too far gone, for nature has generously adapted the unmistakable olfactory method which will cause even the most hungry mortal to retire from their obnoxious presence. The best way to cook eggs is to bring water to the boiling point, drop in as many as you wish, remove the pot from the fire and allow it to stand for five minutes. When the eggs are removed they will be found to be thoroughly cooked, and in a very digestible manner.—Hall's Journal.

Chili Has One Armed Vessel.

The only armed vessel Chili has built since the war with Peru is the Captain Prat, a fine second class armorclad of 6,900 tons displacement, 328 feet long, 60 2-3 feet beam and 21 5-6 feet draught. The highest structure is four 10 1-2 inch breech loading rifles and eight 4.7 inch rapid fire guns. The water line belt is twelve inches thick amidships. The estimated speed is nineteen knots.—New York Herald.

In the fall of 1265 the English parliament passed an act by which the price of bread was brought to a marked or standard uniformity; adulteration was made an offense, punishable by a fine and by prison, and very often by a severe and prolonged confinement in the ignominious pillory.

The Wonderful Tower.

The highest structure in the world is Eiffel Tower, at Paris, 1,000 feet high. But the great discovery of Dr. Franklin Miles is certain to tower far above it in promoting human happiness and health. This wonderful nerve medicine builds up worn out systems, cures fits, sparms, headache, nervous prostration, dizziness, sleeplessness, monthly pains, sexual troubles, etc. Mrs. John R. Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., gained 20 pounds a month while taking it. Finely illustrated treatise on "Nervous Diseases," and a sample bottle of the Restorative Nervine, free at Charles H. Buss's.

President Bliss, of the Boston and Albany road, was recently offered an increase of salary from $12,000 to $20,000, but declined because he did not consider his services worth so much more.

Adam Monts, of Bigby Fork, Miss., who is 94 years of age, has 400 descendants living.

HE CALLED THEM.

But the Doctor Did Not Know It Until He Nearly Bred a Revolution.

President Wilson gave orders to have electric bells put in at sanitary headquarters, so that he might sit at his desk and, by pressing a button with his foot, call any or all of his chiefs of division in consultation. Having given the order he went away and forgot all about it.

The bellhanger came that night and fitted up his wires. They were all ready and in working order the next morning when Mr. Wilson came down and, taking his usual seat, went to work opening his letters on his desk. Presently his foot strayed toward the waste basket and touched one of the buttons. It was the wire that rang the bell in the registrar's office upstairs. A moment later Dr. Tracy appeared in the doorway, walked to the president's desk and sat down.

Mr. Wilson looked over the edge of the letter, said "Good morning, doctor. How d'ye do?" and went on reading. Unbeknown to him his foot made another trip toward the waste basket. There was something on the floor and, still engrossed in his reading, he gave it a little half unconscious push. Maj. Bullard, of the sanitary police, walked in and sat down beside Dr. Tracy with an expectant air.

The president looked up after a session of protracted study of a knotty sanitary problem, during which he had been singularly bothered by obstructions that kept coming under his feet, to find Mr. Collins, the inspector of plumbing and ventilation; Col. Prentice, the counsel, and Dr. Ewing, the sanitary superintendent, grouped about his desk.

"Well, gentlemen," he said, "what have we on deck this morning that brings you all here?"

"You called," came the simultaneous reply of the expectant band.

"I? No! Always glad to see you, but I did not call."

The staff retired, mystified. Dr. Tracy had barely seated himself in his chair when the bell over his door rang again, as if it meant business. The doctor is a patient man, but he was just a bit flurried as he reappeared before the president, sitting calm and smiling there at his desk.

"You called?"

"I? No! What's the matter, doctor? I said nothing."

The doctor went thoughtfully back to his office, to find the bell ringing yet and the boy trying to make it stop by putting a wad of paper under the clapper. All of a sudden it was still. The president had taken his foot off the button.

Dr. Tracy saw. He went back down stairs and confronted Mr. Wilson once more.

"You called?"

"Why, doctor," exclaimed the president, laying down his paper in much amazement, "I haven't opened my mouth."

"No," said the doctor quietly, "but you probably moved your foot."

Mr. Wilson looked under the table, saw the buttons and the cause of the commotion, and laughed.

"I had forgotten," he said, "that this is an age in which a man may shout with his foot."—New York Sun.

An Unselfish Child.

I must tell an anecdote of a little girl 4 years old. It was a spring day. It had been very hot in the morning. The little girl and her mother set gayly forth at 2 o'clock to make a long intended visit to a dearly beloved grandmamma. It was a long journey in an elevated road to the grandmamma's. The mother had, misled by the hot morning, dressed very lightly. Just as she was about to get into the cars with the child, who was beaming with expectation, she said: "My dear little girl, I am not warmly enough dressed. I am afraid that I shall catch cold. Would you be very much disappointed if we should go to grandmamma's another day?"

The joy in the child's face gave way to solicitude. "Come home," she said eagerly. "I hope, mamma, you have not caught cold," and all the way home she insisted on walking very fast, and talked about going the next day to see grandmamma.

This was a child who had never been punished in the slightest way—never even sent out of the room for punishment—who had always been reasoned with and treated with extreme tenderness—a child of strong will, of intense feeling, of ceaseless energy and a high temper by nature.—Harper's Bazar.

New Theory of Seasickness.

A new theory of seasickness has been recently offered by M. Rochet. Accepting the view that the symptoms are those of cerebral anæmia, he accounts for this anæmia by the disorder brought into muscular contractions through not being used to such sudden movements as those of vessels. M. Rochet's advice is, not to look to anæsthetics, soothing drugs, etc., for relief, but rather to muscular excitants, and, above all, to seek in voluntary movements a compensation for the reflex movements which are not produced. He recommends strychnine, veratrine, ergot of rye and drinks charged with carbonic acid.—New York Telegram.

His New Trade.

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The Term "John Bull."

Everybody knows that a "Johnny Bull" is an Englishman, but how few of us know how the term first came to be applied to subjects of the British sovereigns. According to the story of its origin, Dr. John Bull was the first Gresham professor of music, besides being organist and composer to her majesty, Queen Elizabeth. John, like all true Englishmen, traveled for improvement, and having heard of a famous musician at St. Omers, France, resolved to place himself under him as a novice. But circumstances soon convinced the master that his talents were inferior to those of his scholar, who, by the way, had not let the Frenchman know his name. Finally one day the musician thought to give John a genuine surprise by rendering a piece in forty parts, taking good care to let the pupil know that he defied all the world to add another part to his composition.

Bull requested to be left alone for a few minutes with the additional indulgence of a pen and ink. In a very short time he had added forty parts more to the song! The master went into ecstacies when he saw what his pupil had done, declaring that the musical world had had more added to it that day than it ever had before in the history of the world, winding up by informing the scholar that he must be one of two personages, either the devil or John Bull, the Englishman—a remark which has ever since been proverbial in Britain.—St. Louis Republic.

One Way to Attract Customers.

An Italian who conducts a confectionery stand in Park Row has adopted a novel idea to force custom. He leaves a silver half dollar lying upon the glass case in which his wares are inclosed. Naturally every one who comes along looks at the half dollar, and as a consequence has his attention called to the goods beneath the glass. Occasionally some well meaning individual, thinking such a reckless exposure of money unintentional and due to carelessness, will pause, call the attention of the Italian, and point to the coin. The Italian pretends to misunderstand the reason he is called.

"Half a pound cat'mels, did you say?" he inquires blandly, as he picks up the half dollar and puts it in his pocket.

"Er-er-a-yes," the victim replies about nine times out of ten. Why he does so reply it would be difficult to say, except on the theory that his good sense wilts beneath the supreme blandness of the Italian.—New York Tribune.

How a Nickel Can Be Made to Grow.

Some time ago the Ladies' Aid society agreed to invest a nickel in some kind of article, and sell it at a profit and reinvest it in something else, and so on, to speculate on this capital for two weeks and see how much each one could make. One lady on the same evening of the meeting bought a cabbage with her nickel. She carried it home and sold half of it to her neighbor for a nickel. She invested that in vinegar and pickled the remaining half and sold the pickle for 25 cents. She then bought 20 cents worth of cloth and a spool of thread and made it up into three aprons, which she sold for 55 cents each, and took the 75 cents and bought molasses, and gave a candy pulling to the children, making them pay 10 cents a plate for the candy. The molasses made twenty-one plates of candy, so she made $2.10 on the nickle in two weeks' time. How money will grow if properly used!—Reading Telegram.

Why It Is Called "North" River.

I overheard Chauncey M. Depew, at the Fifth Avenue hotel the other evening, explaining to some friends from the country the difference between the North and the East river. "Probably not one New Yorker in a thousand can account for the fact that we have an East and a North river instead of an East and a West river. The explanation is found in the fact that the Hudson was originally called the North river to distinguish it from the Delaware, which was familiarly known as the 'South river' among the early colonists. While the latter has become obsolete as a designation, the former is still in current use, although there is no use for it. It is just as easy to say 'Hudson' as 'North,' and it is certainly more charming to both eye and ear."—New York Star.

The Highest Chimney.

The highest smokestack in the world is said to be in Glasgow, Scotland. It belongs to Tennant & Co.'s chemical works, and is 460 feet high. The tallest chimney in England is, or was, in Liverpool, in the London road. We do not know its height, but it was on this chimney that the bricklayer was caught when the scaffolds were taken down. At the suggestion of his wife he unraveled his stockings and let the thread down. To the end she tied first a silk thread, then a thin cord, then a light and lastly a heavy rope, which he tied to the iron bar built into the chimney, and so let himself down.—New York Sun.

Sundown Doctors.

"One has to go no farther away than Washington," remarked a woman recently, "to come upon something unaccustomed. I was curious when I heard a sundown doctor mentioned during a visit there last month till I found out what he was. Young physicians it seems frequently add to the income of their first months of practice by service in some one of the departments. During the day they are clerks, but after 4 o'clock, at sundown, they become physicians; hence the designation."—Her Point of View in New York Times.

Frau Charlotte Embden, who recently celebrated the ninetieth anniversary of her birth, and who is the only sister of the poet Heinrich Heine, was born a year after he was, and in childhood especially they were much together.

Miss Elizbeth Peabody, who first introduced into this country from Germany the kindergarten method of teaching the children, is still living in Boston at the age of 87 years, and retains much interest in educational matters.

Nellie Tetrau, of Lumpkin, Colo., a girl of 14, is in charge of one of the immense road engines used in hauling logs to the sawmills. She is said to handle the throttle as well as any of the male engineers.

Dr. G. B. Bigelow, who is serving a term in the penitentiary for bigamy, has been left $30,000 by his first wife, who died lately.

Woman's Column.

Ramabai has added to her school for Hindoo widows a kindergarten for children from three to six years old.

Annie R. Osgood, of Fryeburg, Me., has been appointed by the governor to succeed her father as register of deeds for the western district of Oxford County.

Miss Anna E. Dixon has been elected County Superintendent of Schools for Napa County, Cal., on the Democratic ticket, in a Republican county. She ran nearly 500 ahead of her ticket.

Elizabeth Hollenbeck, who lately died at Los Angeles, Cal., deeded in trust $750,000 to found a home for indigent women and homeless children. A new refutation of the slander that "women are women's worst enemies."

The American Federation of Labor, at its recent annual convention in Detroit, Mich., with about 2,000 delegates present, representing 500,000 workingmen, voted to petition Congress for an amendment to the constitution of the United States enfranchising women.

Rev. Dr. Phillips Brooks closed his remarks on "ladies' night" at the Mystic Valley Club, with the significant remark that "the time will come when your picture-galleries and mechanics' fairs will not have separate departments for men and for women, and the Mystic Valley Club will not have their distinct and separate women's nights."

Mrs. Sarah Bristol Cooper, of San Francisco, contributes to the *Woman's Journal* of Dec. 20 a delightful account of the Free Kindergartens of that city, which she has been chiefly instrumental in establishing. Of the 8000 children collected from the lowest quarters of the city into these kindergartens, not one has ever appeared in a police court for any misconduct,—a high testimony to the good effect of kindergarten training.

Miss Julia Rappicourt, of Melbourne, Australia, took honors in Greek and French at Melbourne University at the age of sixteen. Now, at nineteen, in the examination for the clerical division of the Victoria civil service, with 196 competitors, this diligent young lady has secured 492 marks out of a possible 500 in mathematics—the highest rank ever taken in such a competition. She hopes to take her degree of M. A., and to study law.

Mrs. Carrie Steele, of Georgia, has founded a colored orphan asylum, where destitute children may be cared for and taught trades. A cottage and stable have been built, a larger building is going up, and four acres of land belonging to the asylum are under full cultivation. All the funds thus far have been raised by Mrs. Steele's personal exertions. She now appeals for State aid, and will probably receive it, the Atlanta papers speaking in high terms of this effort by a colored woman to care for and train "the hundreds of colored orphans who are growing up as material for the chain-gang."

The Case of Miss Carroll.

The effort to purchase an annuity for Miss Anna Ella Carroll is worthy of every encouragement. It seems to be the most prompt and practicable way of ensuring her comfort for the remainder of her life. At her age and in her state of health, a handsome annuity can be purchased for her for a comparatively small sum. The prospect is that not only the bill for a suitable pension, but even the payment of the government's direct money debts to her, will continue to be indefinitely postponed.

The Court of Claims has sat upon her case, and has officially declared that her claim is incontestable; but year after year and session after session the matter is crowded aside by business regarded as more important. During this time, millions of dollars have been voted in pensions to mothers, sisters, widows, daughters, and granddaughters of soldiers, women whose only claim to government aid lay in that relationship, and in the hardships the men of their families had suffered. We do not grudge them their pensions, or question the soundness, in most cases, of their claims. But meanwhile the woman who planned the masterstroke that turned defeat into victory at the most critical moment of the Civil War,—the woman but for whom the Union, in all probability, would not have been saved; the woman whose distinguished service to her country was the direct fruit of her own heart and brain,—is left unpensioned and neglected. It shows how much more easily the world accords recognition to women for services rendered within the generally accepted lines of "woman's sphere," than for a service of a thousand times the importance rendered in an unusual direction.

Nothing is more certain than that Miss Carroll's case will be quoted in history as one of the great instances of national ingratitude. In Byron's tragedy of Marino Faliero, the Doge of Venice, a celebrated general who has repeatedly saved Venice from destruction at the hands of the infidels, conspires against the State in his old age, is discovered, and condemned to death. His wife pleads eloquently before the council for his pardon. A member of the council says:

"He is a traitor, and betrayed the State."

Angiolina answers:

"And, but for him, there now had been no State
To save or to destroy; and you, who sit
There to pronounce the death of your deliverer,
Had now been groaning at a Moorish oar,
Or digging in the Hunnish mines in fetters."

It is interesting to consider where the U. S. Senate and House of Representatives would probably have been to-day, but for the woman whose case the senators and representatives allow to be crowded aside year after year by "more important business." But, unlike the Doge, Miss Carroll's only offense is her having unselfishly concealed her authorship of the plan of campaign, at a time when such concealment seemed to be for the public good.

Somewhere the statue is now waiting in the marble, that will surely be erected by and to the woman who saved the Union. Meanwhile, as it is evident that Congress is not likely to do anything during the lifetime of Miss Carroll, it is well that the women of the country should take the matter up. The appeal in her behalf should meet with a wide and warm response.

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A LETTER AND A TELEGRAM.

"I don't never waste words," said old Mr. Brown, in a hard, driving voice, "and I hain't good at letter writin', but I reckon this'n will cut!"

"It's a pity you writ it so hard, father," said his young daughter, trembling; "it'll hurt her to the heart; she didn't never mean to borry that $300, and then cheat you out o' it."

"She didn't eh? Then why hain't the mony back in my pocket, safe and sound! It's a year last Christmas since she pestered me about it, and I hain't seen hide nor hair on't yet; if that hain't a clear case o' cheatin', Fanny, I'll like to know what ye call it!"

The girl stopped churning a moment, and wiped a surreptitious tear from her eyelid before she answered:

"Call it nothing, father, but bad luck; when Sister Mary borryed that money to lift the mortgage, she expected to pay it back; but you know as how Brother John he was took with the rheumatics, and the overflow came, and the crop was ruint and then she couldn't pay; that's all, and God knows it's enough!"

"Twasn't my fault," snapped her father fiercely, as he pounded on the kitchen table to give vent to his anger. "I never put in the agreement to 'low for overflows, and rheumatics, and sich like, and I never would ha' lent her the $300 if it hadn't been for your sniffliu' and pesterin'. And now ye hear gal, not another dime of my earnius shall they ever smell, and I'll never forgive——"

The girl sprang up from the churn, crying, "No, father, don't say it—don't say it, father; you'll be sorry some day when it's too late; besides you're a church member, you know!"

"You're right 'bout that," said Mr. Brown, perversely; "I'm a church member, and don't owe nary a person a red cent, and the Bible says, 'an eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth,' and I'm going to have it!"

He pounded the table again with his fists, after a fashion he had of wanting to pound something or somebody when he felt particularly aggressive. But the sound of his voice had scarcely died away, when there came a knock at the door, and one of those ominous, yellow envelopes, marked with the impress of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was handed in. Mr. Brown took it, and looked it over in a helpless kind of fashion before breaking the seal. "How much to pay," he asked the boy, and passed over to him the change with trembling hand; though it was characteristic of the man that even then, with the knowledge that the telegram must contain terrible news, he was careful to count the dimes as they dropped back into his pocket. Oh, those cruel telegrams! Do the company ever remorsefully count the breaking hearts that are left in the wake of their messengers? Mr. Brown was a hard man, and loved his moneybags over well, but somewhere beneath the rough outward crusts there was an abiding affection for his children that needed something like the stirring of the soil around the violet-beds, to loosen the selfish bonds, and give his love a human voice. And when he read these words, "Mary died this evening, come at once," a great, sudden anguish filled his breast, and silently handing the despatch to Fanny, he walked from the kitchen and shut himself up in his own room, where years before death had made sundry visits. He did not cry out or fall, or make any sign that he was grief-stricken, but he was hurt to the soul, and a great remorse made him sick and faint. He had never put it in the agreement about sickness, overflows, and bad crops, as he had just said; neither had he "put it" that Mary in her young blooming matronhood days, should die—his first born? How could he bear it? and it was all the harder because of the cruel words he had uttered while she lay dead at home. Did he say he would never forgive her—did he really—really say that? Fanny had tried to stop him, and brought it to his mind that he was a "church member" and a Christian. As if a father ought to be merely a Christian to his own child. Why hadn't he given her the money? Might have done so five times over and never missed it. And the old man groaned remorsefully, as with these thoughts in his heart, heis gaze wandered over the great fields where the cotton would soon be a shimmering, fleecy sea, bringing new treasures to his hoarded gains, and mrking no hearts happy save his own.

Those few, poor stunted acres of John's and Mary's! Swamped by the overflow last spring, stock drowned, and John, wading waist deep, fighting with the waters, laid up with the rheumatic.

Suppose he had given 'em a thousand dollars?

Oh, the sting of remembering evil when it is too late to turn evil into good. And then there was that unkind letter. Did his child read those cruel words with the dying light in her eyes, or would it be left for the stricken husband to be treated to the short, stern homily!

He went back to the kitchen, where Fanny sat crying over the telegram. "Lock up the house," he said in a hurried way, for fear of his voice would falter; "we'll go at once. I'll hitch up while ye get ready." And when they had started on their long journey he quite broke down in talking over the past and telling Fanny little things here and there that no one would have supposed he had remembered.

"Mary was allus a dutiful da'arter," he said, putting into broken sentences the grief and remorse that overwhelmed him; "after her ma died, and she wasn't knee-high to a duck, she was like a second pairent to the little uns; nussed 'em through the measles, and when they was well, took it herself, and laid as quiet on the bed for fear o' giving trouble as if she warn't a child."

He didn't tell her of how, when the second Mrs. Brown was installed as mistress, Mary became the drudge and maid-of-all-work, and was nurse to a half-dozen more little Browns, who, like their mother, ruled her with a rod of iron. Nor of Mary's marriage with a sturdy, young fellow, who, for the lack of a little timely help, and the pressure of a large family, was kept with his nose to the perpetual grindstone. He did not tell how Mary pinched and worked, and sat up till late hours, and struggled to help her family, until in consequence of doctor's bills and babies, and poor crops, John was forced to give a mortgage on his house, when her (the father) might have lifted them out of their poverty. He might even have given them a better house; the oldest inhabitant could not remember when the ugly, ramshackle affair had been built. Some ancient ancestors had put up a couple of rooms, then added on a few more, until, what with patching and propping up, John's inheritance was an offence to the eye. Mr. Brown thought bitterly of all this through the long journey. Too late, too late seemed written in words of fire on every tree and shrub. At last the house was in sight; a poor, miserable place enough, but now, in the month of June, sweet with climbing roses and honeysuckle that the mistress's hand had trained to the porch.

"Who-o-o, Dandy." The children were in the yard; with a shout they ran to the gate, and as the old horse stopped, somebody rushed down the steps, and with a cry, "Why father, why Fanny," Mary in her famous clean calico and apron, and checks like roses, with the pleasure and excitement of the visit, was in her father's arms—her father, who held her as he had never done before, and kissed her with the tears running down his face.

"My child," he said presently, "you were dead, and are alive again. Thank God?"

"Why, father?" questioned Mary again, what on earth is the matter?" And she looked with frightened gaze at her sister, vaguely woudering if her father were stricken with some sudden insanity. For answer, Fanny drew out the telegram from her pocket, and gave it to Mary.

"It's all a wonderful mistake," exclaimed the elder woman, glancing it over, and hugging father and sister excitedly again. "We have a neighbor, Mrs. Mary Harris, who died last evening; she has a brother living somewhere near you, and by the way, his name is Brown—Richard Brown—your name father. They carried you the telegram instead of him. What a pity he won't hear of it, so as to get there to the burying."

And so, between hysterical sobs and smiles, and everybody talking at once, and asking questions that no one dreamed of answering, they went in under the bower of roses and honeysuckle, and presently John hobbled from the field on crutches, and the story was told all over again.

And when Mary slipped out into the kitchen to get an early supper, old Mr. Brown followed here and there, and she was folded tight in her father's arms again, while the tears streamed down both their faces. It was as if she had been raised from the dead.

"My child," whispered the old man, "I hain't been the best of fathers to ye; I ha' shut my eyes and my heart when I ought to ha' been the one to help ye; never ye mind 'bout that money; don't ye say one word 'bout it, and we'll knock this old rattletrap down to-morrow, and I'll show ye how to build a house!"

And so he did, and a very comfortable house it was, where John did not have to stoop when he went in and out of doors. And would you believe it? The letter, all the more harsh for being so brief, never did reach its destination. Old Mr. Brown's chirography was of a very inferior sort, and the postmaster couldn't puzzle out the address, much as he desired so to do; then the letter was forwarded to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, and in due time was returned to Mr. Brown, who quietly and satisfactorily consigned it to the flames.

Literary Notices.

The January issue of THE ARENA, published by the Arena Pub. Co., Boston, is a remarkably entertaining one. The frontispiece is a fine portrait of Alfred Russell Wallace, which is accompanied by a biographical sketch of him, and some of the able and interesting papers which follow are: The Three Objective Apparitions, Popular Leaders, A New Declaration of Rights, Was Christ a Buddhist? Immigration a Law of Nature, Silver Coinage, Would We Live Our Lives Over Again. A Symposium of Celebrated Winters, and others.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the weeks ending December 13th and 20th contain The Guide of the Early Italian painters, The Siege of Sunda Gunge, The Development of Tropical Africa under British Auspices, Under a Colonnade, Irish Chronicles, Gerald the Great, Mme. de Chevreuse, Housekeeping Troubles in the Australian Colonies, Interviewing Extraordinary, Koch's Cure for Consumption, General Booth's Scheme, English as She is Wrote at Munich, The Light Reading of our Audestors, Robert Browning, The Obiteration of Florence, A Recent Visit to Goa, Deep-Sea Fish, Some Notes on the History of Books for Children, with instalments of Marcia by W. E. Norris, and Eight Days, and poetry and miscellany. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

Taking up the January WIDE AWAKE one is led to reflect that this magazine has a particularly happy and kindly way of enlisting the interest and the fancy of its readers by its Prize Competitions. Its amusing "Nonsense Animals" were enjoyed by young and old and showed that the drawing-lessons at school had really trained young fingers to express ideas with the pencil; the Lumbkin, Prig or Hero competition was not a bad course in Moral Philosophy. The Prize Anagram competition amused thousands of readers. For 1891 Miss Rimmer's Prize Art-series: The Drawing of the Child Figure bids fair to be of great interest to children, while the Prize Problems in Horology, by E. H. Hawley of the Smithsonian Institution, will call forth the efforts of the students in the Latin and High Schools. The stories and articles of the January number are each excellent of their kind and are by such authors as Susan Coolidge, Mrs. Burton Harrison, Margaret Sidney, Elbridge S. Brooks, Ernest Ingersoll, Kirk Munroe, etc.

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In the January ST. NICHOLAS—the second of the Holiday numbers of this magazine—Charles Dudley Warner calls up the thousands of its readers to hear A Talk about Reading. The Pratt Institute, Brooklyn's Great Industrial School, is fully described by a well-informed writer. One of the pleasant surprises which the Editor of ST. NICHOLAS is fond of offering to subscribers, is an unannounced little fanciful serial, Ellie's Visit to Cloudland, by Frances V. Austen, with just the sort of pictures that children like, and plenty of them, too. Andrew Lang continues his Story of the Golden Fleece; J. T. Trowbridge and Noah Brooks vigorously carry on their serials, and Mrs. Jamison's Lady Jane promises the conclusion in the next number. There is a Christmas story illustrated; a poem by Celia Thaxter; funny pictures by Bensell; a short article on Michael Angelo; a jingle with humorous illustrations by Brenon, and other contributions, perhaps not inferior in merit to some of those named.

The first instalment of the selections from Talleyrand's long-expected Memoirs is the most striking feature of the January CENTURY. A sketch of Talleyrand by Minister Whitelaw Reid prefaces this instalment. Before plunging into the Gold Discovery the California series pauses at the Pioneer Spanish Families in California, of which Mr. Charles H. Shinn writes with special reference to the Vallejos, a supplementary paper, by Mr. John T. Doyle, giving an account of the contemporary life in the Spanish Missions of Alta California. Both articles are illustrated from authentic sources, Mr. Fenn having made a special trip to California to make his sparkling drawings of the Missions, which refute the charge that America has no ruins! Further glimpses of the simple and courteous pastoral life before the gold discovery are afforded by a series of short articles in the department of California, on A Californian Lion and a Pirate. A Carnival Ball at Monterey, A Journey from Monterey to Los Angeles, and Domestic Life in 1827, and there is a characteristic letter from Sutter to Alvarado. The balance of the number's papers are timely and of much interest. A good many of them are finely illustrated.

PETERSON for February is in some respects an advance on the beautiful January number. The illustrations seem even more numerous, and the excellent opening article, Among Japanese Marvels, displays a profusion of very effective ones. The Sheriff of Oskaloo, by Howard Seely is one of the most spirited sketches we have seen from the pen of this popular author. Minna Irving contributes a fine poem which is fitly illustrated A Tardy Answer, by Katharine Allen, is a delightful story and has a number of fine illustrations. Another illustrated paper is Filling Nooks and Corners, which gives such useful and clear explanations that the veriest tyro in housekeeping or furnishing can profit thereby. Miss McClelland's serial, In The Woods, is a wonderfully realistic production, and Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper's Queen of Diamonds promises to be superior to any of her former efforts. There is besides various capital short stories and poems. The fashion plates and descriptions, needlework designs, table recipes and household directions are practical and useful. Terms, two dollars a year, with reduced rates to clubs. Address PETERSON MAGAZINE COMPANY, 306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

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Why Politicians Are Big Men.

There is no more trying business than politics. Men of long experience in the elections of New York watch the leaders of the different parties with an interest that is more or less gruesome. The steady, interminable and violent wear and tear on the men who head the big political movements tell on their looks, weight and manner so rapidly that the most sturdy constitutions would break down under it if it were not for the short period during which the excitement lasts.

The men who are so fond of tracing the subtle connection between the physical appearance of man and his mental occupations should consider that one reason why the successful New York politician is always represented as a broad shouldered, powerfully built man, with a thick neck, a round head and a plentiful supply of strength is because about the only successful ward workers in town who are able to Lold their own as the years roll by must have a strong physique—*New York Sun.*

How Nice

Miss Bell is looking, Addie. Yes, Laura. Why, only a year ago her face was completely covered with pimples, blotches, and sores. She told mother that she owed her nice, clear complexion to her using Sulphur Bitters. Well, Laura, I shall try them too.

Discouraging the Whittling Habit.

In New Haven they are determined to discourage the practice of whittling public buildings. A prisoner in the lockup climbed up a ventilator shaft and cut away a number of slats, only to be nabbed by the vigilant watchman. Brought before the magistrate he was fined $20 and costs for damaging the building, in addition to receiving the penalty for the missdeeds that brought him into the toils of the law.—*Boston Transcript.*

Rheumatism.

Our daughter had the rheumatism so severe that she was helpless for months. We were induced through our uncle, James McFarland, of this place, to give Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y., a trial. In a short time she began to improve, slept well, and soon recovered from all effects of the dread disease.—L. M. Sanford, No. 319 Fifth street, Des Moines, Iowa.

The Little Church Around the Corner.

The useful career and unblemished character of George Holland will be recalled by all who knew him. He lived a bright and cheerful spirit in this world for eighty years, for time could not age his youthful heart. He was the merriest man I ever knew.

Upon the announcement of the death of George Holland, I called at the house of his family, and found them in great grief. The sister of Mrs. Holland informed me that they desired the funeral to take place from the church, as many of Mr. Holland's friends would like to mark their love and respect for him by their attendance, and that the house in which the family lived was too small to receive the large gathering of people that would be likely to assemble. The lady desired me to call upon the pastor of her own church, and request him to officiate at the service. I at once started in quest of the minister, taking one of the sons of Mr. Holland with me. On arriving at the house, I explained to the reverend gentleman the nature of my visit, and the arrangements were made for the time and place at which the funeral was to be held. Something, I can scarcely say what, gave me the impression that I had best mention that Mr. Holland was an actor. I did so in a few words, and concluded by presuming that probably this fact would make no difference. I saw, however, by the restrained manner of the minister, and an unmistakable change in the expression of his face that it would make, at least to him, a great deal of difference. After some hesitation he said that he would be compelled, it Mr. Holland had been an actor, to decline holding the service at the church.

While his refusal to perform the funeral rites for my old friend would have been a shock under ordinary circumstances, the fact that it was made in the presence of the dead man's son was more painful than I can describe. I turned to look at the youth, and saw that his eyes were filled with tears. He stood as one dazed with a blow just realized; as if he felt the terrible injustice of a reproach upon the kind and loving father who had often kissed him in his sleep, and had taken him on his knee when the boy was old enough to know the meaning of the words, and told him to grow up to be an honest man. I was hurt for my young friend and indignant with the man—too much so to reply; and I rose to leave the room with a mortification that I cannot remember to have fel

The Woburn Journal

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 5d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

"The General Court shall have full power to erect and constitute new towns in this Commonwealth by dividing and setting off any portion of the territory of any existing town or towns: *provided*, that no such town or towns shall be divided for such purpose unless it be with the consent and on the application of a majority of the voters of such town present and voting thereon, at a meeting duly warned and holden for that purpose."

The above resolution came up in the last Legislature and was referred to the Legislature of 1891, which, it is presumed, will give it some attention this winter.

There are men in the General Court and out of it who take a deep interest in this matter and they propose to keep on agitating it until the proposition is submitted to the people to vote on. The question involved in the proposed change is an important one. The voters of Massachusetts should be allowed to settle it as they please, and that too without any unnecessary delay.

If the proposed amendment should go to the people for their decision it would be easy enough to guess what the verdict would be. To divide a town against the remonstrance of a majority of its voters is an outrage against majority rule, and a Legislature ought to be debarred from exercising any such power by adopting the constitutional amendment above set forth.

CHIEF WADE'S ANNUAL REPORT.

A copy of the annual report of Hon. Rufus R. Wade, Chief of the Massachusetts District Police, has been received at this office. As usual it is a complete work, and as to the matters treated it is exhaustive.

Some fifty pages are devoted to the subject of ventilation which the Chief handles vigorously and from the standpoint of the best modern ideas on this important question. The paper is profusely illustrated with drawings of school houses, inside and out; with representations of the different modes of expelling the bad air of school and other rooms; with cuts of machinery and apparatus used in the same. This part of the report is worthy of careful study.

Other questions discussed by Chief Wade are of hardly less importance, notably, Employment of Children in Factories, Women as Factory Inspectors, Employment of Illiterate Minors, Protection of Human Beings in Hotels in case of Fire, and many others.

The work of the Chief and his corps has been well done, and his report will doubtless be examined and studied with much interest.

A PENSION FOR GEN. BANKS.

A few days ago the thousands of admirers and warm friends of Gen. N. P. Banks not only in this Congressional District but in all parts of the State and country as well, were delighted to learn from the Washington newspaper correspondents that the Congressional Committee having the matter in charge had reported in favor of granting him a pension of $100 per month—not half as much as he deserved, but better than nothing.

It is surmised that the gallant old General's successor, Mr. Hoar, was largely instrumental in bringing about this very commendable decision by Congress.

☞ With hardly any warning at all *The Woburn Daily City Press* was safely launched from the Hart buildings on Main St., about 9 o'clock last Saturday evening. It is a 6-column sheet and makes a respectable appearance. Three, and some say four, stalwart journalists are at the Editorial end of the new venture, and if only there was business enough here to give a daily even the scantiest kind of a support such an Editorial Staff ought to be able to make a success of it. But there is the rub! At anyrate, we seriously hope that this daily is not the swan-song of the first, last and only Democratic paper that ever tried to plant itself and make a living in Woburn.

☞ The Adams (Mass.) *Enterprise* is a new journalistic candidate for public patronage and if it keeps on as well as it began it will deserve it. It is a neat, bright paper, of which W. F. Davis is the Editor and publisher. Success to it.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Miss Messer—Card.
Advertiser—Found.
Dr. Dodge—Coughs.
C. M. Carroll—Sietson.
C. Greenwood—To Let.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
L. L. Whitney—Citation.
Cooper & Rand—For Sale.
C. Lamb—Weather Strips.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Home for A. W.—An. Meeting.

— No school yesterday.

— Read "Money Found."

— Read Dr. Dodge's card in this paper.

— Mr. Gilman F. Jones has been visiting Buffalo N. Y., this week.

— The K. of L. will give an Assembly at Vidette Hall this evening.

— "The Middlesex County National Bank," eh? Not *this* crop of potatoes.

— Mr. Curtis Greenwood offers to rent a very desirable house in this city.

— Rev. Dr. March has been lecturing on missions in Vermont this week.

— Lovell keeps one of the neatest, nicest, and most orderly drugstores in this city.

— Gage & Co. ("Co." means Fred Flint) have changed their business card this week.

— The First Congregational Parish in this city will hold their annual meeting next week.

— Durward furnishes everything good to eat in the meat and vegetable line at his market.

— Mr. William P. Symonds has become connected with the Secretaryship of the Lynn Y. M. C. A.

— Mrs. Page Eaton of this city is pleasantly settled at Hotel Oxford, Huntington Ave., Boston.

— Mr. William Johnson has gone to Canada for a visit of a few weeks among old friends and scenes.

— Mr. Willard Smith has an interesting advertisement in this paper. The ladies will do well to read it.

— Copeland's display windows are a perfect beauty this week. True taste is employed in their arrangement.

— Mr. Charles Johnson of this city, son of Mr. Joseph Johnson, has been appointed usher at the State House.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith, the dry goods and carpet dealer, and salespeople took "count of stock" last week.

— Mr. Sherburne, who is to be manager of Eaton's shoe factory, is a brother-in-law of Chief of Police McIntosh.

— Dr. Fisher, Superintendent of the State institution at Tewksbury, will soon lecture before the Y. M. C. A. of this city.

— Mr. Moses Bancroft keeps one of the largest and best stocks of boots and shoes in this city. His prices are very reasonable.

— At the incipient blaze in Park street the other night a man had his shoulder dislocated. The particulars were not disclosed.

— The next meeting of the Friday Night Club will be held the evening of Jan. 30, when a dramatic entertainment will be given.

— Mr. J. T. Freeman is sick with blood-poisoning and is confined to his house. His doctor says he will be around again soon.

— The annual meeting of the Corporation and Managers of the Woburn Home for Aged Women will be held Feb. 3. See notice.

— Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., of Newbury street, held a reception on Wednesday evening.—"*Table Talk*" *in Boston Courier.*

— Cooper & Rand want real estate in Woburn in exchange for a number of shares of the Johnston Electrical Train Signal Co's stock and cash.

— Mr. Chester Smith remembered the JOURNAL office when distributing "C. Willard Smith's Edition of the Jenness-Miller Quarterly Journal."

— Mr. Amos Cummings offers 5000 yards of standard calico, fast colors, at 5 1-2 cents a yard and some other goods in proportion. See his announcement.

— The census of 1890 reported as residents of Woburn, 343 persons from Nova Scotia, 132 from New Brunswick and 121 from Prince Edwards Island.

— Everyone who loves good music and to dance is looking forward with much pleasure to the annual ball of the Red Men which will come off on Feb. 4.

— A heavy rain storm set in yesterday morning and continued until snow and sleighing disappeared and by noon were numbered among the things that were.

— The second Officers party of the Woburn High School Battalion will be given at Lyceum Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 13. Great preparations for it are under way.

— The Friday Night Club has in preparation, to be given at a date to be announced hereafter, a drama of universal interest. The best of local talent has the play in hand.

— The Boston Art Club recently purchased for exhibition a picture recently painted by Benjamin Champney of this city. It was a bunch of roses, the Boston papers stated.

— Last week we got from the Boston and Yarmouth Steamship Co. one of the best calendars received this year. Shouldn't wonder if Bro. Pindar had something to do with sending it.

— Hon. E. D. Hayden's name appeared in the list of those of the solid men of Boston who signed the call for a meeting to protest against free silver coinage held in the Cradle of Liberty.

— Miss M. C. Messer has a professional card in the JOURNAL this week to which we call attention. She is an intelligent, well educated lady, and understands her business thoroughly.

— G. S. Russell of Marlboro has been elected Assistant Treasurer of the Johnston Electric Train Signal Co. After Feb. 1 the Company will remove its headquarters to their factory in Woburn.

— Mr. E. N. Blake is making steady, although not very rapid, progress towards perfectly restored health. Dyspepsia is the enemy that has been carrying his flesh off for a few months past.

— The Universalists held their meeting last Sunday in Concert Hall. Rev. W. A. Start preached. Subject "Salvation." Rev. Dr. Leonard of Tufts College will preach in same place next Sunday at 2.30.

— Rev. John Quealy, Pastor of St. Charles (R. C.) church of this city, was ordained to the ministry 45 years ago last Sunday. He has been at the head of St. Charles Church here more than a quarter of a century.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade takes the prospective change in the head of the Woburn postoffice about as coolly and indifferently as any of those who are not so deeply interested in the matter as he is. The clerks appear quite serene too.

— The conference of the Y. M. C. A. of the District of Massachusetts and Rhode Island opens to-day in the First Baptist church in this city and will continue over Sunday. The order of exercises was correctly printed in the JOURNAL last week.

— People who have any regard to their comfort and would save fuel at the same time should call on Mr. Cyrus Lamb at once and get him to put his weather strips on their doors. They are the best invention to keep cold out of the house now in vogue.

— Florest McGregor is meeting with excellent success in raising English violets at the Dow greenhouses. They are very fashionable in Boston just now and Mr. McGregor sells a great many very nice ones there every morning. English violets are his hobby at present.

— Nobody could reasonably ask for finer sleighing than we have had this week. And it has been fully improved by the people, especially by gay and festive sleighing parties, for the enjoyment of which the silvery light of a moon nearly full has added materially.

— If it wasn't for the help of Mr. William B. Ward, the perambulating and very popular knife and scissors grinder, we would find it rather up-hill work to edit the JOURNAL as well as it is edited at the present time. As an Assistant Editor we find Mr. Ward's services very valuable.

— Frank T. Robinson, a stockholder, director, and one of the mainstays of the Electric Signal Company, is Art Critic for the Boston *Traveller*. For a good many years he held the same position on the Boston *Advertiser*, and has done like kind of work on other Boston and some N. Y. papers.

— The grand annual ball of the Woburn Firemen's Relief Association will take place on the evening of Jan. 30, that is say, on next Friday. A great many tickets have been sold for it because it is to be grand affair, and secondly because everyone likes to see our firemen's affairs prosper.

— Probably no house in this or any other country of the old world has reduced to a system the manufacture and sale of furniture to a more advanced stage of perfection than can be found at Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal St., Boston. It is marvellous how such fine goods can be produced at so little cost.

— During the past year Messrs. Moses Colman & Sons of Portland street, Boston, of which Mr. E. C. Colman of this city is a member, have sold nearly 6000 horses and ponies. They are large dealers in ponies, of which they import great numbers. They say it has been a good year for business in horses.

— It isn't generally known that Albert Thompson is an artist in crayon work as well as in paints and oils, but it is true nevertheless, and not only so, but he is a master-workman at it. Recent productions of his in this line prove beyond a peradventure that as a crayon artist Mr. Thompson has no superiors and but few peers.

— Mr. Joseph Johnson who resides on Pleasant street has entered on his 50th year of continuous service at the Dow tannery, the time he was fighting the enemies of the Union to be taken out. Probably there is not another man in Woburn who can point to a continuous service of almost 50 years for the same business concern.

— Organist Clark, ever mindful of the pleasure of those of the congregation who love good music, has arranged the following fine programme for next Sunday's morning service at the First Congregational church:

Organ Prelude. German Choral Variation. "Jesus meine Zuversicht." A. Hesse
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite in G." Clark
Choir Anthem. "The Lord is my light." Reichardt
Organ Postlude. "Postludium in Dilinor." Hesse

— All of our old subscribers having paid up so promptly this January, and so many new ones have come in and paid in advance, that we really begin to feel as though we were on the high road to great worldly prosperity. We are going to try hard to merit, in measure at least, the kindness which our numerous patrons have shown the JOURNAL this year.

— The will of the late George Thompson gives his wife all the property except the house at 8 Ringgold st., Boston, his books and $300. Marietta T. Jameson, his daughter, and her children receive the Boston house, and to his grandson, John F. Jameson, he gives his set of Harper's magazines. To his three grandchildren he gives $100 each.

— A continued hearing of the Dow will case before the Judge of Probate at East Cambridge was postponed to last Monday or Tuesday in order to obtain the attendance of Mrs. George F. Ellis and Mr. A. A. Dow as witnesses. When the day came around Mrs. Ellis was mourning the sudden death of her husband, and Mr. Dow the loss of his daughter, Mrs. Brown of Stoneham.

— Burdett's Boston Business College, 592 Washington street, enjoys a reputation second to no similar institution in this country. It is patronized by people from everywhere and with New England young aspirents for business acquirments it is a particular favorite. The proprietors are esteemed residents of Woburn, by whose young ladies and gentlemen their very successful Business College is well patronized.

— Within a short time the Eaton Shoe Manufacturing Co. of Plymouth, N. H., will commence operations in a part of the N. J. Simonds buildings recently leased to them by Dr. J. M. Harlow for 5 years. In order to secure this manufacturing concern it is said that Dr. Harlow not only put the rent very low but gave them the first year's outright. The Doctor isn't in the habit of doing things by the halves.

— Friendly Aid Society in this city numbers about 400 members, and has elected the following officers: Past President, Amariah V. Haynes; President, Charles M. Strout; Vice-President, Mrs. Margaret Turner; Secretary, William J. Brown; Treasurer, Frederick A. Flint; Chaplain, Mrs. Hibbard C. Thompson; Marshal, Hibbard C. Thompson; Warden, Charles W. Dorr; Sentinel, Edward D. Kempton; Trustees, Lawrence Reade, Wellington W. McCabe, Joseph H. Parker.

— Snow and rain storms are frequent and of a somewhat singular character. There was snow and rain and sleet on Saturday and Sunday which gave the trees, the limbs bending under their crystal loads, a brilliant appearance. Seldom does the ice monarch give such an exhibition of his skill in the manipulations of frost as that of last Sunday. Nobody else could do such exquisitely delicate and beautiful work, and nothing else could play havoc with it all so effectually and speedily as the sun.

— We have been placed under obligations this week to Messrs. C. A. & F. H. Burdett, proprietor of Burdett's Boston Business College, for a rare piece of calendar work. It is a large, handsomely ornamented calendar executed by these gentlemen entirely with pen and black ink and then lithographed. There must have been a great amount of work put into it. It is highly ornamental as well as useful, and we have our doubts as to there being another person in Boston who could do such a job of pen and ink work.

— It is entirely safe to say that the concert to be given in the Winchester Town House on next Monday evening, Jan. 26, is to be the musical event of the season in that pleasant village. It will be worth several times the price of admission to hear Heinrich Schnecker play the harp, for he "is just splendid." All the artists engaged move in the highest musical circles in Boston except Mr. Whitten, whose reputation as a baritone is not confined to Winchester. It is expected that a large number of Woburn people will go down next Monday evening and attend this grand concert.

— Mr. Preston, our new City Auditor, is a gentleman who will fill the position with ability and fidelity if we have been correctly informed. He did a large part of the work during the last of Auditor Blodgett's term on account of that gentleman's enforced residence in New York City, and everyone says he did it admirably. He is the Clerk of Mr. Daniel W. Sanborn, Superintendent of the B. & M. RR. Co. Southern Division, which speaks well for him as an accountant and bookkeeper. The Municipal Building people speak in high praise of his clerical capacity, and being, as they say, a right down good fellow, his elevation to office meets with general and cordial approbation.

— Mr. Ralph A. Tenney of Chicago sent us a copy of the Chicago *Post* the other day which announced the approaching nuptials of some mutual friends accompanied with their portraits which we were very glad to get. Not more so, however, than to be remembered by the old Illinois pioneer who laid out towns, ran newspapers, engineered political machines, nearly 40 years ago, and finally settled down, "a wiser and better man," in the Garden City on Lake Michigan. Ralph was an excellent person in every sense of the word until he got to flocking with Artemus Ward in the Mississippi Valley away back in the early sixties. He even recovered from that after a while, and has lived an exemplary life ever since. He will please accept our thanks for the kind remembrance and favor.

— A meeting of the Board of Trade was held at the Rooms last Tuesday evening at which President Buchanan presided. Various matters were discussed by the members present but nothing in particular was done. It looks as though the Board was in imminent danger of total collapse. It has been a good institution for the place and might prolong its usefulness if properly encouraged by the right class of citizens. It is composed of many of the best business men of the city—men of wealth, intelligence and local pride—and if they would all turn to and heartily co-operate with President Buchanan, Vice-President Skinner, Secretary Lewis, and the few others who still cling to the institution and try to help it live, a great work might be accomplished by the Board. We hope to see interest in it revive and the busy days and evenings of its prime return once more.

— Hope Lodge, D. of R., held an installation of officers last Tuesday evening. Deputy Grand Master John E. Brown, assisted by Mrs. H. K. Wilson, G. W.; Mrs. R. Hicks, G. R. S.; Mrs. M. J. Mills, Grand Treasurer; Mrs. Annie Perham, Grand Guard; Mrs. Julia A. Burroughs, Grand Secretary; Mrs. Helen Shaw, Grand Marshal, officiated. The following officers were installed: Noble Grand, Mrs. Augusta A. Corbett; Vice Grand, Mrs. Lydia Buxton; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Hattie N. Deland; Permanent Secretary, Mrs. Ida M. Magee; Treasurer, E. M. Colomb; Warden, Clara Cole; Outside Guardian, Pauline DeLoriea; Conductor, Sophia Corbett; Inside Guardian, Annie Anderson; Right Supporter Noble Grand, George H. Woodside; Left Supporter Noble Grand, Sarah C. Lamb; Chaplain, Eugene Hovey; Right Supporter Vice Grand, Lucy Taylor; Left Supporter Noble Grand, Ruth Ward.

— We had been impressed with the idea that we had eaten "oranges as was oranges" before, but it was a mistake. Not until last Saturday evening did we ever know just what kind of fruit a real, genuine Florida orange is. Mr. Fred A. Hartwell of the City Market was the gentleman who enlightened our understanding on the subject. He had just received some boxes of "Indian River Oranges" from his brother E. A. Hartwell of Rock Ledge, situated on that river, with whom Miss Fannie Hartwell (Fred's daughter) is spending the winter, and on his invitation the JOURNAL sampled them. They were immense in size, golden as to hue, luscious to the palate, and weigh from a pound to a pound and a quarter each. We never tasted anything like them before in the orange line. They are so juicy that to do it just right they should be treated as "spoon victuals" and their contents dished out with small ladles. The Florida orange is the finest raised on this continent, and the "Indian River" is away ahead the best of all other kinds.

— Seventeen of her music pupils treated Miss Alice O'Brien to a genuine surprise party last Friday evening at her home on Church Avenue. They assembled and took possession of the establishment and after matters had got quieted down a little one of the 17, previously chosen for the purpose, in behalf of her fellow-pupils, as a token of their esteem for her and of their appreciation of her ability and fidelity as a teacher of the piano-forte, presented her with an elegant piano lamp and a handsome gold ring. Miss O'Brien returned her hearty thanks for the same, after which a pleasant evening was passed in the enjoyment of excellent music, conversation, friendly intercourse, and the discussion of an elegant collation spread before the party by Mrs. and the Misses O'Brien. We would not omit to state that the presentation of the ring and lamp was made by Miss Bessie Farrey in a neat speech. The names of the donors were: Misses A. Kelleher, Mary Kelleher, Mary Gleason, Lizzie Flaherty, Bessie Farrey, Maggie Reynolds, Nellie McGovern, Annie O'Donnell, Annie O'Brien, Winchester; Annie Leary, Winchester; Katie Ahern, Mary Kerwin, Mary McDonald, Christina Bowe, Agnes Larkin, Nellie Farrey, Master John O'Donnell.

— Mr. Louis White, the tonsorial artist at Lyceum Hall, is one of the finest in the city. Everything is kept in first class order and his razors are as sharp as the hone can make them. Especial attention paid to the cutting of ladies' and children's hair.

Our New Postmaster.

Arthur B. Wyman, nominated by President Harrison for postmaster at Woburn, is a son of Captain Walter Wyman, one of Woburn's oldest and most respected citizens. The son is also much esteemed by those who know him, but he is not generally known to the citizens personally, as he is of a retiring disposition. He was a soldier in the civil war, saw active service, and was also a prisoner. He was endorsed for the position by several leading Republicans, including ex-Congressman F. D. Hayden and Hon. John Cummings.—*Boston Herald.*

The appointment of Mr. Wyman gives universal satisfaction. He is a man liked by everyone acquainted with him for his personal qualities, and therefore everyone rejoices at his good fortune in getting a nibble at the public crib.

Mr. Wyman was a soldier, on which score, to say nothing of other merits, he deserved the appointment. He received a good education at the Woburn public schools; is an intelligent man; is orderly and methodical; and there is no doubt at all but that he will make a worthy successor to Mr. Lawrence Reade.

Soaping a Railroad.

Once a western railroad company laid a rail over a widow's farm at quite a grade, and did not compensate her as she thought they should have done. About once a month she soaped the rails, checking the trains, and finally in this way brought the company to terms. Soap is a power in the world, and the monarch of all soap is Brussels soap. It delighteth the heart and is a foe to uncleanliness. It's economical.

The Infallible Deacon.

Infallible Republican Deacon George A. Hobbs says in his Woburn (Mass.) JOURNAL: "It is evident that there is quite a good many Republican Senators who do not regard the Bayonet Elections' bill as a panacea for all the political ills which the South are afflicted with; and not a few Republicans go so far as to express the belief that Senator Hoar's course and an everlasting agitation of the political affairs of the South are not well calculated to lessen the race difficulties down there. If let severely alone there would soon be two parties in the South, and matters would speedily settle themselves in good shape."—*Genoa Junction (Wis.) Journal.*

Oh, no, sir, the JOURNAL didn't say "Bayonet Elections" bill. Talk straight, Luther.

An Exceptional Legislator.

Woburn boasts of an exceptional legislator in the person of Senator E F. Wyer, who is said to have returned to the railroad company the free pass that was sent to him. Such action ought not to be rare. We look forward to a time when the State will pay the railroad fare of its legislators and leave them free and unbiased, in this respect at least to look after the interests of the whole people as distinguished from those of greedy and unscrupulous corporations. There have been times when the latter have got all they wanted regardless of the rights of the people. —*Lynn Transcript.*

Lower Street Car Fares.

After examining the question in all its bearings the Directors of the East Middlesex Street Railroad Company have decided to reduce the fare between Woburn and Stoneham to five cents, as has been several times suggested it would be profitable for them to do by the JOURNAL. Some of the Board doubted whether the step could be safely taken at present; but the weight of opinion and ballots was in favor of the reduction and consequently the same was ordered last week.

We have no doubt but that the Company have done a wise thing for themselves while doing justice to the public. There will be a large increase of travel between Woburn and Stoneham which will be for the advantage of the stockholders of the line as well as for the places named. Too high fares operate against the interests of those who exact them more severely, if anything, than against those who have to pay them. The public need not travel unless they want to, but the Company must keep up their property, run their road, and be to large expense whether they get anything for it or not.

There can be no question but that the East Middlesex Co. will increase their revenues by the step they have taken. Reductions of fares and prices have always worked that way and always will, providing they are not reduced below a living point. If the Boston & Maine RR. Company would give Woburn a 10-cent fare between here and Boston they would make more money than they now do on the passenger traffic at the Woburn station. It is just so with every kind of business—low prices, cheap fares, small single profits but big in the aggregate—that is the order of the day, and in the JOURNAL's opinion not many weeks will elapse before the E. M. St. RR. Co. will begin to realize the wisdom of their course.

Meeting of School Board.

The members of the Woburn School Board have been assigned to the following committees:

Buildings and Hygiene, Carter and Mrs. Adams; Text Books and Course of Study, Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Adams; Rules and Regulations, Mrs. Cummings, Mr. Dodge; Music and Drawing, Mrs. Dow, Mr. Cummings; Physical Training and Military Drill, Mrs. Adams, Mr. Kenney.

The members of the Board have been assigned to the schools as follows:

Adams—High, Plympton. Bean—Union street, Morse street, Highland, Lawrence. Carter—High, Union street, Cambridge street. Mr. Cummings—Johnson, Rumford, Morse street, Cedar street. Cummings—Rumford, Cummings, Plympton. Dodge—Highland, Cummings, Montvale, Cambridge street. Dow—Lawrence, Montvale, Main street. Kenney—Cummings, Johnson, Hudson, Cedar street. Smith—Cummings, Plympton, Main street, Hudson.

Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

At the regular meeting of the Board held on Thursday evening, January 15, Hon. Edward F. Johnson, at the request and on the nomination of Mayor Bean, in the absence of the regular incumbent, was elected City Clerk pro tem and discharged the duties thereof. It was a courteous thing for the Mayor to do, and the compliment was deserved. It was also indicative of a desire on the part of the new city government to be on good terms with the one recently retired from authority.

Committee on Rules reported the State Aid Committee should be hereafter an Aldermanic Committee solely and not a Joint Standing Committee as formerly. Adopted. The Mayor then announced the following list of committees:

ALDERMENS.

On Elections—Ham, Dearborn.
On Enrolled Ordinances—Walsh, Ham.
On Erection of Buildings—Pushee, Fowle.
On License—Committee of the whole.
On Police—The Mayor, Davis, Finn.
On State Aid—The Mayor, Pushee, Fowle.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

On Accounts—Fowle, Walsh.
On Almshouse—Finn, Finn.
On Assessment and Collection of Taxes—Pushee.
On Claims—The Mayor, Pushee, Walsh.
On Finance—The Mayor, Davis, Dearborn.
On Fire Department—Pushee, Davis.
On Fuel—Ham, Fowle.
On Health—Walsh, Fowle.
On Highways—Fowle, Pushee.
On Ordinances—Dearborn, Finn.
On Printing—Dearborn.
On Public Property—Davis, Walsh.
On Salaries—Finn, Pushee.
On Sewerage—Davis, Finn.
On Street Lights—Finn, Dearborn.
On Water—Dearborn, Ham.

Then petitions were presented for coasting privileges on the easterly portion of Fowle street, on Lexington Street hill or Fox hill and on Sturgis street from Warren street to Horn Pond. These were about to be referred to the committee on Police when Alderman Dearborn, Ward 6, moved in view of the questionable duration of coasting chances that they be granted. Allowed.——For the right to attach wires of the Postal Telegraph company to such of the Fire Department poles as would enable that company to connect with F. B. Leed's drug store. Referred to committee on Fire Department.——For an increase of $100 per annum in the pay of the Police Officers, prayed for by members of the force. Referred to committee on Police.

Hugh Martin was elected Assistant Superintendent of Street.——John Connolly was elected Janitor of Municipal Building in concurrence.——F. P. Curran, Esq., was elected City Solicitor 4 to 3.

Vote read approving of a special committee to oversee completion of the Highland school house. Concurred and committee ordered. The Mayor named Davis, Ward 1, and Ham, Ward 2, as members on the part of the Board.

Reports of the Cemetery Commissioners, City Treasurer, Board of Health and Overseers of the Poor received and placed on file.

The bond of the City Treasurer ($50,000, Messrs. Joseph Buck, Griffin Place and John Johnson, guarantors) read and approved.

Adjourned to Jan. 22 7.45 P. M.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a meeting of the Woburn Common Council last Friday evening, Hugh Martin was chosen Assistant Superintendent of Streets, in concurrence.

The vote for City Solicitor was: Francis P. Curran, 3; John W. Johnson, 7. Mr. Johnson was chosen in non-concurrence. Mr. Curran was the choice of the Aldermen. President Waldron made the following appointments of committees:

COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Elections—Littlefield, Bowers, Weafer.
Enrolled Ordinances—Hanson, Larkin, Bowers.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

Accounts—Littlefield, McAvoy, Hanson.
Almshouse and Poor—Larkin, Cutler, Weafer.
Assessments and Collection of Taxes—Kendrick, Littlefield.
Claims—President, Bowers, Weafer, Littlefield.
Finance—President, Littlefield, O'Donnell, McAvoy, Kendrick.
Fire Department—O'Donnell, Cutler, Bowers.
Fuel—McAvoy, Littlefield, O'Donnell.
Health—Bowers, Cutler, Martin.
Highways—O'Donnell, Simonds, Cutler.
Ordinances—Larkin, Weafer, Bowers.
Printing—Littlefield, Simonds.
Public Property—Cutler, Simonds, Kendrick.
Salaries—Cutler, Kendrick, McAvoy.
Sewerage—McAvoy, Hanson, Simonds.
Street Lights—Kendrick, Weafer, Hanson.
Water—Hanson, O'Donnell, Kendrick.
Special: Highland School—Simonds, Kendrick, O'Donnell.

Church Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the First Congregational church in this city after the reports of the Clerk, Treasurer and Auditor had been accepted, business as follows was transacted:

J. G. Pollard was elected Clerk. Dea. E. E. Thompson made the statement that Dea. G. R. Gage wished him to say to the meeting that on account of his serious illness he would be unable to longer serve the church as Treasurer, whereupon Mr. Thompson nominated Mr. F. B. Richardson as a candidate for this office and he was unanimously elected.

Dea. J. G. Pollard in brief introductory remarks expressive of the regret felt by all at the enforced absence of one who took the deepest interest in all pertaining to the church, presented the following resolution which was seconded by Mr. F. B. Richardson and unanimously adopted;

WHEREAS, Dea. G. R. Gage has held the office of Treasurer of this church for forty years, and during the whole time has fulfilled the duties of the office with unwearied constancy and fidelity, and

WHEREAS, He now feels constrained by long continued sickness to decline a re-election, therefore

Resolved, That the church put on record a grateful testimonial to the constancy and generosity with which Dea. Gage has devoted himself to the interests of the church in his office as Treasurer, and in all other responsibilities which he has undertaken in behalf of the church these forty years, and we unite in the prayer and hope that he may be sustained and comforted with all Christian faith and consolation in his present sickness.

Deacons Alvah Buckman and Charles E. Richardson were re-elected for the term of four years.

Brothers F. J. Brown, J. K. Murdock, E. P. Fox and M. H. Cotton were elected to constitute, with the Board of Deacons, the Standing Committee of the church for the ensuing year.

Directors of the Sunday School were chosen as follows:

J. G. Pollard, R. H. Chamberlin, W. W. Hill, M. H. Cotton and W. P. Symonds.

L. L. Whitney, Esq., was elected Secretary, Treasurer and Librarian of the Religious Charitable Library, and C. A. Smith and J. G. Pollard were chosen Directors of said Library, and these were appointed a committee to devise some plan by which the books contained in this library, now unused, may be of greater service in the community.

Adjourned *sine die.*

Jan. 19, 1891.

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Obituary.

Mr. Charles Bradley Stevens, youngest son of the late Col. Atherton H. Stevens, Fourth Massachusetts Cavalry, and brother of Col. Stevens, Commander of the Massachusetts Division of the Sons of Veterans, died Monday at Chelsea, after a week's illness from typhoid pneumonia. He was a young man of much promise.

He was the youngest brother of Mrs. Sanborn, wife of Dr. S. H. Sanborn, the dentist of this city, and frequently came here to visit the family. Between Mrs. Sanborn and the deceased the ties of consanguinity were unusually strong. Besides numerous relatives a large circle of friends and acquaintances deeply lament and sincerely mourn his sudden and unlooked for death just as he had reached the threshhold of active life. Mrs. Sanborn and family have the sympathy of this community in their sad bereavement.

On last Saturday, Jan. 17, Mr. George Frank Ellis died at his home on Pleasant street of rheumatism, from which he had been a great sufferer for many years. He was born at Clinton, Kennebec County, Maine, on Jan. 17, 1841, and therefore died on the 50th anniversary of his birthday. He was a nephew of Mr. Alexander Ellis, merchant of this city, a cousin of Miss Josephine Ellis of Bennett street and her sister of Winchester, also of Mr. Wilbur F. Brown, besides having other relatives here.

Mr. Ellis possessed fine literary, musical and art tastes, and was well versed in the English classics. His judgment on literary productions was sound, and his taste elevated and clean. For several years he was at the head of the wholesale department of Lee and Shepard's great book publishing establishment in Boston, and had been for some time, until laid up with his last sickness, with the well known house of Louis Wolfe & Co., Boston.

The deceased, besides the relatives named, left a wife and one daughter, the latter the wife of Mr. H. B. Clewley, who in their bereavement have the sympathy of this community.

MRS. EDITH DOW BROWN, whose death is announced in another column, was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred A. Dow of this city. Born and educated in Woburn, she endeared herself to a large circle of friends by her sweet disposition and great charm of manner, and when, a little more than two years ago, she became the wife of Mr. William T. Brown of Stoneham, a future as happy as the best wishes of her friends could desire seemed in store for her. But the day which dawned so brightly was soon to close in clouds; the cruel hand of disease was laid upon her; and though she struggled bravely against the foe and bore with firmness the sufferings which were sapping her young life, the contest was too unequal and in the peace of the Sabbath she passed quietly away.

Her funeral took place at her late residence in Stoneham on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Parker officiating. The musical selections were given by the Mendelssohn Quartet of Boston. The arrangement of the flowers, which were choice and delicate, was particularly beautiful. A large piece, "Gates Ajar," was presented by the employees of Mr. Brown. The remains were brought to this city and will be interred in her father's lot in the Salem street cemetery.—COM.

On Saturday, January 3d, 1891, Ammi C. Teel, aged 74 years, died at his home, five miles north of this place, from the effects of a throat trouble, after a very short sickness, commencing about eight o'clock the evening before his death. He realized his end was near and so expressed himself. He was a member of the Universalist church for a number of years, retaining membership in a church in Illinois, where he had previously lived. He had read extensively and retained much useful information; was an entertaining talker. He was born at Cambridge, Massachusetts. He leaves a wife and seven children, all grown:

Charles A., Ammi C., Norman R., Frank E., Oscar C., Mrs. Sarah Hanthorn, and Mrs. Lucy A. Wyant, five of whom were present. The services were conducted by Rev. J. T. Roberts, and was one of the largest funerals ever in this part of the county. His remains were interred in the Indianola cemetery.—*Indianola (Neb.) Paper.*

Many relatives of the deceased live in No. Cambridge, Woburn and elsewhere about here, among whom are Mr. Levi C. Teel of Cambridge street in this city, the oldest of the family; Charles J. Teel of Stoneham; Albert Teel of No. Cambridge; and John and another brother at Lewiston, Maine.

In 1838 Levi C. and Amme C. emigrated in horse teams to Illinois, then in the extreme "Far West," and settled in Sangamon County near Springfield, the present Capital of the State, where the former remained five years and then with his wife and children returned to their Massachusetts home. Ammi remained, and after a few years he induced Levi to return to Macoupin county, Illinois, where the brothers farmed together for a couple of years, at the expiration of which Levi rejoined his family at Cambridge.

The subject of this notice invented two or three agricultural implements which were pecuniarily profitable to him. He was also successful in his purchases of real estate, and being able to afford it, he moved to Galesburg, Illinois, where the Congregationalists and Universalists each had a College, for the purpose of giving his children a better education than they could get at Macoupin.

Subsequently he moved to Nebraska and settled at Indianola. There he was an extensive and successful farmer, and enjoyed the happiness of seeing all his children settled around him on broad, rich farms, each having a fair prospect for the future, and all contented and happy.

The deceased always made good friends wherever he went. He was honest, courteous, and of a happy, genial temperament, and when the last summons came it found him all already and perfectly willing to go.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Corporation and Managers of the Home for Aged Women will be held at the Savings Bank Building Tuesday, Feb. 3, at half past two P. M.

S. S. HOVEY, Secretary.

Y. M. C. A.

A conference will be held in this city this week beginning to-day by the Massachusetts and Rhode Island District of Y. M. C. A. It will be composed of delegates (probably 150 or more in number), but the bulk of the attendance, it is more than likely, will be by people holding no credentials except their interest in behalf of the Y. M. C. A. cause.

For this important meeting the officers of the Woburn Association (W. W. Hill, President; J. P. Bailey, General Secretary; Thomas Heartz, Treasurer) have made

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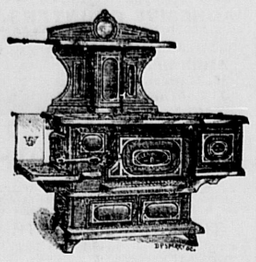

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The Annual Reception and Banquet of the Woman's Club.

The Woburn Woman's Club held their annual Reception and Supper in Music Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 16. In an adjoining hall, which was prettily decorated with ferns, palms, and potted plants, the President and Vice-President, and those ladies from out of town who were invited to address the Club, received the members of the Club and their invited guests.

After more than an hour had been agreeably spent in conversation and the introduction of members of the Club and their friends to the guests of the evening the way was taken to Music Hall proper where supper was served for over two hundred and fifty guests. The hall presented a pleasing appearance with its many long tables of snowy linen spread with appetizing dishes and decorated with flowers, ferns and smilax. Mr. Hicks of Boston was the caterer and he furnished a variety of delicacies, and everything was done to add to the comfort of the large assemblage. The table for the officers, speakers and the guests was placed lengthwise and faced the wide hall.

Among the guests were our newly elected Mayor, Mr. Bean, and Ex-Mayor Johnson, Mrs. Folsom, President of the Winchester Fortnightly, Mr. Folsom and Judge Converse, Dr. Mary E. Jones of Boston, and Miss Tannatt of Walla-Walla.

Silver candelabra festooned with smilax and silver vases of flowers gave a pleasing effect to the President's table. It each plate was placed a dainty dinner card the work of a committee of five members of the Club who showed much delicacy of taste and skill in decoration in the water-color designs on these souvenirs.

After the supper was over the President, Mrs. Lucy E. B. Converse, called the meeting to order, and after her address of welcome filled with witty allusions so pleasingly delivered, the "Saint Cecilias" (the well known quartette of Woburn ladies) filled the hall with melodious tones.

Mrs. Kate Tannatt Woods of Salem, the distinguished novelist and poetess, then spoke for the New England Woman's Press Association. She traced the progress of women in journalism from the early days when women dared not sign their own name to their own writings lest they should be ostracized, to the present time when women hold a high place among journalists and authors.

Then Miss How of Boston sang exquisitely a solo called "Mara" and an encore, "A Winter Lullaby."

The next speaker was Dr. Alice G. Bryant of this city, a graduate of Vassar College, and of the Woman's Medical College of the New York Infirmary, who spoke of "Woman in Medicine," mentioning especially the pioneers in the profession, Drs. Elizabeth and Emily Blackwell, and Dean Rachel Bodley.

Again the white-robed "Saint Cecilia's" charmed our senses with an exquisite "Waltz Song," and hardly had the sweet refrain died away when Mrs. Gregory, Vice-President of the "Fortnightly" of Winchester, recited an original and entertaining poem. Miss How then sang "When the House is Still," and the house was indeed still while her exquisite tones filled the hall.

The next to speak was Mrs. Birnard Whitman, who the Club especially remember as delivering to them a memorable lecture on the life in Bogota. She spoke of the "Lend a Hand," a society whose motto is

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Look out and not in,
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and for other philanthropic societies.

Mrs. Whitman is associated with Edward Everett Hale, D. D., in the editing of the monthly magazine *Lend a Hand*.

One more song by Miss How followed; and then Rev. Ada C. Bowles, who had previous to the supper asked the blessing, spoke, taking for her text two of the dinner cards—one, pansies for thoughts; the other, the crab-apple, which being the original apple of Eden reminded her of the apple mentioned in Genesis.

After some more amusing remarks Rev. Mrs. Bowles spoke of "Woman in the Ministry." The Quartette sang once more, then bade us "good night" in a song so bright! and the meeting was adjourned.

Much praise is due the President who presided so perfectly and introduced each speaker so appropriately.

Many thanks were due the speakers who so generously responded to the Club's invitations to speak; many thanks were due also the various committees whose efforts resulted so successfully; to Miss How and the Saintly Cecilia's, whose singing was a delight; to Miss Bancroft, whose accompaniments on the piano were so charmingly rendered; to Mrs. Eugenie Hovey, whose flowers and ferns brightened the rooms—to all these was the Club deeply indebted for the successful carrying out of its programme.—G. M. B.

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Deputy Supreme Justice, George M. Stevens, of Somerville visited the Branch on the above evening and installed the following officers for the term ending Dec. 31, 1891:—Chief Justice, H. M. Blanchard; Vice Justice, W. Henry Huber; Accountant, E. C. Leathe; Cashier, B. A. Tripp; Adjuster, S. Patterson; Watchman, T. S. Casey and Vedette, S. D. Samson. One candidate was initiated.

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Correspondence received too late for use this week. Will the JOURNAL's correspondent please send as early as Wednesday afternoon?

The social at the vestry of the North Congregational church last Thursday evening took the form of a spelling match, and great interest was manifested in it, particularly by the young people, and the vestry was filled. Sides were chosen, Mrs. D. W. Danforth selecting one and Dr. Josiah P. Bixby the other. The words were put by Orville T. Curtis. Rev. Mr. Murphy was scorer. There were about 30 on each side, mostly quite young people with a sprinkling of older ones. The booby prize was Munroe's Chart Primer, and was awarded to the first to fail, Miss Blanchard. The prize for the one who remained the longest, and, of course, spelled the most words correctly, was a book of engravings, entitled "Log-Book Notes." This was awarded to Mrs. Danforth. In accepting the prize, Mrs. Danforth, in a few words stated that on account of the fact that Miss Ruby Kenty stood next in rank to her, and also because the speaker was one of the originators of the affair, she thought the prize really belonged to Miss Kenty, and begged her to accept it, which she did in a very pleasant way.

Awful Accident.

Mr. Charles E. Eaton Struck by Descending Elevator.

A most distressing calamity yesterday afternoon befell Mr. Charles E. Eaton, President of the Eaton Shoe Manufacturing Company, which has just located in the Simonds building. It appears that Mr. Eaton, while standing at the entrance of the elevator shaft on the ground floor of the factory, was violently struck upon the back of the head by a descending heavily loaded elevator platform. It was at first thought that he had been killed outright. Medical assistance was promptly summoned, including Drs. Conway, Chalmers and Graves, and every surgical attention was devoted to the case. But there is grave reason to fear that his injuries will prove fatal. He was removed to the Massachusetts General Hospital.

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Burlington.

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The selectmen are busy with the settlement of the town accounts.

Rev. Dr. Torrey preached at the church, Sunday morning. On account of the bad weather the attendance was not large.

The ball given by the Agricultural Society, Friday evening, is reported to have been a marked financial and social success. A large number attended.

The woods of Burlington looked very beautiful in their crystal dress deposited by the ice storm but the risk of damage to the trees was too great to allow us to really enjoy the spectacle.

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Starts Off, Etc.

The State Legislature starts off very amicably this year and Speaker Barrett is re-elected without opposition. This was due to the great improvement of his last years record over that of the year before. Mr. Henry H. Sprague was re-elected president of the Senate, in spite of that body's being a tie politically. There are some hopeful people who are predicting a short and business like session, and this is possible but not probable.—*Newton Graphic.*

A married man once said: "I would rather hold a curry-comb argument with the heels of a mule than to beat my wife three straight games of euchre, or say a word against Brussels soap."

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Jan. 17, 1891.

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WINCHESTER.

Mr. S. W. Twombly is getting well again.

The W. V. I. A. talking of "passing" their annual banquet and entertainment this winter.

The Ladies Friendly Society will give a Dickens Carnival at the Town House on Feb. 5 and 6.

Mr. Charles Starke recently shot a moose down in the Provinces which weighed 1000 pounds. He is a great hunter.

The 80th birthday of Mrs. Joshua B. Rea was celebrated on the 14th inst. Quite a large company of relatives and friends were present by whom a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

The W. V. I. A. have talked the question of Winchester taxes, over which there has been any amount of growling of late. The Association is equal to any emergency. Let me say right here to the growlers: if you want "modern improvements" for your town you've got to pay for them.

S. W. McCall is entirely out of the postoffice race in Boston. He is one of the young men that should have been placed in a leading official position by this administration, and he may be so placed. He represents that for which the Republican party of the nation must stand in Massachusetts.—*Boston Evening Traveller.*

The following are the officers of the Congregational Society recently elected for the current year: Clerk, F. B. Browning; Treasurer, C. E. Conant; Standing Committee, G. H. Gilbert, W. H. Herrick, Harrison Parker; Collector, T. H. Stinson; Auditors, E. H. Stone C. E. Sweett. The meeting then adjourned.

Mr. Harvey Small of Charleston, Maine, father of S. C. Small and Mrs. E. A. Smith, is making a visit here. He is 79 years old and as hale and hearty as any of his children. His mother died three years ago, aged one hundred four and a half years. So that two of our families belong to a long lived race.—*Star.*

There is one thing I like in the *Star's* correspondent "H. F. J."—he don't seem to "fear the face of clay." Although our town authorities do not deserve his criticisms and condemnations, I like to see him assail them, because he does it with such a sharp, bitter pen. I think it tickles the authorities as much as it does anybody, and if at any time they happen to feel officially ennuied it is when "H. F. J." is not "going for" them.

The following officers of the Mission Union were lately elected: Mrs. J. E. Nickerson, President; Miss Abbie Dunham, Mrs. Preston Pond, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. Arthur W. Hale, Secretary; Mrs. William Belcher, Mrs. Lewis Maxwell, Treasurers; Mrs. Frank White, Mrs. Fred Belcher, Mrs. W. D. Middleton, Mrs. William Herrick, Directors of Home Work; Miss Helen Pressey, Mrs. D. A. Newton, Mrs. M. H. Lombard. Miss Cora Quimby, Directors of Foreign Work.

The following are the officers of A. D. Weld Post, No. 148, G. A. R., installed last week: Commander Edwin Robinson; Senior Vice Commander, A. J. Edwards; Junior Vice Commander, H. Parker, 2d; Adjutant, S. C. Small; Surgeon, G. A. Hall; Quartermaster, Henry Smalley; Chaplain John T. Wilson; Officer of the Day, M. E. Lyon; Officer of the Guard, Phillip Maher; Sergt. Major, Daniel Rooney; Quartermaster Sergt., Sorrell Gove. At the same time the following officers of the Winchester Woman's Relief Corps, No. 129 were duly installed: President, Mrs. P. C. Wilson; Vice President, Mrs. Mary Shepard; Junior Vice, Mrs. C. O. Coffin; Secretary, Mrs. Ellen A. Smalley; Treasuer, Mrs. L. M. Moseley: Chaplain, Mrs. A. E. Rowe; Conductor, Mrs. E. Holton; Asst. Conductor, Mrs. Addie Stone; Guard, Mrs. Emma Hall; Asst. Guard, Mrs. Susie Moulton.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of David G. Converse, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Oliver F. Bryant of said Woburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of January instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLETEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Ella G. Richardson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Theodore M. Parker, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of January instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Eli Cooper, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alva S. Wood, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Walker, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Fred F. Walker and John W. Johnson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Chamberlain, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument puporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

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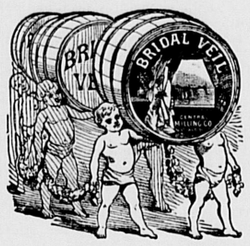

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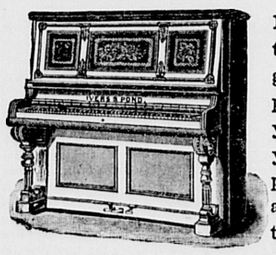

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25. "And Elijah said unto the prophets of Baal, Choose you one bullock for yourselves, and dress it first, for ye are many, and call on the name of your God, but put no fire under."

At Cherith (cutting) and Zarephath (refining) Elijah had been cut off from all human resources, and refined in the school of poverty and close communion with God, and thus qualified for the contest now before him. He who had been so much alone with God had no fear of King Ahab nor of the hundreds of prophets of Baal.

26. "Oh, Baal, hear us. But there was no voice nor any that answered."

Baal signifies lord or master, and is found in Num. xxii, 41, as the god of the Moabites. Israel worshiped Baal-peor, and 24,000 were slain by a plague (Num. xxv, 3, 9). In the days of the Judges they again and again forsook the Lord and worshiped Baal (Judg. ii, 11, 13; iii, 7; vi, 31; viii, 33; x, 6, 10); but this King Ahab had led them more astray than they had ever been before (I Kings xvi, 30-33).

27. "And it came to pass that at noon Elijah mocked them and said, Cry aloud, for he is a God."

28. "And they cried aloud, and cut themselves, after their manner * * * till the blood gushed out upon them."

Fancy hundreds of men leaping up and down (verse 26, margin), and shouting and cutting their bodies till the blood streamed from them, and all to make the god whom they worshiped hear them. Central Africa could not produce anything worse.

29. "There was neither voice nor any to answer, nor any that regarded."

30. "And Elijah said unto all the people, Come near unto me. And all the people came near unto him."

In calmness he had waited, his soul doubtless communing with his God, but now the decisive moment had come; 450 men had failed—what could this one man do? He was one of those of whom it is written, "One shall chase a thousand, and two put ten thousand to flight."

"And he repaired the altar of the Lord that was broken down."

One of the first acts of Noah on leaving the ark was to build an altar unto the Lord, and so also did Abram when he entered the land of Canaan (Gen. viii, 20; xii, 8). From the days of Adam and Abel the altar and the sacrifice were typical of Him who was to come as the great sinbearer.

31. "And Elijah took twelve stones, according to the number of the tribes of the sons of Jacob."

See twelve stones in the same connection in Ex. xxiv, 4; xxviii, 21; Josh. iv, 3, 8, 9, 20. Although the twelve tribes were divided into ten and two, making two nations, yet they were only one nation before God, and He has ever before Him the time when they shall be reunited under one King (Ezek. xxxvii, 21, 22). All Israel had at this time become idolaters, and hence the necessity of a testimony to the twelve tribes concerning the true God.

32. "And with the stones he built an altar in the name of the Lord."

33. "And he put the wood in order, and cut the bullock in pieces, and laid him on the wood."

A bullock was used both as a sin offering and as a burnt offering (Lev. i and iv), and in these chapters full instructions are found as to the manner of offering. The sin offering was a type of Christ bearing our sins; the burnt offering was a type of Christ offering himself without spot to God.

34, 35. "The water ran round about the altar, and he filled the trench also with water."

Once, twice, thrice was the sacrifice, and the wood and the altar drenched with water. There was to be no deception here, no fire hidden somewhere about, which might be secretly used.

36. "Lord God of Abraham, Isaac and of Israel, let it be known this day that thou art God in Israel and that I am thy servant."

By this title God revealed Himself to Moses at the burning bush and said, "This is my name forever, and this is my memorial unto all generations" (Ex. iii, 6, 15, 16). Observe that the prophet's whole aim is that God may be magnified.

"And that I have done all these things at thy word."

Then the altar and sacrifice and wood and water and answer by fire were no mere thoughts of Elijah, but simple commands of God which he had only to obey, trusting God for all results.

37. "Hear me, O Lord, hear me; that this people may know that Thou art the Lord God, and that Thou hast turned their heart back again."

"If we know that He hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of Him" (I John v, 15). So that Elijah's one desire now was for God to hear him. "And this is the confidence that we have in Him, that, if we ask anything according to His will, He heareth us" (I John v, 14). Elijah having done just what God told him, must then have had the assurance in his heart that God heard him.

38. "Then the fire of the Lord fell."

Picture to yourself the multitude gazing on this lone man as he stands calmly before them beside his drenched and dripping altar and sacrifice and trench full of water, conscious of the presence and favor of the Lord God of Israel. He does not cry aloud nor leap up and down, but quietly looks up to heaven, and with his whole heart utters these few words (just thirty-four in the Hebrew) unto his God in the hearing of all the people.

"And consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench."

Just as at the dedication of the tabernacle, and the temple, and the offerings of Gideon and David, supernatural fire consumed the sacrifice (Lev. ix, 24; II Chron. vii, 1; Judg. vi, 21; I Chron. xxi, 26), so it happened now. I have no doubt but the offering of Abel was accepted in the same way. But notice how this fire acts; it does not go from earth upward, but coming from heaven takes the nearest first, the sacrifice, then the wood and so on to the very water in the trench.

39. "And when all the people saw it they fell on their faces. And they said, The Lord He is the God; the Lord He is the God."

So well they might, for the God of Moses and Aaron, of Gideon and David and Solomon, God, who is a consuming fire (Deut. iv, 24; ix, 3), had again declared Himself by the unfailing but awful sign, telling them of the wrath that would fall on them unless they came to Him in true penitence and by way of true sacrifice, as He had appointed.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

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The empress of Russia, a victim to nervous prostration, is intensely frightened when in a railroad car. By way of amusement she prints the emperor's letters for him on a typewriter.

Queen Victoria has a large hand and takes a 7 1-2 glove. She wears about two dozen pairs during the year.

TODAY AND YESTERDAY.

Life is not lived by days nor yet by years;
These come and go, or, haply, sometimes stay,
As Time his changes rings; and if Today
Lingers relentlessly when fraught with fears,
If perfect harmonies and smiles it hears
In one short moment—Lo! 'tis Yesterday.
And reverently the joy or pain we lay
Safe in the Past's dear shrine—with unshed tears.

So, when the deepest chords of Life vibrate
And quiver 'neath the master hand of Pain
Or Ecstacy, our quickened breath we bate,
And listen, hoping that perchance some strain
Of heaven's own music soothe, ere 'tis too late,
The troubled waters of Life's boundless main.
—Chamber's Journal.

A College Boy's Retort.

Ex-Congressman White, an old graduate of Knox college, says: "The reminiscence of the Rev. Dr. Jonathan Blanchard recalls to me another scene to which I was witness. Dr. Blanchard was lecturing to the students one night. His remarks were never brief. On this particular evening he seemed longer winded than usual. We fidgeted about and wished frequently for the end. There were two doors leading out of the lecture room, one on each side of the platform on which the doctor stood. If the doors had been at the rear we would have slipped out, but to get away it was necessary to walk directly toward and then past the doctor.

"At length one of the older students could sit it no longer. He got up, tiptoed along with his head bowed down and his hat held in front of him. The doctor stopped his discourse short off and looked at the approaching figure. The student kept on. Just as the student was about to pass the platform the doctor raised his long finger and thundered, "Young man, the way out of that door leads to hell." The student stopped quick, hesitated a moment, and then said in the mildest tone: "Does it? Then I'll take the other door." And he did."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Mammoth Spring.

The largest and most wonderful spring of fresh water in the world is on the Gulf coast of Florida, in Hernando county. The Wekowechee river, a stream large enough to float a small steamer, is made entirely of water spouted from this gigantic natural well, which is 60 feet in diameter and about 70 or 80 feet deep. Chemists who have analyzed the water say that there is not a trace of organic matter in its composition, and that it is the most pure and fresh of any spring in America. A dime tossed into the spring can be seen lying on the bottom as plainly as it could in a glass of common well water. The steamer which makes regular excursion trips up and down the Wekowechee is often floated into the cavity of the spring, but cannot be made to stay in the center, as the force of the rising water forces it to the sides of the basin. The spring and 2,000 acres of land adjoining belong to two Chicago capitalists.—St. Louis Republic.

Horse Versus Mule.

Some people say that a mule can be fed cheaper than a horse, but they are not posted on the subject. A horse will eat more grain than a mule, but the latter will devour twice as much hay, and will need it, too, to keep him in proper condition. A mule can stand more hardship than a horse, but more work and better service will be rendered by a horse than a mule. A mule rarely becomes overheated to such an extent as to fall, for when he finds himself becoming uncomfortably warm he will poke along, and all the whipping you can do will not induce him to mend his pace. A mule will stand more neglect than a horse, and still be able to do some work; but if properly cared for and tended as he should be he will cost every cent as much as a horse, and render no more effective service.—Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

To Speak Distinctly.

A very good way to begin the study of oratory by one's self is to choose several very difficult words, and, dividing them into syllables, pronounce each syllable clearly and with the distinct sound of each letter intended to be heard. Pronounce as if with the lips alone. This will bring the tones to the front of the mouth and aid in focusing the sounds of the voice correctly for rich and musical speech, besides which it will establish the habit, if practiced long enough, of giving the full value, and, as a consequence, the full meaning of each word spoken to the ear of a listener.—Jenness-Miller Magazine.

Happened So.

A Missouri farmer set a trap on the edge of a pond for a muskrat. A goose got its foot in it, and then an eagle dropped down and seized the goose and couldn't carry her away. The man was near by, of course, and all he had to do was to grab the eagle and run him into a coop and sell him for $25.—Detroit Free Press.

M. Vielle, prominent as an inventor of smokeless powder, by means of a delicate process of registration finds that the pressures at the moment of burning the powder do not shed themselves uniformly over the gun throughout its length, but that a wave of pressure starts at the seat of the powder and transmits itself.

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A tin mine has been discovered in the Barker district of Montana, and if it continues according to the surface indications it is one of the largest tin mines in the world. It is further stated that 900,000 tons of ore now on the dump of the Harvey Polk tin mine in Montana averages 3 per cent, and the Etta ore averages 7 per cent. The Cornwall mines average but 2 per cent.

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What Made the Heart of the Engineer Stand Still and the Boys Laugh.

"It is a sad story," said an old railroad man as he coughed two or three times. The group of his listeners, who had been hilariously telling some funny experiences a few moments before, quieted down.

"I was runnin' old 142," he continued, "and Bill Sykes—you all know Bill—was firin'. We was takin' the flyer west, and had orders to run clear through, 'less we were signaled. I think the roadmaster was aboard, and we all knew that if we should pull up without a rattlin' good reason he'd be after us.

"We was runnin' almost full head, I guess, for I know the breeze just hummed when I jogged the cab winder a little. The old engine rocked just like as if it was on the briny deep, only faster. Well, we was goin' likety split up through the northern part of that town that used to stand by the bend. Bill was shovelin' coal like a good one, and I gave the whistle a toot now and then to let folks know we was comin'.

"As I was sayin', boys, we was just scootin'; goin' round the curve, too. Just then I cast my eyes as far up the track as I could see, and right then I saw something that brought my heart right up in my mouth. I shook all over. Bill saw the thing as soon as I did, and Bill's eyes bulged and his hair stood right up.

"There was something on the track. I could just see a little white sun bonnet and a calicker dress and a little red ribbon peepin' out from a bunch of as pretty golden curls as I ever see."

The old man stopped. He swallowed mysteriously a number of times and drew his horny palm across his eyes. The group of listeners only moved forward a little and held their breath.

"I couldn't stop, boys. It was no use. The flyer was heavy, and we was goin' nearly sixty an hour. When I got strength enough to push in that throttle and slap on the air we'd struck. We stopped. Bill and me jumped out and shuddered as we did."

The group of listeners turned away sick at heart. The old engineer went on:

"I picked up a wig of golden hair, and Bill two or three pieces of straw and an old sun bonnet. Just then a gang of ragged imps stuck their heads from behind an old barn and howled. 'Did you ever, ever, ever git left?'"

The group who had listened in horror to the old engineer's sad story looked tired and faded away.—Albany Argus.

A Most Obliging Neighbor.

There is a clerk in one of the departments named—well, call him Smithe, but that's not his name—who is notoriously close fisted, and was never known to pay a debt unless actually forced to do so. Seeing a neighbor the other morning going downtown, Smithe hailed him:

"Say, George, as you'll be on the avenue today, would you mind looking in at the express office and see if there is a small package there for me?"

"Not at all. I'll be glad to oblige you."

So George called and found a small box for Smithe, on which there was due twenty-five cents. It struck him at once that his economical neighbor would probably be short a quarter when he handed him the package, and he might then perform the feat known as whistling for it, so he left the box and went home. Passing Smithe's house, that worthy was waiting for him.

"Well, George, did you find anything at the express office?"

"Oh, yes," said George. "There was a package for you marked C. O. D., twenty-five cents, so I gave them your address and it'll be along directly. Fine weather we're having."—Washington Post.

The Mania for Fast Travel.

The anxiety of the public to travel at headlong speed is doubtless at the bottom of many of the railroad accidents now of daily occurrence in all parts of the country. Travelers are not content with thirty and forty miles an hour, and seek for trains that will make fifty and sixty. The schedule time is accordingly shortened and the engineer ordered to run on time or seek employment elsewhere. The brave engineer lets her go accordingly, and if the train remains on the track and there is no obstruction all goes well. Otherwise the dead are hastily buried, the wounded hustled off to the hospital, the wrecking cars ordered to be quick and get that debris out of the way, and new schemes are hurriedly devised to run trains seventy miles an hour.—Pottstown Ledger.

Portable Desk Clamp.

A most handy desk clamp is being used for holding incandescent lamps. By its means a lamp may be adjusted to any desired position over the desk, or on the walls, and by slipping it on the back of a reading chair the full light of the lamp is made to fall on the book or paper in hand.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Absolutely Changeless.

Sceptical Maiden—Dear Tom, shall I really find you changeless?

Impecunious Lover—Most assuredly, dearest, since I have found myself without change all my life.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Kept His Word.

"That will cost this road $20,000!" said a tramp who was kicked by a Union Pacific freight conductor, and he kept his word by starting a fire in a big coal pile.—Detroit Free Press.

Coffee in Earthenware.

The Lancet reports a lecture on tea and coffee, in which the people are advised to put the coffee for breakfast in an earthenware vessel, pour cold water over it, let it stand over night, and bring it to the boiling point by placing it in a water bath or double boiler in the morning, thus preserving all the aroma. As the editor pronounces the lecture as being "perhaps the most brilliant since its series was begun," the writer has no doubt tried the plan.

"A God-send is Ely's Cream Balm. I had catarrh for three years. Two or three times a week my nose would bleed. I thought the sores would never heal. Your balm has cured me."—Mrs. M. A. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

I was so much troubled with catarrh it seriously affected my voice. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored.—B. F. Liepsner, A. M., Pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

HUMAN INTELLIGENCE IN A DOG.

He Knew Enough to Buy Food and to Accept an Invitation to Dinner.

My first acquaintance with Jet was his begging of me one day in the street. I stopped and talked to him and asked him what he wanted. He immediately started to the baker's shop and sat up and begged at the door. I opened it and asked the baker what the dog meant. On learning I told him to come home with me and I would give him a penny. This he did promptly, and trotted off highly pleased.

Some days afterward I saw him sitting up at the baker's door with a penny in his mouth. Just before I opened the door for him I said: "Why do you not bring me your pence, old fellow, and I will give you some meat?"

The dog hesitated when the door was opened, and looked down the street toward my house, but finally entered and bought his bun. The next morning I found him sitting at my doorstep with a penny in his mouth, which he deposited at my feet, smiled graciously at me and sat down patiently. I gave him the meat, but as I did not wish either to take the dog's money or to cheat the baker, I returned him the penny, which he would not take for some time, till I told him to take it to the baker. He did so, but put it down in the shop and ran out without his bun, at least so the baker told me afterward. After that Jet would sometimes come to me and sometimes to the baker with his money, I suppose just as he desired meat or bread.

One morning I met him close to my gate; he had no money, but I asked him in, and he came and sat with me for an hour. As he was departing I said, "Come and dine with me to-night at 7 o'clock sharp, and you shall have a good feed." I forgot all about the circumstance and was sitting down to dinner with a friend who had dropped in when there was a deep, prolonged howl at the gate. I never thought anything about the invitation, but went to see what was up. The moment I opened the gate the dog raced in, instead of his usual solemn stalk, and went straight into the dining room. I had a chair placed for him and a plate by my side, and he ate what I gave him in the most correct and gentlemanly manner, leaving soon after dinner was ended. Many times after that I asked him to dine. I never knew him to come without an invitation or fail to accept one, except once when he was long-stopping.—Scientific Education of Dogs for the Gun.

Instruction in Railroad Management.

C. Frank Allen attests the importance of the relation of railroads to the state, which is becoming more evident almost day by day, as a reason why a regular course of instruction in railroad management should be looked upon as a useful part of a liberal training in colleges where instruction in technical engineering finds no place. Railroad administration furnishes abundant opportunities for any well educated young man to exercise all the ability which nature and training have placed at his disposal, and a technical training is without doubt the best foundation upon which to build in anticipation of entering the service of any of our successful railroads. In the proposed course this requirement would be fully provided for.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Watching the Movements of a Dog's Heart.

The opponents of vivisection will be disgusted to hear of an experiment which took place at the hospital in Professor Stricker's class. A little dog was made insensible, fastened to a board, and when his heart had been laid bare an instrument called the episcope was applied, which threw the magnified picture of the dog's heart on a wall opposite, revealing to the eyes of all present every movement of the heart. The experiment lasted half an hour. According to the professor, the successful demonstration of the movements of a living heart is of the greatest value to the student of medicine.—London Tit-Bits.

Suffering from Brown Gaiters.

In the county of Surrey, or at least in a certain part of it, we have two remarkable diseases, to wit, "St. Vipers, his dance," and the "brown gaiters." The terms need no explanation, but I may casually observe that the "brown gaiters" are known to ordinary persons as bronchitis.—Notes and Queries.

A drop of oil of cinnamon on a lump of sugar, allowed to dissolve in the mouth, will stop the most violent hiccough. Any one who has been dashed at from behind corners, slapped suddenly on the back and nearly frightened out of their wits in order to stop the cough will welcome a cure.

In Germany iodoform is being made by use of the electric current. An alcoholic solution of iodide of potassium traversed by a current of carbonic acid is subjected to the electric current, and iodoform is produced in the shape of small yellow capsules.

Mr. Gladstone is the owner of the largest lead pencil in the world. It is the gift of a pencilmaker of Keswick, and is thirty-nine inches in length. In place of the customary rubber cap it has a gold cap. Its distinguished owner uses it for a walking stick.

The best pictures so far taken of the moon show that the parallel walls, whose tops are no more than 200 yards or so in width, and which are not more than 1,000 or 1,200 yards apart, are plainly visible.

What Lincoln Thought.

Two of his friends were once gossiping together in Lincoln's presence upon what they considered the proper length of a man's legs, and finally appealed to him for an opinion. "Abe, what do you think about it?" Mr. Lincoln had a far-away look, as he sat with one leg twisted around the other, but he responded to the question, "Think of what?" "Well, we're talking about the proper length of a man's legs. We think yours are too long and Douglas's too short, and we liked to know what you think is the proper length?" "Well," said Mr. Lincoln, "that's a matter that I've never given any thought to, so, of course, I may be mistaken, but my first impression is that a man's legs ought to be long enough to reach from his body to the ground."

Catarrh is not a local but a constitutional disease, and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla to effect a cure.

Tumble Weeds Stopped the Train.

Probably most readers have seen or heard of the tumble weed, but for the benefit of any who has not it may be said that it is a bushy plant growing eighteen inches to two feet in height, having a small root and the branches all curving inward at the top, giving the full grown weed a globular shape. These weeds grow and flourish on summer fallowed lands in parts of eastern Oregon, and especially along the line of the Oregon and Washington Territory railroad between Hunt's Junction and Pendleton. In the fall, when the summer fallow is seeded, the harrows tear up these weeds, but as they are tough and wiry and are not broken up much they lie around on the fields like balls.

The first wind starts the balls rolling, and away they go for the first fence or railroad cut. The line above mentioned is not fenced, and some time ago these weeds piled into the cuts on it about Helix, in some places as high as the headlight of the engine, and on account of their being crushed under the wheels and "greasing" the track they held a train loaded with stock all night on the line. A gentleman who was on the train says that the weeds coming skipping over the banks into a cut in the dusk of evening looked for all the world like a band of sheep following their leader into the cut.—Portland Oregonian.

When Bagpipes Had No Charms.

An amusing episode recorded of the Peninsular war seems to prove that even the charms of our beautiful national bagpipes fail to soothe these savage beasts! It happened that, while one of the Highland regiments was marching across a desolate part of Spain, one of the pipers for some inexplicable reason found himself separated from his comrades. Halting on a lonely plain, he sat down to eat his breakfast, when to his horror he saw wolves approaching. When they came very near he flung them all the food he had with him, fully conscious, however, that his meager meal would not stay their advance for many seconds.

With the calmness of desperation he then said, "As ye've had the meat ye'll hae the music, too," and thereupon he proceeded to "blow up his chanter." No sooner did his unwelcome guests hear the first "skirl" of the pipes than they turned in wild terror and fled as fast as their long legs would carry them. "De'il hae ye!" said the piper; "had I thocht ye were so fond o' the music ye wad hae gotten it afore meat instead o' after!" Then hungrily he went his way, not forgetting from time to time to blow a blast so wild and shrill as might effectually scare any prowling foes.—Temple Bar.

Juggling Is Easy.

"These things are really very easy," said a juggler in an uptown museum to a reporter. "Practice alone makes them perfect. I always juggle with common things of everyday use, because then the people go home and try to do it themselves. In this way they realize how very difficult an apparently easy trick really is. When you make your first attempt use small brass balls, and start them with your left hand. This is because the left hand is naturally the clumsier of the two, and it takes longer practice to make it perfect. When you learn to keep two or three balls in the air at once try knives. Now, this is the way I keep the knives going. If I have, say, ten, I throw one with just sufficient force to give it a half turn; the next one turns completely over, the third takes a turn and a half, the fourth two turns, the fifth two and a half, and so on. It's very easy when you know how."—New York Times.

Grandpa's Dear Girls.

Grandpa is nearly 78, and is getting feeble, and never goes out without leaning on his umbrella for support. The thought struck me, How delighted the dear old soul would be with a nice heavy cane! I priced them, but could not get any that I thought would hold his weight for less than seventy-five cents. I could not give that, for it is nearly one-sixth of all I had, so sister and I went out, taking a saw with us, and after much hunting found a cherry tree with a nice straight limb, which we sawed off. I scraped off all the bark, and as soon as it is dry I am going to stain it and have steel knobs put on the ends; they will cost but fifteen cents, the stain five cents—twenty cents. I know grandpa will be delighted, and all the more because I made it myself.—Cor. Housekeeper's Weekly.

In Place of Grubbing.

If a boy 15 years of age should be left ten acres of land in Michigan, and his guardian should cover it with hickory trees, the income of the boy, when he came to be 30 years old, would be from $9,000 to $11,000 clean cash off his little farm. If in the south, and the trees were pecan, his income would be a third more.—Detroit Free Press.

How Names Are Secured.

The names of some of the counties in the state of Washington are Skagit, Snohomish, Klickitat, Yakima, Skamania, Chehalis, Wahkikum, Kittetas and Asotin. These names are made by the simple process of shaking the letters of the alphabet in a sack and emptying them out on the floor.—Chicago Tribune.

Waiting for Points.

Mrs. De Style.—Have you decided on the pattern for your coat?

Miss De Style—No, mother, I am waiting for this month's number of The Gentlemen's Magazine.—New York Weekly.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers everywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

King Leopold of Belgium is described as a long man, with a long nose and a long beard—handsome enough in a hawklike fashion—and a king who, having nothing to do, does it with admirable grace.

"Carmen Sylvia," otherwise her majesty of Roumania, is 47 years old. When at home she affects the picturesque costume of the Roumanian peasant.

Woman's Column.

Vermont Legislators.

In a previous issue it was stated that the failure of the municipal woman suffrage bill in Vermont was due to the fact that a majority of the members did not comprehend the fundamental principle of representative government. They understood about maple sugar, oleo, saw-dust and fowls, and legislated promptly on these subjects; but they failed utterly to see the gravity and importance of permitting those who pay taxes to vote for the persons who will have the spending of their money. They even refused to incorporate the Vermont Woman Suffrage Association, on the ground that this "would lead on to woman suffrage, and it was better to put a foot on it now."

The truth of our former statement seems fully verified by the report of the closing session of the Vermont Legislature, as given in the Rutland *Herald*. It says:

"It was the wildest night the Vermont House ever had, but few men showed the influence of liquor. The height of clamor was reached at about three o'clock, when a recess was voted to permit Mr. Prouty, of Franklin, to read an original poem. Mr. Prouty took the speaker's desk, and the din for five minutes was such as fairly to raise the roof. Mr. Kinerson, of Peacham, a two hundred-pound man with white hair, who looks as if he had been a deacon of a church for a generation, got up and waved his arms, fairly danced and shouted with the full power of his tremendous lungs, and yet the noise was such that he could hardly be heard twenty feet away. Mr. Pollard, of Chester, got the gavel and a tin plate, and pounded and shouted. Somebody got Mr. Moloney's rubbers, and they were thrown all over the room for twenty minutes. Men making ridiculous speeches were 'bonneted' from behind with waste-paper baskets full of scraps of paper, and then the baskets were thrown right and left. Mr. Marshall, of Brattleboro, got a resounding wooden box, and with some instruments drummed upon it until everything jingled, and shouted an accompaniment. Everybody shouted and laughed, except for momentary stops to throw paper wads and other missiles. Mr. Prouty took it in perfectly good part at first, and managed to read a stanza or two, but was soon drowned out, and left the desk disgusted. Then Reporter Mimms sang a song, and during the actual singing there came absolutely the only quiet known after the first outbreak of paper wads in the evening. Then Mr. Pollard took the chair and conducted a mock session, in which everything was done that could be thought of, either absurd or noisy. When everything else had been tried, the old trick of slamming desk covers was started, and everybody pounded and shouted and laughed. The demon of noise had full sway, and the white heads were as bad as any of the boys. All hands seemed intoxicated with uproar, and wanted more and more, until they were actually tired out with yelling and laughing at nothing in particular."

Now, from legislators who make such an exhibition of themselves as this, can any one expect serious treatment of a great principle like that of representative government?

Lucy Stone.

W. C. T. U. Press Bulletin.

A fund is growing with a view to the preparation of colored temperance evangelists for work in the United States and in Africa.

One of the newest departments of the W. C. T. U. is that of work among miners, designed to sink light and air shafts, for communicating temperance and gospel truths to the 300,000 men engaged in mining in this country. It is found that coal mining is carried on to some extent in thirty-one States and territories. Last year 135,000 pages of tracts were distributed among the miners.

The headquarters of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union have been removed to Evanston, the leading suburb of Chicago, where they will remain until the completion of the Woman's Temperance Temple, when it is expected that the officers of the National W. C. T. U., the Woman's Temperance Publishing Association, the Illinois W. C. T. U., and the Chicago local Union will there find ample accommodations.

The W. C. T. U. is now organized in thirty-four different nations. Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt, of Boston, the pioneer white ribbon missionary, is at present in Italy, and from there goes to South America. Miss Jessie Ackerman, of California, is following in Mrs. Leavitt's footsteps, while Mrs. J. H. Barney, of Providence, R. I., superintendent of Prison and Jail Work in the world's W. C. T. U., Dr. Kate C. Bushnell, evangelist in the Social Purity department, and Mrs. E. W. Andrew, former associate editor of the *Union Signal*, will visit the world's auxiliaries this year.

It was voted at the convention of the National W. C. T. U. in Atlanta, Ga., to suggest to all the auxiliaries of the World's W. C. T. U., the desirableness of holding a session of that society next November in Boston, when the next session of the National W. C. T. U. is held. Lady Henry Somerset, president of the British Woman's Temperance Association, is expected to visit the United States in order to attend the convention. Lady Somerset is the eldest daughter of Earl and Countess Somers of Eastnor Castle, Ledbury, Herefordshire, Eng., and was married in 1872 to Lord Henry Somerset, second son of the Duke of Beaufort. Having no brother, Lady Somerset succeeded to the inheritance of the vast estate of her father. She has large possessions in the heart of London, as well as in the beautiful hill country of Herefordshire, her tenants there numbering nearly one hundred thousand. At the very threshold of her philanthropic work for her tenants, she was confronted with the terrible drink problem, which has made her an ardent advocate of total abstinence.

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FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.00, 5.50, 6.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.40, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Winchester for Symmes' Corner at 7.30, 8.30, A. M., 12.20, 1.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.20, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30 P. M.

RETURNING:

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Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 2.10, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.40, 8.10, 8.20, 9.10, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at s8.15, 9.15, s10.00, s10.45, 11.45, A. M., s12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, s2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, s4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, s6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, s8.45, 9.15, P. M.

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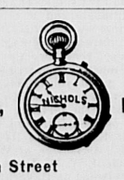

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THE RUM FIEND'S SONG.

I dashed along through the thoughtless throng,
With my banner of flame unfurled;
My poisonous breath is scattering death,
As I rush o'er a ruined world.

I snatched the bread from the child unfed,
I mock at the mother's tear;
My mirth rings out with the widow's shout,
As I dance on the father's bier.

I bind with a chain the statesman's brain,
I murder the patriot's hope;
I burn out reason, I smile on treason,
And play with the hangman's rope.

I spread my pinions o'er Christ's dominions,
And ministers quail with dread;
While rum and slaughter, my son and daughter,
Are smiling wherever I tread.

With a sneer or frown, I am tearing down,
Whatever the good men prize;
While my light-house, the prison, has higher risen;
Till it pierces the blood red skies.

Then, hail to the world! my banner's unfurled,
Emblazoned with "death" and "woe;"
Will you join my throng as we rush along
To the bottomless haunts below?

'TILDA'S KNIGHTS.

BY RAY LEDYARD.

A pretty American girl and an English cathedral!

She stood under the great north window and looked up and down. It seemed very dark and quiet after the bright sunlight on the grass of the close outside. She waited a moment, winking a little harder than usual until her eyes grew accustomed to the dim light.

"Ah, this is better than that stuffy little hole of an inn!" she thought, and continued her explorations of the cathedral together with her remarks to her very companionable self.

"Hum! 'The purest example of early English architecture.' That's what the 'A B C' of architecture said, any way, and although I know nothing about it, it certainly sounds well. Looks well, too, I declare!"

She stood for some time under the east window, looking down the middle aisle. On each side the grand pillars seemed to grow misty and dim as they reached upward. Far down shone the gilding on the choir-screen, and the faint light from the stained windows fell in long slants across the stone floor.

"Well, this will never do. I am actually beginning to feel a reverence for the place. Absurd sentimentality! I will see if the choir is open."

It wasn't, and she turned back down the middle aisle. Long rows of chairs, with kneeling attachments behind, and little boxes for prayer book and hymnal underneath. 'Tilda dropped into one.

"I think I should like to be here at evening service," she said. "Let's see,"—consulting a very small watch—"that's not until 4. It is now 3.30. What can I do? Oh, I know; I'll look at all these old knights. How quiet they are, one between each pillar." The click of her heels sounded on the stones as she walked across to the first. "Now, why in the world don't they have bigger waists? Every one of them with a chest as big as a German officer's, and a waist as small as a Frenchwoman's. How uncomfortable? So straight he lies, too. Head back, toes up, hands down at each side. No; you're no better,"—to the next one—"even if you have your dog at your feet. Oh, for a knight with a waist that doesn't look as if it would break in two! Now, how on earth could you ever sit a horse, with all that armor on, and no more waist? If I find him I'll fall in love with him on the spot; I'll even look him up in the guide book, which is much more to the point."

She strolled along, her nose rather in the air, and one hand in the pocket of her short jacket. Knight after knight passed under her inspection. Some had been to the Holy Land, as shown by the crossed knees. Some had died there; but all had small waists. 'Tilda reached the last space, near the door, and stopped short. A broad ray from a window fell on the effigy lying there, and softened the gray stone with tender lights and shades. A half-smile seemed to play on the battered lips. The head was turned easily to the right, the left hand thrown across the breast, while the right grasped a heavy sword resting at his side.

Very worn, and crumbling in some parts, but the memory of a brave and valiant man lived in the stone so many centuries old, and, "Oh," thought 'Tilda, "here's my man! The only one with a respectable waist."

Then she sat down beside him and studied the worn inscription. She could make nothing of it, not even his name. So she sat and dreamed. The sweet, calm face seemed turned to her, and the sunlight shifted and included her in its shaft. A sudden clatter, and a procession of school-boys in quaint ruffles marched by, very much out of step, soon to be transformed into cherubs in cassocks. 'Tilda shook off her dream, took up a prayer-book, and presently followed the stately service with the most laudable procession.

But when the white-robed procession had fluttered itself through the stone gateway, and the few old women and lingering black-veiled ladies had departed, she hesitated, and laying her hand tenderly on the stone one of the old effigy, said, softly: "Good-bye, Sir Knight!"

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"Whatever is the matter with 'Tilda? She's reading the guide-book!"

"'Tilda, dear, do you feel ill?"

"How does your brain stand it?"

To which irrelevant remarks 'Tilda raised a pair of perfectly calm brown eyes and coolly surveyed her brothers.

"The matter with me," Thomas, exists in your own uncertain brain. I'm quite well, I thank you, Jem; only while you were all off on that long, hot walk, I had an adventure!"

Mrs. Turner looked across the table at her daughter with a little anxious movement. Sometimes this same pretty daughter gave her cause for nervousness, simply from her extremely picturesque way of looking at things. This time, however, she said:

"Nothing to bother you, mamma," and proceeded to the boys. "You would never guess in the world, so I'll just tell you." Solemnly she laid a hand on the shoulder of each. "I have fallen in love!"

"Huh! Just as if everybody didn't know that before, with that William Grayson fellow hanging around at Leamington and Stratford—and—pretty nearly everywhere we've been, and the fat letters—"

"My dear boys, do you think it likely that I should have met him in the cathedral this afternoon, when we left him quietly settled for a month at least at Stratford? And you know very well that he forwards and incloses all my letters, so, of course they are fat. Why don't you venture into the realms of possibility, Jem?"

Nevertheless, there was a small flush during this gallant defense, which fortunately escaped the usually sharp eyes of the two boys.

"Well, who was it, then?" in a surly tone from Jem. Jem was eighteen, and a year younger than 'Tilda, whom he thought he managed, but who really ruled him with the utmost tyranny. As for Tom, only, fourteen, he looked in simple and adoring admiration on his pretty sister, and was her abject slave. He now laid down his books and fixed his eyes, very bright with interest, on 'Tilda's face.

"Oh, 'Tilda! did you really? Who was it?"

"That is what I am trying to find out, but I appear to be interrupted. You see he's a splendid old knight in the cathedral. He looks like a fine nobleman," and then she held forth as regards waists. Tom wiggled about as evidence that his jacket wasn't tight, and Jem furtively stuck his thumb through his belt. "A fellow has to wear his belt tight with flannel shirts, to keep his trousers up," he growled.

"Perhaps my knight always wore suspenders and boiled shirts," suggested 'Tilda, "and didn't have to lace like young men nowadays."

"Oh, I say! read your guide-book, will you, and find out about him."

"Oh, I will; and when I find him I'll offer him my heart and hand, and all the rest that is necessary for an effect and a climax. His name—what is his name? Not that it makes any difference. At last—here he is—now I'll——"

"Well, what's the matter?"—for 'Tilda had suddenly become absolutely silent. She was poring over the guide-book with a red face and more interest than the occasion warranted.

"Why on earth don't you read about him?"

Whereupon 'Tilda began in a very small voice:

"This is quoted from an old book: 'He was in all things brave and honorable, a knighte moste royale to hys ladie, and fightynge for the true religion in Palestine, whither he journeyed in the years——' Bother dates. Then there is a lot about his father and grandfather, who seem to have been of doubtful character, and that's all."

'Tilda turned innocently to her bit of sewing, and apparently ended the matter. This, considering her former enthusiasm, seemed a little sudden.

"'Tilda," remarked Tom, presently, "what did you say his name was?"

Mrs. Truner, who had been looking at the guide-book in her turn, seemed to find something to amuse her there. Her daughter folded up her work and yawned.

"Oh, I'm tired," she said. "Good-night, everybody."

It was very quiet for a few minutes in the little circle, then came an exclamation from Tom—a long-drawn "Oh-ooo-ooo!"

"What's up?" from Jem.

"Just look here."

Jem leaned over the much-consulted book.

"By Jingo! if that old codger's name isn't William of something or other, and if she did'nt skin out of letting us know, and cut and run when Tom sprung it on her. Whew! if I don't make her remember that. Offer her hand and heart, will she? I'll bet she will—not. Just let her wait until to-morrow."

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Another long June day passed in the quiet of the cathedral. Again 'Tilda wandered across the smooth grass to the evening service. For some reason she kept her hand in her pocket, and when she reached the cathedral she walked straight to Sir William's side. For an instant she smiled down at him, then pulled her hand out of her pocket with a very corpulent envelope in its clasp. On opening, several letters fell out, some in the slanting, angular writing of the modern girl graduate, one in an old-fashioned copper-plate hand—"That's grandpa's"—and one in a strong, black scrawl—"From brother Carl. Hum! how nice of—him to forward them. Let's see what he says," opening a small note in the same writing as the direction. "So proper! Oh, yes. 'This is to let you know that I have read none of the enclosed, but have forwarded them sans envelopes as more convenient.' Well? 'His regards to my mother.' Ah? now I proceed to investigate. Thought so!"

Carefully fitted inside one letter was a tiny sketch; in another a few verses; another held a sheet of finely written foreign paper and—

"So this is your knight, is it?" sounded Jem's voice. "He does look a good sort of fellow. Got a black eye in the Holy Land, didn't you, old chap? Wonder how your namesake, nee Greyson, is feeling? Pretty lively, I guess, with those pretty English girls next door. How they can play tennis. By Jove!"

"Jem," remarked 'Tilda, a little coldly, "the service is about to begin. If you are going to stay, here is a prayerbook and hymnel. It is the seventeeth day of the month, and——"

But Jem was gone. 'Tilda slipped her letter into a prayer-book and read it all through the first lesson. "Couldn't have heard him, anyway," she said. Again she lingered after service. Again she laid her hand oh the stone knight's.

"Thank you," she whispered. "You write very nice letters, although you are rather of expressing yourself. You sketch well, too. I should like to go sketching with you some day—William;" which remark seemed somewhat inappropriate when addressed to a stone effigy some centuries old. 'Tilda suddenly pulled a rosebud from her belt and pushed it under the stone hand. "There!" she said. "There's to your memory and mine, too, and don't let anybody take it away unless he bears your name. Sir Knight, I bid you farewell?"

The next day they went to Paris. Dressmakers, sight-seeing, and the usual American round of Parisian pleasure. 'Tilda bought gloves at the Louvre, mouchoirs at the Bon Marche, ate the light waffles fried in the open air, drank the very mild syrups, and declared them a travesty on soda water. All these things she did, besides wishing herself back in England. Letters could no longer be inclosed, for the bankers now had a permanent address, and woe unto 'Tilda if an epistle bearing a certain postmark fell into the hands of Tom or Jem. 'Tilda didn't care for Paris. 'Tilda couldn't bear the chatty boulevards, and the belligerent cocher with his snapping whip. 'Tilda looked for letters, and received news that a friend had migrated to the self-same cathedral town for sketching.

'Tilda's eyes grew big with a newly-found idea, and she glanced cautiously at Jem, who was reading at the window. Then she rested her chin on both hands, and considered.

"He almost 'said so,' the day we went on the walk. In fact he did, but I made a face or something, and I suppose he thought I didn't care one snap. Oh, but I do, though? I found that out as soon as he was out of sight. Queer, wasn't it? 'Out of sight, in mind.' But I have no time to moralize—not I—so here goes," and 'Tilda wrote a letter. Today came the following:

"You will find a friend of mine in the cathedral. He lies in the first space to the right of the choir. I liked him first because he was more natural than the others. Then I found out his name, and as it was yours, too, perhaps liked him none the less."

So far so good. Here 'Tilda bit her pen.

"I left a flower in his hand," she wrote on, rapidly. "I dare say no one has placed one there for a long time. Perhaps if he knew you bore his name he would not mind your taking it. We shall reach Dover on Tuesday by the packet."

With a very red face 'Tilda sealed her letter and posted it herself. There was no time for an answer, but there was a young man at Dover to meet the packet, and Jem pinched his sister enthusiastically.

Very sweet and quiet was 'Tilda. Not a gleam of mischief in her eyes, not a trace of embarrassment in her manner. Poor Greyson had been in Dover for two rainy days, with only a very dusty and dilapidated rosebud in his pocket for compensation. 'Tilda's usual quiet and calmness he thought rather worse than the rainy weather, and when she delared herself tired to death and left the hotel parlor at nine o'clock, his discomfiture was complete. Could there be some fellow in Paris?

In the morning all was changed, and 'Tilda descended to breakfast in a fresh gown and her most impudent manner. Everything pleased her, and when Greyson proposed a walk with the boys, she assented with apparent enthusiasm. All went well until Jem became possessed with a most unruly spirit.

"Tom," he remarked with solemnity, "I have always heard that the Dover shops are partiularly celebrated for the pretty girls behind the counters. Tom! it is our duty to investigate."

"Jem," remarked 'Tilda, "it is certainly uncomplimentary to your sister's small pretensions at beauty to be forced to resort to shop-girls."

"'Tilda, my dear sister, our admiration is quite superfluous, and we will bid you fond farewell." With which very pretentious leave-taking, Jem dragged Tom away.

'Tilda looked as she felt, a little blank. Greyson looked at 'Tilda. Then that young lady rallied her forces. "Boys are rather amusing sometimes," she remarked." "They always tease me in some way, but this is a new direction. Nothing like variety, you know."

"Yes," he admitted; "variety in some things, but not in others."

"Oh! the exception proves the rule, of course—or tries to. Do you consider me the rule, the exception or the variety—show?"

"Now, Miss 'Tilda, what do you mean when you talk so?"

"Mean? I'm sure I doh't know. Nothing much, I suppose. A woman seldom means what she says or says what she means."

Greyson felt a queer dazed feeling about his head. Then a sudden, quick little motion on 'Tilda's part suggested a new idea. Was she nervous? Did she feel in as many contrary ways as he did? In short, was she consistent, after all, and not as she said, a "variety show?" It was amazing how much temporary bravado this gave him. He took a dusty and crumpled bud from his pocketbook without a word.

"Oh!" remarked 'Tilda with great indifference, "you found it, didn't you? thought it might amuse you. How did you like your namesake—I mean—that is—his—your—at least you are his namesake, of course—"

"Yes," interrupted Greyson, with no indifference at all; "I found it, and I was wondering"—his courage began to vanish into thin air—"I was wondering if I had found anything else."

"Anything else?"—with very much wide-eyed surprise and much assurance.

"Yes, 'anything else.' You know perfectly well—look around at me—that I am good for nothing and all that sort of thing"—'Tilda nodded with spirit—"and that I care a lot more for you than I do about myself or anything else." Poor Greyson stumbled on, regardless of 'Tilda's supreme compose.

"If you did, by any chance, say you cared more than a snap of your fingers for me, I couldn't believe it. You never mean what you say, you told me just now. Oh! why can't a woman allow a man to understand her a little?"—and Greyson turned away as if to seek strength in the blue stretch of sky and sea.

No sooner had he turned than he felt his sleeve plucked. 'Tilda was holding a very small portion of said sleeve between her thumb and forefinger.

"I should have to care a great deal if I cared more than a snap of my finger, because I can't snap my fingers."

This was begun impudently, but ended with a little lowering of her voice.

"And as for meaning what I say—Oh!"—a pause—"I think—a man is so stupid!"—with a little stamp. "Of course I never mean what I say—never, and I say now that I don't care a bit about you. There!"—*Frank Leslie's.*

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1st Prize,	$1,000 in Gold
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4th "	$500 Piano
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9th "	China Tea Set
10th "	Hunting Case Silver Watch
11th "	Boy's Silver Watch

25 prizes of $10 each. 50 prizes of $5 each. 100 prizes of $2 each. 200 prizes of $1 each.

Making a total of 386 prizes, the value of which will aggregate $5,000. This Grand Word-Making Competition is open to everybody, everywhere, subject to the following conditions: The words must be constructed from the two words, "The Agriculturist." The words must be written in ink on one side of the paper only, and numbered in rotation, 1, 2, 3 and so on to the end of the list, for facilitating in deciding the winners. The list containing the largest number of words will be awarded first prize, and so on in the order of merit. Each list as it is received at the office of the "Canadian Agriculturist" will be numbered, and if two or more tie on the largest list, the first received will be awarded the first prize, the next second and so on. Therefore the benefit of sending in early will readily be seen. Each list must be accompanied by $1 for six month's subscription to the "Canadian Agriculturist." One person can send in one or more lists, accompanying each list with $1, for which the paper will be sent to any address for six months. The best family paper in Canada. It is eminently the paper for the home circle, and at $2 a year is the cheapest and best paper in the market. Remember, you are paying $1 for six month's subscription to one of the best home papers in Canada, and at the same time run a good chance of winning a valuable prize.

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"Are Mr. and Mrs. Green at home?" was asked of the little girl who answered the bell. "Yes." "Are they engaged?" The small girl looked horrified as she answered: "Why, they are married."

The Engineer

Of the Wakefield, Mass., Rattan Works, C. N. Young, says: In all cases of biliousness accompanied with these terrible sick headaches, I have found no other medicine that seems to take hold and do the good that your Sulphur Bitters does. It is the best family medicine made.

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 105 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

"GREATER BOSTON."

The Boston *Sunday Herald* of Jan. 25, contained an article with the above caption of over 10 columns in length, accompanied with a map and several cuts of public buildings, which it is safe to say was read with interest by more people than any other production that has appeared in a Boston daily for a long time. It contained a scheme in general and particular for the consolidation of Boston and all the cities and towns within 10 miles of the State House under one municipal government, the same to be the Boston of the future. The plan is a feasible one, and it will have to be practically worked out sooner or later.

A circle extending out 10 miles from the State House, the writer says, would include Boston, Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, Cambridge, Somerville, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Stoneham, Wakefield, Winchester, Woburn, Arlington, Belmont, Watertown, Waltham, Newton, Brookline, Hyde Park, Milton, Quincy, Lynn, Saugus, Swampscott, Nahant, the population of which was on June 1, 1890, 884,815, which is considerably more than one-third of the whole population of the State.

Nineteen of these cities and towns, with a population of 750,143, comprise the Boston Metropolitan Sewerage District, the towns and cities within the circle and not included in Sewage District being Lynn, Swampscott, Saugus, Wakefield, Nahant, Quincy, Hyde Park, Milton.

The writer has evidently bestowed a great deal of study and labor on his scheme, all of the details of which are given showing not only its feasibility but the utility and benefits which would accrue from such consolidation. The proposition is not to annex all these municipalties to Boston, but to unite them into one body politic and to create a government for the new geographical Boston something after the style of the present government of London.

Of course it would be impossible to even so much as to allude to the many advantages to Boston and its suburbs which the proposed arrangement would secure in a brief notice like the present, and therefore we would counsel the readers of the JOURNAL to hunt up the article and read it for themselves.

Among the illustrations are very good views of the Woburn Public Library, the Winchester Town Hall, Malden Public Library, the old Powder-house at Somerville, and others.

The writer says: "It is worthy of remark that Brookline, Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop were formerly parts of Boston, while Somerville, Winchester and Woburn were originally parts of Charlestown. Therefore to make them portions of metropolitan Boston would be simply their restoration to their first political allegience."

BARRETT IS A GOOD REPUBLICAN.

Hon. W. P. Barrett, Speaker of the Massachusetts House, made a speech before the Norfolk Club one evening last week which kicked up quite a commotion. From the way it was reported and printed in the Boston dailies no other conclusion could be reached than that he had taken leave of the Republican party and his senses at the same time, and the *Herald* even went so far as to make the report of the speech a text from which to preach a long political sermon to show that the Republicans were all rushing over to the Mugwump camp and the party crumbling to pieces. It was the manner of reporting the speech that raised the rumpus. Taking parts of sentences, divorcing paragraphs from their true and intended relations, picking out a sentence here and there and putting them together—in this way it was made out that Mr. Barrett was opposed to nearly all the cardinal tenets of the Republican party, and had strayed from the true fold in the most lamentable manner. He went back on McKinley's tariff, the Federal Election bill, had a good word for free coinage, and maintained that the public school question was to be the great political issue in the future.

Last Tuesday Mr. Barrett caused to be published in the *Evening Traveller* a letter in which he tells the public just what he did say at the Norfolk Club dinner, pointed out the errors of the reporters, and then went on to explain his views on the live issues of the day.

Mr. Barrett's explanation was perfectly satisfactory. There never ought to have been any misunderstanding as to his position on the tariff and elections bills and other party measures, or on the silver question, because he is a stalwart Republican, a dyed-in-the-wool one, and on all questions of party principles and policies he is and always has been as sound as a nut.

The only trouble about Barrett is, that he is in advance of his party, or of some of its old moss-backed leaders, and when he hints at a new gospel, or a new presentation of an old one, they hold up their hands in holy horror and cry treason.

Nobody can read Mr. Barrett's letter in the *Evening Traveller* without being forced to the conclusion that he is a Republican of the strictest sect.

INGALLS OUT.

The Kansas Legislature knocked Senator Ingalls out in one round last Tuesday. If that had been done before he made his last foolish speech in the Senate we should have had some pity for him in his defeat; but a man who can talk as he did on that occasion had better be made to stay at home.

Nevertheless, it is more than probable that Kansas will get very sick of her new Senator before a great while and regret exceedingly that she made the change.

Unless the Alliance goes to pieces sooner than most people suspect, the State of Kansas is bound in the near future to be afflicted with the worst lot of demagogues she has ever harbored within her fair borders, and Kansas has had, one time and another, some pretty tough customers in that line.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
Advertiser—For Sale.
Fitz & Stanley—Groceries.
F. Schwartz—Upholsterer.
P. O. Box 1684—Incubator.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Horace Dodd—N. E. I. Co.
Jas. Skinner & Co.—For Sale.
R. B. P. Co.—Royal Bak. Pow.

— The Common Council will hold a meeting this evening.

— Smoke "Old Hundred" cigar at Kelley's drugstore, 417 Main street.

— See what Box 1684, Woburn Postoffice has to say about matters and things.

— Mr. Amos Cummings is going to have a great gingham sale. Read his announcement.

— Mr. Blank has got his Wilmington drugstore pretty nearly into good running trim.

— Anybody can get a good overcoat at Mr. C. M. Munroe's Clothing store very cheap just now.

— We call particular attention to the change in the advertisement of the Boston Bunch in the JOURNAL.

— If things move on as smoothly as at present the Eaton Shoe factory will be ready for business next week.

— Gowing's Orchestra will furnish music for the ball of True Blue Lodge, L. O. I., at Music Hall this evening.

— The managers of the W. F. R. A. will please accept thanks for complimentary tickets to their ball to-night.

— Read the new advertisements in the JOURNAL this week carefully. As usual they are interesting and generally profitable reading.

— It is reported that the Young Mens Association, organized a year or so ago, at their meeting held last week voted to adjourn *sine die*.

— Mr. George W. West has been elected Superintendent of the First Baptist Sunday School in place of Mr. William E. Blodgett, resigned.

— It is a perfect luxury to have Mr. David Ronco do up ones beard, whiskers, mustache and hair. Dave does it as neat as a whistle and prompt too.

— At a meeting of the South Middlesex Unitarian Club held last week Mr. H. M. Aldrich of this city was chosen a member of the Executive Committee.

— The Woburn Co-operative Bank will have $3000 to sell at their meeting to be held on Feb. 12. It behooves those who want money to be on hand at that meeting promptly.

— The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will take place in Concert Hall on Friday, Feb. 6, at 3 P. M., when Rev. Edward G. Porter, of Lexington will lecture on Japan.

— Street Superintendent Jones had his highwaymen out in full force as soon as it ceased snowing on Sunday afternoon and very shortly the sidewalks were in apple-pie condition.

— Dr. Springer has taken rooms at 42 Pleasant street, opposite the Public Library. A large increase of professional business necessitated the change. He has a fine suite of rooms now.

— The American Mechanics will hold a Grand Bazaar in their new hall [illegible]—21.—A Sachem's regalia to be voted for is displayed in the window of Mr. Munroe's clothing store.

— Rev. C. H. Leonard, D. D., who was not able to preach last Sunday at Concert Hall, will be present and preach next Sunday. Rev. W. A. Start will also be present and aid in organizing the parish.

— Mr. J. E. Jenks, a Boston broker, formerly of Woburn, fell on the ice three weeks ago and broke one of his arms. We had a short call from him last Monday when his arm was an object requiring considerable care.

— A fellow by the name of W. H. Ginnis has been swindling the people of this city by getting orders for crayon portrait work. He worked his game very shrewdly and pulled in a good many dollars from unsuspecting victims.

— Organist W. H. Clarke has prepared a fine service of music for next Sunday morning at the First Congregational church, to wit:

Organ Prelude. "Priere in D flat." Lefebure Wely
Venite in G. Antiphonal Chant.
Choir Anthem. "The Lord is my Light." Reichardt
Organ Postlude. Fugue in G. Wesley

— Mr. C. Francis, an elderly and very estimable citizen of this place, fell on the ice near the Cook shoe factory last Tuesday and broke his hip. In his trouble he has many friends whose sympathy he will have in full measure.

— Last Tuesday afternoon 30 or 40 members of Burbank Womans Relief Corps, No. 84, took a sleigh ride to Lynn to visit their former President, Mrs. Anna L. Randall. They went in a big sleigh and had a very pleasant time of it.

— It snowed again yesterday. We told Sewell the other day when he ventured the remark that he guessed there wouldn't be much more snow this winter, that he'd see all he wanted to of it before the top of "March Hill" is reached. And he will.

— The JOURNAL is in a position to state positively that no application has been made to the Comptroller of the Currency for a charter for another National Bank in this city unless it was made some days later than the last issue of this paper.

— Mr. John Connolly, City Janitor, has bought the Charles A. Wood residence on Bennett street and Church Ave. Possibly the papers have not been made out but the bargain for it is completed. Gregory, the wideawake real estate dealer, made the sale.

— Mr. S. B. Goddard advertises the Employers Liability Assurance Corporation, an elaborated idea of which was set forth in these columns not long ago. Mr. Goddard is doing a large business here with this concern for the simple reason that employers of workmen see at a glance its utility and are anxious to avail themselves of its benefits. It is a sound and popular insurance company, and Mr. Goddard manages its business here to the satisfaction of its numerous patrons.

— A large shoe manufacturing company of Dover, N. H., want to come to this city and establish a factory. They employ 150 hands and pay out about $2500 a week. Mr. Amos Cummings is trying to get Woburn capitalists interested in the enterprise and thus secure the business.

— Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis made her report as State Lecturer at the 22d annual meeting of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association held in Boston Tuesday and subsequent days. It was interesting and showed that she has been faithful to her trust and done a great deal of work during the year.

— The Red Men will give their grand annual concert and ball on next Wednesday evening. Brigham's Orchestra of Marlboro are to furnish the music. Unless Col. O. J. Hart, one of the Chiefs and Past Sachem of the Tribe, is very very much out of the way the affair will be a splendid one.

— Doctor Daniel W. Kelley, who studied and mastered the profession of pharmacist with Mr. W. W. Hill, and who has been carrying on a drug establishment of his own in Malden, has bought out Doctor Joe P. Shields, in Mechanic Building, where he will carry on the business in the future. Success to him.

— Mr. Frank Schwartz has opened upholstering rooms at 404 Main St. where after Feb. 2 he will be glad to meet the people of Woburn and consult with them about business. As an upholsterer, draper, trimmer, etc. Mr. Schwartz is an artist and cannot fail to satisfy our people on that point. Give him a call.

— A note from Mr. H. M. Aldrich informs us that the course of Sunday evening lectures at the Unitarian church will commence next Sunday evening. The opening lecture will be given by Rev. E. A. Horton of Boston. The course promises to be one of great interest and will probably attract large audiences.

— Probably no house in this or any other country of the old world has reduced to a system the manufacture and sale of furniture to a more advanced stage of perfection than can be found at Paine's Furniture Co., 48 Canal St., Boston. It is marvellous how such fine goods can be produced at so little cost.

— We learn with pleasure that Mr. Holman, business manager of the *Daily City Press*, and wife seriously contemplate taking up their residence in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Holman would be a valuable acquisition to the best Woburn society and it is to be hoped they will conclude to make this their future home.

— The High School pupils have opened the ball in good shape. The burning question is graduating exercises, or no graduating exercises, and so far the nos seem to have it by a large majority. Plausible arguments can be adduced pro and con, and what the upshot of the movement will be nobody can just now say.

— There was an alarm from box 61 early Wednesday morning for a fire in McCue's fruit store and street car reception room 471 Main street. It originated among the rubbish in the cellar, as one or two former fires have done, but how is something of mystery. Spontaneous combustion is the most plausible idea of the fire's origin.

— The Equal Suffrage League will hold its annual meeting, Monday evening, Feb. 2, at 7.45 o'clock in Concert Hall. Its members have thought it appropriate at that time to pay a fitting memorial tribute to the life and work of its founder and first president, Mrs. Emma Putnam Kelley. Such friends as so desire are cordially invited to be present.

— Dr. Ephraim Cutter's Sanitarium on Mott Avenue and 165th street in New York City was opened to the public recently and struck a paying basis at once. Dr. Cutter is eminent in New York as a physician as well as all over the world as a scientist and any institution of the above description is bound to flourish under his auspices and personal management.

— Capron, who mysteriously disappeared from Boston the other day after writing a letter to his wife informing her of his comtemplated suicide, was a member of the Johnston Electric Signal Co., of this city and was engaged in conducting the same at one time, and perhaps up to his strange disappearance.

— Mr. John I. Munroe, the enterprising real estate dealer of this city, is negotiating with a big shoe firm to get them to settle in this city with good prospect of success. Reading held a public meeting the other day with a view of getting the same company there, and it is probably there will be a gathering of Woburn business men soon to discuss and act on the matter.

— It was stated in last week's JOURNAL that Mr. William P. Symonds had become connected with the General Secretaryship of the Lynn Y. M. C. A. which was an error. He has not been connected with any Y. M. C. A. in any capacity for the last two years, but has been engaged in newspaper work in Boston, where and at which he expects to continue for some time to come.

— Sunday evening service at the Unitarian church: The following well known clergymen are expected to preach: Revs. E. A. Horton, James DeNormandie, E. L. Rexford, D. D., of the Universalist Church, and others. The pastor Rev. H. C. Parker will also give four lectures on Belief in God. 1, Evidence of God's existence; 2, How God reveals himself; 3, Is God good?; 4, May we believe that God is our Father.

— Last Wednesday the Boston Secretary of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York gave the agents of the Company a dinner in Boston which report says was a swell affair. The big corps of lightning talkers and vital statistics figurers enjoyed the feast very much, and the Secretary was happy while surrounded by his jovial aids. Mr. Webster Woodman, the popular Woburn agent for the Company, and Ex-Professor Herbert B. Dow of this city, also an agent, were among the favored of the generous Secretary's guests and returned with hunger appeased and praises on their lips.

— Members of the Pine Tree Club are requested to meet at the residence of Mr. J. H. Nason, No. 323 Main street, at 7.30 o'clock on next Wednesday evening to canvass the matter of the annual meeting, banquet, etc. A full and prompt attendance is earnestly desired.

— Mr. and Mrs. William S. York and their daughter have decided to visit California as members of the Raymond excursion party that will leave Boston on next Wednesday, Feb. 4, and are making preparations for the same. The visit will include all points of interest in California—Los Angeles, San Diego, Monteray, San Francisco, etc. —and in going or coming New Orleans, Cincinnati and other large cities will be visited. Mr. York and his family contemplate a pleasant trip, and we trust they will not be disappointed.

— Mr. Edward Simonds generously remembered his many friends in this city last Wednesday—the 71st anniversary of his birthday—nor did he forget his old friend the JOURNAL. He has been connected with public matters in Woburn ever since 1844, well towards 50 years, and if there is a spryer, more active, or better preserved man among us than he is we do not know who he is. His 71st birthday found Mr. Simonds in good health and happy, and may he live to celebrate many more anniversaries of it in peace and plenty.

— Mr. Charles Eaton, who met with what came so near proving a fatal accident on Thursday afternoon of last week, was not taken to the hospital in Boston as the JOURNAL in the hurry of making the announcement of the affair stated, but was taken to Mrs. Sherburne's, his mother-in-law, on Main street, where he soon revived and was pronounced by his attending physicians to be out of danger. It was one of the narrowest escapes from an instant and terrible death that ever occurred in this place.

— The Christian Endeavor Society held a meeting last Tuesday evening at which Chester R. Smith, Miss Lutie Carter, Edwin C. Cotton and Miss Mary D. Prior were chosen delegates to the Park Street church, Boston, anniversary, which took place Thursday evening. Walter Marion and Edwin C. Cotton were chosen a committee to collect funds for Rev. James L. Fowle, the missionary. Rev. James L. Fowle has been a faithful missionary in foreign lands for a good many years and ought not to be hampered in his noble work by lack of funds.

— There was a heavy snow storm last Sunday. It was an old fashioned New England one such as our forefathers delighted to tell the wonders of, and being what is known as a "damp" one it renewed the sleighing which recent rains had about destroyed. Several inches of snow fell, and on Monday the sleigh-bells jingled merrily in our streets, where many fine turnouts were seen. The sun was warm and so was the southwest wind and the snow melted quite rapidly all day Monday. But there was a little more snow on Tuesday just to even up things.

— Last Monday was the 72d anniversary of the birth of Deacon Gawin R. Gage of this city and, as has been his custom for years, although quite ill at present, he celebrated it by giving a little party. The affair—neat but not gaudy—took the shape of a family dinner which was attended by Mr. Frank B. Richardson and wife (the latter the daughter of Dea. Gage) and children, Rev. Dr. March, Rev. F. W. March (the Doctor's son), Mr. and Geo. A. Bean, Mr. Frederic A. Flint (of the firm of G. R. Gage & Co.), Mrs. Daniel Ramsey of New Hampshire, a sister of Mrs. Gage. In the morning Mrs. Gage fell on the ice and so severely injured herself that she was unable to discharge the duties of hostess, while the Deacon of course was not well enough to play the host. In his absence and by his command Mr. Flint sat at the head of the well-laden table, and everything passed off in the most agreeable manner. The dinner, as well as the social intercourse, was highly enjoyed.

— The annual meeting of the First Parish in this city was held last Monday evening and the customary business transacted. Dr. John M. Harlow was chosen Moderator and presided over the meeting. Mr. C. Willard Smith was elected Clerk; E. E. Thompson, Collector and Treasurer; Frederic A. Flint, Auditor; and Joseph G. Pollard, Oliver F. Bryant and Luke Warren Fowle was elected the Parish Committee. The annual reports of the Parish Committee, Treasurer and Auditor for 1890 were submitted by those officers and accepted by the meeting. These reports showed that the receipts of the Parish for the year had been $4,793.35; and the expenditures, $4,782.48; leaving a balance of $10.87 in the treasury. A committee consisting of Messrs. L. L. Whitney, J. G. Pollard and O. F. Bryant were appointed to prepare a set of resolutions expressive of the Parish's appreciation of the valuable services rendered by Deacon G. R. Gage during the 11 years in which he was an active member of the Parish Committee.

— The Firemen's Relief Association will give their fourth annual ball and concert this evening for which Calnan's popular Orchestra will furnish the music. Caterer Reed of Boston has been engaged to provide the supper. Chief Engineer Ferrin will have charge of the floor, assisted by Assistant Engineer Ames, and the following named will be aids: Bernard H. Folan, Joseph C. Larock, Charles H. Nichols, James E. Eaton, John Kenney, James L. McNulty, Cyrus B. Fetridge, Luman C. Gott, James E. Boutwell, Cornelius Driscoll, William R. Greenleaf, William J. Brown, Patrick H. Greeney, Patrick H. Doherty. The following named will constitute the reception committee: Charles A. Wood, Charles Stewart, Thomas F. Ryan, Charles E. Eaton, Fred E. Perkins, Charles B. Green, Lawrence Martin, Thomas Flynn, Thomas Marlow, John H. Bates, Alfred K. Fetridge, Edward F. Tibbetts, George H. Newcomb, George A. Boutwell, Griffin Durga, Edward E. Stowers, Amos Langell, George H. Brauer, James H. Doherty, John Madden, Neil Noon.

— The present Chairman, Mr. W. F. Kenney, has been a member of the Woburn School Board some seven years and has proved himself a worthy occupant of a responsible and honorable public position. He has accomplished a good many much-needed reforms in the Board, and a great many old fogy notions have been dropped and others more in consonence with modern educational progress adopted in their stead. Mr. Kenney's ideas are practical, and although the most harmonious relations have always existed between him and his fellow-members he has managed to carry out many measures beneficial to our schools. We find this passage in the report of the proceedings of last Tuesday evenings meeting of the Board; "At Chairman Kenney's suggestion it was voted to provide suitable accommodations at the meetings for members of the Press." That is in line with what Mr. Kenney's position has always been on the question of "executive sessions" from the very first of his official career. The JOURNAL acknowledges with pleasure the courtesy which the Board, by Chairman Kenney's suggestion, has extended to the reporters. It is understood that the abolition of the great annual display of the graduating class is one of Mr. Kenney's ideas—but enough for the present. More Anon.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a meeting on last Thursday evening which was attended by all the members. Petitions were received as follows: Patrick McCarthy for State aid; Hans Anderson and others for extension of water pipe on Middle street; H. Perley and others for street light in Ward 6. All referred.——The bond of John G. Maguire, as Collector of taxes, indorsed by Thomas Salmon, Thomas Moore, Leonard Thompson and John R. Carter in the sum of $30,000, was approved.——Francis P. Curran was chosen City Solicitor, in non-concurrence, the Council having chosen John Warren Johnson.——Concurred with Common Council in the order to print 2500 copies of the record of marriages. ——Alderman Davis offered an order providing for a portrait of the first Mayor of Woburn, Edward F. Johnson. The rules were suspended, and the order was passed unanimously.—— The report of the Water Commissioners was read and ordered printed.—— The petition of the police asking increased pay, which was referred to the committee on police, was recalled and sent to the Committee on Salaries.

On Land and Sea.

The fashions of washing are many. Some nations pound the clothing: some dip them into boiling springs; woodsmen hang theirs in running brooks, while sailors stow their clothing behind sailing ships, after covering it with salt water soap. None of these methods are really effective. A cleanly and easy wash can best be had with Brussels soap, which is a foe to dirt.

The Poultry Show.

A very interesting exhibition by the Woburn Fanciers Club closed at Lyceum Hall last Friday after a three days session. The chief promoters of the exhibition, which included President E. F. Wyer of the Club, Secretary M. W. True, and many prominent citizens, were highly pleased with its success, and were also strongly encouraged to go on with their plans for making the Club's show in Woburn a fixed and permanent thing. The result of this year's effort would seem to justify such a step.

The exhibition was made up of a very large number of splendid birds of all kinds. The judges, old and experienced fowl fanciers, said it was the best they had seen both as to numbers and quality of individuals. The breeders from abroad, too, a large number of whom were present, were unanimous in their praise of it, and it seems as though a good foundation was laid for an annual show here by the Club.

There was a large continuous attendance at Lyceum Hall all through the exhibition although a part of the time the weather was very bad and streets nasty, and the crowds were composed of the first ladies and gentlemen of this city and vicinity. It is apparent that a lively interest in poultry breeding prevails all through the community, and it is, no doubt, greatly strengthened by the influence of the poultry Clubs which are enjoying successful careers hereabouts. Should an annual show be established here by the Woburn Club the interest in this pleasant and profitable occupation will increase.

Several well-known breeders from away took prizes for superior fowls at the exhibition, as well as many Woburn owners of fancy chickens whose stock was unexcelled. Among the chief prize winners were Mitchell of Hyde Park; Geo. F Hosmer, W. P. Cutler, F. W. Legg, Capt. E. F. Wyer, E. A. Holbrook of Winchester; W. H. Wilson of Shirley Village; John C. Jodfrey of Salem; Joseph T. Davis, Charles McLachy, F. A. Johnson, C. F. A. Smith, of Waltham; Howard M. Munroe of Lexington; Austin A. Fish, Frank B. Richardson, Chester Fowle, Patrick Morgan, M. J. Clancy, James E. Darmody, N. B. Tilton of Savanah, Georgia, who took a prize for "Old Fashioned Games;" N. A. Knapp of Winchester; D. F. McIntosh, Ernest A. Legg, Smith Brothers of Worcester; Tenney & Harrington, N. B. Hartford of Watertown, and many others.

It may as well be taken for granted that an annual poultry show by the Woburn Fanciers Club is a fixed fact. The interest and enthusiasm of exhibitors and visitors was a guarantee of that.

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Primary Teachers' Institution.

The Boston Primary Union of Sunday-school Teachers will hold an Institute at Berkeley Temple, Boston, commencing Monday, February 2, at 2.30 o'clock. Interesting and helpful addresses on the best methods of teaching and training the younger scholars will be delivered by practical, progressive teachers. Supper will be served at 6 oclock, under the auspices of the Congregational Superintendents' Union, followed by addresses at 7 P. M., by Dr. Gumbart of Roxbury, and lesson teaching by Miss Harlow of Lowell. The public are cordially invited to attend both services.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Corporation and Managers of the Home for Aged Women will be held at the Savings Bank Building Tuesday, Feb. 3, at half past two P. M.

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Meeting of the School Board.

The Woburn School Committee held a regular meeting at their rooms last Tuesday evening with a good attendance of members.

Chairman William F. Kenney presided.

Appropriations to the amount of $40,751.79, which included unexpended balances, were reported by the commitee and adopted.

Miss Jameson was chosen music teacher to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation or Mr. Russell, with a salary of $800.

The following were received:

WOBURN, Jan. 1, 1891.

To the Honorable the School Committee of Woburn:

We, the undersigned, members of the graduating class of '91 of the Woburn high school, respectfully request the school committee to grant that the usual public exercises of graduation be omitted next year, for the following reasons:

First—The expense necessary for the occasion is too great for some of the class.

Second—The amount of time spent in preparing for graduation might be more profitably spent.

Third—The essays read on graduation are not representative of the work done in school.

Fourth—Owing to the size of the class, all are not entitled to take part.

The above is signed by Blanche L. True, Mary H. Eaton, Alice K. Linscott, Clara L. Nichols, Carrie A. Bram, Ada M. Munroe, Cecil A. Wyman, Caroline B. Crane, C. Adaline Richards, Nellie C. Doyle, F. Mabel Ferguson, Florence M. Styles, Helen F. Ordway, Sadie L. Fosdick, Abbie Winn, Mary C. Melendy, E. Haggerty, Bertha R. Richardson, Chester L. Fish, Edwin K. Porter, Elizabeth West, Elsie A. Francis, Mary C. Goode, Redmond Walsh, Irving R. Bancroft, Hattie L. Dodge, Amelia E. Bland, Parker C. Fowle, Frederick T. Hovey, P. D. Carney.

The following-named parents or guardians of the scholars approve the same: Moses W. True, Marcus Eaton, Andrew R. Linscott, Benjamin H. Nichols, H. L. Brown, George J. Munroe, Arthur B. Wyman, John P. Crane, Daniel H. Richards, M. Doyle, John Ferguson, Mrs. S. S. Ordway, George F. Fosdick, John Winn, N. E. Melendy, J. H. Haggerty, M. L. Richardson, George W. Fish, Huntington Porter, M. M. Francis, Patrick Goode, P. Walsh, Ambrose Bancroft, Frank B. Dodge, James Bland, George E. Fowle.

The remonstrance was as follows:

To the Honorable the School Committee of Woburn:

We, members of the graduating class, understand that your body is to receive a petition signed by certain pupils of the high school, to abolish the customary public graduation.

Therefore, we beg leave to express some reasons why this request should not be granted.

First—That the public is interested in this official statement on the part of the teachers of the merits of their schools, is attested by the large audience which is annually drawn together on this occasion.

But it is contended that the writing of an essay is not a true example of one's ability, as it is said to be largely the work of the teachers, but the falsity of this claim can be proved easily by a large number of past graduates; but that the writing and delivery of an essay is the best example of the ability of the author is evident from the fact that it is the course pursued by the leading colleges and schools of this land.

It has also been brought forward that the many individual expenses for a graduation can be used to better advantage, but we have ascertained from past graduates that the outlay, outside of class photographs, need be but little more than would ordinarily be spent at that time of the year.

Furthemore, it is urged that the time spent in preparing for a graduation might be better employed, but we know, from three years experience, that the regular recitations are held to the last day, and that in previous years not only have graduations been held but also all wishing to enter colleges have successfully passed their examinations, occurring within a few days of the graduation.

Finally, it is claimed that it is unfair that all should not be permitted to take part if they wished, but, that it is natural that those who, through indifference and poor scholarship, have failed to reach the necessary standard, should wish to avoid a public exposure of the fact, it is but justice to the others that the public should have an opportunity to see how well they have made use of the advantages or education offered by this city.

Therefore we pray that our honorable body will decide that the class of '91 hold graduating exercises, and that you will give instructions and make the appropriations customary for such an occasion.

Signed by J. Chester Hanson, Franklin S. Ellard, Lutie Carter, Elliot F. Trull, George G. Barker, Florence Royce.

The matter was discussed and a decided difference of opinion developed, when, upon motion of Mrs. Adams, it was voted to refer the matter to a special committee, to report at the next meeting. Chairman Kenney appointed Mrs. Adams and W. W. Cummings.

The matter of remunerating Miss Hevey and Miss Larkin, for expense of travel to and from the Johnson school, developed so much opposition that it was dropped. Thomas Mulkeen was reappointed truant officer.

At Chairman Kenney's suggestion it was voted to provide suitable accommodations at the meetings for members of the press.

After Forty Years.

At the annual meeting of the First Congregational church of this city held on Monday evening, Jan. 19, Deacon Gawin R. Gage, on account of continued illness, resigned the office of church Treasurer which he had held for 40 consecutive years. What followed the receipt of the resignation may be learned by referring to an official report of the meeting published in this paper last week from the pen of Secretary Pollard. The action was appropriate and well deserved.

This record of office bearing by Dea. Gage is one that any person might will be proud of. It is remarkable not only as respects its duration, but when the books were closed and handed over to his successor they told the story of his honesty and efficiency as a servant of the church. The debtor side of the ledgers showed the money received; the credit side, where every penny of it had gone to. Thousands and thousands of dollars were handled by him as Church Treasurer during his 40 years of faithful service, and not a farthing ever went wrong. There was not a false figure in his books. Every dollar was accounted for.

In 1846 Deacon Gage was elected Town Treasurer and served faithfully and efficiently for a period of 32 years, which covered a considerable share of the time he was Treasurer of the Congregational church. His incumbency of that responsible public post was characterized by the same care, honesty and intelligence that won for him the confidence and esteem of the church he served, and but for the introduction of politics into town affairs there can be no doubt but that his resignations of Town and Church Treasurer would have been simultaneous.

Dea. Gage has not only served the First Congregational church faithfully and honestly for the long period named, but during that time he has been the church's most conspicuous representative both in temporal and spiritual affairs. In the public mind he has for many years stood for the church, has been associated with it, and recognized as the head of its affairs. One can hardly think of Dea. Gage without at the same time being reminded of the Congregational church; nor of the church without thinking of him. With the secular affairs of life—with the progress and promotion of the best interests of Woburn—he has for more than 40 years been closely identified. In fact, with everything kind, generous, true, and honorable, whether in connection with the church or the worldly good of the town, the name of Dea. Gage has always held a conspicuous place—held the rank of leader in works calculated to promote both the spiritual and temporal welfare of his fellow-men.

A tramp who stole a box of Brussels soap concealed his identity by washing himself with a cake of it.

Installation.

Last Wednesday evening the newly elected officers of Woburn Lodge, No. 57, Order of Ægis, were duly installed at their Lodge in Fox building by Officer O. M. Wade and suite. As usual the ceremonies were impressive.

The Order of Ægis is a Benefit Order which pays its members $25 per week in case of sickness, and $1000 at the end of 7 years. Hence it is known as the 7-year benefit Order.

Thirty-three people were present at the installation, who about 10 o'clock sat down to the annual dinner, which was a superb one. Hardy of Arlington was the carterer, and he strengthened his hold on the affections of Woburn's good livers wonderfully last Wednesday night. The dinner was greatly enjoyed.

After dinner speeches were made by: O. M. Wade, G. P. Hartshorn, C. W. Ames, C. H Stevens, J. M. Wallace, C. E. Conn, E. A. Pierce, J. H. Wetherell. With these the meeting closed.

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The District Conference of Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. Associations of the Third District of Massachusetts and Rhode Island held their conference in this city on last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, for the carrying out of which in approved style the local Association put in a great deal of time and work. The District comprises the following Associations: Boston, Brockton, Charlestown, Cambridge, Harvard University, Hyde Park, Natick, Newton, Watertown, Waltham, Winchester, Woburn. A. H. Whitford of Cambridge was Chairman of District Committee, and Geo. S. Avery, Secretary.

It was said by those who claimed to know about it that it was the largest conference ever held in the District, and the opinion prevailed quite generally among delegates and visitors that it was the most enthusiastic. Several of the "great guns" in the work were present and participated in the various exercises, among whom were Chairman Whitford of the District Committee; the eminent Evangelist L. W. Munhall of Philadelphia; J. W. Cook, Assistant State Secretary, of Boston; J. L. Gordon of Boston, and others. Several resident and outside clergymen were also active in the numerous sessions of the conference.

The conference opened with a reception of delegates followed forthwith by a collation which some 80 persons sat down to and keenly relished. It was in every sense of the word what is popularly known as a "square meal." Notwithstanding the veneration all feel for baked beans as a New England and particularly a Boston institution, it was decided by the Committee of Arrangements that at this banquet baked beans should be religiously tabood, and the consequence was that, so far as the eye extended, not a single solitary bean raised its defiant head over the tables. It was an innovation which is regarded by some as fraught with danger to the esculent bean—perhaps its complete and permanent relegation to a back seat at future banquets. The salad, that wonderful cullinary composition, it is feared by the older members of society, is crowding the bean to the wall, but there are people outside of Boston as well as thousands in it who will make a desperate fight for their old-timed favorite fruit.

The collation had been prepared with care and there was enough of it to satisfy every hungry body who drew his chair up to the boards. There were meats, oysters, salads, bread, cake, and an abundance of coffee, thanks to the judgment and liberality of the committee on supper.

At the banqueting tables brief but pleasing addresses were made by Mayor Bean, Rev. D. D. Winn, Rev. Mr. Murphy, and perhaps others. Filled with the good things of the table the company adjourned to the First Baptist church where religious exercises were held consisting of a praise service. It was presided over by A. H. Whitford, General Secretary of the Cambridge Association, and at 7 45 the opening exercises of the conference took place. The rest of the evening was taken up with a Boys meeting by the Junior Department of the Cambridge Association, addresses, etc.

At 11 o'clock on Saturday forenoon there was a Bible Reading conducted by L. W. Munhall, the Evangelist, and in the afternoon many sessions of great interest were held. Rev. J. E. Fielden of Winchester discussed "Can the work of the Y. M. C. A. be done by a single church?" Reports, addresses, music and boys meetings filled up the time on Saturday. At the praise service on Saturday evening Miss Katherine Spear sang very sweetly indeed a solo which the meeting appeared to highly enjoy. The same gifted young lady gave a solo on Sunday evening also which added much to the interest of the service. In the Saturday meetings Messrs. Whitford, C. L. Pitkin of Boston, O. E. Ryther of Hyde Park, R. C. Gordon, E. McAllister of Waltham, Evangelist Munhall, W. W. Lyman of Brockton, T. T. Hazelwood of Haverhill, J. W. Cook, Ass't State Secretary, Geo. S. Avery of Boston, J. L. Gordon of Boston, took prominent parts.

The conference closed on Sunday evening. Everything had run smoothly and satisfactorily from the start and delegates, visitors, and the home management were well pleased with its success. Sunday was an interesting day to all concerned. The meetings were well attended—much better than was expected considering the heavy snow storm in the forenoon. The city pulpits were generally filled by delegates, and well filled, and good music was furnished by the city choirs. At the Mens Meeting was one of the largest ever held by the District conference, and at 7.30 P. M. the Mass Meeting held at the First Congregational church attracted a very large assembly of people. The exercises, in which many delegates and others participated, were highly interesting and were appropriate as a close to a successful series of excellent religious meetings. With the Mass Meeting closed the conference.

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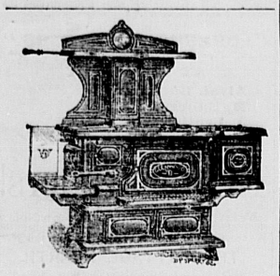

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An Interesting Document.

Sherman Converse, Esq., of Salem street, in this city, took the Federal census of Woburn, Stoneham, Reading, No. Reading and So. Reading (now Wakefield) in 1860, and devoted to the discharge of its duties five months of continuous work. From his report to the Department at the close of his official services Mr. Converse lately furnished us some facts which, we have no doubt, will prove of interest to the people of Woburn and the other places named.

We would remark by the way that Mr. Converse is a native of Woburn, his ancestor being one of the original seven pioneers from the Charlestown church who settled the town, and is held in high esteem by his fellow citizens. He was born in 1810, and there are are only eight natives of this city whose age exceeds his. These are: Mr. Jonathan Tidd, Mr. Rufus Poole, Mr. Henry Thompson, Mr. Walter Wyman, Mr. Elijah Wyman, Mr. J. G. Flagg, and Mr. Jacob Wright.

Some of the interesting items from Mr. Converse's census report are these: In Woburn there were, in that year (1860) 1148 dwelling houses; 1432 families; 6288 inhabitants, 3082 of whom were males, 3206 were females, being 126 more females than males, and an average of 5 5-11 individuals to each house, while the average in the three Readings and Stoneham was 5½ to eace house.

There were on June 1 (1860) 1469 foreign residents in Woburn. Mr. Converse found that the ratio of children born of foreigners was about 9 to 16, which gave for the foreigners and their children in Woburn a population of 2300, being a little over one-third of the whole number.

The number of deaths in the three Readings, Stoneham and Woburn during the year ending Jan. 1, 1860, was 193, viz.: No. Reading, 11; Reading, 49; So. Reading, 49; Stoneham, 33; Woburn, 51. This gave

No. Reading	1 death for every	109	inhabitants.
Reading	" " "	54	"
So. Reading	" " "	65	"
Stoneham	" " "	97	"
Woburn	" " "	123	"

Average deaths in the five towns, one for every 86 inhabitants.

There were 42 oxen, 382 cows and 50 horses in Woburn on Jan. 1, of that year.

The oldest male inhabitant was Jesse Converse, who was 95 on Feb. 9, 1765. The oldest female was Molly Richardson who was 96 years old. There was but one old maid in Woburn and she owned up fair and square to the "soft impeachment." She was 63 when the census-taker made his official call on her, but was not pressed to tell the month she was born in. All the other maidens of the town being less than 60 years of age did not come within category of "old maids."

There were six twin daughters in one family in Woburn. In Stoneham, Mr. Converse says in his report, he found one child deaf, dumb and foolish; in No. Reading, a girl who had but one eye; and a cousin of hers of the same age, a boy leaving only a few roads from her, with two thumbs on one hand.

The town of Woburn, Mr. Converse found, had gained in the preceding 10 years, since 1850, 2334 inhabitants, and was still in a progressive way.

This census was taken 30 years ago, since which date great changes have come about in the towns comprising Mr. Converse's census district.

Y. M. C. A.

Monday Song Class.

Boys meeting at 2 p. m. Sunday.

At 8 o'clock on Saturday evening Prayer and Bible study.

At 4 p. m. Sunday, one of our young business men will have charge of the meeting.

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Burlington.

Daniel A. Foster, a son of Mr. D. A. Foster was quite badly hurt while coasting, Saturday.

The Daughters of Rebekah had a social dancing party at the Town Hall, Friday evening.

The mother of Mrs. Charles E. Marion, an aged lady, recently had a severe fall on the ice. Her hip was broken and serious consequences are feared.

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Lawrence Reade, formerly of Milford, where he was always an active, prominent Democrat, under the Cleveland administration was made postmaster of Woburn, his commission expiring the 22d of next month, and has been at work for some time to secure a re-appointment under a Republican administration, for whose policy he has about as much love as a cat entertains for hot soup.

He found some Republicans carried away by the Mugwumpian sophistry that Democrats ought to stand equal with Republicans under a Republican administration, to endorse his papers, and recently made the customary pilgrimage to Washington. But it was of no avail. General Banks and other prominent Republicans thought a Republican good enough to administer the duties of the Woburn postoffice, and Arthur B. Wyman, a true-blue Republican, gets the place—an eminently proper disposition of the case. It must call for a good deal of what the boys term "pure gall," for a bitter Democrat like Lawrence Reade to even as much as ask a Republican administration to retain him in a lucrative position like the postmastership of Woburn.—*Milford Daily Journal*, Jan. 19.

As a general rule the political notions of our brisk little Milford contemporary are orthodox. It is sensible on the "spoils" question. It believes that Democrats should not be allowed to hold office under a Republican administration a minute longer than is necessary for them to pick up their duds and get. That's business. There's no "snivel service" about the Milford *Journal*.

But the case of Mr. Reade was different. It was not he who started the movement for his reappointment, but leading Republicans who appreciated the fact that he had made a firstclass postmaster. The business of the office has been administered in the very best manner by Mr. Reade and his employees for the last four years, on which score long petitions signed by many leading Republicans were sent in praying for his reappointment. He did not "even as much as ask a Republican administration to retain him," nor did he make the "customary pilgrimage to Washington." Mr. Reade went to Washington on entirely different business. If it was to be made a question of politics Mr. Reade did not expect to stay in the office and did not ask any favors of that sort: if the community wanted him for P. M., he was agreeable. That's all.

Will the Milford *Journal* please make the correction which truth demands?

The Census of Massachusetts.

The Census Bureau has issued a bulletin giving in detail the population of Massachusetts by counties, cities, towns and wards, according to the official count of the returns of the eleventh census as finally determined. The population as returned in 1880 is also given for purposes of comparison. The population of the State for 1890 is 2,238,943, an increase of 455,853, or 26.57 per cent since 1880, the population at that time being 7,783,085. The following summary by counties is presented, showing in addition the population for 1890 the number and percentage of increase during the decade. The largest percentages of increase are shown in the counties of Middlesex, Bristol and Hampden, the percentages being 35.66, 34.11 and 30.32 respectively. The counties of Barnstable and Nantucket show a decrease, while the increase in Dukes county has been very slight.

Barnstable, 29,172; decrease, 2725, or 8.54 per cent.

Berkshire, 81,108; increase, 12 076, or 17.49 per cent.

Bristol, 186,465; increase, 47,425, or 34.11.

Dukes, 4369; increase, 69 or 1.60.

Essex, 299,995; increase, 55,460, or 22.68.

Franklin, 38,610; increase, 2699, or 7.25.

Hampden, 135,713; increase, 31,571, or 30.32.

Hampshire, 51,859; increase, 4627, or 9.80.

Middlesex, 431,167; increase, 113,337 or 35.66.

Nantucket, 3268; decrease, 459, or 12.32.

Norfolk, 118,950; increase, 22,443, or 23.26.

Plymouth, 92,700; increase, 22,443, or 25.24.

Suffolk, 384,780; increase, 96,853, or 24 97.

Worcester, 280,787; increase, 53,890, or 23.75.

The State, 2,238,943; increase, 455,858, or 25 57.

There are 47 cities and towns in the State which had a population in 1890 of 8000 and over. These cities and towns have an aggregate population of 1,564,931 as against 1,191,990 in 1890. The increase during the decade for these 47 cities and towns is therefore 403,941, or 34.68 per cent., the percentage of increase for the entire State being 25 57, as previously stated. The population of the twenty-five cities of the Commonwealth is 1,327,164, the population in 1880 being 989,024, and the increase during the decade 338,140, or 34.19 per cent.

Mark ye the model citizen. There are no holes in his sidewalks, nor loose planks. His chickens scratch not the garden of his neighbors, and he suppyeth his home with an abundance of the economical Brussels soap. The end of that man is peace.

Beloit College, Wis., has been given $25,000 for a new dormitory.

North Woburn.

Miss Flora Greenleaf entertained friends at her home on Friday evening, Jan. 23.

Some of the talented singers of this village gave a few of their selections at a concert given in the Congregational Church at Wilmington on Thursday evening, Jan. 22.

On last Friday evening some of the friends of Mrs. George S. Holt gave her a very pleasant surprise party. A fine collation was served and games of all sorts were enjoyed.

The dance given at the Vidette hall on last Friday evening, under the management of the Knights of Labor, was very well attended and also a financial success. Music was furnished by Calnan's orchestra.

A party of four of our citizens visited the Concord river on last Tuesday in hopes of catching a fiue strap of the finny tribe; but the fish did not bite well and so they came back weary and cold, and bringing but five little pickerel about the size of ordinary smelts. It was indeed hard luck for there were no fish markets along the route.

Montvale.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—How is it that $1,000 is paid for police in Montvale when $200 would do and have an unexpended balance at the end of the year? We have no stores here except two little groceries and the schoolhouse to be watched during the day. The proprietors are in their stores, and the teachers are capable of taking care of themselves. Perhaps this money is paid for political work done; or it may be paid to watch a few old women who walk on the streets during the day. One thing is certain, the horse cars are well watched, although no citizen ever thought they were dangerous. It may be the free ride is the object. And nothing can be more certain than the rumsellers get the best of protection. As a sample I might give story of a hog killed here last week. I'll keep it for another time. No person has paid the expressman.

And yet the Aldermen want to give the policemen more pay!! But the tax-payers ought to watch the "Budget." TAX-PAYER.

Boston Theatres.

Rose Coghlan will offer for her reentrance next Monday at the Globe her new comedy, written by her brother Charles, entitled "Lady Barter." This play is founded upon an actual incident of the Zulu war, and deals with the unbridled love of a young British officer for an adventuress. It is pronounced a very strong play and one that gives the actress unusually fine and varied opportunities. Miss Coghlan never lacks a warm welcome in Boston. "Masks and Faces" will be acted at the Wednesday matinee. For all the rest of the week "Lady Barter."

Boston is ever ready to welcome her favorite sons, and James B. Mackie, a Boston boy, who holds a good share of his townspeople's generous regards, will receive a worthy greeting when he appears at the Grand Opera House next Monday evening. He will appear in his new and successful musical comedy by Mr. Thomas Addison, entitled "Grimes' Cellar Door." Mr. Mackie has made the biggest hit of his life in the character of Billy Grimes, who owns the Cellar Door, and Miss Sanford is also credited with very clever work.

WINCHESTER.

The Winchester C. T. A. Society will soon produce the drama, "The Turn of the Tide," in the Town Hall.

Charles H. Herrick will act as best man at the wedding of his brother, Rufus Frost Herrick and Miss Kinsley of Rutland, Vt.

On next Monday evening, Feb. 2, a dramatic entertainment will be given in Rangeley Hall for the benefit of the coffee houses in Boston.

Robert C. Whitten, barytone, of this town, assisted by Miss Hattie W. Clarke, soprano; Miss Nellie Louise Woodbury, contralto; George J. Parkre, tenor; H. G. Tucker, pianist, and Heinrich Schnecker, harpist, gave an excellent concert in the Town Hall last Monday evening.

The Winchester and Chelsea clubs of the Interclub Billiard, Pool and Whist league played in Chelsea last Wednesday evening. The billiard and pool games were one sided, Chelsea winning the four. The first and third whist sets Chelsea also won, and the second was forfeited by Winchester on account of non-appearance.

The pastor of the Congregational church has begun a series of Sunday evening lectures the order for which is as follows: Feb. 1, Missionary Concert, Feb, 8, address by Rev. S. V. Cole of Taunton; Feb. 15, "Adam's Sons"; Feb. 22, "Eve's Daughters"; March 1, Missionary concert; 8th, "Wanted! Men!" 15th, (to be announced); 22nd, "Woman, the Queen"; 28th, Easter concert; April 5, Missionary concert; 12th, "The Fair Havens."

The West Side Land Syndicate is an accomplished fact—a living knowso—and the property has been bought. W. F. Forsythe is at the head of the movement, which is an assurance that the scheme for building up Winchester will be a success. The large property will soon be laid out into streets, avenues and squares, and early in the spring building operations will begin in good earnest. It will be a big thing for the West Side and Winchester.

At the annual meeting of the First Congregational Church, Winchester, these officers were elected: Moderator, Hon. James F. Dwinell; Clerk, F. B. Browning; Treasurer, Dea. C. E. Conant; Standing Committee, George H. Gilbert, William H. Herrick, Harrison Parker, 2d.: Auditors, E. H. Stone, Charles E. Swett. The customary appropriations were made. Rev. Joshua Colt, I. S. Palmer and A. C. Vinton were appointed a committee to consider the matter of enlarging the seating compacity of the church edifice. The standing committee were empowered to receive and solicit subscriptions for a new organ.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Twombly will start on Monday afternoon, Feb. 4, on a Raymond excursion train from Boston for a California trip and visit of several weeks duration. A large party are going, many from this vacinity, and from Woburn, Mr. William S. York, wife and daughter. They will go via and stop at Cincinnati, New Orleans, and all the notable points in Southern Calfornia, etc. Mrs. Twombly at first did not think she would go with her husband, but when she saw him fairly beseiged and overrun by squads of beautiful young damsels and no inferior force of moderately young and awfully gay and festive widows for permission to accompany him, why she very naturally thought that the safest thing for her to do was just to put on her things and go along. So Dame Twombly is to take the trip. May both enjoy it and return safe and sound to their pleasant home on Wildwood Ave., West Side, Winchester, Mass.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Eli Cooper, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Alva S. Wood, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Walker, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Fred F. Walker and John W. Johnson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Chamberlain, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument puporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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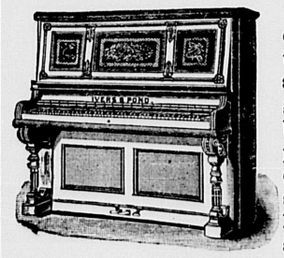

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[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "And Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done."

The whole story of the vain efforts of the prophets of Baal, the calmness of Elijah, the fire from Heaven, and the shouts of the people that "The Lord He is the God," the slaughter of the prophets and the great storm of wind and rain, were all rehearsed to this wicked woman, who had doubtless waited eagerly to know the result. Fail not to observe Elijah's importunate and expectant prayer as he waited before God and again sent his servant to see if the answer had come (xviii, 42-44).

2. "Then Jezebel sent a messenger unto Elijah."

Whether she was in the least affected by the record of the manifest power of the true God in sending fire and rain we are not told, but the death of her 450 prophets did mightily move her, and she promises Elijah that by to-morrow he shall be as one of them.

3. "And when he saw that he arose, and went for his life, and came to Beersheba."

4. "It is enough. Now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am not better than my fathers."

Having left his servant at Beersheba he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and sat down under a juniper tree and made this request of God. The juniper was the broom tree common in the deserts, and the roots of which, though bitter, were used as food by the poorest of the people (Job xxx, 4). It is suggestive of the poverty and bitterness of his soul just at this time. But consider his request and the glorious translation that awaited him, and see how foolish he was not to have confidence in God and wait patiently for Him.

5. "An angel touched him and said unto him, Arise and eat."

6. "Behold a cake baken on the coals, and a cruse of water at his head."

Can God furnish a table in the wilderness (Ps. lxxviii, 19)? Yes, He who fed millions for forty years can surely take care of one poor disconsolate. But was ever mortal man ministered unto as this man?

7. "And the angel of the Lord came again the second time."

After having eaten he laid him down again. God knew his need, and rested him with sufficient sleep. He also knew his need in the way of food, and would have him eat again.

8. "He went in the strength of that meat forty days and forty nights unto Horeb, the mount of God."

Obedient to the angels' touch he again arose, and again did eat and drink, and went forty days and nights in the strength of that food. We are reminded of one who, 500 years before, on the same Horeb, on two different occasions went forty days and nights without eating and drinking (Deut. ix, 9, 18). And also of our Lord Jesus Christ, who fasted forty days and forty nights (Matt. iv, 2).

9. "What doest thou here, Elijah?"

In due time he arrived at Horeb and lodged in a cave, and there the word of the Lord came unto him with this question.

10. "And he said, I have been very jealous for the Lord God of Hosts."

That was all right, and what follows was too sadly true, but "I only am left, and they seek my life," lets us into the man's heart.

11. "Go forth and stand upon the mount before the Lord."

Go forth from the coldness and darkness of doubt and despair, and from considering the preciousness of your own life, your zeal for God and the necessity of your continuance, and be persuaded that God lives, and that He, and He only, is the necessity, and that it matters not whether you live or die.

"And behold the Lord passed by."

His power is seen in His messengers, wind, earthquake and fire, rending the mountains and breaking in pieces the rocks before the Lord, but He was not in wind, earthquake or fire. Such was not His way at this time.

12. "After the fire a still small voice."

Judgment is His strange work (Isa. xxviii, 21). Ordinarily He speaks and it is done (Ps. xxxiii, 6, 9). Jesus did not come as a mighty fire or tempest, but as a helpless babe. John said He was the voice of one crying in the wilderness. Paul was not a mighty man physically, but in bodily presence weak, and in speech contemptible (II Cor. x, 10). What was David, and how much noise did he make when compared with Goliath? What was Israel before her enemies? God is everything, we are nothing. "No flesh shall glory in His presence" (I Cor. i, 29).

13. "What doest thou here, Elijah?"

Again the searching question comes as in the case of Peter (John xxi, 15-17). It would seem from this verse that Elijah had not gone forth as commanded (verse 11) until he heard this voice; but now he stands at the entrance to the cave with his face wrapped in his mantle, and once more has to reply to this question.

14. "I only am left, and they seek my life to take it away."

Just the same answer as before (v. 10). He is God's only witness and his life is very precious. We are told in Rev. xii, 11, of those who loved not their lives unto the death. Jesus told the twelve as He sent them forth not to fear the death of the body (Matt. x, 28). Paul's aim was to glorify God either by life or death.

15. "And the Lord said unto him, Go, return on thy way to the wilderness of Damascus."

The Lord graciously has yet something for His servant to do. He did not tell him to flee into the wilderness from Jezebel, but He does now tell him to return.

16. "Elisha, the son of Shaphat, of Abel-Meholah, shalt thou anoint to be prophet in thy room."

He is to anoint a king of Syria and a king of Israel, and another man to be a prophet in his stead. While sought out and forgiven he has evidently disqualified himself for future service, as he is told to appoint another in his stead.

17. "Him that escapeth from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha slay."

The enemies of the Lord must be slain; it will never do to make any league with them, nor even tolerate them, as Israel so often did. And even though the offending ones be our own flesh, the sentence is the same (Ex. xxxii, 26-29; Judg. ii, 2; Mark ix, 43-48).

18. "Yet I have left me seven thousand in Israel."

And Elijah thought he was the only one. How blind we are! How self important! How seemingly jealous for the Lord God of Hosts, when really it is our own life or honor or reputation which we are so anxious to save.

Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved.

From letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd of Groten, S. D., we quote: "Was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles; it has cured me and thank God I am now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at H. L. Flanders & Co's Drugstore, regular size, 50c. and $1.00.

To check burglaries and robberies, which have of late devastated the villages of the Caucasus, the Communal Assembly of Peasants of the district of Alexandropolsk adopted a resolution to indemnify every peasant whose property may be stolen by levying a tax on the peasants of his village or neighborhood. This measure has proved very effective.

I LOVED MY HOME THE BEST.

Ah, dear New England, wherein lies the spell
That draws me ever back again to thee?
Is it thy streams that flow through wooded dell—
Or gleaming strand engirdled by the sea?
Is it the calm of verdant wood and hill
That causes all this longing in my breast?
Or is it that no other place can fill
His heart who loves his native land the best?

I've wandered far, my fevered heart to calm,
In other lands, 'mid joyous scenes and fair;
I've dallied 'neath the orange and the palm,
And breathed the sweet magnolia's perfume rare;
Yet when those distant scenes that seemed so sweet
I'd gained, my heart still throbbed with sad unrest,
And home again I've turned my weary feet
To seek the home and friends I loved the best.

I've climbed the winding path on mountain side
To gaze upon earth's glories from the skies.
Yet still my heart surged as the ocean's tide—
Unbidden tears suffused my aching eyes.
The moon's soft splendor breaking o'er the sea,
Where southern twilight soothed the world to rest,
Brought never peace or solace unto me,
For oh, I loved my own dear home the best.
—Emile Pickhardt in Boston Globe.

Laziness the Foe of Originality.

The great enemy to individualism is laziness, and those who know anything of human frailties will, I am sure, bear me out when I say that "mental" laziness is far more common and far more difficult to overcome than that of the body. It is so much easier to accept dogmatic teaching, and to shift the responsibility of our views on to others, rather than to concentrate our thoughts and work out the lessons of our own observations; it is more pleasant to butterfly from theory to theory than to seek truth with patient tenacity; why trouble ourselves to learn self reliance when natural indolence protests against the sacrifice?

It is easier to imitate than to originate; plagiarism and mimiery are such prominent features in our lives that their presence might almost be quoted as an argument in favor of our evolution in past ages from simian ancestry. How plausible are the excuses we make for our want of this individualism! We are so dreadfully afraid of being thought bumptious, we are so delightfully humble, we really do not wish to intrude our opinion, and yet all the brightest lights of our profession have been men of strong individualism.—M. Handfield-Jones, M. D., in Popular Science.

A Misleading Signal to the Engineer.

"In the early days of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad," said a railroad man, "stock was so frequently killed on the road that Manager Clark found it necessary to require the locomotive engineers to make a note of whatever they killed. The engineers had to fill out a form stating when, where and what kind of animal had been killed, and turn the report in to the superintendent of stock claims.

"One day a complaint from a farmer was received by Manager Clark, in which the killing of a valuable cow by the Santa Fe engine was related. The letter was referred to the stock claim department, but no report from the engineer of the train in question could be found. Mr. Clark sent for the engineer, an old employe of the road named John Norton, and asked him why he had not reported the collision with the cow.

"'Didn't know I hurt the cow,' said Norton.

"'You remember hitting the cow?'

"'Certainly—and I slowed up when she rolled over on her back, but she waved her feet for me to go ahead, and I concluded she was all right.'"—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Little Curious Things.

The longest name in the Bible is Marharshalal-hash-baz. It occurs in Isaiah viii, 3.

The first newspaper in Virginia was printed in 1780 at $50 per annum.

Fishes have no eyelids, and necessarily sleep with their eyes open.

Frogs, toads and serpents never take food but that which they are satisfied is alive.

Sir John Lubbock kept a queen bee for fifteen years, a test proving her eggs to be just as fertile at that age as they were twelve years before.—St. Louis Republic.

Jeames in the States.

"Well, James," observed the gentleman, "I hear you got a situation as a valet recently?"

"I did, sir," replied James, "but it was too blamed much for my self respect. What do you think the boss asked me to do the very first morning! Wanted me to help him dress."—American Grocer.

For hundreds, perhaps thousands, of years the gas wells of Tsien Luon Tsing district in China have supplied cheap fuel and light to the dwellers in their vicinity. It is said that these wells are 3,000 feet deep. The gas is distributed through bamboo pipes, terminating in rude burners made of clay.

M. Faye, member of the French Academy of Science, thinks that it is feasible to predict storms twelve hours in advance of their coming by the sounds which the changing atmospheric conditions produce and which the telephone will transmit.

Taking all the departments at Washington together, with their branches, it is probable that they consume about 24,000 pounds of ice daily, averaging the year around. This makes a total annual consumption of a good deal over 4,000 tons.

To fasten a steel blade which has come out of the handle, fill the cavity with rosin, then warm the part to be adjusted, and insert slowly, pressing it in firmly. Hold till it gets cold.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

Widow Casey—Ah, Mr. Dolan, when my ould man died it left a big hole in my heart. Mr. Dolan—Mrs. Casey, would ye moind patchin' it wid a bit out of mine?

All Broken Down.

Is it not sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said? Young man, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practiced, keep good hours, retire early, and build up your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—Old Physician.

A PSEUDO EX-CONVICT.

Curious Experience of a Clergyman with an Alleged Jailbird.

I am going to reveal to my indulgent reader a little experience I had. I don't know if it will interest him, but it has been the subject of considerable questioning with me ever since it occurred. I was sitting in this study Thursday morning; Augusta came to the door, saying, "There is a man downstairs who wants to see you." "Ask him up here," I said. In walked a man, medium height, shabby clothes, face rather keen, alert, hair black, mixed with gray; eye sharp, with restless look, having in his whole makeup a combination of sheeplike timidity, hangdogness and rather pious pity.

"Good morning; what can I do for you?"

"I come to you," he answered, "in rather a strange time and on a strange errand. I have been out of Joliet prison three months; I have been in this city the larger part of this time; I have been sick; I have been sleeping in the stations, railroad and police; I have been trying to make an honest living. I saw your face, and I said you are a man who will help me."

Moved of course by this touch of flattery, I entered into the case with some degree of warmth. "What can you do?" I asked. "I learned in Joliet to paint, but I will do anything." "Are you a good painter?" "Yes, sir." "All right, I think I can get you some work." "You may like to write to Joliet about me; I became a Christian there; the chaplain was ——. My number was 34,856." "Yes, I shall be very glad to know all about you. I will write at once. I'll get you some work at once. You come to me day after to-morrow, and I think I can help you," I said, and bade him good morning.

The second day after he appeared. I took him into the livery stable where I hire my parochial assistants in pastoral visitation and said to the proprietor, "Mr. G——, don't you want to hire this man to help you in various ways, and you give him his board and lodging?" "Certainly I do." The man, whose name, by the way, was Frederick J. Dubuque, seemed very grateful. "Now," I said to Mr. Dubuque, "let's go to the carriage man and see if we cannot get you some regular work at painting." The carriage man finally consented to give him work, and he was to come round next Monday for it.

That afternoon I was going to make some parish calls, and I said to the man, "Come out with me and hold my horse." We had a good chance to talk during this ride. He told me the story of his life. He ran away from home at 14, fell into bad company, began to steal in a small way and then became a shop breaker. Never, he said, had he broken into a house. This he said with a good deal of pride. He had friends living in Williamsburg, N. Y., and also in Walpole, Mass.; had a son about 18 years old. His wife died several years before. He told me about his life in Joliet, the cell fever, etc., and his temptations to steal since coming to the city.

After a while we came to the end of the list of visits, and I bade him good night, handing him a quarter in payment of his services, against receiving which he manifested a proper degree of diffidence. I asked him to take the horse back to the stable. "I shall come round Monday to see how you are getting on." The last word he said to me was, "You have not heard from Joliet yet about me." I said, "No."

The second day following I stepped in to see how the work was coming on. They said the man had brought the horse back, but they had not seen him since. Thus vanished my friend into the unknown. Two days after I heard from Joliet that never had there been a man of the name of Frederick J. Dubuque confined in that prison.

I want to ask a question. What was the purpose of the man in coming to me?—Clergyman in Chicago Advance.

Velocity of the Wind.

Wind velocities differ greatly according to locality, even on the land, where they are usually lower than at sea. They are higher at Sandy Hook, for instance, than on the Equitable building in this city. They are greater, too, at an elevation than on the earth's surface; greater, normally, in the winter than in summer, and greater in early afternoon hours than in the early morning. The mean hourly velocity at the signal service station in New York city for about fourteen years was reported in 1885 to be 9.4 miles, while at Hatteras it was 14.6. Probably the severest blast recorded by the signal service in this city was experienced on Feb. 26, 1886, when for a few minutes a speed was attained computed to be at the rate of eighty-four miles an hour.—New York Tribune.

Big, if Possible.

There comes a day, near the last of November, when diners at a well spread table may feel inclined to repeat the remarks of a new recruit at West Point some years ago.

The young man was a rough diamond, a recent importation from rural districts, and when the carver was ready to serve him he asked:

"And now, Mr. C——, what part will you take?"

The answer was at once forthcoming.

"Imparticular," said Mr. C——. "Big piece, anywhar!"—Youth's Companion.

Not the Place.

Attendant (in railroad waiting room)—Say, mister, no going to sleep here. This ain't no church.—Life.

Would you care to have a word of advice worth a great deal? Never tamper with your baby's health by using opiates to quiet its troubles, but use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup instead.

Almost every season has its drawback. At present our citizens seem to be troubled with an attack of catarrh, which however can be easily overcome by Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

Misunderstood.

A deaf old lady riding in an electric car became much alarmed because of a blockade, and asked a young woman next to her what had happened.

"There is no danger," replied the young woman. "Remember that a kind heaven bends over all."

The old lady turned to her companion and inquired in a vexed tone, "Mary Ellen, what's that young woman saying to me about men's overall's?"

The right way to cure catarrh is to eradicate the poisonous taint which causes the disease, by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

He Was "Deliciously" Sad.

A friend of mine, the younger members of whose family are given to using senseless phrases much affected by the youth of this good old town, tells me that, after many futile efforts, he succeeded in so forcibly bringing the absurdity of the habit to their attention that they have in a measure dropped it. With them every new thing was "awfully" sweet, every social gathering they attended was "awfully" jolly. One evening he came home with a budget of news. A friend of his had failed in business. He spoke of the incident as "deliciously" sad. He had ridden uptown in the car with a noted raconteur and wit, whom he described as "horribly" entertaining, and to cap the climax, he spoke of some butter that was set before him at a country hotel as "divinely" rancid.

"I should think, papa," said the eldest daughter, "that you were out of your head." "Not the least, my dear," he said pleasantly. "I am merely trying to follow the fashion. I worked out 'divinely rancid' with a good deal of labor. It sees 'awfully sweet' and goes it one better. You will find me 'in the swim' hereafter. And now," he added, "let me help you to a piece of this deliciously tough beef." Adverbs are not as much misused in his family as they were, at least not in his hearing.—Boston Post.

Parsons and Guide Posts.

In the winter of 1866 or 1867, I am not sure which, my friend the Rev. John Russell and myself were returning after a long day's hunting across Dartmoor (not Exmoor), and found ourselves in the neighborhood of the little village of Widdecombe-in-the-Moor. Mr. Russell proposed that we should call on his old friend Mr. Mason, the rector of Widdecombe, and a well known eccentric. Being somewhat uncertain of the road, we inquired of a rustic the way to Mr. Mason's. "Be ye going to measter's?" was the reply; "go to vore, and ye'll see measter stan'ing at t' corner of t' road." "He might have been there when you left," replied Russell, "but not now."

"Oh, yes he be. Stop, measter, I be goin' that way; wait till I shut this gate, and I'll show 'ee." With this he trudged along by our side till we came to a cross road, and pointing to the guide post said, "There he be," and upon Russell inquiring his meaning, he replied, "Lor', measter! don't 'ee know —allers pointing t' way ye should go, and never goin' hissel'." When we arrived at Mr. Mason's Jack Russell repeated the story. "Dang him!" quoth the parson, "that's my man Jan; I'll give it him."—Thomas Fisher in London Spectator.

Prince Napoleon in Exile.

As to Prince Napoleon's daily life in his Prangins retreat, he rises with the sun, lounges or works in his studio and receives visitors, if any there be, until Luncheon, which is announced for 11:45 a. m. and never lasts more than half an hour. Immediately afterward, and no matter what the weather may be, he takes a long walk beyond the confines of his park, and returns between 2 and 3 p. m. to open his mail correspondence, which comes to hand during his afternoon stroll, and which is always voluminous and very regular.

This occupies him until the dinner hour. In the evening he plays chess with neighbors or with faithful Parisian friends, such as M. Adelon, Baron Brunet and one or two others who arrive in turn. Each shares his exile for a few days. He prides himself upon being a great player, but shows himself a very bad one, especially with M. Adelon, who vies with him in the wittiest and most comical manner imaginable. He retires toward 11 o'clock.—Paris Gaulois.

A Self Boring Well.

An artesian well, now partly completed, at Pesth, Hungary, has reached a depth of 1,400 yards, and by the time it is finished will be the deepest of its kind in the world. It is intended to supply hot water for a great bath house connected with a large hotel; at present that which is obtained has a temperature of 164 degs. Fahrenheit, and it is expected that 1,500 yards will raise the temperature to 180 degs. or 200 degs. The most curious feature about this well is the adaptation to it of automatic machinery for boring, the water power for which is supplied by the well itself. By this means the boring has been conducted at double its previous rate. Surely this is a great age when water spurting from a well can be so harnessed as to increase the depth of the well from which it comes.—St. Louis Republic.

Any Excuse Welcome.

His Nurse—You are to be discharged to-morrow as cured.

Dorrington (who has fallen desperately in love)—My own, would it be presumptuous for me to ask you to give me an overdose of morphine or something, so that I could stay a day or two longer?—Judge.

A Fatherly Feeling.

Mr. Greatheart (capitalist)—I trust, Mr. Squeezem, that you deal kindly with my tenants.

Mr. Squeezem (agent)—Just like a father, my dear sir. In fact I have nothing but a pay rental feeling for them all.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

No Danger.

Maude—I'm so afraid our engagement will find its way into the papers.

Gawge—Never mind, darling; if it does our names will be so misspelled that no one will be any the wiser.—Puck.

"A God-send is Ely's Cream Balm. I had catarrh for three years. Two or three times a week my nose would bleed. I thought the sores would never heal. Your balm has cured me."—Mrs. M. A. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

I was so much troubled with catarrh it seriously affected my voice. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored.—B. F. Liepsner, A. M., Pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

Social changes that are going on at the South are indicted by the following item from the Covington(Ga.) Star: "The colored cook is fast passing a way, and will soon become a lost art, so to speak. The kindhearted and reliable old 'auntie' of the past is already gone, and her successor, the 'colored girl,' is fast going—to school and the cotton patch. The 'white help' have not yet arrived, but they are surely coming; and so there is no other remedy in sight but self-reliance and self-independence."

Boys Weaving Carpets in India.

We passed through an archway into a large, deserted inclosure full of rubbish heaps, and having a deep colonnade of mud bricks running all round. Under this were erected rude looms, of which there must have been over fifty, but only six were being worked, owing to trade being slack.

The carpets were most beautiful in color and design, all intended for the London market. We saw one, measuring 12 feet by 10, which was nearly finished. Six little boys, varying in age from 8 to 11 years, were working it, while one of them read out the pattern from a slip of paper. Their small, brown fingers worked so nimbly, knotting on the various colored wools and cutting off the ends with a knife, that one could hardly see what they were doing. It seemed amazing that such young boys could have attained such dexterity. Their pay is from eight to twelve shillings a month.

We were told that they could make a carpet of the size they were then working in one month, so that the actual cost of the making would be about £3, and as the carpet would sell for over £13, there must be a handsome profit over and above the cost of the wool and the interest on capital sunk. —Mrs. King's Letter.

Children's Queer Talk.

A friend sends word of what he regards as a discovery of his own in a Boston suburb about children's language. "Nearly all children," he says, "seem to have a tendency to use 'dog' or 'hog' Latin (a survival of baby talk perhaps). It used to be common for children to talk thus: 'Whatvus didvus youvus sayvus?' adding the syllable vus to every word. But the children of the suburb alluded to add the syllable ay to words and remove the first letter of each word to its close, prefixing it to the ay; thus, 'Ilway ouyay ogay otay Ostonbay odaytay?' means 'Will you go to Boston today?'

"I am informed by one of these children that many of them have acquired the power of speaking this curious language with great rapidity. They also have, or a clique of them, a kind of cipher or Free Mason language. My young informant was amazed and stupefied one day to hear a little girl say to a boy, 'B W W A.' The boy thereupon replied, 'No, he has gone down the hill.' Verily there are curious things going on about us, oh, learned Effendi mine!"—Boston Transcript.

Use for Refuse Tin.

For years and years I have been accustomed to the sight of carts loaded high up with scrap or refuse tin, on their way to the southern part of the city. When I was a boy and played about dumps these irregular pieces of the shiny metal were always thrown there. I supposed that this was still the case, but feeling curious the other day I stopped the driver and asked him where he was taking his load. He mentioned the name of a South St. Louis manufactory. "But what do they do with it? It is no good."

"Do with it?" he replied. "Why, this stuff is put into a heavy machine while hot and pounded into sash weights for windows. It is cheaper, of course, than iron, and answers the purpose better, I am told, as when the weight comes out of the molds it is heavier than a piece of cast iron of the same size, and the saving of space in the window sash is a big thing." I left the driver, and recalled my old schoolday lessons about the indestructibility of matter.—Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Obliging Merchants.

Not only will any merchant in Brooklyn change any piece of goods any length of time after it has been purchased, but cases have been known in which women have even been kindly received bringing back tablecloths that had been laundered and napkins after they had been hemmed, and a single case is reported where one salesman, who had emigrated from New York and was rash enough to bring its untoward business methods with him, was promptly discharged by a proprietor who found him refusing to take back a toothbrush because the temporary purchaser had found it "too large."

Here is a state of things which it may profit our enterprising merchants who are wont to consider a sale as a final transaction to ponder upon. It is just possible that the truest business enterprise may consist in not being so tormentedly enterprising after all.—New York Evening Sun.

A Purchase for Mother.

Mother—Are you going out, my dear?

Daughter—Yes, ma; the Physical Improvement society meets this afternoon.

Mother—Well, I wish you would stop in somewhere and buy me a broom. —New York Weekly.

The first watermill every built was erected on the river Tiber, at Rome, A.D. 50. Windmills were in original use in the Twelfth century. Tidemills were operated in Venice about 1708. Sawmills are said to have been in use at Augsburg, Germany, about 1332.

Halibut is growing scarcer year by year, while lobsters are becoming so few and small that the canneries find it difficult to obtain supplies, and shad and salmon are only kept up by the propagating efforts of the fish commission.

Experiments made in Austria make it appear that the addition of soda to Portland cement enables it to withstand the action of frost.

The hands of the clock pointed to 11.25 P. M., but the young man had not yet reached for his hat. "What is that noise, Miss Gertie?" he asked with some trepidation. "I think," replied the Senator's daughter, listening a moment, "it's papa opening the front door. He will apply the closure in about five minutes." The young man immediately went into executive session and shortly afterward adjourned.

The other day a newspaper contained the head lines, "General Miles ordered to capture the hostiles without harming them." Somebody immediately started the report that Miles had ordered from the department three barrels of chloroform, 1000 sponges and an equal number of long poles.

Little girls have the choice between a wide brimmed felt hat trimmed with feathers and the large English bonnet.

Woman's Column.

They Settled the Pin-Money Question.

He was a young man who had been a few years married. In answer to a question about pin-money, he said: "I get my wages every Saturday night. I carry the money home and give every cent of it to my wife. If I want any, I ask her for it. She buys what we want, and she puts in the bank all we can spare. It is as much her interest as it is mine to save all we can. If she is fit to be my wife and to bring up the children, she is fit to be trusted with the money; and I never ask her what she does with it."

Another man, who receives monthly was, said: "When I am paid, I hand over to my wife as much money as she earned before we were married, and that was four dollars a week."

There is peace in both these houses.

Lucy Stone.

Mrs. Edison, wife of the inventor, is a good musician, and she and her step-children constantly practice together.

Bessie Benton Fremont's Christmas gift was the cottage at Los Angeles where she has long lived, now presented to her, with receipts for old debts, by the women of California. The total cost was $10,000.

If I thought politics were necessarily dirty,—the unholy scramble for power into which, too often, they degenerate, —I should never wish my boys to become voters. If not fit for my girls, politics are not fit for my boys.—*Mrs. Zerelda G. Wallace.*

Mrs. Charity Hathaway, of Beemer Hill, Sullivan County, Pa., is said to be the only woman in the country who is by profession a trapper and dealer in raw furs Last season she cleared nearly $450 from the sale of furs and ginseng root. Most of the furs were obtained by herself.

Nellie Farjeon, the nine-year-old child of the English novelist B. L. Farjeon, and his American wife, who was a daughter of the actor Joe Jefferson, is said to show remarkable ability as a composer of music. It is not an uncommon thing for the little girl to sit down at the piano and improvise a song, both words and music. Her father is editing a book of her compositions.

The Cincinnati *Commercial Gazette*, in a leading editorial on "Municipal Government," calls attention to the fact that in London every person, man or woman, who owns or rents quarters, however humble, even to a room in a cellar or an attic, within five miles of the city limit, is entitled to vote for all municipal officers, and adds: "We assume that the franchise cannot be restricted, but can it not be extended on the London plan?"

Emma Abbott has just died of pneumonia in Salt Lake City. The whole musical world will regret her. She had not only a beautiful voice, but sound principle. Many persons still remember how she once gave up a lucrative engagement rather than sing in an opera which she regarded as having a demoralizing tendency. This action brought upon her much ridicule from the frivolous, but won her the lasting esteem of the upright.

General Spinner, who secured the admission of women as clerks in the U. S. Treasury, was a strong believer in equal rights for women in every respect. He said of himself with pride: "In the first Congress of which I was a member, I voted for Lucretia Mott for Chaplain to the House of Representatives. In the next Congress, my vote was cast for Lucy Stone. In the next Congress, I voted for a man for chaplain; so I stand recorded twice for women, to only once for a man. That is about the way I feel now. My sympathies have always been on the side of the weak. So I have always been in favor of, as the Englishman expresses it 'the under dog.'"

A much larger number of the members of the M. E. Church have voted for the eligibility of women to the General Conference, than voted for lay representation twenty years ago.

Mrs. George Huye, who lately died in New Orleans, was a woman of considerable business prominence. She had for many years successfully managed the large box manufactory left her at her husband's death.

It is impossible to study the story of labor without a certainty that the vote for women would carry an education and a power for justice hitherto unknown. For this, if for no other reason, I count myself hereafter a worker for the cause.—*Mrs. Helen Campbell.*

Misses Kate and Carie Mann, recent graduates of the Iowa Agricultural College, will put their knowledge to practical use. They are starting a small fruit farm in Kossuth county, and will also experiment in raising sugar beets. They propose to do the work themselves.

The Drunkard's Catechism.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.29, 4.35, 8.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, s7.10, s8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10.40, 11.20, A. M., s12 M., s1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, s4.10, 5.10, s6.00, 6.50, s7.10, 7.40, s8.10, s9.10, s9.55, P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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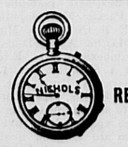

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Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
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ONLY A TRAMP.

The slouching figure of a man moved slowly along a dim prairie road. His garments were threadbare, and his general appearance presented a picture of wretchedness and waut.

A cold March wind was blowing through the dry, dead grass, and patches of shadow and sunlight were chasing each other over an unbroken waste of prairie.

The man drew his thin coat more closely about him, and shivered as a keener blast than usual swept around him.

"H'it's a perty pass yer come to, Jim Skinner," said the figure in the road. "Ye have been trampin' all day without a bit ter eat, an' if yer git any thing, yer goin' ter hafter bag—yas, bag!"

And he threw out his hand with a gesture of disdain, and quickened his pace, a flush of shame and humiliation mounting his thin, pale face.

"Who'd a-thought ye'd ever come ter this?" he exclaimed, almost fiercely.

"What did yer ever come West fer? Ter git land!—cheap land—land for almost nothin'! 'Rich land'—that's what they said"—he laughed a sort of choking laugh—"cheap land—rich land—buffalo-wallers—alkaly water an' ager!"

There was a look of vexation and infinite disgust pictured on his face as he strode onward.

For six months Jim Skinner had "holding" a claim, and had battled with all the hardships and privations that fall to the lot of the poor who seek to make a home in the "Great American Desert."

He had lived in a dug-out, worked hard and half starved himself—spent all the money he had, took the ague, and lived in his hut helpless, till at last starvation had driven him forth, weak, half sick and and afoot, to look for some kind of work among the cattlemen to gain his daily bread.

Mile after mile he had trudged along with no sign of habitation to break the monotony, save now and then the rude cabin or dug-out of some poor claimholder, who, like himself was struggling with misfortunes and battling with want.

It was near the middle of the afternoon. He was now nearing that part of prairie country monopolized by the great cattle-men, and called the "range."

A mile further on was a small cattle ranch. He felt weak and sick, and knew he could not continue his journey much further without rest and something to eat.

If he could not get work at the first place—he could not go further—he must have something to eat—would he be compelled to beg? He had no money—nothing to give but his clothes. A bitter smile stole over his face. There were no ragmen on the range——

He quickened his pace, and hurried. A few minutes later, he paused in front of a large frame building, surrounded by numerous barb-wire corrals. He stood for a moment in the road, irresolute. If he failed to get work, should he ask for a lodging and something to eat? His face flushed at the thought. Work? What could he do in his present weak condition? Nothing. He turned toward the building.

Dave Foster, the owner of the cattle ranch came out of the building and saw the the slouching figure standing in the road.

"What are you prowling around here for?" he demanded, casting a look of distrust on the forlorn creature before him.

"I—I'm lookin' fer work," stammered Jim Skinner, hardly knowing how to answer the harsh question.

"A likely story," was the answer. "I guess you are one of those fellows that look for work in the day-time, and other people's cattle by night. Clear out! I've had enough of such as you already."

A hot flush mantled Jim Skinner's face for an instant, and then disappeared, leaving him as pale as death. He tried to speak, but the words stuck in his throat. He mastered his emotion, with a great effort. He turned upon the speaker, his eyes flashing, his breath coming in gasps.

"An' ye dare ter say that ter me—ter me!"—he spoke with a great effort. "Some time—no, now—I'll make you repent this——"

The words died on his lips.

"Move on!" commanded the cattleman, gruffly; "and mind how you threaten me, or I may put a bullet thro' you now."

Jim Skinner turned away, sick and dizzy—tumult of anger and and mortification surging through his breast.

"An' this is the way I'm treated, is it?" he muttered. "A tramp—an outcast—branded as a thief—a thief!"

His eyes flashed—his bosom heaved—his breathing became heavy and labored. He shut his hands tightly, and trudged on.

Dave Foster stood for several moments watching the figure of the stranger moving down the road.

"Blast me," he muttered, "if I don't believe I made a mistake in that felllow, after all. He looks seedy enough, although, for anything; and how's a fellow to tell the genuine from the bogus? I've had so many cattle stolen of late, that I've begun to suspect every stranger I see."

He turned and re-entered the house.

Nearly a mile further on, Jim Skinner came to a small frame house. He felt that he could not go much further. He must stop somewhere soon, or fall by the road-side. He would make one more effort—one more trial—and if he failed——

His faced paled—a look of despair came into his eyes. He approached the door of the house and knocked. A man came to the door with a book in his hand.

"I am weak and—and—hungry," he faltered. "I must stop somewhere. I have no money——"

"This is a school house," answered the man at the door, shortly, and then closed the door in Jim's

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Judging from the daily reports found in the public press of its proceedings it is safe to say that the Legislature of this State is making good progress in the work set before them. A month of the session has expired and only the most favorable kind of intelligence comes from either branch.

It is understood that much important legislation is in preparation for final action farther on, among which are several resolutions for submitting constitutional amendments to the people. The biennial election resolve has been before several successive Legislatures and ought to be adopted, but Boston's grip on the rural member is still too strong to afford much grounds for hope that the measure will be adopted this year. The servants still persist in considering themselves superior to their masters, and so long as that idea prevails and Boston baked beans are as liberally dealt out to members as they have been in former years, biennial elections and sessions of the Legislature will not be likely to come.

The abolition of the poll-tax as an obstacle to a free ballot, and other but little less important matters are under consideration, it is said, and in due time the work of the session will speak for itself and creditably for the legislators.

THE FEDERAL ELECTIONS BILL.

Washington newspaper correspondents announce the demise of the Federal Elections, or Force, bill and add the important information that there is no sort of a chance for its resurrection, at least not in this Congress. Senator Hoar of this State, the champion of the measure in the Senate, is reported as feeling greatly chagrined over its failure and cherishes anything but amiable feelings towards the Republican Senators to whose party disloyalty its defeat was due. Senator Hoar has worked very hard for the success of the bill but many of his Republican fellow-members who ostensibly favored and supported it had less heart in their work, and in fact there was a lukewarmness towards it which from the start seemed to bode the measure no good.

We deeply sympathize with Senator Hoar in his hour of defeat and trouble.

☞ The Editor of the Marlboro *Times* isn't indulging in quite so much bluster and braggadocio as was his wont before the religious community over there sat down on him so hard. He is "singing small" now days and will be likely to keep right on doing so while Rev. F. McKenna has him under discipline.

☞ The Lynn *Bee* is fully equal to the best Democratic papers in Eastern Massachusetts, Boston not excepted. It is a bright, lively, fearless daily, and the only thing about it to regret is its Democracy.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
G. A. Bean—To Let.
Main Street—For Sale.
Paine Fur Co.—Furniture.
D. W. Kelley—Pharmacist.
Miss Bancroft.—Pianoforte.
R. B. P. Co.—Royal Baking Powder.

— Big bargains at Bonelli's this week.

— The days have increased in length 1 hour and 8 minutes.

— Attention is called to the card of Mr. Daniel W. Kelley, druggist in this paper.

— The Grand Bazaar of O. U. A. M. will begin on Feb. 17 and continue 4 days.

— Can't really count on much sleighing in this section of country summer or winter.

— It looks a little as though the Police would fail to get an increase of pay this year.

— Mr. E. N. Blake, who has been quite sick, is better, so Dr. Harlow informs the JOURNAL.

— Mr. Willard Smith, the dry goods merchant, makes a new declaration in the JOURNAL this week.

— Everett C. Place, son of Mr. Griffin Place, is a Director in the Boston Leather Association.

— If anyone wants a good Democratic wagon or nice Pheaton please call at 120 Main street in this city.

— The people of Central Square want an arc light at the corner of Main and Lowell streets and ought to have it.

— Copeland has decorated another of his store windows with white fluted columns which is unique and beautiful.

— There was a big rain last Tuesday and the little remaining snow and ice disappeared like dew before the summer sun.

— Mr. G. A. Bean, the real estate dealer of this city, advertises a desirable tenement to let in this issue of the JOURNAL.

—It is expected that the new M. E. church on Main street will be dedicated about the 16th of this month. The exercises will be interesting.

— Ex-Representative Hayden is in Washington for a few days. This visit is purely social, and has no connection with politics.—*Boston Traveller.*

— Rev. G. H. Emerson, D. D., Editor of the *Christian Leader*, will preach in Concert Hall for the Universalists at 2.30 P. M. next Sunday.

— The engineer's Wagon at Jones's stable has had added to it a Berry swing harness and we shall now look for quick hitches by Driver Al Hoskins.

— The Cash Market keeps the wherewithal for as complete a dinner as can be scared up in these regions. Sylvester is a tiptop proprietor to trade with.

— The big rain storm of Tuesday cleared off cold in the night and on Wednesday everything was frozen up tighter than a brick. It seemed real winter-like and bracing.

— Please observe the change in the advertisement of Mr. Schwartz, the new upholsterer, in this paper. He is getting his rooms put into the best of shape for spring business.

— Mr. City Janitor Connolly has moved into the Wood house on Bennett street and Church Ave. recently purchased by him. It will make Mr. and Mrs. Connolly a nice pleasant home.

— Chief McIntosh and his trusty policemen made a successful liquor raid on the store of J. H. Garvey last Tuesday noon. We are glad to see the Chief following up the violators of the laws.

— Roger S. Spaulding, formaerly a hackman in this city and jobber, had one of his thumbs sawed off at the shop of Arthur Dalzeil in whose employ Mr. Spaulding was. Dr. Chalmers was called and dressed the wound.

— Mr. Amos Cummings, a public spirited citizen, with other gentlemen bearing like good will towards our city, is active in getting men of means to take hold of the proposed new shoe factory here and meets with considerable encouragement.

— Six of the 8 male members of the H. S. graduating class of 1861, served in the War of the Rebellion, namely: J. Webster Colcord, George H. Dennett, John A. Meade, Charles E. Richardson, John K. Richardson, Arthur B. Wyman.

— Nearly one hundred exquisite specimens of Parisian Furniture, representing famous pieces in the Paris Exposition last summer, have been imported and are now on exhibition and for sale at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

—Rev. Dr. March has been doing missionary work in Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine recently by way of lecturing in behalf of the cause. Which, considering the weather, shows that he has zeal and courage, and must be in pretty good physical condition.

— Mayor Bean has more sense and therefore don't put on so many airs as Mayor Mathews of Boston does. Take it one day with another, inside and out, there isn't a much better thing to be found in a community than "good horse sense," nor a much scarcer one.

— The members of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in the Legislature of 1863 held their annual reunion in Boston last Tuesday and partook of their annual banquet. E. E. Thompson, Esq., as one of the surviving members, attended and had a grand time.

— Next Friday is St. Valentine's Day. We thought we would mention it here and now lest the boys and girls should forget it and fail to send love missives back and forth between each other and set hearts to palpitating beneath manly waistcoats and fair, maidenly bodices.

— Natives of the State of Maine residing in Woburn, whether they belong to the Pine Tree Club or not, are requested to meet at the Gymnasium Room, Y. M. C. A., Bank Block, tomorrow evening, Feb. 7, at 7.30 o'clock, to arrange for a general meeting and supper.

— Organist Clarke has arranged the following organ music for the morning services at the First Congregational church next Sunday:

Organ Prelude. "Offertoire in G." C. Collin.
(Organist of the Cathedral of St. Brieuc, France.)
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite in D flat."
Choir Anthem. "Look unto me, and be ye saved." Clarke.
Organ Postlude. "Postlude in C." Collin.

— The electric cars of Boston, says *The Home*, are unequalled for convenience, amplitude, fine upholstering and general equipment by those of any other city in the country. That's pretty near the bullseye, but wait until we get electrics on the East Middlesex and No. Woburn roads.

— At a meeting of the Innitou Canoe Club, Monday, Feb. 2, the following officers were elected for one year: Commodore, Stillman Shaw; Vice Commodore, W. W. Wade; Secretary, E. T. Brigham, 6 Court street; Treasurer, F. S. Ellard; Regatta Committee, E. T. Brigham, Stillman Shaw, E. F. Wyer.

— When the body of Rufus A. Lovering, Jr., who was drowned in a river some 50 or 60 miles from Seattle, Wash., on Jan 24, ult., is recovered it will be brought to this city for interment. He was the son of Rufus and Maria Lovering of this city and was 23 years, 2 mouths and 21 days old at the time of his death.

— Mr. Levi Cooper called at the JOURNAL office the other day for the first time since he broke his arm by falling on the ice. He is stopping for the present with Mrs. Pindar, his daughter, at West Chester Square, Boston, and will resume his residence here as soon as his arm gets well and the repairs on his several houses are finished.

— Mr. Henry Cummings, a venerable and very highly esteemed citizen of Cummingsville, died at his home on last Monday night after a brief sickness of pneumonia. He was one of the old residents, a descendent of one of the early immigrants, and a man well esteemed and very much liked by everybody. Many friends and relatives are left to mourn his loss.

— Supervisor Wadlin betrays a fine sense of appreciation when he observes that there is no finer place in which to live in this country than in the suburbs of Boston. It is an impressive fact.—*Boston Herald.* Mr. Wadlin has the reputation of being one of the clearest headed men in the country and the above is a strong piece of evidence in support of such a reputation.

— "Clams R Ripe" was the unique heading of the neat complimentary invite which the JOURNAL received from Foreman John H. Bates, and Clerk Henry L. Andrews to take a "bite and sup" with Highland Hose Co. No. 5, last evening at a bit of a celebration which the boys held over the reception of the Boston *Globe* souvenir at their House on Prospect St. Steamed clams were the principal dish, hence the legend on the cards—"Clams R Ripe." Accept our thanks, boys.

— Mr. Arthur Wyman is making preparations to step into Mr. Lawrence Reade's shoes at the postoffice. Mr. Reade's term will expire on Feb. 22 on which date or the day after Mr. Wyman will be in shape to take the office and continue to do business at the old stand. If the JOURNAL is any judge of such things Mr. Wyman is going to make a No. 1 postmaster.

— Yesterday morning was the coldest of the season. At 6 o'clock, A. M., at Mr. Waterman Brown's observatory near the Church Ave. crossing, it was 1 degree below zero, nearly 10 degrees lower than on any other morning this winter. One year ago yesterday morning, at the same hour and at the same point of observation, it was 52 degrees above zero—a big difference in the weather!

— We wish that as many young men as the church will hold would go and hear Dr. March's sermon on "Safeguards for Young Men—A Good Profession" next Sunday morning. They would certainly hear something to their advantage. Dr. March has a happy faculty of interesting young people in his lectures and sermons and always makes the listening to them a delight rather than an irksome task.

— Chief of Police McIntosh has recently made some changes in the disposition of a few of his men, namely: Officer McKenna has been transferred from Montvale to Station 1, and Officer Kean has been transferred from Station 1 to Montvale, Officer John A. Walsh has been brought to the Centre, and Officer Henchey has been given the Highlands district to look after. A regular officer is wanted in Ward 6.

— Miss M. L. Bancroft, the well-known and very popular teacher of the pianoforte, has a new card in the JOURNAL this week to which we call especial attention. We need not inform the readers of the JOURNAL that Miss Bancroft is a thoroughly educated and highly accomplished pianoforte player and one of the most popular and successful teachers in this city, for these facts are too well known by the public to need repetition here. But we direct public attention to Miss Bancroft's card, and let the case rest there.

— Music Master F. H. Lewis, head of the Lewis Music School of this city, and Mrs. Lewis gave a fine concert at their rooms in Dow Block last Tuesday evening. It was well attended and greatly enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis were assisted by former pupils and others. These concerts, given at brief intervals, have been a pleasing and attractive feature of the Lewis Music School for several years past, and are highly appreciated by the public.

— Division No. 1, A. O. H., Board of Erin, have decided to celebrate St. Patrick's Day in grand style. The affair has been put into the hands of a competent committee who will see to it that everything is carried out in the best of shape. The officers of the Division are: President, Joseph Green; Vice-President, Richard Terrett; Recording Secretary, Patrick Brown; Financial Secretary, John Dooley; Treasurer, Michael Graham; Sergeant-at-Arms, John Cogan; County Delegate for Middlesex County, Thos. Costello.

— Dr. —— of Winchester has made up his mind, if the local papers tell the truth, that the people of Woburn are the greatest gormandizers in America. He says it is nothing but supper, supper, supper; banquet, banquet, banquet; lunch, lunch, luuch; from one week's end to another, and all the year round. He never heard of such people for eating as the Woburn people are in all his born days. As compared with Winchester's gastronomic habits it certainly must seem to a resident of that village as though Woburn people were feasting on the fat of the land continually.

— Chester W. Smith left last Monday for Portland, Maine, to attend the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the organization of the Christian Endeavor Society as a delegate from the Woburn Society. The idea of the Christian Endeavor movement was first put into shape at Portland and the first society in the world was organized there ten years ago. It started with 32 members and there are now in the world over 700,000—the most remarkable growth of a religious organization ever before known. A special train took the delegates from Boston and neighborhood to Portland at 1 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

— The 5-cent fair rule between here and Stoneham went into operation last Sunday. Supt. Wentworth, while strongly in favor of the system of low fares everywhere, doubts if the population between Woburn and Stoneham is hardly large enough to justify the East Middlesex Company in reducing the fair from 8 to 5 cents. He hopes the change will prove a blooming success and will do all in his power to make it so, but doubts arise as to his ability to bring it about. Just as soon as summer with its fine warm evenings come again Supt. Wentworth will see a great increase of travel between here and Stoneham, else we miss our guess.

— The lecture by Rev. E. A. Horton of Boston in the Unitarian church on last Sunday evening was one of the ablest essays ever read in that venerable church. It was likewise an eloquent production and was highly enjoyed by an audience which for intelligence and culture it would be hard to match in the vicinity of Boston. Rev. Mr. Horton is one of the chief ministerial pillars of the Unitarian denomination in this section and is esteemed very highly by his fellow-gentlemen of the cloth. He is a learned man, sound headed, eloquent, and a good deal more stable in his views and utterances than some Unitarian clergymen of Boston we wot of.

— Mr. E. G. Barker, President of the Woburn Lumber Company, Charlie A. Jones, Esq., of the Five Cents Savings Bank, and others had great success fishing through the ice on a certain pond at No. Woburn last Monday. They caught over 50 handsome pickerel and pearch, some of which weighed 2 1-2 pounds apiece, and the whole lot was of extraordinary size. The fishermen were immensely pleased with their catch, and the suppers which they made on their return home in the afternoon off the great handsome fellows well larded, rolled in meal, and browned to a turn, were fit for kings. There was no "fish story" in what these gentlemen had to say about their catch, and besides that, the fish showed for themselves.

— Ground-hog day was full of the brightest sunshine, or at least the forepart of it was, and at noon when the groundhog and bear came forth from their winter homes to take midwinter observations it was so clear and bright that they could see their shadows without being to the trouble of turning their heads. That meant six more weeks of real winter weather, knowing which, the groundhog and bear returned to their dens where they will indulge in another long sleep nor emerge for good and all until well into March. Groundhog, or Candlemas, day is supposed to divide winter into two equal parts, hence the old saw says the farmer should have on "Candlemas Day half his wood and half his hay," which is only one of many old sayings of similar import. The report of President Teel of the Iowa Groundhog Society is now in order.

— The annual ball of the Order of Red Men last Wednesday evening was the most brilliant social affair of the season. A delightful concert of 60 minutes duration was given by Brigham's celebrated Orchestra of Marlboro which was enjoyed immensely by the large throng of listeners. The dancing set in immediately after the close of the concert, Col. O. J. Hart, Chief Medicine Man, leading. The large party of elegantly dressed ladies and gentlemen continued to "trip the light fantastic toe" until well towards morning and if a night of genuine pleasure was ever enjoyed by anybody it was enjoyed by the Red Men and their friends last Wednesday night. The company exceeded in numbers the most sanguine expectations of the most hopeful, and the whole brilliant affair was a complete and perfect success from start to finish.

— On Jan. 23 the last quarterly conference of the Methodist church of this city was held—the final one before the annual conference takes place—when it was voted, without a dissenting voice, to ask for the reappointment of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, making, if the request is granted, his third year as pastor of the Woburn church—the limit of service under the M. E. govermental policy. We are not at all surprised at this action of the quarterly conference for Mr. Montgomery is not only extremely popular with his own church people and well liked and highly respected as a citizen, but it is the general belief that but for his efforts and prime executive ability the Woburn society would have had to wait some years longer for a new meeting-house. He has been the head and front of the work and the result is one of the neatest, handsomest and best churches in the suburbs of Boston. Mr. Montgomery is a great worker in secular affairs as well as a bold temperance champion and faithful pastor.

— The annual ball of the Firemen's Relief Association given at Lyceum Hall on last Tuesday evening was one of the most brilliant and every way enjoyable that the Association has yet given. The attendance was very large and everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner. The music by Calnan's popular Orchestra was very fine and the dancing was kept up to a late hour. The supper by a professional Boston caterer was a feature of the festive occasion and will not soon be forgotten. The floor was in charge of Chief Engineer Albert A. Ferrin as floor director, and Assistant Engineer Charles W. Ames was his assistant, with the following named aids; Bernard H. Folan, Joseph C. Larock, Charles H. Nichols, James E. Eaton, John Kenney, James McNulty, Cyrus P. Fetridge, Luman C. Gott, James Boutwell, Cornelius Driscoll, William R. Greenleaf, William J. Brown, Patrick H. Graney, P. H. Doherty. The following named were the reception committee: Charles A. Wood, Charles Stewart, Thomas F. Ryan, Charles E. Eaton, Charles B. Green, Fred E. Perkins, Thomas Flynn, Thomas Marlow, John H. Bates, Lawrence Martin, Edward F. Tebbetts, Alfred K. Fetridge, George H. Newcomb, George A. Bountwell, Griffin Durga, Edward E. Stowers, Amos Langill, George H. Brauer, James H. Doherty, Neil Noon, John Madden. On the platform were Mayor Bean and many of the City Council and among others from out of town were: Engineer Hopkins of Somerville, Engineers Symmes of Winchester and Jackson of Medford, and many others.

P. O. Business.

Miss Celia Reade, Chief Clerk in the Woburn Centre postoffice, kindly furnishes the following figures of business done by the letter carriers during the months of December and January:

DECEMBER, 1890.

Registered letters delivered,	53
Letters delivered,	25,593
Postal cards delivered,	4,622
2d, 3d, and 4th-class, delivered,	17,711
Local letters collected,	1,325
Mail letters collected,	9,748
Local postal cards collected,	883
Mail postal cards collected,	1,835
2d, 3d, and 2th-class, collected,	688
Total number of pieces handled,	62,168

JANUARY, 1891.

Registered letters delivered,	41
Letters delivered,	26,322
Postal cards delivered,	9,847
2d, 3d, and 4th-class, delivered,	18,528
Local letters collected,	1,747
Mail letters collected,	9,623
Local postal cards collected,	1,558
Mail postal cards collected,	1,655
2d, 3d, and 4th-class, collected,	465
Total number of pieces handled,	69,286

These figures show an increase of postal business over last year when there was more done than the year before. This goes to show that the city is growing in population and trade, in which light it is a gratifying exhibit.

The amount of business is large when all the circumstances are considered. It represents only Woburn Centre, and hardly that, for nearly all of our manufacturers have their officers and salesrooms in Boston and buy their postoffice supplies in that city. There are in Woburn three postoffices besides the main one at the Centre—one at Montvale, 1 mile distant; one at No. Woburn, 2½ miles distant; one at Cummingsville, 2 miles distant. Then there is the Winchester office, 2 miles away; Stoneham, 2½ miles away; Burlington, 2 miles; and within a radius of 5 miles their name is Legion. The wonder is that any of them do any business at all.

Considering these facts, the Woburn Centre office has reason to feel proud of its current business and its annual increase.

The washboard is a piano upon which women can play a tune of happiness with a cake of Brussels soap.

The Woburn Equal Suffrage League.

One of the most important meetings which the above named associations has ever held was that of last Monday evening at Concert Hall. It was one of great interest to all present, for it was a service lovingly rendered to the memory of Mrs. Emma Putnam Kelley, a prominent member of the League and for a long time its honored President, whose death occurred on March 14, 1890, at her home in this city. A large assembly of people witnessed and listened to the literary and musical exercises, and it is safe to say that many eyes were moistened with tears at one stage or another of the services that night.

It was the fourth anniversary of the organization of the League, the existence of which was largely due to the interest of Mrs. Kelley in the subject of female suffrage and her efforts to bring into useful activity the quite widely defused sentiment in favor of that worthy cause among the higher and more intelligent classes of ladies in this community. There were misgivings on the part of some of the less courageous that the League might prove a failure in a community which, like ones, was so generally given to conservative thought and methods; but there were brave spirits among them in whose vocabulary no such word as fail could be found, and by these a permanent organization was perfected something over four years ago and has been kept in a flourishing condition ever since.

Always hopeful and brave, Mrs. Kelley led the van in the work of organization, and was made the League's first President, a position which she filled, by the unanimous voice of the members, continuously from the day on which the association was launched to the day of her death. She possessed characteristics which fitted her in a happy and peculiar manner for the honorable and responsible position of chief officer of the League, a fact which the members fully appreciated and were swift to recognize by repeatedly and unanimously re-electing her to fill it as long as she lived. Her manner and way of dealing with things always inspired confidence in others, and in every moral, intellectual or political movement in which she engaged while in life and vigorous health she was always brought to the front by the necessities of the situation and proclaimed a leader into whose service it was always safe to enlist, and under whose guidance and direction the success of any good cause was assured.

The League were loyal to their President always. Her ideas and schemes for the advancement of the cause of female suffrage were adopted with alacrity and without dissent. Her's was the master mind, and her high intellectual gifts, her culture, her sweet amiability of temper, her deep conscientiousness and love of truth and honesty, her clear perceptions and rare judgment, her fine executive ability and impartial treatment of those under her command—these are a few of the many graces of intellect and heart which so amply and peculiarly fitted Mrs. Kelley for the head of movements for the political amelioration of her sex, and made her the leading, guiding spirit in such reforms.

So, naturally, Mrs. Kelley was elected first President of the Woburn Suffrage League, and just as naturally no other member was thought of to take her place while she lived. She believed in the cause of female suffrage with her whole heart. She was its enthusiastic and honest champion whenever its principles were assailed in her presence or were in danger of being abused. She did not fear to stand by her colors, although, being modest, naturally retiring, and possessed of good sense, she would be the last to thrust her opinions into unwilling ears, and had she possessed the assurance of some of her co-workers, and as little modesty, she would, as an advocate of female suffrage, in point of intellect, culture, refinement—as an orator, poet and literary champion—have stood head and shoulders above many of the most noted of her sex engaged in the work. But Mrs. Kelley was modest, unassuming, self-forgetting, and that was one of the reasons why she was loved so warmly and truly by all who knew her, and especially by the Suffrage League of this city.

It had been the intention of the League since the death of their worthy and greatly beloved President to hold a special meeting at which to do honor to her memory. At first an early day for such memorial services was thought best, but subsequent reflection seemed to favor the date of the anniversary of the organization of the League for them, and such was the final decision. The members were all of one mind in this, that the services should be made worthy of the occasion, and an honor to the memory of the cherished dead. It should be a formal memorial meeting, to be participated in by the best talents of the society, and to constitute the fairest page in its history. The occasion and subject were worth the best intellectual efforts of the many gifted ladies of the League, and no pains should be spared in making it an occasion worthy of long remembrance by all concerned, as well as by the friends and family of the subject of the memorial offerings.

To this end parts were assigned in such a way that a programme similar to the following was the outcome. Each part, although finished, complete, perfect as a single composition, was really a portion of the whole piece of fine mosaic into which it fitted with the exactness of the most labored design and careful workmanship. The essayists wielded their pens freely and without regard to the character of the compositions of others—with but slight knowledge of them even—and yet there was an appropriateness about each and a blending of the whole that was really remarkable, and greatly enhanced the pleasure of the hundreds of delighted listeners present. It was indeed strange that in treating the subject from so many different standpoints, in discussing so many and varied human characteristics, in dealing with facts and fancies and emotions so liberally, there should have been produced such an harmonious whole, one in which no jarring or discordant notes were heard, a perfect production seemingly the work of a single hand and brain.

The programme, or order of memorial ceremonies, was: Her Life Work by Martha Sewall Curtis; Her First interest in Equal Suffrage by Mrs. B. A. Stearns; Hymn, "O, Arm of Strength" (music written by Mrs. Kelley), sung by Mrs. Eva L. Baker, Mrs. Ella C. Luce, Mr. William H. Clarke, Mr. George S. Cutler; Christian Women in Politics, Mrs. Kelley, by Miss Ida A. C. Jacobs; Personal Tributes by Miss Susan Edgell, Mrs. Leeds, Mrs. Delia A. Clarke; Hymn, "Sleep Not, Soldier of the Cross" (music written by Mrs. Kelley) sung by Mrs. Eva L. Baker, Mrs. Delia A. Clarke, Mr. William H. Clarke, Mr. George S. Cutter; Original Poem by Miss Hannah R. Hudson; A Woman Among Women by Miss Jennie E. Skinner; Her Work in the Woman's Club by Mrs. Lucy E. B. Converse; The Lesson of Her Life and Death by Mrs. Frances W. Hill; Hymn, "Immortal Love, Forever Full" (music by Mrs. Kelley) sung by Mrs. Ella C. Luce; Her Favorite Poem read by Miss C. Isabelle Livingstone.

Concert Hall was beautifully and appropriately decorated for the occasion. It was the work of Mrs. Hovey, the well known and popular florist of this city, and her best skill and taste were displayed in the choice and arrangements of flowers and plants for beautifying the scene of the important event. A perfect and exquisitely finished crayon portrait of Mrs. Kelley (to honor whose memory and to pay tributes to her superior worth the League's meeting was held) by Albert Thompson, the eminent painter, hung on the wall in a pure white frame from one corner of which depended a large bunch of what one lady called heavenly roses and ground and over the whole were spread the most delicate vines and feathery foliage. Never were such roses seen before, and the vines were a marvel of beauty. But the face that looked out from its white frame from beneath these floral and leafy adornments was far fairer and sweeter than the roses and vines that entwined it. It was a perfect likeness of Mrs. Kelley as she looked in life and blooming health and it may well be imagined that it attracted a great deal of notice from those who knew the original and especially if she was counted among their list of friends. On the stage and around the speaker's desk were profusely scattered ferns and flowers, and the decorations of the whole interior gave evidence of care, fine taste, and excellent judgment.

Martha Sewall Curtis presided at the meeting and was the leader in making the memorial addresses, as will be seen by the skeleton programme printed above. Her theme was Mrs. Kelley, Her Life Work, and more eloquent utterances were seldom if ever delivered to the memory of any one, certainly not to the memory of anyone not of national or world-wide celebrity. The silence that pervaded the room while the speaker poured out her burning words and impassioned periods was almost perceptible to the touch. There was a solemn hush that could be felt while every eye was turned on the eloquent speaker and every ear turned to catch her ringing words of love and praise and devotion to the memory of the dead friend and leader whose name they have all met together to honor. Martha Sewall Curtis is the State Lecturer of the State Equal Suffrage League and most happily is she adapted to that kind of work. No tribute to Mrs. Kelley's memory left a deeper impression on the minds of the hearers than hers.

Mrs. B. A. Stearns was the next lady to present her offerings of love to the memory of the former President of the League. Her subject was Mrs. Kelley's First Interest in Equal Suffrage, in which her mind's workings on the subject of female suffrage from the early period in her life when her thoughts first turned in that direction up to her latest hour in which she was permitted to serve the cause she cherished so warmly were calmly and intelligently discussed. Mrs. Steans's fine presence on the platform commands attention and her fresh, original thoughts, clothed in language at once, simple, pure and eloquent, rivetted the attention of the audience and commanded warm and universal approval. Mrs. Stearns is a lady who would hide her talents in a napkin rather than let her light shine out in the face of the world, but she has rich literary gifts, a well cultivated mind, and is regarded as one of the main pillars of the female suffrage cause in this city.

A thoughtful essay was Christian Women in Politics by Miss Ida A. C Jacobs, Assistant Principal of the Woburn High School, who followed Mrs. Stearns in paying heartfelt tribute to the worth of the late lamented President of the League. It was a composition which commanded the undivided attention of the meeting, and deserved a prominent place among the many able and eloquent productions listened to from the platform during the evening.

Then there were personal tributes—that is to say tributes to the charming personal characteristics of the dear woman whom everybody loved so well. Miss Susan E. Edgell, a warm intimate friend of the deceased, said: "Ladies, our friend, Mrs. Kelley, had her faults. She was human, and all humanity have them. But, although Mrs. Kelley had faults they were so microscopic that her most intimate associates even failed to discover them." That sentiment, spoken in Miss Edgell's peculiarly dignified and graceful manner, was cordially assented to by all who heard it. Another personal tribute of rare merit was embodied in a carefully composed paper by Mrs. Samuel Leeds which was read in impressive style and voice by Mrs. Delia A. Clarke, and was received by the audience with unmistakable tokens of approval.

Miss Hannah R. Hudson's contribution to the literary exercises of the evening was a beautiful original poem written expressly for the time and the occasion. Miss Hudson's poetical productions in leading magazines of the country have given her a literary standing of which the people here in her home may well be proud. But we prefer to let Miss Hudson's memorial poem speak for itself:

Not yet we see the promise of the spring
On greening sod and tree,
Not yet we hear the murmuring of the streams
From winter's fetters free;
Not yet for us the thrill of hope and joy,
But tears and memory.

Not yet for us the wisdom that may read
The riddle of the years,
The gladness that may triumph over grief,
The faith that conquers fears;
For us the patience that is kin to pain,
And memory and tears:

Kind memory that can shield from time and death
The treasures of her choice;
Can hoard through years the beauty of a smile,
The music of a voice;
And with the semblance of a lost content
Bid us again rejoice.

We may not seek to pierce the mists of doubt
In which the future hides;
We can but follow over ways unknown
The hopes we make our guides;
And ever, as our courage faints and fails,
The faith we strive for, chides:—

"Life lived aright shall surely find its most
And best in higher spheres.
Poor coward, clinging blindly to the past
While the glad future nears,
No longer thus profane the peace of death
With weak and selfish tears.

"Be brave; and if you cannot learn to hope,
Learn only to be still;
Nor strive to measure thus with human thought
The workings of God's will;
Wait; though the dawn be dim and far away,
Its light the skies shall fill."—

What can we answer, we who purchase faith
At such a price of pain,—
Whose joys lie dead, like last year's withered leaves
Beneath the winter rain;—
How shall we learn to count our bitter loss
As an immortal gain?

Alas, it is not for the mystic heaven,
But the fair earth, we yearn;
So let us weep such tears as mortals shed
Beside a funeral urn.
We only know the future seems a void,
The past cannot return.

Weep, till at last the questionings and fears
With which our thought is rife,
The haunting doubt, the burden of despair,
The stress and pain of life,
Shall seem to touch on those eternal calms
That bound earth's grief and strife.

Miss Jennie E. Skinner was the next member of the League to ascend the platform and bear tender, loving testimony to the vigor and integrity of Mrs. Kelley's character, her strong, purifying influence in the community, her high ideals of feminine duty and privilege, and many kindred traits. Miss Skinner's theme was A Woman among Women, the merest glance at which furnishes a clue to the germ thought of the contribution. It was a warm tribute which she paid to the memory of her intimate and very dear friend. The thoughts and the language in which they were clothed were a credit to the head and heart of the talented and eloquent speaker.

Mrs. Lucy B. Converse, wife of Judge P. L. Converse, spoke of "Her Work in the Woman's Club," and paid a glowing tribute to the intellectual and moral worth of her friend, whose place in society, the clubs, or in the reform movements of the day it would be difficult to fill. Mrs. Converse has a stately presence on the rostrum and is a most pleasing speaker, which, coupled with the unusual excellence of her composition, gave her work a great and lasting value. Mrs. Converse closed her address with the following lines:

THE TWO MYSTERIES.

We know not what it is, dear, this sleep so deep
And still,
The folded hands, the awful calm, the cheek so pale
And chill;
The lids that will not lift again, though we may call
And call,
The strange white solitude of peace that settles
over all.
We know not what it means, dear, this desolate
heart pain,
The dread to take our daily way and walk in it
again.
We know not to what sphere the loved who leave
us go,
Nor why we're left to wonder still, nor why we do
not know.
But this we know: Our loved and lost, if they
should come this day—
Should come and ask us, "What is life?" not one of
us could say.
Life is a mystery, as deep as ever death can be;
Yet, oh! how sweet it is to us—this life we live and
see!
Then might they say,—these vanished ones,—and
blessed is the thought,
"So death is sweet to us, beloved! though we may
tell you naught;
We may not tell it to the quick, this mystery of
death.—
Ye may not tell us, if ye would, the mystery of
breath."
The child who enters life comes not with knowledge
or intent,
So those who enter death must go as little children
sent.
Nothing is known. But I believe that God is over
head,
And as life is to the living, so death is to the dead.

At this point Mrs. Frances W. Hill, wife of Mr. W. W. Hill, read a poem which was Mrs. Kelley's favorite when in life and health. It was listened to in breathless stillness and deep reverence. Although making no pretensions Mrs. Hill is an entertaining elocutionist and her recitation of the beautiful poem which her friend loved so well was a source of great gratification to the audience. Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. Hill were very intimate friends for years prior to the decease of the former and an affection existed between them such is seldom found outside of family circles. With Mrs. Hill's love for Mrs. Kelley was mingled a high degree of esteem and admiration for her brilliant intellectual traits, and the sentiment was returned in full measure.

After the poem Mrs. Hill gave an essay called "The Lesson of Her Life and Death," which was a carefully prepared and finely finished piece of literary work. The title of her theme is a key to the character of the story and to say that its delivery produced a profound impression on her hearers would be but a partial utterance of the the truth. She was happy in the choice of language as a vehicle in which to convey her thoughts to the enraptured listeners, and from no lips did a more eloquent tribute to the worth of her dead friend and daily companion fall than from those of Mrs. Hill. She was cool, calm (as usual), moderate in delivery of the eloquent paragraphs which her notes contained, but underneath was perceptible a current of feelings and emotions which testified more strongly than language could do to the love she bore the dear one whose memory the League had gathered to honor. Mrs. Hill's was an affectionate and beautiful memorial tribute, the delivery of which commanded the respectful and tearful attention of the whole meeting which was pervaded by a breathless hush while she spoke.

Miss C. Isabelle Livingstone gave "Her Favorite Poem," which was an eminently worthy finale to the memorial progamme. Like all the other productions from the pens of the intellectual and cultured ladies who participated in the exercises, this of Miss Livingstone's fitted into its place and finished the piece of mosaic with one of the rarest gems of the evening.

In this way a remarkable meeting closed. Everything was carried out according to the programme arranged for it; there were no unpleasant hitches in its execution; and the large audience, which included Dr. S. W. Kelley, the husband, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Putnam, father and mother of Emma Putnam-Kelley, felt on separating that a long evening had been most advantageously and profitably spent.

W. H. A. W.

The annual meeting of the corporation and management of the Home for Aged Women, took place last Tuesday, when the following officers were elected: President, Miss Susan E. Edgell; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Abigail M. Winn, Mrs. Mary Shaw; Secretary, Mrs. Sophia L. Hovey; Treasurer, Mrs. Lucy M. Cole; Collector, Mrs. Sarah L. Simonds; Auditors, Charlie A. Jones, Mrs. Harriet H. Chamberlain; Managers, Mrs. Mary Shaw, Mrs. Lydia G. Choate, Mrs. Mary H. Cummings, Mrs. Minerva Bryant, Mrs. Almira W. Brown, Mrs. Martha A. Tidd, Miss Eliza Eager, Mrs. Deborah G. Trull, Mrs. Lavinia A. Hartwell, Mrs. Lucy E. B. Converse, Mrs. Louisa L. Taylor, Mrs. Caroline G. Johnson, Mrs. Abbie W. Watson, Mrs. Abigail M. Winn, Miss Susan E. Edgell, Mrs. Sarah L. Simonds, Mrs. Maria L. Thompson, Mrs. Ede A. Wood, Miss Rosanna B. Tidd, Mrs. Rebecca P. Flagg, Mrs. Frances W. Eames, Mrs. Isabella Ward, Mrs. M. Abbie Parker, Mrs. Sophia L. Hovey, Mrs. Lucy E. B. Cole, Mrs. Mary H. Hayward, Mrs. Martha A. McDonald, Mrs. Harriet H. Chamberlain, Mrs. Ellen T. Ellis, Mrs. Melina A. Skinner, Mrs. Lucretia T. True, Mrs. Sarah A. Trull, Mrs. Maria Fox, Mrs. Mary E. Cutter, Mrs. Florence Crosby.

There are 10 inmates in the home whose average age is a little over 70 years. All but two are in good health. During the past year Samuel H. Leathe made a proposition to the managers to pay the legacy left by his sister, Miss Ruth M. Leathe, provided they would take an estate on Plympton St. at a valuation of $3000.

The proposition was accepted on a compromise of $4500, beside which they receive $15.500, the income only to be used for the home. Nothing has been heard of the legacy of Mr. Simonds. The drama "School" realized $67; the annual fair $704; another entertainment was given under the auspices of Dr. and Mrs. Bartlett, and every year Mr. Winship of Wakefield has sent a handsome sum. Mrs. M. F. Winn bequeathed $2000; David Gould Converse $500.

Found a Seat.

"Listener" found a seat in an "Upper Room" in the Bank Building, Saturday afternoon, and was very much interested in the explanation of Christian Science Healing. With the Bible as text book the free informal talk was carried on, and the truth of the position maintained was not questioned by the philosophical mind who wants a basis to rest upon, while the religous thinker seemed to be truly enlightened, spiritually. Spirit is the only reality in life, they claim, and the natural result of right thinking is shown in healthy bodies.

The growing interest in this great thought is apparent

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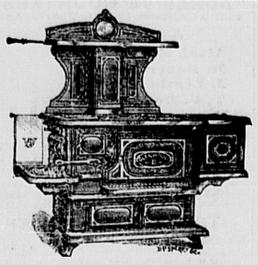

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Sunday 3.30, Prayer service.

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Men's meeting at 4. It is expected the Christian clerks of our stores will be present and have charge of our meeting.

On Tuesday the Direction of the Association are to give the Junior Branch an evening. The Boys are on the anxious seat at present to know what they will do, but mum is the word.

Monday evening the Singing Class at 7.30. At the close of the season, a concert will be given under the direction of Mr. Marshall, which will be one of the best we have ever given. Prominent soloist of Boston will assist. Everyone will want to attend.

Last Tuesday our first lecture by Dr. C. I. Fisher of Tewksbury, Mass. was given. All who listened to it, as far as we have heard, were well pleased, and some expressed the wish that he could come again and repeat it. We hope to have our next lecture before many weeks and the subject and speaker will be one who all want to hear.

At the 40th Anniversary of the Boston Y. M. C. A., 20 churches gave their edifices and on finances in the hands of the Association last Sunday evening and prominent speakers from all over the country occupied the different pulpits. Rev. Phillip Brooks at the Old South said: "The Y. M. C. A. had been a revelation to the churches of larger life and larger fields of usefulness. Many works that used to seem entirely out of the Christian's sphere are proving to be instrumentalities for Christ.

"The young men have done much to teach that religion is not some stranger dropped out of heaven, but something real, developed from man by God.

"The great question of what Christianity is is being solved to a large extent by such institutions as the one the churches have cause to thank on the occasion of its 40th anniversary. There are many things to thank it for, but greatest is the simplest and deepest —that it has saved a multitude of young men."

Settle It Right Here.

Some people have a system, and through it are enabled to avoid many vexations in this world. When they see a good thing which must need enter into their daily life, they adopt it, and ever after cling to it. All desire that which is best, yet cheapest, and many a good housewife, by settling on Brussels soap, for household use, finds her every need supplied in this direction. Brussels soap has as yet no successful competitor. It's economical.

Course of Entertainments.

A course of first class entertainments for the benefit of the Methodest Episcopal church of this city has been decided on. They will be good and the object is a worthy one, therefore the course ought to be handsomely patronized.

Feb. 20. Musical Entertainment under charge of F. H. Lewis, assisted by Male Quartette of Boston University Theological School.

Feb. 26. Lecture by Chaplain George A. Crawford of Boston. Subject: China.

Mar. 5. Concert by Boston University Glee and Banjo Club.

Last Lecture is to be given by Mrs. Mary A. Livermore (date to be announced later). Subject: Twenty-five years on the lecture platform. (This is a new lecture).

The services of the above are given for the benefit of the Church.

Tickets for whole Course, $1.00. Single Ticket, 35c.

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Miss Lena Page is visiting friends in Malden.

Some very fine displays of flowers may be seen in the windows of some of our citizens homes.

Mr. Arthur Linscott has returned from the South where he has been travelling on business.

Quite a large delegation from this village attended the dance given under the auspices of the I. O. R. M. at the Lyceum hall on last Wednesday evening.

Attention should be paid to the drainage of some of the streets in this part of the city. They are covered with ice and water, the latter in many places hindering travel on foot very much.

The monthly sociable of the Unitarian society took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Tidd on last Thursday evening. There was a large attendance and the evening was passed in a very pleasant manner.

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The Harvard University Catalogue.

This annual publication for 1890-91 is a bulky volume and contains a great amount of information concerning the largest and principal American University which cannot but interest everyone in anyway connected with it either in the past, present, or prospectively. The book contains almost 450 pages printed in small type, and the Table of its Contents occupies four and a half pages, and the Index as many more. Naturally a person wants to be endowed with a "liberal education" in order to understand a good deal of these contents, but to Harvard men no doubt their perusal is perfectly plain sailing. There is a Directory Calendar, and many other useful features about the volume, for a copy of which we return thanks to the University authorities.

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Attention

Is called to the advertisement in another column, of the "Globe Dental Parlors," No. 227 Tremont Street, Boston. In an interview with the wide-awake managers of this office, we were pleased to learn that their experiment of giving Nitrous Oxide Gas free for the painless extraction of teeth has proved a grand success, as the hundreds who have, during the months of November, December and January availed themselves of their generous offer, can testify. Drs. Bills and Crossman cordially invite all who are thinking of having dental operations of any kind performed, to call upon them, and they will give them their best advice, free of charge, and they also guarantee that all work done by them will be done in the best possible manner.

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the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.'

The Newsy Weekly.

The Somerville *Citizen* says truly and with force, that most communities don't half appreciate what a help a good local paper is in any neighborhood. If weekly papers were blotted from existence for a year and people had to run hither and thither to get the information they contain, each family using their own legs instead of the reporter's as now, they would have a higher appreciation of the work done by newspaper workers and of the importance of the weekly messenger of information.

The Secretary of the Association of Massachusetts Sons of the Revolution is Luther L. Tarbell of the Boston Custom House.

Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL RECORD, published by Oliver Ditson & Co., Boston, puts in an early mid-winter appearance and brings with it many good things in the musical line. It contains new pieces of music and much fresh and interesting reading matter.

The February number of OUR LITTLE ONES is very handsome and sprightly and the small people of country will enjoy its pictures, stories and poetry hugely. No juvenile magazine in the country is more popular than OUR LITTLE ONES. Published by the Russell Publishing Company, Boston.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for January 31, and February 7, contain Shakespeare's Ghosts, Witches and Fairies, Alexander Vinet, and Home Rule and Home Rulers, Birds, Velasquez and his King, and Shut up in the African Forest, A Secret Religion, Two Treatises on the Sublime, and The Republic of San Marino, Lord Melbourne, Bess of Hardwick, Frost and Fog, and Mr. Kinglake, The Origin of the Great Lakes of North America, with instalments of Eight Days, Christmas Eve at Warwingie, and poetry.

THE DOLL'S DRESSMAKER, a magazine for girls, is the latest periodical to come to our notice. It is brimful of entertaining and instructive reading and illustrations for our little women, and will be welcomed in every household which possesses a little girl. We feel sure the little magazine will be popular with mothers and prove a monthly delight to their young daughters. The price is only 50 cents per year. We recommend parents to send and subscribe. It is published at 35 East Seventy-seventh street, New York city. Send for a sample copy anyhow.

The February WIDE AWAKE opens with a ballad of heroism. When the brave Crusader ancestor of the present British Minister at Washington, Sir Julian Pauncefote, was captured by the Saracens, they demanded his wife's hand in ransom, and the brave lady so saved her lord. Sir Julian Pauncefote supplied the author, Mary Branley, with authentic facts. Mr. E. H. Garrett's pictures for the ballad are finely dramatic. Other poems are by Elizabeth W. Bellamy and Mary E. Wilkins. The interesting illustrated articles of the number include Lieut. Fremont's timely account of Life at Frontier Forts, and as a sort of military pendant a curious account of A Fish Army. The short stories are unusually clever, from the ingenious plot of Aunt Dolly's Two Robbers, to the laughter and tears of A Hungry Boy. Mrs. Burton Harrison's story, Diamonds and Toads, is concluded. Kirk Munroe's railroading serial develops a startling situation, and the doings of Margaret Sidney's Peppers are as delightful as ever. Mr. Bridgman's funny pictorial skit, Through the Dark Continent, drops the curtain to the laughter of the audience. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Boston, Mass.

A portrait of Talleyrand in his youth is the appropriate frontispiece of the February CENTURY, in which is given a very full and interesting instalment of extracts from the Talleyrand Memoirs (begun in the January number). Napoleon is almost the sole subject of the extract in this number. The instalment opens with Talleyrand's apology for taking office under the Directory. A most striking description is next given of Bonaparte in the first flush of his victories. These extracts are full of plots. The first described is that between Bonaparte and Talleyrand himself, just before Napoleon overthrew the Directory and made himself ruler of France. Then comes Talleyrand's apology for supporting Bonaparte, followed by a number of anecdotes of Bonaparte, and including an account of his meeting with Goethe and Wieland.

The California series reaches the discovery of gold, an account of which is given by John S. Hittell, Esq., accompanied by attractive illustrations —among them a facsimile of an entry in the diary of H. W. Bigler (one of the party of discovery), which fixes beyond peradventure the date of the discovery as the 24th of January, 1848, instead of the 19th, as still celebrated by the pioneer society. There are also a view of Sutter's Mill, a map of the Placer Regions of California, portraits of Marshall the discoverer, and interesting caricatures of the rush of the diggings. In the department of California, is given Marshall's own account of the gold discovery as taken down from his lips in '49 at Coloma. A third paper by General John Bidwell completes the narrative of events before the gold discovery, and deals with Fremont in the Conquest of California setting forth a view of those events somewhat in conflict with that of General Fremont. Among the illustrations of this article is a striking full-page engraving of Kit Carson.

The stories are Edward Eggleston's new one, "Sister Dolorosa," Col. Carter of Cartersville, and others. The number is unusually interesting.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Jan. 31, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

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Miss Burdy—"Yes, I will be yours on one condition." Jack Junior—"That's all right. I entered Yale with six."

It is reported that a farmer in Holt county, Kansas, has 26 living children, all of whom are unmarried and live at the homestead.

A pair of Texas cattle horns were found in Scott Bluffs county, Neb., the other day, that measured 5 feet 9 inches from tip to tip.

Philadelphia has a Blue Book, but many of the most fashionable people do not appear in it, having made a point not to be included.

"Why do you call these cigars Flora Debutante?" "Because they cost like the mischief, and are all the time going out," said patertamilias, ruefully.

The Agusta(Ga) Chronicle says Gen. Lee never executed a spy. He used to say: "Poor fellows, we have got them, and they can't do us any harm. What is the use of killing them?"

WINCHESTER.

The Episcopalians are going to have a boy choir.

Mrs. James Houston fell and sprained her arm very badly.

Beggs & Cobb are preparing for business at the Loring & Avery tannery.

Mrs. Gulick will lecture before the Womans Missionary Society next month.

Walter D. Middleton has been elected a Deacon of the Congregational church.

The system of free seats was permanently adopted by the Baptist church last Sunday.

Dea. Charles Conant and wife are visiting at Washington, D. C., where their son Charles is.

Mr. Samuel J. Elder spoke before the Jamaica Club, at Jamaica Plain, on Wednesday evening, his topic being "Jury Trials."

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Twombly started for California last Wednesday with the Boston Fruit and Produce Club's excursion in great spirits.

"The political pot begins to boil." Candidates for Selectmen are springing up all over the town and among them excellent ones have been "mentioned."

It is announced in society circles that Miss May L. Maxwell, daughter of our well known citizen and founder of Pell City, Ala., John Maxwell, and Benjamin W. Barrows are soon to be united in the holy bonds of wedlock.

The houses of T. L. Ripley and H. N. Bailey were entered by burglars last night and considerable silverware was stolen. In one case an entrance was effected by forcing a window and in the other by going through a bulkhead. No clew to the thieves was found.

It is rather a backset not to have any banquet and entertainment by the W. V. I. A. this year. This wouldn't have been thus if Mr. Twombly had been President. If ever the W. V. I. A. needed to be lively, wideawake and active it is just now when the town is on the eve of a big boom.

The following are the newly elected officers of the Winchester Union: President, Mrs. John C. Mason; Secretary, Miss Mary Chaffee; Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Wills; Directors, Mrs. S. G. Pierce, Mrs. John Symmes, Mrs. J. T. Underhill, Mrs. H. L. Richards, Mrs. N. T. Apollonio, Mrs. W. F. Fitch.

John R. Freeman of this town has just been awarded the Norman medal of the American Society of Civil Engineers. This is a gold medal given for the best technical paper contributed during the year, and was awarded on his paper "Experiments relating to the Hydrants of Fire Streams." The medal is intrinsically valuable, but the honor which goes with it is very highly prized by engineers.—*Star.*

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society recently held at the residence of Mrs. Harrison Parker the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Harrison Parker; Vice Presidents, Mrs. L. Pierce, Mrs. Moses Herrick; Treasurer, Mrs. Holt; Directors, Mrs. D. A. Newton, Mrs. Joshua Coit, Mrs. I. S. Palmer, Miss. S. C. Varney.

Young Doctor—I prescribed for my first patient yesterday. Young Lawyer (anxiously)—Has he made his will yet?

Two sugar plantations in Louisiana have produced the past season 4,700,000 and 4,463,000 pounds of sugar respectively.

The London *Lancet* says the best authorities estimate that the average duration of human life has increased ten years in the last century.

The soda lakes of Natrona county, Wy., have been sold to English capitalists for $2,000,000. They contain deposits of solid soda twenty feet deep.

Women are eligible for office in Roumania, and in 1888 Mme. Anna Jonesco was elected Mayoress of Maugala, which position she held for two years.

A gardener at Alexandria, La., had growing in the open air Jan. 17 8000 fine cabbages, Irish potatoes as large as a man's fist, lettuce, beets, carrots and fine ripe strawberries.

There is a hospital at Munich which is wholly supported by the sale of old steel pen nibs, collected from all parts of Germany. They are made into watch springs, knives and razors.

A Ruston (La.) man, who owed a debt to a lawyer, gathered up all the copper cents he could find to pay it. He did not get quite enough, but tendered what he had, and gave a greenback bill for the balance. The lawyer took the money, paid back the copper cents in change, and kept the bill. Moral: Don't fool with a lawyer.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William H. Walker, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Fred F. Walker and John W. Johnson, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Chamberlain, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument puporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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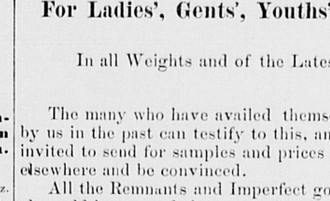

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LESSON VI, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 8.

Text of the Lesson, I Kings xxi, 1-16. Commit Verses, 15, 16—Golden Text, Luke xii, 15—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "And it came to pass after these things."

The previous chapter gives a record of two remarkable victories of Ahab and his army over the king of Syria and his army; the army of Ahab being like two little flocks of kids before the Syrians, who filled the country (xx, 27); but it was all the work of God, that Ahab might know that God was Jehovah (xx, 13, 28), and act accordingly. Ahab is, however, so little in sympathy with God that he after all made friends with the king of Syria, and let him escape. For this he was rebuked by a prophet, and went to his house heavy and displeased (xx, 42, 43).

"Naboth the Jezreelite."

We are now introduced to a man who is mentioned only in this chapter and in II Kings ix. His name is given here nineteen times, and six times it is Naboth the Jezreelite.

2. "Give me thy vineyard * * * because it is near unto my house."

A righteous life is a constant rebuke to unrighteousness and cannot be tolerated, especially when the spirit of God is striving with the impenitent.

3. "The Lord forbid it me that I should give the inheritance of my fathers unto thee."

Although Ahab offered him a better vineyard or its full value in money, this is his reply. Naboth fears Jehovah, but does not fear Ahab, and the inheritance of his fathers is more to him than money or than any other inheritance. Had he been like Esau he would have sold it cheap.

4. "And Ahab came into his house heavy and displeased."

In the last chapter we saw him in his house, heavy and displeased because the Lord by the prophet had rebuked him; and now he is in the same place and in the same state of mind because the Lord has again rebuked him through Naboth. Had he frequented the house of the Lord and in his trouble gone like Elijah into the sanctuary (Ps. lxxiii, 17) he would have found a cure for his sadness; but he was not that kind of a man.

5. "Why is thy spirit so sad?"

"Sad" is just the same word as "heavy" in verse 4 and xx, 43, and it is only found these three times in the Bible. This is his wife's question to him.

6. "I will not give thee my vineyard."

He rehearses to her his request of Naboth and this, Naboth's reply. Thank God for all who say to the world, the flesh and the devil: I am the Lord's property, you cannot have me or anything belonging to me; and no money nor any other inducement can persuade me to give to any but my Lord that which is truly and only His.

7. "I will give thee the vineyard of Naboth the Jezreelite."

Thus speaks this woman of Satan, this defier of the true God and His servants.

8. "So she wrote letters in Ahab's name, and sealed them with his seal."

Thus did Haman, another adversary of the people of God (Esth. iii, 12). Thus will the beast and the false prophet act in the power of the dragon, that old serpent, the devil, in the last days before Jesus comes in His glory (Rev. xiii, 4, 7, 15, etc.).

9. "Proclaim a fast, and set Naboth on high among the people."

Or as in R. V. margin, "at the head of the people." A child of God may conclude that something is wrong when the enemies of God do him an honor or in any way set him on high.

10. "And set two men, sons of Belial, before him to bear witness against him."

"Sons of Belial" signify worthless, reckless, lawless fellows. They abound everywhere, and are ready to every evil work.

11, 12. "And the men of his city * * * did as Jezebel had sent unto them."

Were the servants of Christ only half as ready and obedient as the servants of the adversary, how the name of Christ would be magnified, God glorified, the elect church called out and the kingdom hastened. These men did just what Jezebel said—took her to mean what she said and went about it.

13. "Naboth did blaspheme God and the king."

This is the lie which these false witnesses give utterance to. Naboth could say with David and with Jesus: "False witnesses did rise up; they laid to my charge things that I knew not. They hate me without a cause" (Ps. xxxv, 11; lxix, 4; Matt. xxvi, 59-61; John xv, 25). Naboth is accused of blasphemy because he loved his inheritance more than the favor of Ahab. James was accused of blasphemy because he declared himself the Son of God, fearing not the wrath of the rulers.

"They stoned him with stones that he died."

It would seem from II Kings ix, 26, that his sons also were murdered. Thus in later days they stoned Stephen and Paul.

14. "Naboth is stoned, and is dead."

Or as in the next verse, "Naboth is not alive, but dead." Satan had done his worst. Jesus taught His disciples not to fear those who could only kill the body. The Spirit, through Paul, says that "to die is gain," "to depart and be with Christ is far better." Jesus tells us that when Lazarus died the angels carried him—not his poor, corrupting body, but himself, apart from the frail tabernacle in which he had been sojourning—to Abraham's bosom; and He said to the thief on the cross, "To-day shalt thou be with me in Paradise" (Matt. x, 28; Phil. i, 21, 23; Luke xvi, 22; xxiii, 43). So while Naboth's body was overcome by the cruel stones, Naboth himself had gone off in glorious company, forever beyond the reach of all persecutors.

15. "Arise, take possession of the vineyard of Naboth the Jezreelite which he refused to give thee for money."

Thus speaks Jezebel to her heavy and displeased husband. The prominent seed of God is no longer in his way as a rebuke to him, and the coveted vineyard is now his without money. Compare with this the gifts and merry making of Rev. xi, 10, because of the death by violence of two servants of God who tormented the people by their testimony to the truth. But their joy and seeming victory will be as short lived (for that event is still future) as was that of Ahab. God permits a great deal which we cannot understand, but He always holds the reins.

16. "Ahab rose up to go down to the vineyard * * * to take possession of it."

But he is not prepared to hear the fearful tidings which await him from the Lord by the mouth of him whom he is pleased to term his enemy. The Lord has seen it all. "Dogs shall lick thy blood," "dogs shall eat Jezebel" (verses 19, 23); fearful words, but fulfilled in due time most literally (xxii, 38; II Kings ix, 35,36).

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When he drives out our little old wobble-ly calf!
An' nen, ef our hired girl says he can,
He milks the cow fer 'Lizabuth Ann.
Ain't he a' awful good Raggedy Man?
Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy Man!

W'y, the Raggedy Man—he's ist so good
He splits the kindlin' an' chops the wood;
An' nen he spades in our garden, too,
An' does most things 'at boys can't do.
He clumbed clean up in our big tree
An' shook a' apple down fer me!
An' 'nother 'n', too, fer 'Lizabuth Ann!
An' 'nother 'n', too, fer the Raggedy Man!
Ain't he a' awful kind Raggedy Man?
Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy Man!

An' the Raggedy Man he knows most rhymes
An' tells 'em, ef I be good, sometimes—
Knows about giunts an' griffuns an' elves,
An' the squidgicum squees 'at swallers themselves!
An' wite by the pump in our pasture lot
He showed me the hole 'at the wunks is got
'At lives 'way deep in the ground, an' can
Turn into me—er, 'Lizabuth Ann!
Ain't he a funny old Raggedy Man?
Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy Man!

The Raggedy Man—one time, when he
Was makin' a little bow 'n' 'arry fer me,
Says, "When you're big like your pa is,
Air you go' to keep a fine store like his,
An' be a rich merchunt an' wear fine clothes?
Er what air you go' to be, goodness knows?"
An' nen he laughed at 'Lizabuth Ann.
An' I says, "'m go' to be a Raggedy Man—
I'm 'ist go' to be a Raggedy Man!"
Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy Man!
—James Whitcomb Riley

What's in a Yawn?

Have you ever noticed how if one person chances to yawn in a car or omnibus every other passenger who sees him sooner or later follows suit? There appears to be something contagious in the act—something that no one can escape. The other day, coming down town in an elevated railroad car, a friend who was with me yawned, and hadn't more than shut his mouth when a stout man on the opposite seat took up the performance. He was followed by a pretty girl across the aisle, and then all the passengers whose faces we could see soon began it. The effect was so immediate and general that we both remarked it, and even several of the passengers smiled as they repeated the act.

After we were well down town and the passenger list of the car had considerably changed my friend remarked that he would see if he could compel all the passengers to yawn by feigning a yawn himself. He succeeded admirably in his counterfeit, and in a few moments every passenger in sight again was yawning. As we left the car at Park place the guard yawned as he opened the gate for us.—New York Sun.

Haste and Leisure.

"When I was in London," said Col. Cody, "I was going to dinner one night and told my driver to get me there as quickly as possible. As my carriage clattered along over the cobblestones of a narrow street we overtook a funeral procession. Immediately my driver got into a dispute with the driver of the hearse over the right of way. I told my driver to keep straight on the trail, and not cut through the funeral, showing my deep religious inclination, and he said he wouldn't. He said he'd beat the hearse if it took a year. Well, we rattled on. The race was growing interesting and exciting. My driver, I feared, was getting the worst of it. Presently, however, they stopped to argue the matter, and I heard my man say to the cheerful driver of the hearse:

"'Here, my man's in a hurry; yours isn't.'"—Chicago Tribune.

Misunderstood.

The Young Rector (in evident embarrassment)—My dear Miss Clara, I—(trying to leave his chair)—I believe I have formed an—attachment, and—

Miss Clara (blushing furiously)—Oh! Arthur—I mean Mr. Greene—this is so unexpected. I must—

The Young Rector (frantically)—Beg pardon, Miss Clara, but I was about to say that I have formed an attachment for this chair, due to the presence of a bit of shoemaker's wax, placed here by that unregenerate younger brother of yours.

(Intense delight of the small boy in ambush.)—Pittsburg Bulletin.

It is a curious reflection on the intelligence of mankind that while animals easily learn our language, we make no advance at all in learning theirs. One cannot help hoping that some future generation of men may be sufficiently kind and patient and large hearted to believe that what these dependent creatures have to say to us may sometimes be as important as what we have to say to them, and to act accordingly.

In China a girl who is partaking of the last meal she is to eat in her father's house previous to marriage sits at the table with her father and brothers only, but she must not eat over one-half of the bowl of rice set before her, otherwise her departure will be followed by continued scarcity in the domicile she is leaving.

The Geographical institute in Weimar estimates that German Africa contains 935,000 square kilometers. All European Germany contains approximately 540,000 square kilometers.

Stanley traveled 5,400 miles in the interior of Africa on his last expedition, all but 1,000 miles of it on foot. Three hundred persons were rescued in the three years.

To prevent that shine to the skin with which so many are annoyed, especially in warm weather, use a little camphor in the water when bathing the face.

Everything Has Its Uses.

"Gracious, Miss Bickton," exclaimed young Spriggins, who is a lingerer, "I hope you won't cough again in that way. You made me start."

"Perhaps," she murmured, "I may be convinced that even coughs were not made in vain."—*Washington Post.*

All Broken Down.

Is it not sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said? Young man, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practiced, keep good hours, retire early, and build up your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—OLD PHYSICIAN.

Feline Fun.

Montaigne says: "When I play with my cat how do I know whether she does not make a pastime of me, just as I do of her? We entertain ourselves with mutual antics, and if I have my own times of beginning or refusing, she, too, has hers."

SCIENTIFIC MAIL ROBBERY.

Ingenious Scheme of a Shrewd Thief That Puzzled a Skilled Inspector.

"We get some pretty tough cases," said an old postoffice inspector, "but it has been my fortune to run down every case on which I was set to work."

"What was the most difficult case you ever handled?" asked the reporter.

"It happened while I was stationed at Utica, N. Y., about seven years ago," replied the inspector. "Many letters containing valuables had been missed, and by dint of hard work we managed to trace the job down to one clerk, a shaven faced young fellow of about 22 years. He was a clerk who distributed the letters into the boxes of the carriers.

"As I said, we managed to get this far on the case and then I set my trap. I had a decoy letter containing a $20 gold piece mailed from a country town in Connecticut to a prominent stove dealer in Utica. The letter failed to reach the carrier promptly, and I felt we had our man solid at last.

"I waited for him until the dinner hour, and as he was leaving the office accosted him. He came with me, and look as closely as I might I failed to detect any signs of uneasiness in his features; they were perfectly immobile. He walked with me into the office of the postmaster and submitted to a thorough search, but no trace of the letter or $20 gold piece was found on his person.

"To say I was dumfounded is drawing it mildly. He appeared to be very indignant. But whether I was right or wrong at the time, the petty robberies came to a sudden stop. No more complaints were heard for a month. Then they began again. This time I was bound I would not fail, so I set a watch on my man.

"One day when I was about to give up the case in despair, I noticed the fellow tearing up an envelope and dropping it to the floor. When he had gone I picked up the scraps of paper, and after a hard job managed to piece it. I was disheartened when I saw that the envelope had been addressed to himself. I was about to walk away, when a thought struck me.

"I came down the next morning before the young clerk came to work and stationed myself behind a letter rack, free from observation, but in such a position that I could see the fellow's every action. I saw him take several stamped and addressed envelopes from his pocket and walk over to the stamping table and cancel the stamps. During the course of the morning I saw the fellow slip four letters inside of as many envelopes and seal the envelopes. Then I knew my suspicions were correct. I went to the carrier who conveyed the letters to the man's home and secured the four letters addressed to the fellow himself.

"'Have you carried many letters like this?' I asked him.

"'Yes, sir,' the carrier said. 'I carry four or five a day.'

"I then called the fellow into my office and told him we had determined to have the mail of all clerks delivered at the office to lighten the duties of the carriers. I then told him that I had four letters for him, and handed him the missives I had received from the postman. The fellow turned pale and was on the verge of fainting when I asked him to open and read the letters in my presence.

"With trembling hands he did so, and inside the envelopes, directed to himself, I found four valuable letters addressed to a big wholesale house. He broke down and confessed that he had been stealing for about six months, and that during that time he had abstracted nearly $1,500 from business letters He had spent the money.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

A Big House.

The largest building on the globe is said to be the Freihaus, or free house, an apartment house in Vienna. There are 1,500 rooms arranged in 400 dwelling apartments. The house has thirty-one staircases, and 2,112 persons, enough to make a small town, are now living under its one great roof. As may be imagined, it is difficult to find a particular person in this great caravansary, and one visitor testifies to looking for an occupant for more than two hours. The postman sometimes delivers 1,000 pieces of mail matter in a day at this one house.—New York Ledger.

Use of the Tooth Brush.

The use of the tooth brush in connection with powders, washes or other treatment of the teeth should be gentle. Bleeding of the gums is always a danger signal. It shows that the skin has been broken, inviting the absorption into the system of any poisonous or foreign matters which may be present in the mouth. If the gums are very tender, a soft brush should be used, and used very gently, till they have hardened sufficiently to withstand more vigorous treatment.—Herald of Health.

Tucson is one of the oldest as well as largest and best known towns in Arizona. In fact it is so old that there is no record showing when it was first settled. When the first Spanish explorers visited this country, about 1530, they found an old Mexican village there, and it was then said to have been inhabited for centuries.

A trade journal has just published some statistics concerning poultry in France. It states that there are in the country 45,000,000 of hens, which, at an average price of 2 francs 50 centimes per head, represent a value of 112,050,000 francs.

Catarrh in New England.

Ely's Cream Balm gives satisfaction to every one using it for catarrhal troubles.—G. K. Mellor, Druggist, Worcester, Mass.

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A Difference.

Mother—Ella, you have been playing all the afternoon with those toy soldiers. That's not a proper amusement for a big girl like you.

Daughter—But, mamma, I am not playing with the soldiers. I picked out the officers and played with them.—*Texas Siftings.*

If you suffer from catarrh why don't you take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the common sense remedy? It has cured many people.

WHY HE IS BLOOMIN' TOM."

He Waited Long and Wearily for His Girl—Too Long He Found.

He is very old and very grizzled and not a little wrinkled. On casual observation one would not pick him out as the subject of a love story full of blasted hopes, slow music and the accessories of the last scene of a melodrama. His very name seems paradoxical. It is "Bloomin' Tom." The name given by a pretty girl on the spur of the moment still clings to his weatherbeaten hulk, and is the only thing left him that bears any trace of the girlish giver.

It happened this way and quite a while ago: Tommy when quite a young lad came here from the banks of the Thames. He was bred and came very near being born in a boat owned, manned and navigated by his father, a typical Thames waterman. Tommy left behind him a rosy cheeked girl who had promised to come to him as soon as he could send for her. But times were hard, competition strong, and Tommy's little pile did not gain rapidly, and the scrawled, badly spelled letters from the girl he left behind him grew less and less frequent. After three years Tom owned a boat, but he had no money to support a wife, much less to bring one from old England.

One afternoon Tom—then quite a man—was down near the Battery waiting for a chance to make a dollar or two, when an immigrant barge from a big Atlantic liner came to the Castle Garden dock. Listlessly Tom looked at the crowd of embryo Americans. Something familiar about one of the women caught his eye, and as his heart began to thump against his ribs he recognized his "girl from home." Somehow Tom's boat flew to the landing and seemed to make herself fast, while Tom rushed to the gates of the Garden to meet his peri.

Half an hour later she came out, but instead of the affectionate rush Tom expected she turned to a stalwart young fellow next to her and said, "Well, I never; if there h'ain't bloomin' Tom!" And then as a lot of watermen gathered around who knew Tom the girl added, "Tom, me boy, Hi couldn't wait no longer fur ye, so I tied to this man. Good-by, Tommy; yer look bloomin'."

That was all, but it broke Tom's heart and he did not seem to hear his fellow watermen crying "Hello, Bloomin' Tom!" as he walked with his head hanging down back to where he had left his boat. After that Tom saved no more money. Discouragement followed, and today he hangs around the docks picking up pieces of old junk and selling them for what he can get, and he is called "Bloomin' Tom" all along the river, though he is sadly faded now.—New York Telegram.

How to Make Aluminum.

There is probably no other metal the usefulness of which is so extensive as aluminum, and yet its practical utility has been successfully demonstrated only very recently. As a matter of fact, the metal was known long ago; but, although its advantages have been realized, the great cost of its production has always prevented its coming into general use. Electricity has, however, come to the rescue in this, as in so many other departments of industry, and by its agency aluminum is now produced at such a low cost that it bids fair to supersede iron and steel in many instances.

Aluminum exists in nature in the form of an oxide so refractory in its character as to make reduction in any ordinary furnace impossible, and the only means which have been found available for its reduction on a commercial scale is electrolysis. The passage of the electric current has the effect of separating the pure metal from its surrounding impurities, and the economy of the process compared with the methods heretofore employed is remarkable.—New York Telegram.

How High Can Man Live.

Mr. Webber, the traveler, states that in Thibet he has lived for months together at a height of more than 15,000 feet above sea level, and that the result was as follows: His pulse, at the normal heights only 63 beats per minute, seldom fell below 100 beats per minute during the whole time he resided at that level. His respirations were often twice as numerous in the minute as they were in the ordinary levels. A run of 100 yards would quicken both pulse and respiration more than a run of 1,000 yards at sea level, and he found that the higher the level the greater the difficulty of running or walking fast. He crossed the Gurla Mandhata mountain at a height of 20,000 feet, and found that he had the utmost difficulty in getting his breath fast enough. Webber also says that the native guides of the mountains suffered equally as much, if not more, than he.—St. Louis Republic.

Killed While Fighting a Rattler.

A southern exchange narrates how Richard Pugh, colored, met death by a singular mishap. Discovering a big rattlesnake under his bed he seized a big cudgel and attacked the intruder. In the fight Pugh struck a loaded gun in the corner of the room. The gun was knocked down, thereby being discharged, the whole load entering Pugh's body just above the hips. He died within an hour.

An Innocent Amusement.

Husband—What have you been doing all day?

Wife—Shopping.

Husband—Oh! Only shopping. I was afraid you'd been buying.—Good News.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

Formerly the great Arctic or snowy owl was rarely found in Central or Northern New York, but during the present winter the species has been numerously represented and numbers have been killed. This is thought to be due to the fact that rabbits, on which the birds feed, have been uncommonly plenty this season and have attracted them.

The ship of matrimony has a companionway, but there be many husbands and wives who never find it.

Old Fashioned Harvesting.

Harvesting with the rude implements was a scene. Imagine three or four hundred wild Indians in a grain field armed, some with sickles, some with butcher knives, some with pieces of hoop iron roughly fashioned into shapes like sickles, but many having only their hands with which to gather by small handfuls the dry and brittle grain; and, as their hands would soon become sore, they resorted to dry willow sticks, which were split to afford a sharper edge with which to sever the straw. But the wildest part was the threshing. The harvest of weeks, sometimes of a month, was piled up in the straw in the form of a huge mound in the middle of a high, strong, round corral; then three or four hundred wild horses were turned in to thresh it, the Indians whooping to make them run faster.

Suddenly they would dash in before the band at full speed, when the motion became reversed, with the effect of plowing up the trampled straw to the very bottom. In an hour the grain would be thoroughly threshed and the dry straw broken almost into chaff. In this manner I have seen 2,000 bushels of wheat threshed in a single hour. Next came the winnowing, which would often take another month. It could only be done when the wind was blowing, by throwing high into the air shovelfuls of grain, straw and chaff, the lighter materials being wafted to one side, while the grain, comparatively clean, would descend and form a heap by itself. In this manner all the grain in California was cleaned. At that day no such thing as a fanning mill had ever been brought to this coast.—Gen. Bidwell in Century.

Excessively Quiet.

A young woman married and went to live at the country residence of her husband. Her health was not good, and it was decided that she should spend a year in strict retirement. At the end of six months, however, she returned to town, declaring that so quiet a life was more than she could endure.

It appeared that during that time she had had thirty-seven different servants, one of whom was discharged for an attempt to set the house on fire and one for an attempt to rob the plate closet, while half a dozen more were sent away for violent quarrels in their part of the establishment.

Her mother-in-law had been thrown from a carriage at the foot of the lawn and injured fatally; her sister-in-law had come to make a visit and had improved the opportunity to run away with a man whom she had been forbidden to marry.

The time had further been broken in upon by visits from the six bridesmaids of the hostess, who invited them in pairs for two weeks each, and then asked a few men to meet them, lest it should be dull. A gale had blown down an oak so near the house that its branches dashed in the drawing room windows and the stables had been struck by lightning and burned to the ground.

"And such a quiet life," the young lady said, concluding her account, "was too much for me."—Youth's Companion.

The Reason She Was Glad.

A Virginia girl who went to Washington, D. C., recently for a visit tells a story of her old negro "mammy," Aunt Malindy, who accompanied her to town in the capacity of maid. It seems that they went through the Corcoran Art Gallery during their stay, and every step of the way the elderly and provincial colored woman grew more and more scandalized by what she saw. Not one word was said, but by eloquent grunts and sighs her disapproval was manifested, until they entered the hall of sculpture, where her feelings grew too deep for words.

When they faced the Venus of Medici's naked loveliness and viewed the statesque beauty of the Apollo Belvedere, Malindy took on an ashy hue. So thoughtfully was she polishing her silver rimmed spectacles as they left the building her mistress was moved to inquire whether she liked it all. "Yes, 'um," Aunt Malindy responded cheerfully; "liked it well 'nough, only I'se powerful glad dar ain't none er my color in dar."—Illustrated American.

His Duty.

When Chief Justice Chase chose to unbend himself he could be witty as well as wise. At a social gathering at his house when he was secretary of war, the subject of taxation having been mooted, a distinguished naval officer present said he had paid all his taxes except the income tax. "I have a little property," said he, "which brings me in a yearly rental, but the tax gatherers have not spotted it. I do not know whether I ought to let the thing go on that way or not. What would you do if you were in my place, Mr. Chase?" There was a merry twinkle in the eyes of Mr. Chase as he answered: "I think it is the duty of every man to live unspotted as long as he can."—San Francisco Argonant.

Unpleasantly Conspicuous.

One uptown little schoolgirl to another about a third: "I think she's an awful thing. She gets 'meritorious' or 'perfect,' or something every week. I ain't going to play with her after this."—Philadelphia Record.

One Quite Sufficient.

Cholly—Just to think! They have a hundred kinds of soup in France.

Defeated Candidate (drearily)—Ninety-nine too many. One's enough—when you're in it.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Liver Complaint.

Being subject to liver troubles, I have tried many medicines, but have never found an equal to Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. It stimulates the stomach and liver, regulates the bowels, and has proved of such value that I would not be without it.—Mrs. Fred Sheldon, cor. Bridge and Division streets, W. Catskill, N. Y.

A curious phenomenon was recently observed on the sea at Folkestone, Eng. A ship laden with oil sunk in collision and the water was covered with oil. This produced a strange effect on the wild fowl, which are plentiful there. Wild ducks, teal and other birds were easily caught, as they seemed unable to fly on account of their feathers being saturated with oil.

A Florida paper says that alligator meat, properly smoked, resembles halibut so closely that it cannot be told from that fish.

South Carolina and Georgia farmers are said to be in better condition than they have been since the war.

Increasing the Speed of Railroad Trains.

There seems no serious difficulty, on the engineering side, in securing and maintaining a speed of 100 miles an hour, or probably more; but the capitalist is here intimidated. Higher speeds cost money for initial and operative expenses in vastly higher ratio than either increase of speed or the returns to be expected on capital so invested. Our fastest trains do not directly pay, even now, when the wear and tear of engines, cars, roadbed and bridges, to say nothing of flesh and blood, nerves and health, are considered. When the people want higher speeds, and need them so badly as to be able and willing to pay for them, the engineers will construct and the railroads will furnish trains of still higher velocity and still greater safety.—*Professor R. H. Thurston in Forum.*

A California Opera House.

General Vallejo's readiness of apt anecdote was always remarkable. Patti once dined with him, and asked the old soldier if he enjoyed the first opera he ever heard.

"Why, no," said Vallejo; "and yet I confess I shall never forget it."

This reply aroused Patti's curiosity, and she demanded when and where the event took place.

"In 1828, on the site of the Palace Hotel, San Francisco."

"Indeed! And who was the prima donna so long ago as that?"

"Well, I can't say," was the smiling answer; "but there were at least five hundred coyotes in the chorus."—*Century.*

Slighted.

It is hard for us, whether we are old or young, to see our best efforts pass unappreciated: and what older people feel, younger people say.

Little Mary, who is only four years old, had a new hat given to her, of which she felt very proud. On the follwing Sunday she wore it to church, but her pleasure in the event was greatly lessened by the fact that a certain lad, on whom her childish affections were just then set, appeared not to notice her splendid adornment.

Monday morning she saw him going by the house, driving a cow, and at once she clambered upon the fence.

"Oh, Ed," she called, "that was me to church yesterday, with a new hat on."

Half Man, Half Lion.

Old man Aristotle, who is even now regarded with great respect, was a whistler when it came to turning in interesting yarns about animals and men in foreign parts. He says there is a beast in India that has three rows of teeth in each jaw, is as big as a lion, but has ears and a face like a man's. Its eyes are gray and its body is red. It has a tail like a scorpion with a stinger in it. Its voice is like a pipe and a trumpet. It is not less swift of foot than a stag, and is wild and devours men.—*John Ashton in Curious Creatures in Zoology.*

According to the division of class of 1889, the first which has been raised under the new military law in France, the forces of the republic since the first of 1890 have been as follows: The active army and its reserves, 1,510,290; territorial army, 994,615; reserve of territorial army, 1,266,290; officers, 25,000; gendarmes, officers and troop, 27,000. This will give to the French republic, in case of war, 4,000,000 of men. Heretofore the relation of the effective army, according to the number of inhabitants in each nation, has been about 1 per cent in time of peace and 2 per cent in time of war. To-day the per cent. will be five times this at the moment of mobilization. At no period in her history has France had an assemblage of military forces to compare with this.

France is suffering from an overcrowding of the learned professions. The statement is made that 15,000 schoolmistresses, 700 primary schoolmasters and 500 high school instructors are looking in vain for employment. There are 27,000 French physicians, that is about 6000 or 7000 more than there are in Germany, with her 10,000,000 more inhabitants. Two thousand lawyers in Paris cannot make livings in their profession. Civil and mining engineers are so numerous that hundreds of them are seeking eagerly petty positions in mines and factories.

Whist was never more popular in Boston than it is to-day. The ladies have their morning whist parties, and the gentlemen hold their afternoon and evening parties with great regularity. In London they have recently lost Mr. Robert Wheble, the first whist player of the day. Since 1841 he has played whist every day, Sundays excepted, at the Reform Club.

An auxiliary to the Farmer's Alliance has been formed in Southwestern Kansas to prevent farmers from being evicted by loan companies. In two cases it has thus interfered and evicted families were restored to their homes. Persons who buy foreclosed property are bulldozed into abandoning their purchases.

The weather in Paris has been so severe that the flower market was suspended. One florist at Ivry lost a hundred thousand rose bushes, and the total loss to rose growers is estimated at several million of francs.

"You advertise that you are selling wine at original prices, and yet you are charging double what any one else is asking." "That is what there is original about it."

A number of wealthy New York ladies propose to establish a sort of club house which will receive women at all hours of the night and keep them as long as they behave with propriety.

An Italian at Pittsburg, Pa., sold his daughter for $120, and then the young woman fled with another and more desirable suitor.

Strange to say, the actor does not relish the idea that there is always somebody to take his part.

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The watermelon crop in Southwestern Georgia will be larger than last year. In one locality in Thomas county 700 acres will be planted.

Horseshoes of compressed paper have been introduced in the German army. The shoe is made of sheets of parchment paper cemented together.

A bill has been introduced in the Illinois Legislature for the punishment of people who impose upon newspapers untrue statements that are libelous.

A census of the Province of Quebec, compared with the return of 1881, shows a great exodus of population from almost every county in the province.

The long mantles are mostly circular in form, but both they and the paletots depend for the effect on their elaborate trimming, which is a particular feature of this season's productions.

"Ever had your life insured, old fellow?" "No. Companies won't take me. Heart action too feeble. Nobody to insure for, anyhow." "Ain't you married?" "No. Heart action too feeble for that, too."

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

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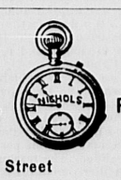

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THE WILD WHITE BULL.

Along the great "staked plains" of northern Texas no cattle-owner was better known than Floyd Denzer. Although he had started with little or nothing his herds had so increased that they were numbered by the thousand head. So, when it was rumored that he would send a big "drive" to the little railway station for shipment, there was considerable excitement.

So occupied were we that we were the last to hear the latest news regarding the coming herd—that there had been a stampede, and that the cattle were scattered, nobody knew where.

But that was not all. In the stampede a white bull, which the owner of the herd intended to ship east to some exhibition, and which had been kept carefully shackled and guarded, had escaped.

Wild with joy at having its liberty, it had charged upon a herder and borne him and his horse to the ground, killing the latter; and, not content with that, had entered an emigrant camp and done much damage, severely injuring a little child.

Denzer, who had preceded the herd, and was in town, was furious.

"How could these herders be so careless?" he fumed. "They should have guarded against such breaks.

"But it was a new country around here for drives," remarked our assistant, or "rounder"—Paul Buxton. "This is the first big drove ever brought here, and the lay of the land isn't right for it."

"I brought 'em here because the regular shipping town on the trail is so crowded, and a fellow can't get his cattle off. And then I was in a hurry to get that big beauty of a bull shipped."

"Will the men get the cattle together?"

"Not for days, and some of 'em never. And I'm in a hurry too. I'd give $100 to have that white bull alive and sound here in town."

Paul said no more to Denzer, but came back to the ticket office, where I was at work.

"Can you let me off this afternoon?" he asked.

"Why?"

"I'm going after the white bull. Of course, it may not do any good," he went on, as he saw the look of surprise on my face, "but the money will help me, and its worth trying for."

I could not induce him to give up his plans, and so allowed him to take a half day's leave of absence.

Paul Buxton had stepped off a westbound train a year before, pale, slight and narrow-chested.

The pure Texas air, the outdoor exercise, the free and easy life, all had combined to make him robust and active.

His duties as a "rounder" had been to assist in "rounding up" and driving into the car-chutes such cattle as were shipped there; hence he was as familiar with the handling of the pony, lariat and cattle-whip as any other eighteen-year-old lad of my acquaintance.

I felt so much interest in his welfare that I concluded to accompany him on his search, there being no one else to do so.

After an early dinner we mounted our ponies, and set out on a swinging gallop toward the main stream of the Cimarron, in which direction the bull had gone.

"He's along the river somewhere," said Paul, eagerly, when we halted on a height to look for our prize.

"Let's go farther up-stream," was my suggestion.

And for half an hour our ponies' hoofs beat a muffled tattoo on the prairie.

Hark! exclaimed Paul. "Hear him bellow!"

There was a deep bass sound floating on the air—just where it came from I could not determine.

We rode to the river bank, and following the stream, which was here quite crooked, found that the banks rose to bluffs, and then to canyon sides, while the sound evidently was nearer, and its source just ahead.

Tying our ponies to a scrubby cotton wood tree, we crept carefully forward, and rounding a turn in the canyon, saw the object of our search.

I did not much blame Denzer for wanting to exhibit the animal. As he stood, knee-deep in the clear, smooth-flowing river, he looked like some fabulous creature dropped from the pages of a classic poem.

Perfectly white, with long-spreading horns curved in beauty-lines, sleek sides, clean-cut legs, and expanded nostrils, he made a handsome picture.

At intervals that roaring, bass sound was sent forth as if to call some army of which he thought himself the leader. His eyes were dilated to their fullest measure, and he seemed gazing intently at a sand-hill owl digging its nest or hole in the side of the bluff.

"You can't never catch him," I whispered to my companion. "Let me shoot."

"No, no," he urged, as I raised my rifle. "Give me a chance."

In a few words he outlined to me his plan for the animal's capture.

"There is a rock island at the other end of the canyon—I saw it from the bluff. I will go around the hill and station myself on the island. You scare the bull, and, as he comes by, I'll lasso him, and then we'll tie him up somewhere."

It seemed feasible and I nodded my head in acceptance of the proposition.

In a twinkling Paul was off, and I was left watching the white bull alone.

The animal stood for awhile in the water, lashing his sides occasionally with a tail, the silken hairs of which made a magnificent brush. As he waded out and began feeding on the bank I noticed that they swept the ground for twelve inches or more.

Whether his nostrils told him of my presence, or whether the unwonted excitement of the day had made him suspicious, for some reason the bull raised his head at short intervals, and took a look around with his wild, piercing eyes.

The same action was repeated with more intensity, when a sharp whistle that I knew to be Paul's signal pierced the air.

In answer I stepped out from my cover and in a moment occupied a position almost in the middle of the canyon, the river having its bed at one side, near the opposite bluff.

Imperiously the animal fixed his eyes upon me, and pawed the turf with one white-hoofed foot, like a startled sheep or deer.

I advanced toward him, not sure whether he would retreat or come at me.

Finally he did the former, though with many nervous turnings and angry dashes, and we had gone perhaps forty rods before I saw Paul.

The bull was well in advance of me, and saw his other foe at the same instant.

Paul was standing upon a jagged table-rock, about six by eight feet, lariation hand, and blouse and cowboy hat fluttering in the breeze.

The bull hesitated for a moment, not certain which was his safer course—to charge on me, who was on land, or to attempt to pass Paul, who was separated from him by water.

The latter was chosen, and, with another impatient stamp of his forefoot he pranced rather than trotted forward.

As he neared a point opposite Paul's station I saw the gleaming coils of the rawhide lariat swing in three quickening circles about the boy's head, and then the long loop sail away over the waters toward the bank.

The bull was there at the same time, and so well had the throw been calculated that the rope settled down directly over those spreading horns, and tightened with a snap that I heard distinctly, though many rods away.

Paul had prepared for the tightening of the lariat, and fastened the other end to a large stone.

He supposed the bull would, animal-like, stand still and tug at his bonds, never dreaming of loosening them by going forward.

It was an unsuccessful theory.

No sooner did the maddened creature realize that he was held by a rope from the rock island then he rushed into the stream and splashed vigorously toward it.

Paul was too much astonished by this action to decamp, and, indeed, as the water was very deep on the other side, there was little for him to do but hold his ground.

In a moment, and before I, who was yet some distance away, could realize what had taken place, the bull was upon the island and preparing to impale his adversary.

It was not a promising situation.

Paul had no weapons, and the furious eyes of the savage beast were not reassuring.

With a roar the bull bounded forward, his feet sliping a little upon the wet rock.

His uncertain footing gave Paul some advantage, and nerving himself for the ordeal he waited until the animal was almost upon him, when he seized, with all the force his muscles could exert, the shining, tapering horns, which were his antagonist's chief weapons of attack.

The bull pressed forward, and Paul, slipping, fell upon the rock, the two horns forming an arch over his body, as he held their points to the ground.

Bellowing with anger, the bull jerked back and Paul was on his feet.

Again a charge, and again the long-spreading horns struck the rock and kept the hard skull from injuring the lighter and more agile form.

Retreat the bull could not without tumbling into the water; to advance was equally out of the question on that slippery rock; but for the inequality of strength and endurance the youth was master of the situation.

I reached the opposite bank and raised my rifle to shoot, when I remembered that it would be a miracle if I succeeded in killing the bull instantly; and if he was wounded his wrath and strength would be doubled, and Paul would certainly be killed.

With a splash I was through the shallow stream, and stood beside the duelists, if so they might be called.

Like a flash, then, came to my mind an old trick that we boys used to practise with unruly cattle when it was necessary to brand them or saw off their horns.

Loosening the lariat from the stone to which it had been tied, I whirled it around the bull's hind legs, and drew upon the end.

His head, which was pinning poor Paul to the rock, was switched sideways, and, the feet being at the same time pulled from beneath him, the animal fell upon his side.

Paul leaped to his feet, and, still holding the horns, bore them to the surface of the rock, when we had our prize at our mercy.

We then wended our way homeward, arriving after nightfall.

Next morning we turned him over to Denzer.

He handed Paul two $50 bills, and offered him a position as manager of the bull on his way to the live-stock show, to take him there and see that he was placed properly on exhibition.

The offer was accepted, and after an absence of two months, during which Paul made many acquaintances among the stock dealers of the city, the young man was made the great rancher's eastern representative, selling all his cattle for him in the city markets.

The start thus obtained was improved, until, while not among the wealthiest or the most notable dealers of the lake city he became one of the most successful and prosperous, and he has often related how the whole current of his life was changed by his encounter with a wild Texas Bull.—*Weekly.*

Failures In Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and in health. A weak heart is often an unsuspected cause of failure in life. If the blood does not circulate properly in the lungs, there is shortness of breath, asthma, etc.; in the brain, dizziness, headache, etc.; in the stomach, wind, pain, indigestion, faint spells, etc.; in the liver, torpidity, congestion, etc. Paine in the left side, shoulder and stomach is caused by heart strain. For all these maladies Dr. Miles' New Cure for the heart and lungs is the best remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

An Episcopal clergyman of Chicago is reported to have been helped out of a bad break the other day by the quick wit of his wife. On the day in question he saw a lady about to call whom he was anxious not to meet. So he said to his wife: "Now I'm off, my dear. I'll run up stairs and escape till she goes away." After about an hour he quietly tiptoed to the stair landing and listened. All was quiet below. Reassured, he began to descend, and while doing so he thoughtlessly but emphatically called out over the baluster: "Well, my dear, has that old bore gone at last?" The next instant a voice from below caused the cold perspiration to bedew his ministerial brow and rooted him to the spot. There came a response which sounded inexpressibly sweet to him just then. It was the voice of his wife, who with womanly tact replied: "Yes, darling, she went away over an hour ago; but here is our good friend Mrs. Blank, whom I am sure you want to meet."

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Some of our Kentucky mountaineers are as polite as can be. A few days ago one of them made a mistake and shot the wrong man, and immediately on discovering his mistake he apologized to the dead man as to wit: "Beg pardon, sir. I thought you was another fellow."

Woman's Column.

Women's Political Superiors.

Like the poor, the political superiors of women are always with us. But they make themselves more conspicuous at some times than at others. Just now they are particularly visible in Nebraska, where three men are claiming the right to be governor, and the militia, with stacked arms, are waiting in the State House to prevent bloodshed. New York has seven senators contending (under the never-to-be-forgotten ceiling) as to which of them has the right to be senator, while the men in the Legislature of New Hampshire have been by the ears for some time past. In Connecticut, two sets of State officers are claiming to be elected, and there is a deadlock in the General Assembly. In Colorado, two candidates claim the speakership, and the followers of both have appealed to arms. An officer has just been shot dead in the Assembly chamber while trying to keep order, and the capitol is surrounded by a cordon of police. In several other State Legislatures, the members are making an exhibition of themselves. But nevertheless, women are still permitted to look up to them.

LUCY STONE.

London possesses one lady stock-broker, one lady landscape gardener, and two lady dentists.

In his inaugural, Gov. Tillman of South Carolina made a strong plea for an industrial and normal school for girls.

Mrs. Mary Hartwell Catherwood has accepted an editorial position on the Chicago *Graphic*, and will henceforth reside in that city.

The admission of women to the medical examinations at Oxford University, England, has been defeated by only four votes. This narrow majority is regarded by the progressive party as an assurance of speedy success in the future.

Miss Alice Longfellow, daughter of the poet, is a fine amateur photographer, and has made a speciality of storm pictures taken along the Massachusetts coast. They will be used to illustrate a new book of sea songs soon to be issued.

An organization of women in Middletown, N. Y., known as the Hospital Association, is trying to found a General Hospital. They aim to open the hospital free of debt, and as soon as possible to establish a training-school for nurses.

We ask for suffrage that we may stand side by side with our fathers, husbands, brothers and sons, working with them in purity and truth for a noble political life for the country's weal. Not for man's place do we ask, but for the fulness of woman's.—*Mrs. Jean Brooks Greenleaf.*

Mrs. Lorraine J. Pitkin, of Chicago, whose husband was Capt. Pitkin, of the volunteer service in the late war, has just been elected postmistress of the Illinois Senate. This is an endorsement of the good service which she rendered in the same capacity to the last General Assembly and during the special session last summer.

A party of fifty young Englishwomen will start at once for Western Australia, under the auspices of the British Women's Emigration Association. The colony is as large as France, the climate healthy, and the colonists prosperous; but there is such a lack of women that the Government has taken pity on the housekeepers who can get no help and the bachelors who can find no wives, and the passages of the women emigrants are to be paid.

Mrs. Drake, the wife of a Congregational minister in Iroquois, S. D., has been ordained to preach the gospel by the largest council of Congregational ministers ever assembled in the State. There was only one negative vote. Mrs. H. M. Barker writes: "Mrs. Drake has for six years assisted her husband, who has the oversight of five churches, preaching with as much ability and acceptance as he; and it is a credit to the intelligence of the large number of Congregational ministers, including the presidents of Redfield and Yankton Colleges, that they had the courage to sanction the work that the Lord has so greatly blessed. The world does move."

The baby has its preference as well as anybody, and the taste of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup renders it acceptable to every infant. Price 25 cts.

It is a mean thing to be suffering from catarrh, still many people go on torturing themselves, when they might find almost instant relief by using Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

Aleck Vonein of Napa City, Cal., who went abroad some months ago with plenty of money and letters of introduction to prominent merchants, was attacked in the streets of Genoa one night and robbed of all his money and valuables. Suddenly reduced to absolute penury, after futile endeavors to recover his property, he tramped to Nice, begging on the way. None would give him money, and but few listened to his appeals for food. When he arrived at Nice he was seized by the police and thrown into jail as a vagrant, and after serving out his sentence started for Marseills. There he called on the American Consul, who placed him aboard a steamer for New York as steerage passenger, and he arrived here on Friday. Collector Erhardt will send him home.

When the average man says frankly, "I can't afford it," you will usually find on investigation that it is something his wife wants instead of something that he wants himself.

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386 Prizes to be Given Away by the Canadian Agriculturist—A Splendid Prize List.

The third great Word Competition for the "Canadian Agriculturist and Home Magazine," Canada's great and popular Home and Farm Journal, will close on the 25th of February next. The following magnificent prizes will be given free to the persons sending in the greatest number of words made up out of the letters contained in the two words, "The Agriculturist:"

1st	Prize,	$1,000 in Gold
2nd	"	$500 in Gold
3rd	"	$1,000 Grand Piano
4th	"	$500 Piano
5th	"	$300 Organ
6th	"	Ticket to England and return.
7th	"	Lady's Gold Watch
8th	"	Gent's Gold Watch
9th	"	China Tea Set
10th	"	Hunting Case Silver Watch
11th	"	Boy's Silver Watch

25 prizes of $10 each. 50 prizes of $5 each. 100 prizes of $2 each. 200 prizes of $1 each.

Making a total of 386 prizes, the value of which will aggregate $5,000. This Grand Word-Making Competition is open to everybody, everywhere, subject to the following conditions: The words must be constructed from the two words, "The Agriculturist." The words must be written in ink on one side of the paper only, and numbered in rotation, 1, 2, 3 and so on to the end of the list, for facilitating in deciding the winners. The list containing the largest number of words will be awarded first prize, and so on in the order of merit. Each list as it is received at the office of the "Canadian Agriculturist" will be numbered, and if two or more tie on the largest list, the first received will be awarded the first prize, the next second and so on. Therefore the benefit of sending in early will readily be seen. Each list must be accompanied by $1 for six month's subscription to the "Canadian Agriculturist." One person can send in one or more lists, accompanying each list with $1, for which the paper will be sent to any address for six months. The best family paper in Canada. It is eminently THE paper for the home circle, and at $2 a year is the cheapest and best paper in the market. Remember, you are paying $1 for six month's subscription to one of the best home papers in Canada, and at the same time run a good chance of winning a valuable prize.

The following gentlemen have consented to act as judges, and their decisions will be final: COMMODORE CALCUTT, Proprietor Calcutt's Line of Steamers, Peterborough; A. V. R. Young, United States Consul, Peterborough; D. O. Frye, General Manager Ontario Telephone Company.

The object of the publisher of the "Canadian Agriculturist" in giving away these amounts in cash, is to extend the circulation of the paper, and a number of agents are required in every locality, to whom liberal pay will be offered. Send three cent stamp for full particulars as to clubbing rates, etc. Address, THE CANADIAN AGRICULTURIST, Peterborough, Ont.

See What

The well known manager of excursions to Washington, California, and the White Mountains, I. A. Whitcomb, says: I have never had anything do me so much good as your Sulphur Bitters. It is the best spring medicine I ever used. I would advise all who suffer from biliousness and dyspepsia to use Sulphur Bitters, for I know they cured me.

The Atlanta Contitution thinks Ellaville, Schley county, deserves to rank as the model town of Georgia. It says: "There is not a young man in Ellaville who gets drunk. There is not a young lady in the place who dips snuff or indulges in other bad habits. There is not a family in the place who lives by buying on credit and beating the merchant out of his bill. There is not a bar-room in the place; not a pool or billiard room; not a gambling house; not disreputable house of any kind; not a leafer; not a gambler; not a professional thief; not a bully; not a beggar."

A Bird Sixteen feet High.

In the museum of Christ Church, New Zealand, there is on exhibition the remarkable skeleton of a bird known as the moa, which was indigenous to that country, but is believed to have been extinct for 2000 years. Even the traditions of the natives fail to give us any account of this gigantic bird while it lived, though their own tribal existence is traced back for hundreds of years. The head of the skeleton stands sixteen feet high from the ground, and its various proportions are such as to harmonize with the extraordinary height. This bird must have been six feet taller when standing erect than the average camelopard. Its bones are still found in various parts of the country, and especially in caves where they have been protected from the distintegrating forces of the weather.

The moa skeleton at Christ Church forms the greatest ornithological wonder in the world. What Niagara is to ordinary waterfalls, the moa was to the bird tribe. It belonged to the Totans who dwelt upon the earth perhaps in the days of the mastodon and the dodo. The extravagances of Baron Munchausen and Jules Verne can hardly exceed the fact of the moa's existence. It was a long time before incredulous naturalists could be induced to admit of the existence of such a bird upon the earth at any period, but the writer has seen and measured this skeleton in the museum of the thriving New Zealand city referred to, while scientists have lately made voyages from Europe solely to examine and report upon this marvelous object, which so vividly recalls prehistoric times.—*Courier-Journal.*

Personal Liberty vs. Physical

The Woburn Journal

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

JUDGE JOHNSON.

The appointment of Hon. Edward F. Johnson to the Bench of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex meets with the warm and general approval not only of the citizens of Woburn but also that of the other towns which comprise the District. A more popular act could hardly have been done by Governor Russell, for Mr. Johnson is well and favorably known by the people who will practice in his Court, and is generally regarded as most excellent gentleman to make a firstclass Judge of.

In the words of the statute qualification for candidates for the Bench, Mr. Johnson is a man "of sobriety of manners and learned in the law," which characteristics are accompanied with sound practical sense, impartial judgment, and a disposition to treat everyone well.

Governor Russell's act will command the hearty sanction of the leading Republicans of the Fourth District, and will greatly strengthen him with that portion of the Democratic party whose approval, from their standing and influence, is worth having.

We sincerely congratulate Mr. Johnson on his promotion to the Bench. That he will make a Judge that the District will be proud of admits of no doubt.

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS.

Last Monday Mr. Fernald of Middlesex county, member of the Senate Committee on Constitutional Amendments, reported to the Senate a resolve and article of amendment in favor of biennial elections in this State. Thus at last the ice is broken and a movement made in the right direction.

The measure will doubtless meet with more opposition in the House than it will be likely to in the Senate for of late years that branch of the Legislature which has had the reputation of being the slowest and most conservative has taken the lead in law-making reforms and gone ahead of the House in carrying out the wishes of the people. Somehow the House is more susceptible to the deleterious influences of their Boston surroundings than the Senate, and so it has come to pass that it is safer to appeal to the latter branch for remedies for public evils than to the former.

But in this matter of biennial elections a good beginning has been made, and it is earnestly to be hoped that the resolutions for a constitutional amendment will go through without a halt.

THE POLL TAX AMENDMENT.

The Committee on Constitutional Amendments early this week reported a resolve in favor of submitting to the people an amendment of our State constitution to abolish the payment of a poll tax as a condition to the exercise of the right to vote. Whatever may be thought of the question, the voters of the Commonwealth ought to be allowed the privilege of expressing their opinion on it at the ballot-box, and therefore the resolve should be given a free and speedy passage through bothbranches.

☞ One of the happiest speeches that has for a long time been made in the House of Representatives was that of Congressman Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts on January 13. It seems that George Cabot, President of the famous (or *in*famous, as most men in modern days persist in regarding it) "Hartford Convention," was the great grandfather of Congressman Lodge, and his speech was a reply to insinuations of some Southern Democratic fire-eaters respecting that convention and the connection of one of Mr. Lodge's ancestors with it. It was not only a neat speech but it cut like a two-edged sword.

☞ The Milford *Journal* virtually "stands corrected" on the Postmaster Reade matter. We would not insinuate that our Esteemed Contemporary has crawfished but he would probably confess if enquired of that the light shed abroad in his mind from the columns of the WOBURN JOURNAL concerning Mr. Reade, the Woburn postoffice, and the Republicans of this city, operated somewhat in the nature of an eye-opener, hence his change of base on the question and the awakening of a desire on his part to do Mr. Reade justice.

☞ The Supreme Judicial Court of this Commonwealth are inclined to put on style. We saw it stated somewhere a few days ago that they had issued an order making it obligatory on the executive officers in attendance to wear a Court uniform—at least the order said, Deputy Sheriffs in attendance must sport them. A very good idea.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Stetson.
O. U. A. M.—Fair.
S. Whitney—Old Chairs.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
W. S. McGregor—Florist.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
R. B. P. Co.—Royal Baking Powder.

— Read "Old Chairs" in this paper.

— The Firemen's annual ball yielded about $150 net.

— There is to be a mission at St. Charles (R. C.) church, to begin next Sunday.

— Mr. Thomas H. Hill of Alabama is, or has recently been, here visiting his family.

— Real estate dealer Gregory has something worth reading in the JOURNAL this week.

— The next meeting of the Friday Night Club will be held on Feb. 20. It will be a "Social."

— The pews having arrived for the new M. E. Church the dedication will take place February 23.

— Mrs. Packard makes a rich display of millinery goods in her windows and glass cases at 419 Main street.

— A large leather factory is about to be built on Eastern Avenue by Mr. Theodore Boutelle, the manufacturer.

— Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gregory will please accept the hearty congratulations of the JOURNAL. Wednesday: bouncing boy.

— It was about as sloppy and disagreeable getting around last Tuesday after the storm cleared off as it well could be.

— Day before yesterday was Ash Wednesday, the begining of Lent, which comes one week earlier this year than last.

— Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, City Editor of the *City Press*, has been under the weather this week, but is better now.

— The pupils of the Cummings school, thanks to the kindness of their teachers, had a splendid sleighride last Tuesday evening.

— To-morrow is St. Valentine's Day. Also Cupid's day which he devotes to hearts and darts and things. Prior has Valentines by the acre.

— Mrs. Mary Shaw and her son, J. Warner Shaw, left here last Friday for a six weeks tour in the South and California with the Pennsylvania Railroad Excursion.

— S. B. Goddard, insurance, has moved his Boston office, which he occupies every forenoon, from 30 Congress to 93 Water street. Woburn patrons will please take notice.

— Mrs. Frances Heckbert, an estimable lady, the wife of Mr. John Heckbert, died in this city last Sunday of typhoid fever. Her loss will be deeply felt by many relatives and friends.

— A sunlight assembly will be given in Armory Hall, Stoneham, on the afternoon of Feb. 23, under an able and liberal management. The best of music will be furnished. Dancing from 2 to 6, P. M.

— At Brown's Observatory near the railroad crossing on Church Avenue, a well regulated and entirely reliable thermometer showed the state of the temperature to be at 6 A. M., just 20 degrees above zero.

— Mr. Amos Cummings has a change in his business announcement this week. He is beginning to test the public pulse on home business, and the JOURNAL's idea is that he intends to "boom" things this spring.

— Hon. Edward D. Hayden and Edward F. Johnson are the only two Woburn gentlemen who belong to the Republican Club of Massachusetts. The latter is Vice President for the Fifth Congressional District.

— Mr. Levi W. Cooper has filed a claim against the city for just the amount he paid out for medical services and supplies on account of breaking his arm by a fall on a slippery sidewalk. His demand is a modest one.

— The Universalist services at Concert Hall at 2.30 P. M. next Sunday will be conducted by Rev. W. A. Start. If the day is pleasant he hopes to meet all Universalists in the city who are interested in this new society.

— Prof. Churchill of Andover is probably to read in Woburn early in March. People must watch for the date of his coming and secure their tickets early as the number will necessarily be limited. "A Word to the Wise is Sufficient."

— The following programme of music has been arranged by Organist Clarke for next Sunday morning, Feb. 15, at the Congregational Church:

Organ Prelude. "Allegretto in C." Neils W. Gade
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite in B flat."
Choir Anthem. "This is the day." Rev. J. Sewell
Organ Postlude. "Postludium in F." Gade

— The assembly given at Lyceum Hall, Woburn, under the auspices of Shawsheen Tribe 49, I. O. R. Men, proved a success financially and socially. Among the familiar faces noticed were those of Asst.-Station Agent Hayes and lady of this town.—*Winchester Star.*

— Mr. W. S. McGregor of the Dow greenhouses is one of the best and most successful florists in this city. He raises splendid flowers of all kinds and in getting up decorations, memorial pieces, etc., there is no one that surpasses him. Read his card in this paper.

— The Lounge has been in all ages and for all nations the piece of furniture which represents REST. An interesting collection of Lounges of all styles and all nations can be seen at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston. You can purchase one there for very little money.

— The police undertook to raid a certain club in this city last Saturday night where it was suspected that gambling was going on in high feather. The officers were unable to gain admittance so securely had the inmates of the rooms fortified them and an unsuccessful raid had to be reported.

— S. C. Small & Co., furniture makers of Winchester and Boston, are making the pulpit furniture for the new M. E. Church in this city and also fitting up the Mechanics Hall in the old church for a Lodge room. The furniture will cost in the vicinity of $1,000 and will include one of the handsomest outfits ever made by this house.

— Their advertisement in another column sets forth the time, nature, duration and other particulars of the Grand Fair to be held by the O. U. A. M. commencing on next Tuesday, to last 4 days, and end on Saturday evening, Feb. 21. Preparations are all completed for having the biggest thing of the kind ever held in Woburn. Read the notice.

— The ball given by True Blue Lodge, No. 119, L. O. L., in Music Hall, last Friday evening, was a fine affair. Gowin's celebrated Orchestra furnished music which was prime: William G. Graham had charge of the floor, J. H. Newman was Assistant, and J. R. Graham, John Given, R. H. Perry, George Stanley were Aids, and James Graham, Henry Barrett, George Erwin and William Hammond Reception Committee.

— Mr. Call, whose home is at No. Woburn, has set up a job printing office in Mechanic Building and is ready for business. He is a thorough book and job printer and will no doubt make a success of it. For six years past he has been with the New England Organ Company and will continue to do their printing here, and also that of the New England News Company.

— Thomas, the Singer sewing machine agent here is, we think, a young man who can be trusted. He is a member of the Cambridge Y. M. C. A., of which our esteemed townsman Mr. Whitford is General Secretary, and if he succeeds in establishing a business in this city he will join the Woburn Y. M. C. A. Nothing could tell more favorably for him than that.

— Last Friday night Quealy Court, No. 32, Mass. Cath. O. of F., held their 10th anniversary celebration, which was attended by a very large party of ladies and gentlemen. Addresses were made by Chief Ranger James Dolan, Trustee Lawrence Reade and John C. Meehan. Supper was served, after which there was dancing and singing. Calnan's orchestra supplied the instrumental music.

— Thomas P. Hill, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hill who died on Monday at the age of 18 and was buried on Wednesday, was a very bright and intelligent lad, a fine scholar, an affectionate son, and one well liked by his school and every-day associates. When taken ill he was, we believe, a student at the Boston College. His father was summoned from Tennessee where he is engaged in business, and where he will take his family on returning next week. This community deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Hill in their sad bereavement.

— Miss Emma Fosdick, the popular teacher of the guitar and banjo, will give a concert on the evening of March 19 in this city, the particulars of which to be given in due season. Besides a chorus of 20 banjos and guitars, duetts, solos and quartets on the same instruments, composed of Miss Fosdick's pupils, such other musical and literary talent has been engaged as will make the entertainment one of the best and most enjoyable ever given in this city. A reader has been secured from Colby University, Waterville, Maine; a popular soprano singer from Medford; a well known Boston violinist; and other firstclass talent. In the course of 2 or 3 weeks a regular announcement of the concert will be made.

— Tanners and Curriers Assemblies 2956 and 325, Knights of Labor gave their 6th annual ball in Lyceum Hall on last Friday evening. It was a very gay and vestive affair and one of the largest ever given by the Knights of Woburn. The music was very fine, jewels and rich dresses were numerous, and gaiety ruled supreme. About 175 couples were in the grand march, which was led by Floor Director Dennis J. Sullivan, who was accompanied by Miss Mary Ellen Greany, who was dressed in white. Charles J. Billinsly was first, and Dennis D. Begley, second assistant. Among the city officials present were Mayor Bean, Alderman Walsh, Park Commissioner Joseph F. DeLoriea, Clerk Lounsbury, Auditor Preston and City Solicitor Curran.

— It is not generally known, but true nevertheless, that the North Woburn Street Railroad, after coming into its present hands, paid from 3 to 6 per cent annual dividends up to the time of its extension to Medford, when it ceased to pay. If the road ran only from North Woburn to Winchester, 4 1-2 miles, it would be yielding on a 5-cent fare a handsome per cent to the stockholders to-day—not less than 6 per cent per annum free and clear from all incumberances—and within a year or two, even with the Medford load of dead wood to carry, it will develop into a good dividend paying route. We have these facts from a stockholder whose word is unimpeachable. If the North Woburn Street Railway can pay a 6 per cent annual dividend on a 5-cent fare, the distance run being 4 1-2 miles, the motive power being horseflesh, why could not the Boston & Maine corporation, or an elevated road company, just coin money on a 10-cent fare between Woburn and Boston? They could.

— It would be hard to find two happier men than Supt. J. E. Sewell of the No. Woburn St. R. Co., and Mr. Rufus Poole (both of No. Woburn) were last Saturday evening when they drove up in front of Tabor's fish market and proudly displayed their afternoon's catch of pickerel in Horn Pond. It was very evident that this pair of estimable gentlemen were very vain of their piscatorial abilities and unprecedented good fortune. Not so much of the good fortune perhaps as for the other thing for they claimed that instead of that it was pure science and dexterity in handling the bait to which their handsome catch was due. They were more particularly elated because a week or two before there had been uncomplimentary whisperings in the community at N. W. about the luck of certain respectable people who went on a fishing excursion to New Hampshire not long ago. But they certainly had great luck Saturday, and had reason to feel elated. Their string consisted of 13 of as handsome specimens of "the finny tribe" as ever swam. One bouncing pickerel weighed 5 1 2 pounds plus and no picture was ever prettier to gaze upon. Others were nearly as large and quite as captivating to the eye of your true-born fisherman. Messrs. Sewell and Poole indulged in no "fish stories." They were happy but modest. Hardly anyone doubted that they caught the fish although several parties were fishing for revenue on the pond at the same time

— The famous Western Massachusetts weather prophet predicted that the heaviest snow storm of the season in Eastern Massachusetts and along the northern Atlantic coast would take place between Feb. 5 and 8, 1891, which prophecy was published in the JOURNAL last fall. Now as to the verification of it: on last Saturday evening, Feb. 7, a snow storm set in which bore all the car-marks of becoming one of the old-fashioned kind—another just such a storm as all of us have heard our grandparents talk (and some graceless people say, lie) and brag about, and the result came pretty well up to the manifesto, for the storm was a good one—that is to say, it was a good one for a storm—lasting all Saturday night and through Sunday. The output of "beautiful" on a level was about 8 inches—light, feathery and, for sleighing, unsatisfactory stuff, but enough to make pedestrianism unpleasant and to give people, non-religiously inclined, an excuse for staying away from church. Supt. Sewell of the North Woburn St. R. Co., and his men, also Supt. Wentworth of the East Middlesex Co. and all the employees he could muster, worked their snow-plows nearly all of Saturday night and until late Sunday and thus managed, by tough pulling, to keep the tracks free from snow and the machinery on the move from first to last. Street Supt. Jones had men ploughing out the sidewalks as early as 7 o'clock on Sunday morning and the streets were kept in the best of order all day. It was pretty big fall of snow, but there was little or no wind to pile it into drifts, the weather was very mild, and things were not so disagreeable as they might have been.

— William Winn, Esq., one of the oldest men in Woburn and one of the most highly esteemed, brought to the JOURNAL office last week an account-book which belonged to and contained the charges of Jonathan Bowers against the customers of his tavern in Billerica from 1797 to 1819, which is something of a curiosity. The old book, which was given to Mr. Winn by his father many years ago, is in excellent condition, the leather covers showing but few signs of extreme age; the leaves, which are of thick, rough paper, are firm, strong, and unruled, except longitudinally in red to mark the places for the dollars and fractions thereof. It is a good, substantial piece of book-making mechanically and every page attests to the good care that has been taken of it by Mr. William Winn and its owners before him. A very large share of the charges made by landlord Bowers in this ancient ledger are "flip" and "tode" bought by the traveling public, the townsfolk, and especially by the "selectmen of Billerica," who, it seems, had a strong propensity for this tipple all through his tavern-keeping days. It is nearly all charged in "mugs" and "half mugs" whether it be "flip" or "tode", and the price was 10 cents a "mug" for the former, and 25 cents a "mug" for the latter. There occurs now and then on the pages of charges one for "punch" or for "rum", and here and there is an item for pork, corn, "entertainment for man and beast" etc. to be found. But it is perfectly surprising to see how numerous the charges for intoxicating drinks are, and especially to note the strength of the "Selectmen of Billerica's" appetite for "tode." Mr. Winn says he was, when a lad, many times a guest of Mr. Bowers's tavern with his father, and that it was a famous place with the traveling public at the time of his birth in 1808. The old book is worth taking pains to examine.

The Spot for A Hospital.

There has been considerable talk of late respecting the founding of a hospital in this city and no small degree of interest has been engendered by the discussion. The weight of opinion appears to be largely in favor of the plan and also for action on it at an early day.

In view of the strong probability of opening a hospital here in the near future, perhaps the JOURNAL will be pardoned for suggesting a site for it in advance of others. Looking the matter all over, and after consulting with some prominent gentlemen of the city, the JOURNAL has settled, by a large majority, in favor of the homestead of Mrs. Susan T. Converse on Sherman Place, on the eastern outskirt of Woburn Centre. The place contains about 12 acres—none too much—and can be bought, so report says, at a fair price. The buildings might easily be remodelled for hospital purposes and make good ones.

The location is one of the most elevated and beautiful, and commands the widest and most varied views, of any spot in the city. Reading, Stoneham, No. Woburn are seen from the windows of Mrs. Converse's residence, and the finest glimpses of the Centre are gathered from the grounds around the buildings.

A street might be extended from the present terminus of the one running from Montvale Ave. nearly to the home of Mrs. Converse, to Salem St., near Mr. O. F. Bryant's, thus giving patients for the hospital the benefit of the street cars in going to it.

In every respect the site is an admirable one for hospital purposes. We shall have more to say about it by and bye.

Concert.

A very delightful concert was given Wednesday evening, Feb. 11, at the Congregational Church, Waverly, Mass., under the management of the Schumann Quartette of Woburn assisted by the following artists also of Woburn: Prof. Orville T. Curtis, Reader; Mr. John E. Brauer, Clarionetist; Miss Nellie Platts, Piano Accompanist; and Prof. Heffermann of Boston, Guitar Accompanist. The audience was composed of some of the best citizens of Belmont, Watertown and Waverly, filling the auditorium to overflowing. The appreciative people showed a wise discrimination in their applause, some of the choicest selections being encored. Among the encores were, Quartette, "A Donkey Cart" by Buck; Clarinet solo, "Comin' Thro' the Rye," by Thornton; and Recitation, "From the Sublime to the Ridiculous."

The Schumann Quartette as an organization is but in its infancy, yet its prospects are bright, and we believe that in the near future it will prove to be a source of honor to our city, and of delight to the public in general.—C.

A Change.

We are compelled to make a change in our course of entertainments. The disappointment is owing to our pews not coming. The lecture by Chaplain George A. Crawford of Boston will be given on Friday, Feb. 20, 1891. Subject: "China."

The musical entertainment given by Mr. F. H. Lewis on Feb. 26, 1890.

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Last Wednesday Governor Russell appointed Hon. Edward F. Johnson of this city Judge of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex as the successor of Judge P. L. Converse, who had held the position during the existence of the Court, which was first opened on July 3, 1882. Under the circumstances the resignation in favor of Mr. Johnson of Judge Converse was a very graceful act, for which the District has cause to extend to him hearty thanks. Judge Converse has always wanted Mr. Johnson for his successor in consideration of which the present arrangement was brought about. Its particulars need not be stated.

JUDGE EDWARD F. JOHNSON.

In the appointment of Mr. Johnson Governor Russell did the very best thing possible. It meets the cordial approbation of the people of the Fourth District, and in an especial manner are the Republicans, although it was the work of the Democrats, highly pleased.

There was no opposition to the appointment from any source—Republicans and Democrats alike giving it their hearty approval.

The business was easily and quickly done, and in this wisdom was displayed. The whole Democratic party in the District, and all the Democratic organizations, the leading Democrats, all united in support of the appointment of Mr. Johnson, and the thing went through with a rush.

The JOURNAL need not state its personal gratification over the appointment of Mr. Johnson to a seat on the Bench. That the choice is the very best that could possibly have been made no one doubts. We can congratulate Woburn's first Mayor on his good fortune, and equally are the people of the Fourth District to be congratulated on Gov. Russell's admirable choice of a successor to Judge Converse.

STRONG INDORSEMENT.

Hon. Edward F. Johnson, ex-Mayor of Woburn, was nominated by Gov. Russell last Wednesday for Judge of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, vice Judge Converse, resigned, was born in Woburn, Oct. 22, 1856. He is descended from the famous Capt. Edward Johnson, who was chairman of the first Board of Selectmen of Woburn. With the exception of Capt. Edward and his son, all of Judge Johnson's ancestors were born, lived and died in Woburn. Mr. Johnson attended the public schools of Woburn, graduating from the High school in 1874. He was graduated from Harvard in 1878, and spent nearly a year travelling in Europe. Entering Harvard Law School in 1879, he was graduated in 1882, having been admitted to the Suffolk bar a year previously. In 1882 he was appointed Clerk of the Fourth District Court, which position he held six years. In 1887 he was elected Town Treasurer and was re-elected to the same position in 1888.

Woburn held its first Municipal election under a city form of government in December, 1888, and Mr. Johnson was elected its first Mayor by a majority of 597 over the regular Democratic candidate. This is remarkable because of the fact that Woburn is, and has been for years, Democratic. Mr. Johnson received the nomination of both parties for Mayor in 1889, and was elected practically without any opposition. The Democratic indorsements secured by Mr. Johnson for the judgeship were the strongest that could possibly be presented to the Governor. On his petition were 18 members of the Democratic City Committee, all the members of the Democratic Town Committees of Winchester and Stoneham, which towns are within the jurisdiction of this court; seven Democratic ex-members of the Legislature from Woburn, the present members, and the Democratic Aldermen of 1889, 1890 and 1891. In addition to the above he received the indorsement of Samuel W. Mendum, President of the Woburn Tariff Reform Club and Secretary of the Question Club of Massachusetts, and the Democratic City Solicitor, City Physician, Clerk of the Assessors, Tax Collector and City Clerk.

On his petition, also, were the Democratic nominees for Mayor in 1889 and 1890. As a fitting testimonial to his great popularity among the laboring men, came the indorsement of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Leather Workers' National Trades Assembly, No. 240, and the Master-workman of the Tanners' and Curriers' Assembly, K. of L., of Woburn. Judge Johnson is essentially a man of the people. His careful administration of the city's affairs for two successive years won for him the esteem of all classes. Gov. Russell's selection will be thoroughly satisfactory to the people of the entire district.

PARKER L. CONVERSE

Who has resigned the judgeship of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, which was established and opened on July 3, 1882, was born in Woburn, February 14, 1822. He is a direct descendent of Edward Ichabod Parker, one of the seven first settlers of the town, and grandson of Ichabod Parker, first postmaster of the town.

After leaving the public schools he took a full four years' course at Warren Academy, Woburn, then a noted institution of learning, after which he entered the law office of Nelson & Converse as a student, this in 1852, and served the usual course of three years. September 21, 1854, he was appointed a Justice of the Peace, a position he holds at the present time, having received six appointments.

He was first commissioned as a Trial Justice May 7, 1858, receiving nine such, and May 31, 1882, was commissioned Justice of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex when that Court was established.

Twice he has been commissioned Trial Justice of juvenile offenders previous to holding his present position.

His Trial Justice Court was always held, from 1858 to 1882, in his office in Wade's block.

After the decease of Judge Albert H. Nelson the office was conducted by his partner, Joshua P. Converse, and at his decease by Parker L. Converse, and he until his appointment as Justice of the new Court.

During all the period he was Trial Justice and Justice of the Court, a period of thirty-three years, he has never been absent or one minute late at the times of opening the Court.

During this period there had been before him, to date, eleven thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven criminal cases.

Judge Converse has had an extensive practice as a conveyancer and in the Probate Court.

He has held a great number of trusts, and was one of the Executors and Trustees of the will of Charles B. Winn, under whose direction the Public Library building was erected.

He has been an extensive traveller, having been on business or pleasure through twenty-two States and Territories, including California, twice, Oregon, Washington Territory, and in the hunting grounds of the West; was acquainted and travelled with Ben Halliday, the celebrated hunter, Indian fighter and originator and contractor of the far famed money express across the plains before the building of the Pacific Railroad.

Within the past 23 years he has been 20,000 miles on the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, and has recently made a six months tour, with his wife, through Europe.

He never gave his note to anyone; nor ever ran an account, but always paid cash down.

He has always been a steady, consistant Democrat of the olden school, and just before the war, was one of only 14 who cast the Democratic vote in Woburn. He has been Chairman of the Board of Selectmen; served several terms as one of the School Committee; now is and for many years past has been one of the Cemetery Commissioners; was one of the 11, in 1854, and is the only surviving one, of the incorporators of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank, and is now one of its Trustees and Investing Committee.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a regular meeting at Municipal Building on Thursday evening, Feb. 5, at which all the members put in an appearance.

Elijah Rollins et als. petitioned for electric light at Pearl and West streets; George A. Pearsons et als. for same on Cleveland; others for same on New Boston and Beach street. Referred.——Applications for State aid referred.——Fred E. Perkins et al. of Ward 6 petitioned for regular police officer there. Referred to Committee of the whole for immediate action.——Petition of Jacob M. Ellis to water the streets referred to Highways.——L. W. Armstrong's application for pool and billiard license referred to Police Committee.——Daniel W. Kelley for druggists license referred to Committee of the whole and ordered advertised. Petition of W. P. Adams et als. for change from incandescent to arc light referred.——Bridget F. McCarthy put in a claim for pay for injuries received by a fall on the highway. Referred.——John Ferguson was elected Assessor for 3 years; Jacob M. Ellis was elected Overseer of the Poor; Edward E. Thompson was elected Sinking Fund Commissioner.——A motion to lay on the table a motion to proceed to vote for City Solicitor was carried the ballot standing: Yes, Dearborn, Fowle, Finn, Walsh; No, Davis, Ham, Pushee.——Rev. Matthew F. McDonnell was chosen a Trustee of the Public Library for 3 years. Dr. John M. Harlow was chosen Cemetery Commissioner for 5 years. Edward B. Parkhurst was chosen Water Commissioner for 3 years.——Concurred with the Common Council on the reference about Central Square school house and Armory; Mayor empowered to appoint said committees and to be a member of each.——The Joint Standing committee on Fire Department reported back the matter referred to them relating to the use of the fire alarm poles by the Postal Telegraph Company, as it should have been referred to the committee of the whole. On motion of Alderman Davis it was voted that a hearing be granted for Saturday evening next, at 8 o'clock, and that the City Clerk be instructed to notify all the parties controling poles.——Report of committees: State aid—Patrick McCarthy leave to withdraw.——Street lights—Ordering lights as follows: Corner of Dartmouth and Chester Avenues, Chester and Dexter Avenues, as petitioned for by E. H. Perley and others. Alderman Davis moved that the report be laid upon the table, pending reference to the committee on appropriations.——The report was accepted, and the order adopted by a vote of 4 to 3.——The Committee on Salaries reported $200 for Clerk of the Council, and $400 Clerk of Committee.——The City Treasurer was authorized to hire a sum not exceeding $120,000 in anticipation of taxes.——The annual report of the City Auditor was received and ordered printed.——The Chief of Police reported 18 arrests and 207 lodgers.——W. C. Foster petitioned for a street light on Vernon street; referred. Adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Board held their semi-monthly meeting on last Friday evening. Members all present.

The order of the Aldermen for 6 electric lights in Ward 6 came up. A ballot was taken on the motion to lay on the table, and resulted as follows: Yeas, Bowers, Hanson, Larkin, Littlefield, Simonds, 5; Nays, Cutler, Kendall, McAvoy, O'Donnell, Weater, 5. The Chair, Waldron, voted no, and then announced that the motion to lay on the table was defeated. The order was then passed by a vote of 6 to 5.——An order on the salary of Clerk of Council and Committees came up. Littlefield of Ward 3 moved to lay on table, which was lost.——Councilman Cutler for the Joint Standing Committee on Salaries reported in favor of increasing the salaries of Police to $900. Littlefield moved to lay on table. Lost.——The following named were elected in concurrence with the Aldermen: Edward B. Parkhurst, Water Commissioner for 3 years, unanimously. Jacob M. Ellis was chosen Overseer of the Poor for 3 years, the vote being, Hugh D. Murray, 1; Lawrence Reade, 3, and Mr. Ellis, 8. Edward E. Thompson was chosen Sinking Fund Commissioner for 3 years, receiving all but one vote. The vote for Cemetery Commissioner for five years resulted in all the votes being cast for Dr. John M. Harlow. John Ferguson was chosen Assessor for 3 years. Rev. Matthew F. McDonnell was chosen Trustee of the Public Library for 3 years.——O'Donnell of Ward 1 offered an order providing that the meetings of the Council be held on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month. Carried 6 to 5.——An order was passed directing that the public flags be hoisted on Feb. 22.——The following was read: That section 1, chapter 16, of the City Ordinances be rescinded, and the following substitute be adopted in its place: Section 1. The Fire Department shall consist of a Chief, who shall receive $350 for his services; one Assistant, who shall also act as Clerk, at $200; all other members of the Fire Department may be nominated by the Chief Engineer and shall be appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen; that vacancies may be filled at any time by the Mayor and Aldermen, who may at any time remove any or all of said officers or members. No person shall be nominated, elected or appointed a member of the Fire Department who does not sustain a good moral character and who is not a citizen of Woburn, and who does not both reside or do business within a reasonable distance of the fire apparatus to which he is attached, except as herein provided. The members of the fire department shall receive such compensation as the City Council may from time to time determine.

Pine Tree Club.

Sons and Daughters of Maine are wide awake for the annual dinner of the P. T. C. A preliminary and well attended meeting was held in Y. M. C. A hall last Saturday evening to take the proper steps for celebrating the return of the anniversary of the Club's organization. Mr. Charles W. Dorr called it to order with appropriate remarks. On proceeding to officer the meeting William N. Titus, Esq., was chosen to take the Chair, and J. Howard Nason was elected Secretary.

Next in order was the election of officers for 1891-2, which was proceeded with without any delay. The following officers were chosen: President, Seth W. Kelley, M. D.; Vice-President, J. Howard Nason; Secretary, F. A. Partridge; Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Eames; Executive Committee, William N. Titus, Charles W. Dorr, Mrs. James Partridge, Mrs. George A. Hobbs, Edward Gurney, Charles M. Strout, Mrs. William B. Smith.

Then came up for discussion and action the matter of the annual dinner of the Club in which nearly all the ladies and gentlemen present participated with interest and animation. To the proposition of Titus, Dorr, Nason, Mr. Partridge and others to hold an annual feast there were no dissenting voices—all were agreed as one man on the point that it must be held—and the near neighborhood of March 1 was the time fixed for having it. So, the annual banquet of the P. T. C. is a fixed fact.

Questions concerning the By-laws of the Club were broached and referred to the Executive Committee.

Now, Sons and Daughters resident of Woburn, what the Executive Committee want is, that every one of you come forward and sign your names to the Book of Constitution and By-laws that the organization of the Club may become perfected just as soon as possible. The reason why a call is made for further signatures is that owing to the death of Mr. Frank S. Burgess, President, a list containing nearly all the names was lost and it is impossible to tell who the members are unless they come forward and sign over again the books, or originally, where they have not already done so.

TUESDAY EVENING.

On Tuesday evening the executive Committee met at the residence of Mr. J. H. Nason to canvass the matter of the annual supper. It was decided to hold it on March 4. Arrangements will be completed at a meeting to be held at Mr. Nason's on this, Friday evening.

SUB COMMITTEES.

The Executive Committee appointed the following sub committees on the supper and things connected therewith: Invitations, Dr. Seth W Kelley, J. Howard Nason, William N. Titus; entertainment, Charles M. Strout, Jr., Howard Nason; supper and hall, Charles W. Dorr, Edward W. Gurney.

Scandinavian.

The Scandinavians of this city will have an auction sale in the Y. M. C. A. Hall next Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, the income to go towards their church building now in progress. Any one having something for this sale table will please not forget to send it to the Hall on Saturday afternoon. All are invited to come to the sale. Admission free.

Rev. O. G. Tinglof, Missionary among the Scandinavians in Massachusetts, preached in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last Sunday morning and evening. Quite a number turned out in the storm to hear him and they were well paid for their pains.

The Scandinavian Church of this city is in a healthy spiritual condition. New members are added to the church each month and the good work is very satisfactory. It is hoped that it will be still better after they have moved into their new church. If the good people in and around Woburn will respond with their help financially the vestry can in few weeks be ready for occupancy. Please to do something to help it along.

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North Woburn.

Sickness is prevailing throughout the village.

Mr. W. S. Watson has been seriously ill but is now slowly recovering.

Miss Mabel Rollins and Miss Mary Nichols are confined to their homes with fever.

Mr. Enoch Curtis has at last ventured out. He has had a very long and tiresome siege.

Be sure and see the laughable "Mock Trial" which is to be given in the Unitarian chapel on next Tuesday evening.

Mr. Charles H. Nichols of Woburn Centre fell while descending the stairs leading to the wood-shed in the rear of his house and broke one of his ribs.

Electric lights along the thoroughfares of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Co. will make their land much more desirable for building purposes.

The party of fishermen that experienced such sad luck at the Concord river turned the tables by catching a fine strap at Horn pond on last Saturday, one of the pickerel weighing five pounds. "No-Fish-Markets."

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 A. M. Subject: The Religion of the Bible. Lecture by the pastor at 7 P. M. Subject: Evidence of God's existence.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Final Interview between Good Men. Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 6 p. m. Short sermon at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach; at 6 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Joy and Rejoicing." Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m.; at 7 p. m. preaching by Pastor: Subject: "Confession and Absolution." Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Thursday evening Class meeting.

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In this city, Feb. 4, Mary Whalen, aged 60 years.
In this city, Feb. 4, Converse Maxim, aged 75 years, 9 months.
In this city, Feb 5, Mary Ann L. Carroll, aged 75 years.
In this city, Mrs. Frances E. Heckbert, aged 45 years, 9 months.
In Winchester, Feb. 8, Alice E. Swan, aged 25 years, 7 months.

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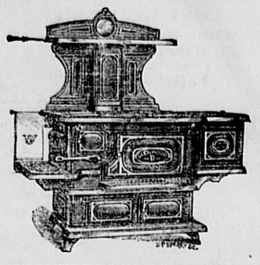

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Annual Report of the Woburn Home for Aged Women.

The year has just closed must be regarded as one which has brought to the Home great peace, with present and prospective prosperity. And first in regard to the inmates for whom we labor, and whose welfare and happiness is the sole reason for our existance as an Institution, we can report to the public who sustains them, a year of almost uninterrupted health of body and mind. There are at present in the Home ten ladies whose average age is seventy-nine and four fifths years, and yet who have, with two exceptions, been able to come to the table nearly every day in the year, the exceptions being two ladies who have suffered from difficulties they have been subject to, and who are now comparatively well. Such a record of health can, I think, hardly be equalled in any family of that size, at any age in the city. To our faithful Matron is largely due the peace and quietness which prevails, and to her consideration for their infirmaties, and the care and attenion which such infirmities require, is to a great extent the reason of their health and contentment. We would not forget to mention the faithful Assistant who is always to kind and attentive in illness and so patient and trustworthy at all times. In visiting and hearing reports from other Homes there is seldom one where all the conditions are so satisfactory as with us. We are very sorry to report the loss from the Board of Trustees of our faithful adviser and friend Mr. E. W. Hudson, whose resignation was received in June. We have also to record with sorrow the death of one of our most devoted friends and one of the Managers of the Home, Mrs. Celende T. Dow, who passed away after a long tedious illness November 1st. Though confined to her room for many months she never forgot the Home, and looked forward with interest to every monthly meeting of which she always desired a full report. During her life she enriched the Home with many valuable gifts and left it in her will the handsome legacy of two thousand dollars. The same officers have served another year.

The vacancies caused by the death of Mrs. Wyman, and the resignation of Mrs. Goddard were filled by the choice of Mrs. L. T. True and Mrs. S. A. Trull.

Early in the year Mr. Samuel H. Leathe of St. Louis communicated to the Trustees his willingness to pay to them the legacy left by his sister Miss Ruth M. Leathe if they would take the Pierce property, so called, on Plympton street at a valuation of five thousand dollars. After some consideration it was decided to take it, calling the real estate four thousand five hundred and the compromise being accepted, the property, fifteen thousand five hundred dollars in cash, and the house above mentioned was transferred to the Trustees, the income to be used for the benefit of the Home. Nothing has as yet been heard from the legacy left by Mr. Simonds. In April the Treasurer received from Mr. H. B. Clewley the sum of sixty-seven dollars and twenty-five cents, the net proceeds of the drama, School. A vote of thanks was sent to Mr. Clewley and his assistants for this very graceful act reflecting so much credit upon our young people. The annual Fair which occurred as usual in April brought into the treasury, thanks to the liberality of our people, the handsome sum of seven hundred and four dollars. In the month of May a fine entertainment was given for the benefit of the Home under the auspices of Dr. and Mrs. Bartlett to whom we are much indebted for valuable services rendered both in this, and past years. Nearly every year we receive from Mr. Winship of Wakefield a donation which is expended in furniture or something of permanent use to the Home. We learn that the late Mrs. M. F. Winn of North Woburn who has always shown much interest in this work has bequeathed to it the generous sum of two thousand dollars. Mr. D. G. Converse lately deceased kindly remembered us with a gift of five hundred dollars. It is perhaps proper to say as two of the above mentioned wills are subjects of litigation what the result may be to us is yet unknown. We have also received $100 from the estate of the late Mrs. Wyman. A small box which was placed in the hall for the purpose of receiving any little offering visitors might chose to deposit was opened last month and the amount about twelve dollars, was divided among there sidents giving them each a little pin money. At Thanksgiving and Christmas liberal gifts from the churches and private individuals assured abundant good cheer and brought to all hearts a realization of the true spirit of the days, thankfulness and good will. The kind and thoughtful spirit exhibited by the teachers and pupils at Rumford School in their Christmas visit brightening the hours with their songs and recitations and filling the hearts of all with gratitude by their pretty gifts will not soon be forgotten. There is nothing more attractive in the young than attention and respect shown the aged, and this kindly act on the part of the scholars gives evidence that the teachers understand true education to be the cultivation of a symmetrical character heart as well as head. The clergymen of the city and the Societies of Christian Endeavor have been faithful in their ministrations to the spiritual needs of our friends, religious services being held one Sunday in each month as most of them are able to attend church, this is thought sufficient.

The physicians of the city have always responded most willingly to all calls made upon their time, giving their best services without money and without price.

It may seem that I have entered into too much detail in this report, but I think those who generously aid in the support of this work, should know how their benefactions are administered, and with what grateful hearts they are received and appreciated, by all connected with this Institution, which can enjoy no higher reputation than to be in the best sense a Home!

SOPHIA L. HOVEY, Secretary.

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W. H. A. W. Treasurers Report, 1890.

CASH RECEIVED.

Balance from last year,	$ 28 85
Collections,	125 55
Trust Fund,	574 66
Rent,	34 00
Donations,	255 00
Drama,	67 25
Fair,	704 05
Entertainment,	23 38
Admissions,	200 00
Board,	85 00
Sundries,	10 20
	$2,108 03

CASH PAID.

Groceries,	$235 84
Provisions,	222 57
Milk,	165 03
Fuel,	238 69
Matron and Domestic,	338 00
Advertising,	2 75
Carpenter,	14 60
Stationery,	3 00
Dry Goods,	18 20
Teaming,	2 90
Hardware,	29 46
Water Tax,	38 25
Medicine,	14 96
Labor,	75 41
Nurse,	11 00
Deposited in Savings Bank,	442 05
Sundries,	89 66
Balance to new account,	225 86
	$2,108 03

Expenses of the Home, $1,440 11.

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the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.'

Woman's Club.

A special meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club was held on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 4.

The speaker in whose honor the meeting had been called was Mrs. Helen Campbell the author of many books illustrative of the life of working girls and women. The "Prisoners of Poverty" and the "Prisoners of Poverty Abroad" are among the most generally known of her works.

From 2.30 until 3 an informal reception was held that the members might take by the hand one who has worked so arduously and nobly for the amelioration of the condition of the poor and laboring classes of girls and women.

Mrs. Campbell's paper, proper, began with the condition of working women, and their relation to the business world fifty years ago.

She traced women's growth in the struggle for independent maintenance and the increase of occupations and trades for women from 1840 to the present time; and she gave many statistics from the labor bureaus of our country. After the close of the paper, Mrs. Campbell continued by giving us the history of the "Consumer's League" of New York whose constitution was adopted only four weeks ago, and which is an outgrowth of a society of the same name in London, England.

We learned many interesting facts concerning the Century Club Guild of Philadelphia and the work it is accomplishing for women.

The last regular meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club was held on Friday, Feb. 6, when Rev. E. G. Porter of Lexington gave a most delightful account of his recent travels in Japan. This talk had all the delight of vivid personal impressions. The many amusing incidents of travel, the customs which impress a stranger as ludicrous because unfamiliar, the simple yet unique mode of life, the characteristics of the people and scenery, the forms of religion and the system of education were all most graphically treated.

One felt as though one had, in reality, beheld the sights and heard the sounds which Mr. Porter so vividly depicted. Mr. Porter brought for our inspection several dainty Japanese booklets, artistically illustrated in colors, printed in English type and written in the English language; also two little tortoise shell models of the old and new style of vehicle, several kinds of chopsticks, a large gold coin for which some one has offered a thousand dollars and other interesting articles.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Concert Hall on Thursday, Feb. 10, at 3 P. M. when Louise Chandler Moulton will give a talk on London. Mrs. Moulton is too well known by the readers of the Sunday *Herald*, as a writer of prose and poems, and as a reviewer of books to need further introduction.

G. M. B.

The results of both chemical analysis and of physiological experiments prove that Mellin's Food, when added to diluted cow's milk forms the only perfect substitute mother's milk that has ever been produced; further proof is also found in the health and good nature of the children who are reared upon it.

WINCHESTER.

B. M. Lindsley has gone to York State to visit hig parents.

The South Reservoir is done—or so near done there is no fun in it.

The Ladies Mission Circle will give an entertainment in the near future.

Some of our people feel mighty sore over the result of the Swanton Bridge suit.

If Bro. Miller would remove the unsightly parts around his lot on Church and Center streets he would add greatly to the looks of the lot and please the passers by.

Capt. Nickerson's new house, corner Church and Bacon Sts., is up and boarded in and makes a fine appearance The location is a desirable one. It will be a great addition to that section.

Miss Jennie Sanderson read a paper on "Tokio" at the last meeting of the Fortnightly Club, Feb. 9. Miss Young gave a talk on "the People, their Habits, and Customs"—of Japan. Both were able and interesting.

The family of the late Col. Winchester, for whom the town was named, has offered to the selectmen a handsome marble bust of Col. Winchester, which will undoubtedly be accepted and placed in the town hall.

K. W. Baker formerly of this town, died at Somerville last week. He was prominently identified with the temperance movement and one of the original members of the Reform Club. He left Winchester almost ten years ago.

The Calumet Club has at last decided on the location of its clubhouse. It has closed a bargain for 60,000 feet of land on the shores of Wedge Pond, back of the Congregational church. Ground will probably be broken in the spring, and already there are signs of a largely increased membership.

A meeting of the executive board of the Interclub Tournament was held at the Kenwood Club, Malden, on Tuesday evening. The last game will be played at Melrose, Feb. 14, between the Melrose Athletic and Winchester Club. It was decided to celebrate the tournament by a dinner at Young's Hotel. At this dinner prizes valued at about $100 will be awarded the victors.—*Star.*

Charles Bradlaugh, who has just died in England, known as the "great agitator" and in favor of a Republican form of government in England, will be remembered by many of our citizens as having lectured in the G. A. R. course several years ago. He was a remarkably fine looking man and very agreeable in conversation. He was the guest of Mr. S. C. Small at that time and spent the night here.

The Universalist Church of Everett, invited Mr. S. C. Small to deliver his lecture on the "Yosemite Valley: The Big Trees: and The Yellowstone National Park." It was listened to with great satisfaction so the Everett paper says. Any society wishing to hear this instructive and interesting lecture, which is illustrated by charcoal sketches, can do so at a nominal price (simply enough to cover the expenses) by addressing Mr. Small.

Joseph L. Sharon, an old and highly esteemed citizen of this town, died Monday morning. He has been ill for some time past, and his death was not entirely unexpected. He was well known, having lived here since his early youth. For a number of years he was town sexton, and carried on the undertaking business until last year, He was a member of William Parkman Lodge, A. F. and A. M., the Grand Army, and was an attendant of the Unitarian church.

It is the general opinion in this town that Judge George S. Littlefield should have been successor to Judge Converse instead of Ex-Mayor Johnson of Woburn. He stood next in succession and his promotion would have been a happy instance of the practical working of Civil Service Reform. Mayor Johnson will make an able and impartial Judge —no doubt of that. He is a sound lawyer, posseses a large share of good practical sense, and has excellent judgment.

The Winchester C. T. A. Society presented the drama "The Turn of the Tide," in the Town Hall last Tuesday evening. There was quite a large attendance, and a very pleasing performance was given. In the cast were: Messrs. Edward McKenzie, William T. Holland, J. T. Clark, George H. Fidler, M. S. Nelson, J. Sullivan, James H. Noonan, Miss M. A. McCarthy, Miss M. J. Flynn, Miss Alice McDermott, and Miss Minnie Smytherman. During the waits the Coleman children and Frank F. Bassick gave interesting specialties.

Lawyer McCall was not a very devoted admirer of Lodge's Elections Bill that Senator Hoar tried so hard to get through the Senate. In political matters Esquire McCall has a happy faculty of "hitting the bullseye." In this matter, as in the matter of the abolition of the polltax as a condition precedent to the exercise of the right of suffrage, and some others, he had the popular sentiment of the North on his side while Lodge and Hoar did not. The fact is, Esq. McCall is a clear-headed, practical-minded man.

The Methodist Church of Woburn are having their pulpit furniture made by S. C. Small & Co., a handsome suit in quartersd oak with crimson blush coverings. This firm is also making the lodge room furniture for the Mechanics Hall in the old church building in Woburn, which will cost about one thousand dollars. Besides this order they are at work on a $1,500 order for the Elks Lodge of Lynn; $1000 order for Masonic Lodge at Ansonia, and $600 outfit for United Workingmen at Leominister. Smaller orders in this line have been shipped the past week to Hiawather. Kansas, Odd Fellows, K. of P. at Opelika, Ala., Elks, at Savannah Ga.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

A western editor lost ten subscribers by saying: "Many of our readers require an effective soap, and Brussels is just the thing they needed for a long time."

Burlington.

The father of Mr. George D. Getchell is seriously ill at the home of his son in this town.

Rev. A. A. Childs of Lyndeboro', N. H., preached at the church Sunday. Owing to the storm there was a very small attendance.

The snow storm of Saturday night and Sunday gave us a little sleighing. The old saying,

"Candlemas Day, fair and bright
Winter will have another flight,"

proved true this year before the end of the week.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 50 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

N. E. C. A.

The New England Chautauquan Association will observe "Founders Day" by a C. L. S. C. Reunion and Banquet, at the United States Hotel, Boston, Feb. 23, 6.30 P. M. Later announcements will be made through the Boston daily papers.

Tickets, $1.25, may be obtained of the Treasurer, Miss M. E. Evans, 44 Hawthorn street, Chelsea, and of Mr. Lunt, Congregational Book Store, Beacon street, until Feb. 19.—J. E. S.

It's economical Brussels soap.

The Democrats in the New York Legislature, by a solid party vote, have passed through one branch, and have nearly passed through the other, a bill which will permit every low dance house and every saloon which advertises a social dance as one of its features to sell liquor all night. It is an infamous measure, calculated to result in any amount of debauchery, yet the so-called respectable Democrats have voted for it as subserviently as those whose affiliations with the dives are notorious.

These are days when our Government will do well to keep a sharp watch over Hawaii. The great Powers of Europe are casting jealous glances in that direction. As the Springfield Republican (Dem.) remarks: "Great Britian is now offering special inducements in the way of subsidized steamship lines, and the like, for closer commertial relations with these islands." Britian hopes to follow up a commercial conquest with a political conquest.

John Greenleaf Whittier says he doesn't see how the Republican party can help selecting Mr. Blaine for its Presidential candidate in 1892, and he adds that if Mr. Cleveland opposes him there can be no doubt that the Republican candidate would be elected. Mr. Blaine, he considers, "a great man, head and shoulders abouve other leaders."

O. U. A. M.
FAIR!
Feb. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21.

Liberty Council, No. 38, O. U. A. M., assisted by Martha Washington Council, Fe. 14, D. of L., will hold a grand fair in

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☞ First-class talent has been secured for each evening's entertainment. Admission to this feature 15 cents. Entertainment Matinee for Children Saturday afternoon, Feb. 21. General admission at Matinee 5 cents: Matinee entertainment tickets 10 cents.

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The various offices in the newly-fitted building will be occupied by displays of merchandise kindly contributed by local dealers.

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Past Sachem's Regalia for the most popular Past Sachem of Shawsheen Tribe, No. 49, I. O. R. M.

Ex-Councillor's Regalia for the most popular Ex-Councillor of Liberty Council, No. 38, O. U. A. M.

Fireman's Badge for the most popular Foreman of Company, Woburn Fire Department.

Chief of Police Badge for the most popular Chief of Police, (Woburn, Winchester or Stoneham.)

Whip for the most popular Driver.

Lady's Gold Ring for the most popular Lady.

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Single Tickets, 15 Cents.
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—IN—

The Boston Sunday Herald.

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Fancy Border and Plain White Tea Cloths with and without Doylies to match, at 25 per cent less than retail prices.

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Brown and Bleached Sheeting 2¼ yards wide, slightly soiled, at considerable less than regular prices.

Give us a call and save money.

To the Public.

We have this day been authorized to announce to the people of the City of Woburn and vicinity, that we have had placed in our hands to sell a limited number of shares of the

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Corn, Sandy River,	12c.,	1.40 " "
Corn, Honey Drop,	14c.,	1.65 " "
Peas, Standard Marrowfats,	10c.,	1.20 " "
Peas, Booth's Marrowfats,	13c.,	1.50 " "
Succotash, Honey Drop,	14c.,	1.65 " "
Squash, Richardson's,	14c.,	1.65 " "
String Beans,	8c.,	.90 " "
Asparagus Tips,	25c.,	2.85 " "
Peaches, California,	25c.,	2.85 " "
" "	35c.,	4.00 " "
Bartlett Pears, Richardson's,	30c.,	3.50 " "
Sliced Pineapple,	23c.,	2.65 " "
Grated Pineapple,	25c.,	3.00 " "
Pres. Strawberries,	25c.,	3.00 " "
Blueberries,	14c.,	1.65 " "
White Cherries, California,	35c.,	4.00 " "
Apricots, California,	22c.,	2.60 " "
Apricots, Golden Gate,	30c.,	3.50 " "
Plums, California,	25c.,	2.85 " "
" Golden Gate,	30c.,	3.50 " "
Salmon, Alaska,	10c.,	1.20 " "
Salmon, Booth's,	15c.,	1.80 " "
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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William Bradley late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Francis Bellew, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Hannah Chamberlain, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument puporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lewis L. Whitney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of February next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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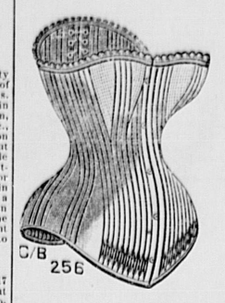

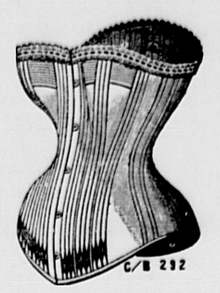

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LESSON VII, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 15.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings ii, 1-11. Commit Verses, 9-11—Golden Text, Gen. v, 24—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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After the story of Ahab and Naboth, as in the last lesson, we have the record of Ahab's repentance, the league of Jehoshaphat and Ahab, the death of Ahab in battle according to the word of the Lord (I Kings xxii, 38), and also the death of Jehoshaphat. In II Kings i we have the record of the death, by fire from heaven at the word of Elijah, of two captains and their fifties, whom Ahaziah, the wicked son of Ahab, sent to Elijah; and also the death of Ahaziah, because of a fall which he had in his own house.

1. "And it came to pass when the Lord would take up Elijah into heaven by a whirlwind."

We have now come to the record of Elijah's last day on earth in a mortal body. Suddenly he appears before us in I Kings, xvii, 1, and now as suddenly he is to be taken from us. Like Aaron and Moses, he is to be taken away in perfect health (Num. xx, 28; Deut. xxxiv, 7); and like Enoch, he is to be taken without dying.

"Elijah went with Elisha from Gilgal."

2. "And Elijah said unto Elisha, Tarry here, I pray thee; for the Lord hath sent me to Bethel."

By comparing Gen. xii, 6, and Deut. xi, 30, it would seem that Abram's first altar in the land was not far from Gilgal. In Gen. xii, 8, we see his second altar at Bethel. Here also Jacob saw the ladder set up on the earth whose top reached unto heaven (Gen. xxviii, 12, 19).

"As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee. So they went down to Bethel."

This is the steadfastness of purpose which has something in view and gets it. See chapter iv, 30; Ruth i, 16, 17; II Sam. xv, 21; Phil. iii, 13, 14. There is nothing like indifference here, but on the contrary a wholeheartedness which indicates intense desire.

3. "Knowest thou that the Lord will take away thy master from thy head today?"

This was the question of the sons of the prophets at Bethel. We will find more of them and a similar question at Jericho.

"And he said, Yea, I know it; hold ye your peace."

Elisha was well aware that Elijah was to leave him, and like Jacob with the angel, he was in his heart clinging and saying, "I will not let thee go except thou bless me!" (Gen. xxxii, 26). There would be more of the spirit and power of God in believers today if there were more turning away from man, and eager waiting upon God such as is seen in Jacob, Elisha, Paul and others.

4. "And Elijah said unto Elisha, Tarry here, I pray thee; for the Lord hath sent me to Jericho."

This is met by the same refusal as at Gilgal, and is followed (vs. 5) by the same question from the sons of the prophets at Jericho as that asked at Bethel. He heeds not Elijah's request, nor is he moved by the repeated reminders that Elijah is about to leave him.

6. "And Elijah said unto him, Tarry, I pray thee, here; for the Lord hath sent me to Jordan."

If a redeemed soul will stay at Gilgal (reproach rolled away, salvation obtained) there they may stay and be saved as by fire; if they will go farther to Bethel (house of God and realizations of glory) and consent to tarry there, thinking and talking of their future happiness, they may still, though saved, be without much reward; if they press on to the city of palm trees (Deut. xxxiv, 3), pleasant but barren (vs. 19), they may rejoice in being blessed with all spiritual blessings, and the good things which He will not withhold from them that walk uprightly, and yet live largely a selfish life and bear little fruit.

7. "And fifty men of the sons of the prophets went and stood to view afar off; and they two stood by Jordan."

Fifty afar off looking on, only two really in the business on hand, one of them about to be taken and the other eager for one thing, desiring it most earnestly; and yet all the fifty-two are among the prophets.

8. "And Elijah took his mantle and wrapped it together, and smote the waters, and they were divided hither and thither, so that they two went over on dry ground."

The last we heard of this mantle it was covering Elijah's face as God talked with him at Horeb in the still small voice, and a little later it was thrown upon Elisha as he was plowing (I Kings xix, 13, 19). Now it is like Moses' rod stretched out over the Red sea, or like the Ark of the Covenant on the shoulders of the priests at this same Jordan five hundred years before.

9. "Ask what I shall do for thee before I be taken away from thee."

Jordan, the river of judgment, has been crossed; Elisha would not tarry at any delightful experience, but on, and on, and now in the power of resurrection he stands with Elijah on the verge of separation from him and hears this great question. It is as if Elijah said, Why have you clung to me? Why have you so perseveringly followed on? What is it that you so earnestly desire? Ask it now that you may receive it.

"And Elisha said, I pray thee let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me."

10. "And he said, Thou hast asked a hard thing; nevertheless if thou see me when I am taken from thee, it shall be so unto thee; but if not, it shall not be so."

A hard thing for Elisha, and perhaps he knew not what he asked. Elijah knew what it had cost him to obtain the measure of the Spirit which he had; what separation, what loneliness, what death to the flesh, what trials, what persecutions, and if Elisha is to receive a double portion of the Spirit will it not be a hard thing for him? Has he counted the cost?

11. "And it came to pass, as they still went on, and talked, that, behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder."

Can you imagine the subject of their conversation, as the one knew that any moment his companion might be gone, and the other knew that any moment he might cease to be a mortal man? We are sure that nothing trifling would be spoken, but only things concerning the awful realities of time and eternity. Elijah would surely speak of the necessity of standing in everything with God and for God, and would warn his companion against the sins into which he himself had fallen.

"And Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven."

See God in the whirlwind in Job xxxviii, 1; xl, 6; Ezek. i, 4; Nah. i, 3; Zech. ix, 14. The whirlwinds with which we are familiar dash all things earthly to pieces, but if we are heavenly people nothing can harm us, not even a cyclone. It may take us to heaven, and that will be a great gain.

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Our Artist—"Well, how do you like the portraits, Miss Bunny? The sitters are old friends of yours, I believe?" Miss Bunny (triumphantly)—"Yes; and, only think, I've actually managed to guess them all!"

Austin Corbin, the railroad millionaire magnate, is a bald headed, nervous man of 55 who possesses indomitable energy. He has been called the Dictator of Long Island. Fifteen years ago he was unheard of.

AMBITION.

The German emperor and I
Within the self same year were born,
Beneath the self same sky,
Upon the self same morn;
A kaiser he, of high estate,
And I the usual chance of fate.

His father was a prince, and mine—
Why, just a farmer—that is all.
Stars still a e stars, although some shine,
And some roll hid in midnight's pall;
But argue, cavil all you can,
My sire was just as good a man.

The German emperor and I,
Eat, drink and sleep the self same way,
For bread is bread, and pie is pie,
And kings can eat but thrice a day.
And sleep will only come to those
Whose mouths and stomachs are not foes.

I rise at six and go to work,
And he at five, and does the same.
We both have cares we cannot shirk;
Mine are for love t ones; his for fame.
He may live best, I cannot tell;
I'm sure I wish the kaiser well.

I have a wife, and so has he;
And yet, if pictures do not err,
As far as human sight can see,
Mine is by long odds twice as fair.
Say, would I trade those eyes dark brown?
Not for an empress and her crown.

And so the emperor and I
On this one point could ne'er agree;
Moreover, we will never try.
His frau suits him and mine suits me.
And though his sons one day may rule,
Mine stand A1 in the public school.

So let the kaiser have his sway,
Bid kings and nations tumble down;
I have my freedom and my say,
And fear no ruler and his crown;
For I, unknown to fame or war,
Live where each man is emperor.
—Fred Warner Shibley in Boston Globe.

Played the Music Backward.

While sauntering through one of the courts the other day two members of the musical profession heard strange, weird sounds, which seemed to have some sort of connection with a pianoforte. Turning a corner they came upon a gentleman who was in the act of stowing away a strip of the perforated paper used in mechanical pianos.

Curious to hear the instrument, a request was made that he should run it through again. The piece selected was the "March from Tannhauser," but at the first turn of the handle the sounds produced were very unlike anything Wagner ever wrote.

By the time the handle had made half a dozen revolutions the cacophony was simply awful. The "performer," who continued to work with increasing vigor, was tapped on the shoulder and assured that there was something seriously wrong, but he merely smiled and continued to grind for dear life.

At length the end came, and it was then discovered that the "Tannhauser March" had been played backward.

In reply to his auditors as to why he continued to play when such horrible sounds were produced the attendant gave a childlike and bland smile and said, "Me no English; me German!"—Edinburgh Dispatch.

She Married Another.

Everybody in Anderson knows Sam V——, and he is the last person on earth any one would suspect of having a romance. He is a plain, straightforward, every day kind of a man. Yet there is a romance in his history. When the war broke out Sam shouldered a musket and went to the front. He, like many others, left a sweetheart, who kissed him good-by at the depot, and bade him think of his country first and her next.

She wrote to him frequently, and he carried her letters in the inside pocket of his soldier jacket until there was quite a bundle of them. One day in battle a bullet struck Sam in the breast. It plowed through his coat and tore a hole in the bundle of precious letters and made a big bruise over his heart. The letters saved his life.

"Of course Sam married the writer of the letters?" guesses a romantic young miss.

Of course Sam didn't, but some one else did. He has a son in the employ of a well known corporation at Anderson, and his sweetheart "during the war" lives in this city the happy wife of a popular railroad man.—Bangor News.

A Dog with a Memory.

The following, remarkable at all events as a feat of memory, was told me by the owner of an Irish water spaniel, the only dog I ever knew who would perform tricks and was good to shoot over at the same time. His master was out walking with him at the beginning of the long frost in the year 1855, which set in about the middle of January. He went on a frozen mill dam, where the water was of course very deep, and accidentally dropped his snuff box through a little round hole in the ice. The dog was dreadfully distressed at not being able to get it, but was obliged to go home with its owner, who thought no more about the matter. Two months afterward, when the frost had gone, he and the dog passed by the same place. The dog paused opposite the spot where the box had disappeared, seemed to think intently for a minute, then plunged in, dived to the bottom, and returned with the snuff box in his mouth.—Quarterly Review.

The Platinum from Electric Lamps.

It is singular that while this remarkable reduction is going on in the price of aluminum the price of platinum should be going up. Platinum is one of the essential metals in the construction of successful incandescent lamps; in fact, it is said that it is now one of the largest items, there being eight cents' worth of platinum in each lamp. So well is this fact recognized that of late some of the lamp manufacturers have collected the butts of old lamps that had done service and have recovered the platinum by smashing the glass and plaster, etc., and extracting the leading-in wires.—Safety Valve.

Not One in Ten

Of the people you meet from day to day has perfectly pure, healthy blood. The hereditary scrofulous taint afflicts the large majority of people, while many others acquire diseases from impure air, improper food and wrong indulgences. Hence the imperative necessity for a reliable blood purifier like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which eradicates every impurity, and gives to the blood vitality and health. It cures scrofula, saltrheum, humors, boils, pimples, and all other afflictions caused by impurities or poisonous germs in the blood. All that is asked for Hood's Sarsaparilla is that it be given a fair trial.

A singular accident occurred to Luther Woods of Richland, Ga. He was driving in a narrow lane, accompanied by a young lady, when a drove of loose mules came running up behind him. He was afraid to leave his buggy to drive them back, for fear his horse would run away, and they actually ran over his buggy and broke it to pieces. Fortunately neither of the occupants was hurt.

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In 1837 the first practical telegraph was worked in England, after a crude attempt made in 1835, on a line of thirteen miles between Paddington and Drayton. In 1844 a telegraph line was opened between Washington and Baltimore. In 1850 a copper wire, insulated in gutta percha, was submerged between Dover and Calais, and the first submarine telegraph was laid by the late T. R. Crampton.

There are now 942 submarine cables, exclusive of the seven Atlantic cables, with an aggregate of 112,740 nautical miles. The overland telegraph is already a world wide institution, in which there is a total of 1,680,900 miles of wire, enough of the attenuated metal to go around the equatorial belt of the globe just thirty times. The number of words transmitted, the miles traveled and the cash changing hands would tax the enumeration table.

The United States has 776,500 miles of wire, and in 1889 no less than 56,000,000 messages were sent through the country. France has 220,890 miles of wire, on which in 1889 were transmitted 30,050,000 dispatches. Great Britain has 180,000 miles of metal line, and in 1889 sent 50,000,000 messages. Russia has spun out 170,500 miles, and in 1889 gave the operators 10,280,780 messages to dispatch. Australia has strung no fewer than 105,360 miles of wire across its surface and transmitted in one year 12,000,000 messages. Italy has 19,500 miles and has made an annual record of about 7,000,000 electric messages. Canada has 58,500 miles of wire and did a business in 1889 of 4,027,581 dispatches.

Egypt has 5,500 miles, and is in connection with India and England by submarine cables on which in 1889 1,600,205 communications were carried from one end of the world to the other. China has 5,500 miles of wire across Mongolia, and Japan owns no less than 16,500 miles, over which 5,000,000 messages were sent in one year. New Zealand has strung itself with 11,375 miles of metal cord, and dispatched 1,835,394 messages. Tasmania has 2,500 miles of telegraph wires. Persia claims, in partnership with European wires, about 6,124 miles. South Africa has a credit of 4,310 miles, and even St. Helena, the island prison of the great Corsican, has 13 miles of the universal wire cobwebbing its rocks.

The telegraph systems of the world have unrolled the wire reel without stint, and if we add to the 1,688,900 miles used for telegraph purposes the wholesale appropriation by the telephone system the sum total would be enormous.—Iron.

The Early Residents of California.

The early foreign residents of California were largely runaway sailors. Many if not most would change their names. For instance, Gilroy's ranch where the town of Gilroy is now located was owned by an old resident under the assumed appellation of Gilroy. Of course vessels touching upon this coast were liable, as they were everywhere, to lose men by desertion, especially if the men were maltreated. Such things have been so common that it is not difficult to believe that those who left their vessels in early days on this then distant course had cause for so doing.

To be known as a runaway sailor was no stain upon a man's character. It was no uncommon thing after my arrival here for sailors to be skulking and hiding about from ranch to ranch till the vessel they had left should leave the coast. Californians would catch and return sailors to get the reward which, I believe, captains of vessels invariably offered. After the vessels had sailed and there was no chance of the reward the native Californians gave the fugitives no further trouble.—Gen. Bidwell in Century.

Shot a Deer with Marbles.

An 11-year-old Missouri lad has executed a remarkable feat in hunting. The boy's father had bought him a cheap single barreled shotgun, and in a few days the boy had shot at everything in sight.

One morning he began to load his gun for a hunt, and after ramming down a charge of powder found that his shotbag was empty. With the readiness of a boy to try experiments he thought of his marbles. Finding a smooth "taw" that would just fill the bore of his gun he rammed it down, and started out in search of game.

He had not gone far before a full grown deer was seen running through the woods about sixty yards away. The boy had never shot at a deer before, but he was too much of a hunter to miss a chance, and he banged away. The deer gave one great jump and fell, with a marble through his heart.

When the boy came running into the house with the news his father was tempted to thrash him for his rashness, but he was finally forgiven, and the venison eaten with a relish.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Cow Tree.

The cow tree, the sap of which closely resembles milk, is a native of South and Central America. It is a species of evergreen, and grows only in mountain regions. A hole bored in the wood or even a wound made in the bark of this remarkable tree is almost immediately filled with a lacteal like fluid. Alexander von Humboldt was the first traveler to describe this tree and bring it to the notice of Europeans.—St. Louis Republic.

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Cream Balm has given satisfactory results.—W. P. Draper, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

A correspondent notices that the majority of literary ladies seem to affect certain colors for their gowns. It is also thought that they mostly work in brown studies, and prefer their books to be read. A superstition likewise exists that they affect blue stockings.

During the recent severe weather in England sea gulls were fed from the windows of houses on the Marine Parade. Wild fowl were found on the beach half frozen and nearly starved.

Expensive Chivalry.

Georgie Drew Barrymore has been telling some of her eastern friends a good story on a well known manager of a Chicago theatre. The manager is noted for his gallantry, and many a pretty actress can testify that he is almost without a rival as an entertainer. One Saturday night, when the company with which Mrs. Barrymore was playing had completed its Chicago engagement, this young manager met the lady as she was leaving the theatre, and getting into her carriage escorted her to the depot, where she was to take a train for the east.

As she was about to dismiss the carriage her gallant escort told her not to pay the driver, for he would ride home in the same carriage and settle with the driver himself. "Oh, you'll settle with him, will you?" said Mrs. Barrymore naively, without a suggestion of mischief in her quizzical eyes. "Very well; thank you. Good-by!" She took the train and the manager was driven home. "How much?" he asked the driver, taking a $2 bill from his pocket. "Twenty-eight dollars," was the reply. "What—for two blocks, you robber!—what do you mean?" "Twenty-eight dollars is what I mean. I've been taking that lady to and from the theatre all the week, and that's what it amounts to. You told her you'd settle." The manager settled.—Chicago Herald.

What He Was Worth.

Absolute monarchs are given to teaching their subjects practical lessons in ways which are more salutary than amusing to the objects of such instruction. A traveler in Morocco tells the following story of a monarch's method of playing schoolmaster:

The sultan discovered that one of his viziers was becoming too powerful. He therefore summoned him to tea, and complimented him on his great wealth. The vizier becoming vain boasted of the number of his houses, horses, wives and slaves, and the sultan rebuked him, saying that he was too rich and thought too much of himself.

To show the man exactly what he was worth his majesty had him taken by soldiers to the slave market, where he was put up for sale, and received only one bid, of eightpence. He was then taken back to the sultan, who said to him, "Now you know your proper value—eightpence. Go home and ponder over it."

When the man reached home, however, he found that nearly all his property had been taken away by order of the sultan. Only one small residence, one wife, one horse and one slave had been left him.

A Diplomatic Story.

One day in 1886, while I was secretary of the United States legation at Peking, I took to the minister a dispatch for the secretary of state, requesting him to indorse it favorably. It was to ask for an eight months' leave of absence, without pay, to travel in western China and Thibet. The minister read it over and turning to me said: "I cannot give my approval to this. If you absent yourself from the legation I must have some one to take your place and do your work. But I tell you what I will do; since you are so anxious to see Thibet I will use my influence at Washington to have you appointed minister resident and consul general there." I timidly asked him if he knew where Thibet was. "No," he answered; "but it makes no difference. I'll do what I said."

What better illustration could I give of the ignorance in which we are concerning Thibet? The minister of the United States to China did not know that it was an integral part of the empire to the court of which he was accredited!—Cor. Century.

Three Men of Great Wealth.

Andrew Carnegie is the richest Scotchman in the world and he does not care who knows it. He began work at $3 a week and his income in one year exceeds $1,000,000. He gives freely to charity and to public enterprises, but personally is inclined to enjoy life while he lives and to take coaching tours through Scotland rather than to leave a fortune for some one else to spend after he is gone.

John D. Rockefeller was also poor, but was lucky enough to secure good situations early in life. He stepped into the oil business from a position as bookkeeper at $100 a month. Now he probably is the richest man in the world, and the company with which he is identified employs an army of perhaps 40,000 men. Although John D. Rockefeller's name alone is always associated with the Standard Oil company, he has two brothers—William and Frank—each of whom has many millions which the Standard has made.—Chicago Mail.

Surprised.

A man who has the engaging habit of fumbling the watch chains of his acquaintances when talking with them, occasionally pulling out the timepiece to note the time of day, received a surprise recently; and so did the other fellow. He was fingering the expensive chain of a friend, whose clothes were a model of the tailor's art, when he gave it a little jerk, and out from the watch pocket leaped—a lump of coal.—Springfield Homestead.

His Books Matched the Carpet.

I have a curious customer, a wealthy man, who has bought a lot of handsome books of me, choosing them entirely by their bindings so as to match in color his furniture and carpets, and regardless of their contents.—Interview in New York Commercial Advertiser.

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and medicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of others state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

A French writer says that the asp used by Bernhardt in Cleopatra is so proud of his performance in the role that he has demanded his name "M. Viper" put upon the play bills.

It does no good to weep over the mistakes that we have made, and yet most of us do it when we have meant to take a mouthful of potato and discover that we have taken a mouthful of horseradish instead.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilder.

Richard Watson Gilder, editor of The Century, is thin and slight, with long gray hair, a piping, reedy voice, delicate features and a manner of nervous modesty. He looks the last man alive to have won such a very great prize as the editorship of The Century, which came about in this wise: When quite young Mr. Gilder started a small publication, Golden Days, or something of the sort. It was bought by The Century company, and its editor, who had had the good luck to win Dr. Holland's approval, was made that gentleman's assistant. A few years later Dr. Holland died, and the directors of the enterprise honored his memory by putting young Gilder in his place.

Mr. Gilder's sanctum is the handsomest in New York—in fact, altogether æsthetic. It has an open fireplace, brass andirons, with rugs, hangings, draperies and pictures in the highest style of art. It is full of greens at Christmas, of flowers at Easter. In it Mr. Gilder is altogether charming. His wife is much more substantial looking than he is. She is a cousin of Mrs. Grover Cleveland—hence the intimacy between the two families. Mrs. Gilder is also much given to art, and spends much time at the brush, especially in summer, when she is at Marion, Mass., where her husband has had built for her a studio of big granite blocks which is said to be the most unique in America.—Epoch.

An Army Electrical Corps.

The New York Electrical Review, in commenting on the suggestion recently advanced by Lieut. Fiske, and now under consideration, that an electrical corps be established in the army and navy to take charge of electrical appliances in time of war, refers to the fact that a few months ago it advanced some ideas on the same subject. It suggested that electrical men might, profitably to themselves, enroll themselves as members of the New York naval militia, and thus in a certain degree return the obligation the electrical profession owes the navy, from the ranks of which many of its most distinguished workers have been recruited.

The Electrical Review is inclined to think that some of the officers and men now in the service could be advantageously detailed to such work. In case of emergency a fair supply of competent engineers could be made available, but if civilians were pressed hurriedly into action their lack of military training might prove a serious embarrassment, so that a much higher standard of efficiency would be attained by having such a corps equipped with men skilled in the tactics of warfare.

Plea for Cosmetics.

One can't in the least blame American women if they do spend, as Kate Field says they do, $62,000,000 a year for cosmetics. Mighty sum indeed for women to spend in keeping their persons sweet and attractive, considering how many million women there are to spend it, and the women don't spend it nearly all, either! Who buys the expensive French tooth washes, essences and pomades but gentlemen? Who uses the finest face powders but the men who patronize first class barbers? Take it any way you please, send in the whole bill to the women, and it comes to about $3 a year for toilet necessaries, not by any means all white lead or calomel. Please remember that the cosmetic art is older than that of medicine and was a science before the latter was anything better than conjuring.—Shirley Dare.

Chance for Argument.

Cultured Mother—Did you write to the tailor about that suit of clothes?

Small Son—Yes, ma; here's the letter.

C. M.—Mercy! you've spelled suit s-o-o-t.

S. S.—Isn't that right?

C. M.—Of course not. Soot is the black stuff.

S. S.—These clothes are of black stuff.

C. M.—But soot is the black stuff that gathers in a chimney. The word you should use is s-u-i-t. It comes from the French and means set."

S. S.—But these clothes don't set. That's why we're sending 'em back.—Good News.

Mr. Gloer's Large Family.

Mr. Isaac D. Gloer is a man of ordinary size, weighing about 160 pounds, but he is the head of a family that weighs in aggregate numbers 1,500 pounds, and there are only four children and six in family. Mr. Gloer lives in Bowman, Ga., and is consequently a near neighbor.

Here is the way it comes about: Mr. I. D. Gloer, the old man, weighs about 160 pounds; his wife weighs 300 pounds, while his children come as follows: his son Isham weighs 190 pounds; Joseph weighs 300 pounds; Mary, 300 pounds; David, 300 pounds, which makes a total of 1,500 pounds for a family of six persons.—Athens Ledger.

An Esthetic Arab.

It was on a Back Bay street. A ragamuffin picked up a faded chrysanthemum from the sidewalk. He ran up to a gentleman passing by. "Got a pin, mister?" The gentleman saw the Arab's ambition to get the flower on the lapel of his coat, and obligingly pinned it on for him.—Boston Transcript.

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Too Literal.

Young men who play football on the college elevens generally have an extra incentive to strive for championship honors in the shape of souvenirs of the precious metals given to the team at the head of the list. It isn't that these medals are needed to bring the athletes up to the proper stage of enthusiasm, but it is the custom to give them, and very nice trinkets they are to have. A great deal of care is taken in their designing and preparation, of course, for after a man has attended a few social reunions on the football field he has a fancy for the artistic in life. Recently a victorious team were to be presented with trophies, and a noted New York jeweler was retained to turn out the lot. Included in the set was one for the manager of the eleven, who, as it happened, did not play on the eleven.

It had been arranged that each player was to have his position on the team engraved under his name on his medal. Perhaps the letter explaining this had been a trifle too explicit in its directions, for when the trophies were delivered the manager was surprised to find that carefully inscribed on his under his name was this: "No position; did nothing at all." As this manager was rather a hard worker for the success of his team, he was far from pleased with the result that had followed his little explanatory note to the engraver that he had not taken part in any of the bloody battles on the white-wash lined field.—New York Times.

Gold Dust and Nuggets.

The mines of the far west are well illustrated in the government collection, and in some of the specimens nuggets of gold are seen. In a great safe of steel, behind glass doors, there are dozens of little boxes containing gold dust, and other boxes on which there are nuggets of pure gold of all sizes from the head of a pin to the size of your fist. On a shelf over all are two round pieces of gold as thick as your wrist and about two inches long. They came from the vaults of the treasury, and no one knows how they ever got there.

The most valuable of the jewels of Uncle Sam, however, are those which are found in the relics of great men near the entrance to the museum. They are worth tens of thousands of dollars in the intrinsic value of the gold and jewels of which they are made up, to say nothing of their workmanship. There are swords by the dozens set with diamonds, guns inlaid with precious stones and canes which have heads of gold, in which are imbedded jewels which would shine at any White House reception. These jewels are so valuable that a guard is detailed to watch them night and day. Each case has a burglar alarm.—Washington Cor. Pittsburg Dispatch.

It Is Good Reading.

It has occasionally been remarked in a half reproachful way that most of the reading of the people is newspaper reading. Grant it, and there is no reason to find fault. The average good newspaper contains less fustian and untenable matter than a large percentage of books. It is bound to keep pace with the level headed common sense of the people.

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The newspapers have steadily improved in every particular. The most scholarly men and men deepest engrossed in business are persevering newspaper readers. In reality there is not an institution of the age more potent and more useful than the press.—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

The Oddest Hotel Man.

"I met the oddest hotel man in the business two weeks ago," said a young commercial traveler at the Astor house. "He lives in Bellaire, Ohio, and runs the Globe hotel there. His name is 'Zeke' Morris, and he is a little, stoop shouldered man, with a gray mustache and eyes, who tells all his guests who stop with him for the first time that his rates are $2 a day regular, $2.25 if you spit on the floor. He has no bar in his house, nor does he ever sell cigars to help his revenue. Still, I am told that he measure out every bit of food that goes into his dining room.

"He had a fight with one of his guests once, owing to his peculiar rules, and came out second best with a big black eye. After the fracas was over he shook hands with his antagonist, and informed him that since he was a better man than he was he would not charge him any board. He treated me all right, however, and I didn't have to whip him either," said the commercial man reflectively. "But then I did not expectorate inside of his threshold."—New York Telegram.

Why She Was So Called.

"How did you come to name your little daughter Mildred?" asked the judge. "No one in your family bears that name." "It was this way," replied the major. "We were a long time choosing a name for her. One day she was playing near a millrace and fell in. Although we rescued her she was badly frightened and can't be induced to go near the place since. Her dread of the mill has supplied her with her name."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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It is thought that the National Academy of Design may be induced to reconsider its decision against taking part in an effort to create an American Salon. The criticism which the members of that venerable body have received since their decision is not calculated, however, to improve their tempers or render them more likely to concede a point. It is certain that whether or not there is a combined exhibition of retrospective or contemporary art in New York in 1892 there will be a number of small ones.

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Two ladies are strolling out of a down town church—"I didn't see you at the funeral," says one; "there was lovely singing!" "No, I didn't go," said the other abstractedly; "I think it's wicked to enjoy yourself too much."

If it be unlawful for a newspaper to publish the name of a person who drew a prize doll at a church fair, one wonders if newspapers containing marriage notices will not also be declared unmailable, considering that "marriage is a lottery."

A woman at St. Joseph, Mo., the other day obtained a verdict of $10 damages for the ruin of a dress owing to the rear car of a train on the Hannibal Railroad not being pulled up to the front of the depot on a very rainy night, whereby she was obliged to alight in the mud, and her dress was spoiled. She sued for $100.

Count de Vermicelli, an Italian nobleman, now in New York, is engaged to be married to Miss Maud Snobberly on Fifth avenue. One of the guests at a recent social gathering at the Snobberly mansion asked old Mrs. Snobberly—she used to be a servant girl—how she liked her prospective son-in-law. "Me and Mr. Snobberly are both tickled to death with Count de Vermicelli, and the way he is stuck on Maud is a sin. You can't have any idea of how the Count dotes on that girl. Everything in the world that he imagines she wants, he makes us buy for her."

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DAISIES.

Golden rod and Neptune's trident grew thick along the old stone wall, and many a daisy lingered in the grass of the big meadow. Ned Egbert sat under his great white umbrella with all the impedimenta which a very young artist thinks necessary scattered about him, and sketched the distant pines and the old thatched barn, and put in Jim, the handy man, for the sake of the bit of color furnished by his red shirt.

Bessie Beck looked over his shoulder in mute admiration.

"How perfectly splendid it must be to paint," she said. "I'd give millions of dollars if I could just do one of those daisies."

This was a liberal offer from a girl whose private fortune was twenty-five cents in silver and an old copper penny with a hole in it, but Bessie was of an enthusiastic nature.

"Yes, just one of those daisies," she repeated.

Young Egbert laughed.

"That is easy enough," he said; "I'll teach you to paint a daisy."

"Oh, no, you couldn't. I haven't a bit of genius," said Bessie.

"You don't know until you try," said Ned. "But it don't need genius to paint daisies."

"Don't it?" asked Bessie.

"No," said Ned, "it's only a trick of the brush. Sit down here, and I'll show you how to do it."

Bessie looked at her dress and smoothed down her calico apron with her pretty hands, now undeniably pink from long immersion in hot suds, for it was washday.

Surely a painting lesson ought to be a full dress occasion, she thought.

"Oh, how I look to paint," she faltered.

"As sweet as you always do," said Ned. "There, sit down."

He twitched away the landscape which stood upon the easel, and substituted a clean mill board and knelt down behind Bessie's chair.

"Take the palette—so," he said. "Now hold the mahlstick—so. I suppose I'll have to guide your hand for a while." And as mothers teach their babies to make their first great A's and crooked S's he taught the girl to set the petals in a circle and touch in the yellow centre, until after a while she caught the trick and could do it herself. Three or four queer little straggling attempts, three or four better ones, and then with slow precision and eager, anxious eyes she watched what seemed to her a very perfect flower form itself under the tip of her brush.

"Is it good?" she asked Ned.

"Very," said Ned. "Wonderful, considering."

"I cannot believe I did it," said Bessie. And after that she made another with greater ease.

"Oh!" she said at last, with the long drawn sound with which children hail the ascent of a skyrocket. "Oh!"

"Bessie!" screamed a voice in the distance, "Bessie—Bess-ee!"

"There's aunty calling me!" cried the girl, between tears and laughter. "I had forgotten all about her." And thrusting mahlstick, palette and brushes into the young artist's hands she flew toward the house, leaving Ned staring after her in all the blushing rapture of a boy in love, for those few moments had given Cupid a chance to drive an arrow straight to his heart. He had always thought Bessie a very pretty girl. Now she was a divinity, and it seemed to him quite shocking that her aunt, the fat farmer's wife with whom she boarded, should have the right to call her to peel potatoes or stew pumpkin, or that any household service should be required of her.

Ned Egbert had just received the paternal consent to become a professional artist.

It had been his father's hope that he would take business, and the old gentleman had held out for a long time, but at last he had relented. Ned was to study seriously that winter and go to Europe in the spring. Now he was sketching from nature among the Catskills, and, as we see, teaching his landlady's niece to paint daisies.

He gave her many lessons after that. He taught her those simple rules of perspective that astonish those ignorant of drawing. He showed her how to draw a street, and a house, and a room, but though she worked as diligently as she could, considering her multitudinous duties, and ruled myriads of straight lines toward a point of sight and fillep a drawing book with a hundred vistas, the only thing she really seemed to succeed with was the daisy. She grew quite clever at this, and painted them in her friends' albums on the panels of her garret bedroom door, and at the corner of her note paper, and felt great satisfaction in gazing at them after they were finished.

Meanwhile Ned Egbert wrote to his father that he was diligently "studying from nature," and that his gratitude for the paternal clemency was still undiminished.

Autumn had come. The sketches Ned sent home for inspection were all of bare boughs and paths carpeted with yellow leaves and fields of stubble. The summer boarders had vanished like thistledown, and it was pleasant to set up his easel in the warm kitchen, and paint Bessie cleaning spoons, or Bessie paring apples, or Bessie beating eggs.

One day by accident he placed one of these sketches in the parcel he regularly sent home for his father's inspection. The mill board had slipped under the stretcher of a large canvas. When the box was opened his Aunt Penelope pounced on it in a second, and her eyes sparkled as she said:

"Ah, ha!"

"A figure piece," said old Egbert. "And by Jove, the best of the bunch!"

"From nature evidently," said Miss Penelope, "and a very pretty girl." After a few moments' inspection she added, "Brother, I think you might as well let Ned go to Europe this winter."

"Yes, yes; I think I will," answered the old gentleman, regarding the girl making pies" with great satisfaction.

The next evening but one Miss Penelope alighted from the Prattsville stage at Mrs. Beck's door. She had traveled many hours, as on a matter of life and death. Indeed it seemed to her to be one. Her heart was full of anxiety, but she was a woman who knew how to control the expression of her feelings.

She beamed upon the farmer's wife; she beamed upon Bessie, who was decorating a pie plate plate with daisies by the light of a kerosene lamp.

"I know you will put me somewhere for the night," she said to Mrs. Beck, "and I am going to carry Ned away with me to-morrow. Your father was so delighted with your sketches, especially the figure piece, that he thinks you might as well go to Europe at once. Mr. Brush is going and will introduce you to the proper people. Really I think figures are your forte. This young lady must have been your original for the pie baker."

Bessie blushed violently.

"Quite an artist herself," said Miss Penelope, putting up her eyeglass to inspect the pie plate. "Daisies! How pretty! Now, tell me me you are delighted, Ned, to be so near Europe."

But Ned could not speak cheerfully. He was miserable at the thought of being sent away from Bessie—of being divided by the ocean. Fears that Si Hawkins, the dapper clerk at the store, would cut him out troubled him.

He could scarcely have hoped to linger at Bessie's side making sketches of her forever; but Aunt Penelepe's arrival and the news she gave him came like the shock of an earthquake.

It was quite impossible, however, for him to do anything about it. He was swept away by the early stage, with no opportunity to bid Bessie any adieu more tender than might be offered amid the assembled family in the front hall.

His eyes were full of tears; so were Bessie's. What! not one whisper, not one kiss—to tell the truth it would not be the first he had stolen—no, not even one long pressure of the hand. He was in the stage; they were away. Aunt Penelope was talking of art, and he was wishing that he dared cover his face and cry.

"Bessie!" his heart cried out, "Bessie!" but his lips dared not utter a word. And still, when he had reached home and Mr. Brush had been asked to dine with them, and all the talk was of Europe and great painters, and the old masters, and his future prospects, he began to glow again with the old hopes—to dream of the great pictures he would paint. But he did not carry out his resolution of telling his father that he would go in for business in order that he might remain near Bessie, but he sat down and wrote the girl a letter—a long, tender letter—telling her that wherever he should go her image would go with him, and asking her to be his wife one day, and giving her his address in Paris, where he would go first, begging her to write soon.

"And until I get your answer I shall know no peace," he wrote; "though I hope you do not care for Silas Hawkins."

And he drew a little daisy in the corner, and told her that he had kissed it, and begged her to put her lips to it also.

It was a foolish boy's foolish letter, if you will; but he felt very near heaven when he wrote it. Just as he had sealed it his Aunt Penelope popped into the room. Perhaps she had peeped in before.

"I am going to post my letters," she said. "Shall I take any for you?"

Aunt Penelope had beamed so sweetly upon Bessie that the boy had persuaded himself that she secretly sympathized with his love affair. Now she gave him a little arch look, and he returned a grateful glance, and as she opened her reticule dropped his missive into its maw and heard the crisp snap with which it swallowed it up without a misgiving.

Miss Penlope loved her nephew truly, and when she burned the letter in the kitchen range she said to herself:

"I know what is for the poor boy's good far better than he knows himself. That girl is no mate for him and I've no doubt she will be much happier with Silas Hawkins."

You see, she had read the letter before she consigned it to the flames.

Shortly after Ned Egbert left America in company with Mr. Brush, and through the winter evenings Bessie sat painting daisies and thinking of Ned, but no word came to her.

On Sundays Silas Hawkins came and made himself as agreeable as possible, but Ned had no reason to be jealous of him, for when he offered his hand and heart and a prospective grocery business Bessie gently but decisively declined them.

She began to think that the young man had forgotten her, but she knew that she should never forget him. Meanwhile he, with all the novelty of Paris occupying his mind, with his studies, with all Europe before him, still remembered. Nothing could make him forget—not modern art, nor the old masters, nor the bright eyes that often beamed upon him. In time he came to believe that the love had all been on his side, but he should never find any one like Bessie, he said to himself, in all the world.

When he came home a full fledged painter, and opened a studio and had receptions and was spoken of favorably by the critics he had not forgotten her. His life had not been without romance nor had he escaped adventure. He had met woman so beautiful that Bessie could in no wise compare with them; but when he thought of the woman who should one day share his fireside and be the mother of his children, none of these rare beauties arose before him, but instead a simple American face, honest eyes that knew no arts of coquetry—Bessie's face. Bessie's eyes—none other.

At least he thought he must see her once again; he must banish his illusion, if it was one; he must know what Bessie had become; and he went up to Prattsville very shortly and found the Beck homestead where it had been. No Becks were there, however. Mrs. Beck had gone to live with a married son "somewhere west." A new man had the store; he barely remembered Si Hawkins, who had married and "set up in New York." Five years seemed to have changed everything completely, and Ned returned to his studio convinced that it was Bessie whom Hawkins had married.

He mentioned his visit to nobody. A sense of blight and disappointment lay upon him for some days—a feeling that he had lost life's best good. Then he shut the doors of the past behind him and began life in earnest. And now Aunt Penelope, still at the helm and active as ever, began to steer his bark toward the happy isles of matrimony.

It is quite the thing nowadays for æsthetic heiresses to marry fashionable young artists. For an elegant heiress of this sort Aunt Penelope kept sharp lookout, and soon described her in the person of Miss Edna Vale. The spinster had not been quite free of self accusation in that matter of Ned's first love affair. She felt that she should never absolve herself entirely until she saw him in love again, and she constantly pointed out Miss Vale's perfections—her classical features, her graceful movements, her swanlike neck, her low voice, her costumes, now Grecian, now Venetian. Ned could not refuse to acknowledge her beautiful, and at last Aunt Penelope felt that her efforts had not been in vain.

The Vales had given a musicale. Ned and Edna had been together all the evening, and now she had spoken of a rare flower that had just bloomed in the conservatory, and he had asked her to let him see it.

"He will propose there, I am sure," Miss Penelope thought, as they walked away. "I see it in his eye."

She was right. Ned had deliberately made up his mind to ask Miss Vale to be his wife, but no such happy thrills as those which had come to him when he held Bessie's little pink wrist and taught her to paint her first daisy moved him as he offered his arm to Edna.

"I am no longer a boy," he thought; "that sort of thing is over. I suppose it is with every man at 30—I suppose it ought to be."

A soft opal light filled the conservatory. The air was laden with perfume. A sort of soft mist seemed to hover over the plants, and in it he saw a vision—Bessie's face, her hand, a daisy between the fingers. He uttered an inarticulate exclamation. It was gone!

"I beg pardon," he said. "Really, is your conservatory haunted? I thought I saw a ghost behind the roses."

"Oh, that was only Bessie!" said Miss Vale.

"Bessie!" he gasped, "only Bessie!"

"My little sister's maid," said Edna. "She is always gliding about in that ghostly way. She comes here to smell the flowers, and sometimes to get a daisy to copy."

"A daisy?" he repeated, as if in a dream.

Edna was familiar with the fact that a man on the verge of proposing often becomes semi-idiotic. Rather in order to torment him than because she had any interest in her sister's maid she went on:

"Oh, I assure you she is artistic! When she has a holiday, instead of going out in a green frock and a red bonnet to enjoy herself, she shuts herself up and paints daisies. Some one—some sign painter, I presume—taught her to do it once upon a time, and she came from her native wilds to New York with the view of becoming a decorator, I believe. The Church charity found her starving in an empty hall room and persuaded her to go out to service, and mamma tried her in the nursery. She is quite faithful, but such an idiot. The butler wanted to marry her, and mamma tried to talk her into it. Such an opportunity for the girl! But she said she had 'loved once, and never could like any one again.' Mamma feels sure that she was thinking of the sign painter. Of course she has read romances and fancies herself a heroine. Now do look at this flower; is it not splendid?"

Egbert muttered something unintelligible.

Edna saw that he was staring at vacancy across the roses.

"I wonder whether he will drop on his knees, as Capt. McAllister did?" she asked herself as she hid a smile behind her fan and waited for what she thought was coming. But nothing came, and in a moment it flashed upon Edna that the gentleman had either forgotten or repented of his purpose in leading her to the conservatory. What could pique a woman more? Her heart was full of wrath, but she was equal to the emergency. "Why, there is Mrs. Lester," she cried. "I must speak to her!" and away she sped, following a blue satin train that swept past the conservatory door, and leaving Egbert as she hoped to anger and mortification.

For his part, however, Ned felt no such emotions. Beyond the mass of foliage and blossom he saw an open door, and in the passage beyond it he fancied that a woman's figure lingered. Another moment and he had entered the passage. A shadowy figure fled. With two long strides he overtook it, peered into its face and clasped it to his heart; and all those sweet emotions, those tender heart throbs, those enchanting thrills that he thought dead with his lost boyhood returned to him as he whispered:

"Oh, Bessie! I have found you at last, and we must never part again!"

—*Mary Kyle Dallas in Fireside Companion.*

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr. Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

The furniture made for the "Grant room" in the Stewart palace, New York city has been sold at auction. The inlaid and carved pieces in the set which, of course, were made to order, cost Stewart from $2000 to $3000 a piece. Under the hammer the bedstead brought $240; the bureau, $30; the French dresser, $166, and the wardrobe with mirror doors, $200. The figures for the other furniture from the mansion were very low.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

The Pillars of Hercules was the name given in ancient time to the mountains of Calpe and Abyla, standing opposite to each other, the one on the European, the other on the African shore of the straits, which connect the Mediterranean with the Atlantic. These mountains are now called, one the Rock of Gibraltar, the other Jebel Zatout.

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John M. Allen, of Charlotte, N. Y. said to his friend, "Parsons, I am about dead with the Gravel, and cannot find help." Mr. Parsons induced Mr. Allen to give Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., a trial. Weeks went by and the friends met. Mr. Allen said, "Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has saved my life. It is a sure cure for Gravel."

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Woman's Column.

Mrs. Schliemann means to continue the excavations at Sissurlik, carrying them out in conformity with Dr. Schliemann's plans.

The Princess of Wales has given orders that nothing need be submitted for her inspection, or that of her daughters, in which birds are used as trimming. She sets a good example.

Mrs. Sarah O. Marsh of Quincy, Mich., has been appointed by Gov. Luce a member of the industrial board, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mrs. Judge Cooley. Mrs. Marsh is a graduate of Albion College, and is eminently qualified to discharge the duties of the office.

Mrs. Mary C. Shaw, of Pittsburg, Pa., has left her fortune to promote the study of American Archæology and Ethnology. The will provides that the income of the property, about $1,500 a year, shall go to Miss Alice C. Fletcher as long as she lives, to assist her in her researches among the Indians. This is an excellent bequest.

During the past year, the Madison Avenue Depository and Woman's Exchange in New York has paid depositors over $14,000. One woman has received $1,200 during the year from pies alone. The only depositors in this exchange are self-supporting women who otherwise might not find any way to put their work before the public.

The Kansas House of Representatives elected Miss Anna McChord of Herington assistant clerk, and Mrs. Ada C. Runner assistant postmistress, and by resolution appointed Miss Anna Cherry chief enrolling clerk, with seven assistants, all women. Miss McChord is the only officer of the last house re-elected. The Senate elected Miss Netra G. McLaughlin chief enrolling clerk, and she has appointed eleven women enrolling clerks.

Mrs. Catherine Banville, of Washington, D. C., has, since the death of her husband five years ago, carried on his business of horse-shoeing, and is thus supporting and educating her four little boys. Mrs. Banville is said to be a thoroughly practical woman. She has done work for some of the finest stables in Washington, including that of Senator Leland Stanford; and the Sergeant-at-Arms, Capt. Valentine, lately awarded her the contract for this class of work for the U. S. Senate.

Gov. Thayer, of Nebraska, has gone insane through the fatigue and excitement attendant upon the contest over the election. If a woman had lot her mind under such circumstances, or if any assembly of women had behaved as the Legislatures of Nebraska and several other States have lately been doing, it would have been quoted everywhere as a proof that women are not fit for legislators. We shall not say that of the men who have so misbehaved. But it is evident that they need the civilizinfi influence of the "help meet for them."—*Woman's Journal.*

See What

The well known manager of excursions to Washington, California, and the White Mountains, I. A. Whitcomb, says: I have never had anything do me so much good as your Sulphur Bitters. It is the best spring medicine I ever used. I would advise all who suffer from biliousness and dyspepsia to use Sulphur Bitters, for I know they cured me.

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Speaking of American shipbuilders, the Boston *Post* remarks: "Why not try the simpler and less costly experiment of allowing them to go ahead under more liberal tariff and navigation laws, with other large customers than the Government to work for?" If the *Post* were less of a Rip Van Winkle it would know by this time that under the McKinley tariff our ship

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

MAYOR BEAN'S VETOES.

We print in this issue of the JOURNAL the vetoes which Mayor Bean delivered to the Aldermen at a special meeting last Saturday evening in order that the people may read and judge for themselves of their merits. As they have given rise to a great deal of comment, favorable and unfavorable, it is only fair to the Mayor that the public should be put in possession of his reasons, as given in his own language, for rejecting the orders, hence their appearance verbatim in these columns.

The Mayor's veto of the salary order will, we think, command general approbation. Considering the very friendly relations which exist between Clerk Lounsbury and Mayor Bean the veto should be regarded in the light of a heroic act.

But the city's expenses must be kept down, and the rate of taxation must not be increased.

As to the veto of the Ward 6 street light order we are not in a condition to express an intelligent opinion, not having given the matter any serious thought.

This we would remark: if the friction which has already begun to show itself between Mayor Bean and his friends in the City Council on one side, and a majority of the Council on the other, is not soon overcome it will be all the worse for the people.

GENERAL SHERMAN.

General William Tecumseh Sherman died at his home in New York City at half past one o'clock last Saturday afternoon aged 71 years. The news reached Washington immediately and deep sorrow was expressed over the death of the great military chieftain by everybody at the Capital of the Nation where he was loved and honored as one of the great heroes of the late War of the Rebellion.

The whole Nation is in mourning for the loss of General Sherman. He was not only the hero of the War next after General Grant but since its close he has been equally the hero of Washington and New York Society which he loved and in which he shone with a brilliancy unequalled by any, and an idol of the whole country. He was a favorite everywhere and with everybody, and the tears that were shed over his bier came from the heart.

The three greatest Union warriers in the Rebellion—Grant, Sherman and Sheridan—are dead. The first died some six years ago; the "gallant Phil" two or three later; and now comes Sherman, whose "March to the Sea" was one of the most brilliant military campaigns that has been recorded in the history of modern times, and he too has surrendered his sword into the hands of a more powerful enemy than he ever met before. They are all gone, and no one of the three noble warriors will be missed more than Gen. Sherman.

☞ We regret to learn that the Lynn *Bee*, after a struggle of 10 years, has been obliged to succumb to financial embarrasments and give up the fight. It was the only Democratic daily outside of Boston in this part of Massachusetts and perhaps its bad politics may have had something to do with its demise. The *Bee* was a bright, ably edited paper, and we are sorry to be obliged to record its decease.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Main St.—For Sale.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
W. Woodman—Insurance.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
Mrs. F. W. Hill—Prof. Churchill.
R. B. P. Co.—Royal Baking Powder.

— Mr. Ward Wyman, an old resident, is quite ill.

— It is hoped that Mr. E. N. Blake will get out again soon.

— There was another heavy rain storm on last Tuesday night.

— C. M. Munroe is selling overcoats at wonderfully cheap figures so people say.

— At 6 A. M. Sunday the mercury was two degrees above zero at Brown's gatehouse.

— The Board of Trade held an important business meeting last Tuesday evening.

— Anyone wishing to buy a "democrat" wagon will do well to read ad. in our business columns.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith makes an important business announcement in the JOURNAL this week.

— The church bells in this city tolled for General Sherman's funeral from 2 to 3.00 yesterday afternoon.

— It is proposed to ask the Railroad authorities to change the name of Central Square station to Park station.

— Mr. Alexander Ellis was seriously threatened with pneumonia last week, but we are glad to hear that he is better.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mentzer of Lexington street are visiting the parents of the former at Northboro, this State, and enjoying life.

— A sunlight assembly will be held in Armory Hall, Stoneham, next Monday afternoon. Street car fare to Stoneham is only 5 cents.

— Thomas H. Hill, Esq., and family started for their new home at Sequachee, Tenn., last Wednesday afternoon. May they prosper and be happy.

— A warm, heavy rain storm prevailed on Monday night. On Monday morning the mercury stood 41 above—39 degrees warmer than on Sunday morning.

— Mr. Charles A. Wood, who succeeded his father as a merchant in this city, talks strongly of seeking in the West a business location and probably a future home.

— The Woburn Co-operative Bank sold at its meeting last week $2,950 at 5 per cent premium. At its next meeting it will have between $3,000 and $4,000 to sell.

— Supt. Sewell has issued a new schedule for the arrival and departure of cars on the No. Woburn Street Railroad which will appear in the next issue of the JOURNAL.

— Yesterday was a gloomy sort of a day. It was neither a February nor a March day, but a little of both—windy, dusty, sunshiny, cold, and generally disagreeable.

— Mr. Charles H. Nichols, who was injured by a fall at his stable at No. Woburn early this month, has got well enough to be out again, for which his many friends will be glad.

— Charles R. Rosenquist of Greenwood Ave. in this city has a calla lily which has 7 blooms and one bud on it. Such a large number of flowers at one time on a calla lily is unusual.

— Miss M. C. Messer of this city has accepted a call from the authorities of Evelyn College for Young Women at Princeton, N. J., to superintend the health of the pupils in that institution.

— Judge P. L. Converse was 69 years old last Saturday, and no one would take him for older than about 57. His step is as elastic as ever and not a faculty is in the least degree impaired.

— Hall & Jaquith keep the old grain mill buzzing in the liveliest kind of a manner. It is gratifying to be informed that the firm are doing a firstclass grain and feed business for it is a square-toed house.

— Mr. Webster Woodman at Mr. C. M. Munroe's clothing store, represents the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York in this city to the entire satisfaction of every firm doing business with it.

— Auctioneer Gregory tells in another place in this paper all about his approaching vendue of what remains of the stock in trade of Mr. Charles A. Wood, to which announcement particular attention is called.

— Music at the First Congregational church for Sunday A. M., Feb. 22, 1891, will be:

Organ Prelude. "Communion in E minor." E. Batiste.
Antiphonal Chant. "Venite in A flat."
Choir Anthem. "Come unto me."
Organ Postlude. "Marcia Religioso". E. Silas.

— Rev. W. A. Start will preach at Concert Hall at 3 p. m. next Sunday instead of 2.30. Please notice the change of time. Mr. Start's subject will be 'The Universalist view of the Doctrine of Repentance, Conversion and Regeneration."

— By invitation of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church, Crystal Fount Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., will attend services at that church Sunday evening, March 1. The pastor will preach a sermon appropriate to the visit of the Lodge.

— C. Roose, A. Soderberg and C. G. Josephson from Cambridge had charge of the Scandinavian meetings last Sunday, the first as preacher and the other two as leaders of the singing. They are very good guitar players, and played and sung many new hymns during the two meetings.

— It is a fact that nowhere in this country can furniture be purchased at such low prices as at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, on Canal street, in Boston. This is the reason why in the last twelve years this establishment has steadily grown until it is now the largest of its kind on this continent.

— On Tuesday evening the Salvation Army will give a temperance entertainment in Y. M. C. A. Hall, which will be worth attending. First-rate musical talent has been engaged for it. There will also be "swearing in of recruits." The Army is gaining ground here and is already quite a strong religious organization.

— Officials of the East Middlesex Street Railroad Company are considering the advisability of adopting electricity on their line from Chelsea to Woburn. When this has been done, then the North Woburn cars will be next in order, and away we'll whirl to Medford or Woburn propelled by this powerful agency.—*Winchester Star.*

— Chairman W. F. Kenney of the School Board ordered flags to be hoisted and float at half-mast over all the school houses in this city yesterday as a token of respect to the memory of General Sherman. Flags from Municipal Building, the postoffice, flagstaff, and other places waived at half-mast during the funeral of the old hero yesterday.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade will surrender the Woburn Centre postoffice, that has been so well conducted by him for the last four years, to his successor, Mr. Arthur Wyman, on Saturday, Feb. 28. Mr. Reade and his efficient assistants will be greatly missed. They will retire with the best wishes of this community for their future prosperity and happiness.

— The postmaster of Quincy visited this town last week for the purpose of inspecting the postoffice to enable him to prepare plans for a new office in that city. After looking it over a visit was made to the Woburn office which is claimed to be a model of perfection. The visitors, we understand, preferred the Winchester office to all others visited.—*Winchester Star.* As an exhibition of boiled down, concentrated, unadulterated gall the forgoing "takes the cake."

— The twelfth annual report of the State Board of Lunacy and Charity of Massachusetts contains a highly complimentary notice of the condition and management of Woburn Almshouse, of which Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Brown are the efficient and popular Master and Matron. The institution was visited on May 26 last by the Board's visitor and the following is the report as printed: "This almshouse has had many additions from time to time, is in good repair, and thoroughly well managed," and then goes on to describe the rooms, inmates, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have received flattering notices of their management from the Board every year they have been at their present post. No better people for it could possibly be secured.

— At a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen called by Mayor Bean and held on last Saturday evening the Mayor submitted his veto message on the orders of the Board for additional electric street lights in Ward 6, and for an increase of salery of the Clerk of the Common Council and Committees. The Mayor objected to additional lights because they were not needed; and to the salaries of the Clerk because he thinks they are high enough already. No action was taken on the veto, and the meeting was adjourned.

— Mr. John Ferguson has resigned the office of Overseer of the Poor after a service of 8 years. He was first elected in 1882 and with the exception of one year has served continuously ever since. He has filled the position with ability, impartially, and kindly, and it is believed that his resignation will be regretted by all classes. During all these years Mr. Ferguson has virtually been at the head of the Poor Department and his administration of its affairs has been profitable and satisfactory to all concerned. He will continue to fill the office of City Assessor.

— We recommend this community to read the following complimentary endorsement of Mr. Battis as an elocutionist: "To the Public: In addition to the certificate of graduation issued to Mr. Battis, we wish to say that, as a student, he is certainly unsurpassed; and, as a reader, he is excelled by few. All who hear him unite in pronouncing him one of the most pleasing readers on the rostrum.—PROFESSOR AND MRS. H. P. ROUNTREE, Principals of Chicago School of Oratory." Do fail to take the opportunity of hearing Mr. Battis at Miss Fosdick's Banjo and Guitar Concert on March 19.

— A civil service examination of candidates for positions on the Police force will be held in this city at 4 P. M. on next Tuesday, Feb. 24. Citizens who have been residents of Woburn for six months past have the right to apply. Blank applications may be obtained of the City Clerk. Applicants must be between 22 and 40 years of age, 5 feet, 8 inches in height, and weigh at least 140 pounds. Applicants should apply on or before Feb. 19. The age limitation does not apply to persons who served in the U. S. army or navy during the rebellion and received an honorable discharge. Chief Examiner Henry Sherwin will be present.

— In 1857 the late Mr. Dwight F. Eager was appointed Chief of Police of Woburn, and Judge Converse was first commissioned a Trial Justice in 1858. He has served as such and as Judge of the Fourth District Court ever since, and the Chiefs who, after Mr. Eager, have been his contemporaries were: Samuel R. Dolliver, Harris Johnson, Horace Collamore, John W. Day, Elisha F. Mann, John E. Tidd, Ambrose Bancroft, Charles K. Conn, Wilmot D. Nelson and William R. McIntosh. The one holding the office the greatest number of years was John W. Day, whose term was 9 years, and Charles K. Conn came next with a record of 6 years.

— The Scandinavian sale table and auction in Y. M. C. A. Hall last Saturday night was not as well patronized as it should have been. Over 100 Scandinavians were present and did the best they could by bidding off the different articles at a good deal higher price than the same could be bought for in the stores. About one half of the articles sold had been given by Scandinavians, and the other half by the merchants and a few other kind friends. The whole netted about $165, which amount goes towards the Scandinavian church now being erected in this city. Although this sale had been freely advertised, invitation to all, and free admission, not a single sale was made to any but Scandinavians.

— Several people in this city, so we are told, have recently lost considerable money by the collapse of "Investment" societies or companies, into joining which they had been cajoled by the promise of "big interest" on their "investments." Any scheme that promises 25, 50, and 100 percent interest to the shareholders, especially where they cannot show sound financial backing or basis, as not one in a hundred of these "Investment" companies can, should be given a wide birth and severely let alone. Some of them are bursting every little while and it looks as though all of them would finally kick the bucket. They are on the "Mrs. Howe's Bank" principle, and it is thought the present Legislature will provide measures for the suppression of most if not all of them. A good deal of anxiety is, we hear, felt by numbers of people in this city who have got into "Investment" companies a good deal deeper than they wish they had.

— The Woburn public may not realize to what extent it is indebted to Wellesley College for its many liberally educated young women. Since the opening of the College in 1875, twenty-five or more Woburn girls have received a partial or complete collegiate education there. Wellesley is no exception to nearly all similar institutions in needing to call occasionally upon her graduates for substantial pecuniary assistance. At the present time her alumnæ all over the U. S. are combining in an effort to pay a debt incurred in the erection of a much needed building. Woburn girls who have been students at Wellesley feel loyally bound to help their Alma Mater, and they ask their Woburn friends who have a common interest in forwarding the cause of higher education for women, to co-operate with them. Prof. Churchill of Andover will give an evening of readings in Music Hall, Woburn, Friday evening, March 6, under the auspices of Wellesley Alumnæ, the avails of which will contribute towards lessening the afore-mentioned debt. For further particulars see advertisement in this paper.

— The ladies of the Industrial Society of the Baptist church held a reception for the members of the Sunday School connected with the church Thursday evening, Feb. 12, at half past seven o'clock. Mrs. D. D. Winn, President, and Mrs. P. E. Bancroft, Vice-President, of the Society received their guests in the Ladies Parlor and after a social hour adjourned to the Lecture Room to be again cordially welcomed by Mrs. Winn and entertained with vocal and instrumental music. Mr. Mendum, Principal of the High School, kindly contributed to the enjoyment of the occasion by his very efficient rendering of selections, both pathetic and humorous. We understand a larger programme was intended but illness prevented the accomplishment of their plans. Ice cream, cake, and coffee were served with the usual liberality of the Industrial Society. Their kindness was fully appreciated, judging from the large attendance and the hearty and prolonged applause which greeted their efforts in behalf of the school. After another social hour they separated, thanking them for gracious reception, and hoping that the Ladies who had commenced this good work for the schools might be spared many years to continue to do likewise.—ONE OF THE SCHOOL.

Great Bazaar and Fair.

Liberty Council, No. 39, O. U. A. M., and Martha Washington Council, No. 14, D. of L., of this city, opened their grand 5-days Bazaar and Fair in Mechanics Hall corner of Main and Walnut streets (old M. E. meeting-house) last Tuesday evening with interesting public ceremonies and an eclat unsurpassed. It was accomplished under the happiest of auspices and most encouraging of omens. There was martial music of the best quality by the Woburn Brass Band, and street marching, and very fine orchestral music by the Woburn Orchestra, a popular organization of this city.

At 6.45 the Woburn Brass Band headed a procession of Stoneham and Woburn members of the Order to the station to receive State Councillor Joseph H. Simonds of Boston and staff. At the hall the Fair was formally opened by Chairman Orin Stevens, Jr., who was followed by State Councillor Joseph H. Simonds, Mayor George F. Bean, State Councillor's Secretary C. C. Littlefield, and members of the Staff in appropriate remarks.

At the hall the JOURNAL reporter found the display of goods, wares and merchandise a large and excellent one. The merchants and manufacturers had contributed handsomely to it, and a finer showing could hardly be conceived of. A unique and creditable display of Electric supplies is shown by the Johnston Electric Train Signal Co., who occupy Mr. Horace N. Conn's office. Here are goods made in Woburn, made carefully and with a knowledge of the most modern demands. It has taken upward of $20,000 to reach the condition by which such work could be turned out and the examples shown on their screen ought to gratify the stockholders of the Company as to the Company's efficiency, and sooth the anxious minds of those who never invested.

The Engine and Car with the signal attached, also the big glass push button, attract the attention of the visitor. Following is a partial list of the objects shown in this room; large, medium and small push buttons; bronze, brass and enamel front door push buttons; dust proof, skeleton, plain armature and iron box bells; burglar alarms, floor pushes, coppers, levers, couplers and fancy buzzers.

Two stories of the large building are used for purposes of the Fair and the contents of the various rooms attract much attention. It would require the space of a moderate sized volume to contain the names of the principal features of the exhibition. The entertainment on the opening night was furnished by the Campbell family, James Darmody in his lightning drill, Miss Marguerite B. Dorr, reader, and the Woburn Orchestra, and was of the very best kind.

The Fair, like wine, grows better as it grows older, and rare inducements are offered for attendance on this and tomorrow evenings. It closes on Saturday night. The entertainments which are given every evening are worth a great deal more than the cost of tickets, to say nothing of the splendid display of mechanical and other products which are open to inspection of the visitor.

Several special featurs add interest to the Fair. Medals are offered for the best shots in the W. H. S. B.; there is a set of Past Sachem's Regalia, I. O. R. M., to be voted for; ex-Councillor's Regalia, O. U. A. M.; gold badge for the most popular foreman of the Woburn Fire Department; a gold badge for the most populas Chief of Police of Woburn, Winchester and Stoneham; guessing contests and other lively things.

As remarked, this and tomorrow evenings will witness the capsheaf of interest at this great Bazaar and Fair, and, as the cause for which it is held is worthy one, everybody ought to patronize it.

Dedication of New M. E. Church.

Arrangements have been perfected for the dedication of the new Methodist Episcopal church in this city to take place on Monday next, Feb. 23. It is expected to be an occasion of deep interest.

At 10.30 a. m. a Ministers' Meeting will be held in the new edifice, and at 12.30 p. m. a collation will be served by the ladies of the church to visitors and invited guests.

At 2.30, p. m. will be carried out the following:

ORDER OF SERVICE.

1. Organ Voluntary.
   George H. Ryder.
2. Anthem.
3. Prayer.
4. Opening Service.
5. Duet.
   Mr. D. E. Page and Mrs. F. A. Partridge.
6. First Scripture Lesson.
7. Solo.
   Mrs. F. A. Partridge.
8. Second Scripture Lesson.
9. Hymn No. 770. Tune, Dennis.
10. Sermon.
    Rev. O. A. Curtis, D.D.
11. Address.
    Rev. J. W. Hamilton, D.D.
12. Psalm.
13. Dedication Hymn.
    By Rev. Mark Trafton, D. D.
14. Presentation of building by Trustees
15. Declaration.
16. Dedicatory Prayer.
17. Benediction.

In the evening a sermon will be preached by Prof. Townsend of Boston University.

A gentleman at Newnan, Ga., who was married about ten years ago, got such a good wife that on each Christmas morning since he has presented a $10 gold piece to the minister who officiated.

Two Vetoes.

At a called meeting of the Board of Aldermen held last Saturday evening the following vetoes, which speak for themselves, were handed in by Mayor Bean:

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: On the fifth instant the following order passed your Honorable Board:

"Be it ordered that the salary of the Clerk of the Common Council and of the Clerk of Committees be established at the rate of two hundred dollars and four hundred dollars respectfully per annum."

This order was adopted by the Common Council on February sixth.

I return it herewith without my approval. If there were no question involved except whether the salaries now attached to these positions were fully commensurate with the duties performed by the incumbent thereof I should be ready to agree with the City Council in providing for an increase. The time occupied in attending to the duties of the positions is very considerable and the amount of detail large, and both are, I think, beyond what was anticipated when the present salaries were fixed. I, however, regard the present as an inopportune time to take the first steps in a course, the result of which would be to materially increase the annual cost of supporting the city government. We should be just to the taxpayers before we are generous to salaried officials. The emolument attached to the position here involved as well as others is now sufficient to render competent men ready to seek and occupy them. We shall be justified in raising by taxation, during the current year, only such an amount as will serve to conduct the city's affairs on an economical basis. Present unavoidable demands on the city treasury are heavy and until they are reduced or the source of income increased so that the funds at our disposals are sufficient to warrant an increase in current expenses we must proceed with caution and practice economy.

I feel constrained to object to this order as not in line with the policy which it seems to me we are bound at present to follow.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) GEORGE F. BEAN,
Mayor.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN: I return herewith, without my approval, an order providing for the erection of six incandescent electric lights in accordance with the petition of E. H. Perley and others, which order originated in your Honorable Board and has been adopted by both branches of the City Council and reached me on the seventh instant.

I am led to this action by both special and general considerations. I have personally visited the section where the order prescribes that the lights shall be erected and after careful inspection I am convinced that the public good and convenience does not, at this time, call for or justify the action proposed. All the locations named in the order are within the limits of the territory recently opened by the North Woburn Land and Inprovement Company. Upon this section there are now about twelve residences whose occupants and owners would evidently be benefited by the introduction of the lights. They are the petitioners, I understand, whose request you have so favorably considered. While the benefit to accrue directly to those who ask the city council to take action involving public expense is an element to be considered in all cases, and while this benefit may be in some instances so great and the call for it so imperative as to afford ground in itself for an affirmative response, yet it must be admitted that we ought to consider in each case whether there is an apparent public need coupled with the admitted private advantage which the petitioners seek.

I do not regard the case in question as one presenting an imperative private need or supported by any consideration of public necessity.

The streets named in order are in a new section and have been recently laid out. There is no through travel upon them and I am informed, and judge from the appearance of the streets, that there is very little travel of any kind, except on foot, and even this is practically confined to the few residents of the section and those having occasion to call at their houses. This is an outlying district of North Woburn, which itself is an outlying ward of the city. It lies one side from frequently travelled highways. If it be claimed that there is a prospect of building to any considerable extent in the near future in this section it should be said in reply that the time to put in these lights will be when a more extensive occupation and use of these streets presents a better claim for the service than is now put forward.

But I object to this measure on more general and broader grounds than those already suggested. Within the last six years the expense of lighting our streets has increased more than 75 per cent and at present we expend annually in the vicinity of $7,000 in this department. I do not wish to be understood as intimating that I regard this increase in cost of street lighting as not on the whole quite necessary, nor do I think that the great improvement which the electric system has introduced is not to be viewed with satisfaction. I certainly would not advocate reducing the number of lights now in use. I am convinced, however, that no additional lights should be contracted for and the annual expense of lighting should not be increased at present unless cases are presented upon some much travelled street, or in a thickly settled section, where the darkness is a recognized inconvenience both to those residing in the vicinity and to the public generally and is also an evident source of danger to travellers. There are, I have no doubt, numerous locations in the city where electric lights could be placed so as to be of decided advantage to many people; but if we were to attempt to put a light in every place of this sort and to illuminate our highways from one end of the city to the other, we should find ourselves involved in an undertaking and the city involved by us in an outlay beyond the capacity of either to support.

I do not consider that the petitioners in this case present any stronger claim than might be offered by residents in many other sections. Indeed my observation satisfies me that in other parts of the city much *stronger* claims for additional lights could be presented. Several petitions are now in the hands of the committee on street lights and the experience of your predecessors indicates that other like requests will continue to come in. In the present condition of our finances, with the difficult problem before us of confining our appropriations within such bounds as will make the burden of taxation lighter and at the same time properly provide for our schools, our police, fire, water and other important departments, with an absolute uncertainty existing as to whether we can give to the street light department more than present contracts require to be appropriated with imperative demands upon us, which *alone* place our tax rate higher than the rate in nearly every other city in the Commonwealth, I feel compelled to veto the measure which, while it will benefit a few individuals, does not appear to me in any sense a public necessity. It is, to be sure, not a large sum which will be required to meet the annual cost of these six lights but the expense involved does not affect the question whether there is justification for it, and besides I cannot discover the point where we could logically stop in our favorable action on petitions of this and similar nature if we pass this order.

I do not take the position that no petition or measure involving a public work and outlay should be granted or passed. On the contrary I maintain that we are bound to carefully consider each case as it arises and in cases like the present one I regard it essential that the proper committee should inspect the location affected. Such investigation may develope facts which will satisfy us that our duty as public servants will be performed if we do what is asked of us.

In this case I have endeavored to investigate fully and decide honestly. I shall pursue the same course hereafter. I regret that my conclusions do not agree with the opinions expressed by the votes of a majority of the members of the two branches of the City Council. I shall be glad if the reasons which I have given for the position I have taken shall commend themselves to your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. F. BEAN, Mayor.
Woburn, Feb. 14, 1891.

Y. P. S. C. E.

To the efforts of Mr. Chester R. Smith, President of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Congregational Church of Woburn, was largely due the notable religious-temperance meeting held at that church on last Friday evening at which Hon. J. G. Woolley, the great Temperance Evangelist, next to Moody one of the most wonderfully successful preachers of modern times, was the principal speaker. He has been associated with Moody in his series of great Boston revival meetings and is one of the most eloquent and captivating men engaged in evangelistic work. The Society and public felt they owed Mr. Smith a large debt of gratitude for his successful efforts in getting the distinguished preacher to come to Woburn, for they were charmed with his eloquence and warmly welcomed the good he must have accomplished.

The church was filled with representatives of our best society. Would that it might have been filled with a class who do not stand so high in the world's regards but whose souls are just as dear to God as are those of the others, for the sick only need a physician. When such a rare opportunity is offered there ought to be more going out into the highways and byways and ditches for attendants and listeners and subjects for salvation. It is the sinners that need saving.

Introductory to the preaching there was a praise service given by a chorus of over fifty voices, conducted by Prof. William H. Clarke, who also presided at the organ. It lasted 15 minutes and was a delightful part of the order of exercises. A charming feature of the song service was the singing by Mrs. Walter C. Bailey who has been contributing a share with her beautiful voice to the deep interest ot the Moody meetings in Boston of late. During the meeting she sang "The Ninety and Nine," "Calvary," "A Sinner Like Me," and in each her full, sweet, melodious voice held her listeners spellbound and brought tears to many eyes unused to them. This praise service was truly a delightful part of the meeting.

After reading of the Scriptures and Invocation by Rev. Dr. March, Rev. Hugh Montgomery introduced Mr. Woolley in brief but appropriate words, when the eloquent Evangelist came to the front and gave an address which those who heard it will not soon forget. It was eloquent. It appealed to the head and heart alike. His words took right hold of the understanding as well as the emotions; it was a strong, earnest, honest appeal for a better life, and its effect on the listeners, judging by the attention they gave, must have been deep and salutary.

Fourth District Court Judgeship.

As will be seen in another column, the Governor has nominated Ex-Mayor Johnson of Woburn to be Trial Justice of the Fourth District Court at Woburn, to succeed Judge Converse. It appears from all that can be learned, that the resignation papers and also the petition favoring Mr. Johnson were forwarded to the Governor simultaneously. This was the first the public had heard of the resignation, which caused surprise, but not so much as did the petition following so closely at its heels, the suddenness of which was most bewildering and startling.

Judge Littlefield, who for the past seven years has acted in Mr. Converse's absence, was rather taken aback when he learned of the resignation and petition. His friends say that inasmuch as Mr. Littlefield has most acceptably filled this office, at times too when cases of the utmost importance were before it, requiring unusual care, that it would have been but just had he been given an opportunity to present his claims for the position.

But it was all done so slick. Even before Judge Converse's papers had gone forward, it is said, Mr. Johnson's friends were actively at work procuring the signatures of the Democratic committee of Woburn, Stoneham and Winchester, effectively barring out all climants. It was shrewdly done. Mr. Johnson will without doubt most acceptably fill the position and his numerous friends in Winchester tender him their congratulations.—*Winchester Star.*

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The second annual Officers ball of the W. H. S. B. was given in Lyceum Hall last Friday evening under the personal direction of an efficient management and proved to be a party that will not be forgotten very soon by the large assembly of ladies and gentlemen who participated in it. It was an evening dress event in which Woburn "society" shone and sparkled and scintillated more brilliantly than on any similar occasion this season; where youth, beauty and gallentry, and mellow years and manners, fair maids, stately matrons, and manly grace and chivalry, met and mingled and enjoyed together the rare pleasures of the evening. The ladies showed many beautiful dresses and exquisite taste in arranging them. There were rich silks, satins, costly laces, all gotten up *a la mode*, in which feminine charms were most attractively displayed; jewels and gems of the first water sparkled throughout the hall; the air was redolent with sweet perfumes of rare bloom; and joy and gladness and high spirits reigned in all hearts, animated the faces, and enhanced the personal lovliness of all.

Not less than 75 couples participated in the terpsichorean delights and the gathering of spectators was very large and in style the most fashionable which can be found in our city.

The Hall was splendidly decorated for the party and presented a very gay appearance. The stage contained plants, vines, and a profusion of choice flowers which greatly enhanced the beauty of the scene.

Carter's famous Boston Orchestra, the best in New England and unsurpassed by any, furnished choicest music for the dancers and for the pleasure of those ladies and gentlemen who were there to see, listen and enjoy. The Orchestra was warmly complimented for its admirable musical work.

A superb supper was served by Caterer Holdsworth.

The grand march was led by Major Irving R. Bancroft of the Battalion, and Miss Carrie Crane, daughter of Capt. John P. Crane of Academy Hill—a fair couple to look upon and graceful in ball-room deportment. The Major appeared of course in full military uniform, while his fair partner was elegantly attired in a rich cream-colored dress trimmed with gold, and with a bunch of white flowers in her hair she looked very lovely.

Major Bancroft was floor director, with Captain J. Chester Hanson, assistant, and the following acting as aids; Captain Edwin K. Porter, Adjutant Elliot F. Trull, Quartermaster George G. Barker, Lieutenant Patrick D. Carney, Lieutenant Walter L. Dodge, and Sergeant Major Redmond E. Walsh, Lieut. F. W. Hovey.

The reception committee was composed of past officers of the Battalion, viz: Capts. Homer B. Grant, Harry Brown, J. Henry Parker, Jr., Arthur C. Wyer and John E. Gilcreast, Lieutenants William W. Crosby, J. Lambton Skinner, Peter Caulfield, Fred W. Prior, and Leonard W. Buchanan and Adjutant G. W. Buchanan.

Among the visitors from neighboring High School Battalions were: Colonel Morton Aldrich, English High School, Boston; Capt. Osborne H. Pitcher, East Boston High School; Lieut. David F. Savage, East Boston High School; Capt. George E. Breckenridge, Dorchester High School; Capt. Fred H. Hird, Dorchester High School; Sergeant Major Harry G. Hamlet, Dorchester High School; Capt. L. G. Bent, Reading High School; Lieut. Edward Cummings, Mitchell School, Billerica; Sergeant Major Jerry N. Bowlby, Drum Major, Albert D. Berry, and Albert S. Keen, Malden High School; Captain C. Marshall Forest, Lieutenant C. D. Starbird, Jr., of Co. A, Lieutenant Timothy Halloran, of Co. B, Lieutenant Donald Campbell, of Co. C, Captain Fred Shepard, of Co. D, Adjutant George A. Brothers and Sergeant Major Arthur S. Coburn, all of the Lowell Battalion: Captain W. E. Chick, Lieutenant T. W. Wyman, Lieutenant W. H. Belcher, Drum Major E. B. Conant.

The Woburn Mechanic Phalanx was worthily represented by Captain William C. Parker, Lieutenant Joseph C. Larock, Sergeant George S. Cutler, Corporal Homer B. Grant, Corporal George W. Buchanan, Corporal Edward F. Wyer, Private Clarence E. Littlefield, Private Arthur C. Wyer.

Among the prominent ladies and gentlemen who were guests of the Battalion may be mentioned: Mayor George F. Bean and wife, Alderman Wm. F. Davis and wife, Captain John P. Crane, Military Instructor Samuel W. Mendum, Mr. James Skinner and wife, Mr. Herbert B. Dow, Senator Edwin F. Wyer, Major Ambrose Bancroft and wife, Captain William R. Bennett, Charles D. Adams Esq. and wife, Mr. Henry M. Aldrich and wife, Auditor Elwyn G. Preston, Mr. S. Franksford Trull and wife, Mr. Frank B. Dodge and wife, Mr. Horace Bailey and wife, of Winchester, Mr. Willard F. Sawyer and wife, Mr. Frank E. Wetherell and wife, Mrs. Edith Crowell, of Cambridge, Water Commissioner E. B. Parkhurst, Mr. Edwin B. Blanchard and wife, Mr. Joseph H. Parker and wife, Mr. Charles L. Grammer and wife, Mr. W. S. Cobb and wife, Mr. John M. Wallace and wife, Mr. Edward L. Shaw and wife, Mr. Winthrop Hammond and wife, Mr. Elmore A. Pierce and wife, Mr. Bonnelli and wife, Mrs. Lottie Woodman Ham, Mrs. Alonzo T. Young, Mrs. Frank F. Dodge, Mrs. William C. Parker, Miss Katie Ramsdell, Miss Flora Parkhurst, Miss Mary H. Eaton, Miss Bertha Cummings, Miss Stella Lincoln, Miss Mary Moore, Miss Ada Munroe, Miss Grace Parkhurst, Miss Flora Nichols, Miss Fannie Menchin, Miss Lizzie Caulfield, Miss Annie Caulfield, Miss Alice Ruggles, Miss Mabel Ruggles, Fannie Ruggles, Miss Mary Waters, Miss Evelyn Simonds, Miss Helen L. Nichols, Miss Whitman, Miss Edith Davis, Miss Mabel Skinner, Miss Victoria Maxwell, Miss Edith Ramsdell, Miss Florine York, Miss Abbie Richards, Miss Florence Ferguson, Miss Helen Ordway, Miss Alice Champney, Miss Alice Grammer, Miss Blanche Rogers, Miss Madeline Bartlett, Miss Bertha Remick, Miss Bicknell, of Melrose, Miss Maud Wood, Miss Ella Cardinal, Miss Mary Parker, Miss Mabel Moore, Miss Mamie Maxwell, Miss Porter, Dr. Wilbur A. Reynolds, Mr. Clarence A. Pierce, Mr. Herbert W. Munn, Mr. Wallace Davis, Mr. Harry H. Young, Mr. Frank Menchin, Mr. Charles G. Lund, Mr. Eugene Brooks, Mr. George J. Munroe, Mr. John Buck, Mr. Samuel Bartlett, Mr. Thomas Henry, Mr. Wm. Russell, Mr. Warren Menchin, Mr. George Russell, Mr. Frank Sprague, Mr. E. Q. Brackett, Mr. A. W. Parker, Mr. Harry Davis, Mr. George Barber, Mr. E. D. Berry, Mr. Grafton Murdock, Mr. Oliver M. Wade, Jr., Mr. DeLoriea, Mr. Buss, Mr. Bert Maguire, Mr. Harry Hartwell, Mr. Charles O'Brien, Mr. F. Parker, Mr. Joseph Callahan, Mr. George H. Taylor, Mr. Frank Sawyer, Mr. Alfonzo P. Tabor, Mr. Patrick B. Hickey, Mr. E. A. Maguire, Mr. L. Eugene Brown, Mr. Fred Seaver, Mr. John Cardinal, Mr. George Ferguson, Mr. James Ordway, Mr. Leon Parkhurst, Mr. John Andrews and Mr. W. R. Sawyer.

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Mr. Johnson Has to Wait.

The Governor's nomination of E. F. Johnson of Woburn as Justice of the Fourth District Court of eastern Middlesex was not confirmed by the Executive Council. This was not, however, due to opposition to the appointment, but to the fact that Judge Converse, the present incumbent of the office, has resigned to take effect July 1, and the law governing appointments requires a Judge to take the oath of office within three months after his confirmation. In consequence of this, Judge Johnson will have to wait until after March 1 before being confirmed.—*Boston Globe.*

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: The Inspiration of the Bible: How God reveals himself. Lecture by the pastor at 7 p. m.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Salvation. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Service of song followed by a short Bible Reading at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Church Covenant meeting on Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m

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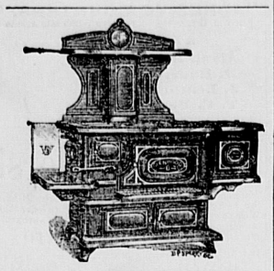

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A Warning to Investors.

THE DANGEROUS GROWTH OF RUSHLIGHT "INVESTMENT" COMPANIES IN MASSACHUSETTS.

In view of the numerous "investment" companies which have recently sprung up here in Massachusetts, particularly within the past month or two, we are prompted to give a warning to those most likely to be drawn into the meshes of their well-spread net, as such as they seek to entrap are those of the poorer classes, who have, by hard struggling, saved a few dollars against the time of need and are anxious to increase the amount of their saving as much as possible.

These people are not of necessity what might be termed ignorant by any means, but their condition in life has been such that they know comparatively little about investments and are too apt to part with their money without making proper investigation as to the responsibility of those with whom they propose to invest their spare funds.

Apropos of this subject, we are reminded of an anecdote related of John Randolph, the great statesman, who one day visited a fair where a horse race was in progress. He was approached by a sharper and importuned to stake something on the result of the race, the sharper adding, "My friend here, Mr. Brown, will hold the stakes." "Yes," replied the Roanoke statesman, in his squeaking voice, "but who'll hold Brown?"

If those who contemplate investing would consult experienced financiers in regard to the number of concerns which are considered reliable, and in which they (the financiers) would be willing to risk their funds, the inexperienced investor would be thunderstruck with the small number which are considered safe. To aid those who have misgivings as to whom to entrust their money, we have but this advice: First, ascertain if there is any one to "hold Brown," but even then it may be necessary to find out if those back of him are not equally irresponsible.

But, unquestionably, the better way would be to select a concern offering chances for small investments which has some tangible proof that it possesses the means wherewith to meet its obligation at maturity, and does not offer returns on your money out of all proportion to its earning power in these times of low interest. Such an institution is the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York and we mention the fact simply because we know that we are discharging a duty which should be regarded as imperative by every conscientious journalist who has the interest of the wage-earners at heart.

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They pay a better rate of interest than a United States bond and are just as safe, incidentally provide insurance under certain conditions, and secure a large annuity for old age. If the small investor will investigate his chances for returns with the Mutual Life Insurance Company's plans and is not satisfied that they are the best in every respect offered for his or her consideration, such information we will gladly use for the benefit of our readers at the earliest day.

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New Books.

HISTORY OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS, WITH BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES ILLUSTRATED WITH PORTRAITS, ETC., 3 Vols, 4to; Edited by D. Hamilton Hurd. Philadelphia: J. W. Lewis & Co., 1890.

Strictly speaking these three large handsomely printed and elegantly bound volumes do not, as the name of the work indicates, contain a history of the county of Middlesex, but, on the other hand, barring a brief sketch of it, the contents consist of histories of the great number of towns which comprise this county, with pen and steel-plate pictures of some of their prominent citizens, and further illustrated by scenes of historic interest and more than local fame.

Mechanically the work has been admirably done by its publishers, and although the volumes are somewhat ponderous (each containing some 700 or 800 pages) and rather unwieldly for constant use, still they are well calculated to adorn and set off the shelves of a bookcase or a parlor centre table and in their black and gold covering they make an attractive appearance. The portraits of eminent men, mostly steel-plate, executed by the best of workmen, which are profusely scattered through the three heavy tomes, and other illustrations, greatly enhance the attractiveness of the work and will add materially to the interest which the citizens of Middlesex county will doubtless take in it.

The editor seems to have discharged his duty with fidelity and ability so far as we are able to judge. His selection of local historians to perform the literary labor furnished evidence of his fitness for the responsible position, for "the right man for the right place" seems to have been selected for such duty in every instance.

To furnish the History of Woburn for the work Editor Hurd certainly made no mistake. Mr. William L. Cutter, Librarian of the Woburn Public Library, was the gentleman chosen and the choice was a judicious one in every particular. Mr. Cutter is a natural historical writer. Historical research has occupied much of his time in the past. He is a careful, painstaking reader and reporter of past events, and is conscientious to a degree in the statement of facts. The same remarks hold equally good in respect to Rev. Leander Thompson of this city who wrote the Ecclesiastical History of the town, and to a great extent as to Hon. Edward F. Johnson, author of the chapter on "Woburn as a City."

The contributions of these gentlemen to the work cover about 125 pages which, put into the usual type and size of page, would make a book of at least 400 pages, and perhaps 500. Much of it is set in the smallest type used, and yet it is clear and easily mastered by the eye. The publishers treated Mr. Cutter generously as to space, for which they are entitled to the hearty thanks of the people of Woburn. In a very liberal spirit they gave him *carte blanche* and thus enabled him to go into the subject with such particularity and detail as to greatly enhance the value of the work. He was not hampered by want of room, hence he and his colaborers have turned out a complete, full and finished history of Woburn which is a credit to himself, the publishers, and the place. That it is reliable history (which a great deal of so-called history is far from being) no one acquainted with the writers of it will doubt for a moment. Mr. Cutter is always strong on his facts, and no statements are allowed to go into a production of his of this character until its truth has been verified and established beyond a doubt. That is what makes history worth anything. And it is by the careful exercise of these mental characteristics that he has given to the public, a complete and reliable civil, military and ecclesiastic, history of old and new Woburn.

For the same work Mr. Cutter wrote the history of Winchester; greatly assisted in producing the history of Burlington; and the completeness of that of Arlington was partly due to his knowledge and supervision; so that, virtually, Mr. Cutter was the author of three of the historical productions that go to make up these volumes of "The History of Middlesex County."

Burlington.

The Agricultural Society are preparing to give the second of their series of social dancing parties, at an early date.

Miss Hattie A. Bishop, an elocutionist of celebrity, gives an entertainment in the church Thursday evening. A full report will be given next week.

Rev. A. A. Childs preached at the church, Sunday morning, and also conducted the evening service. Rev. A. K. Gleason of Westport, Mass., is expected to preach next Sunday.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Feb. 14, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Charles H. Day, Mr. Albert C. Furnald, Medford street, Mr. G. W. Gillis, Mrs. H. T. Lord, Mrs. Moor, 151 Main street, J. M. Thomas, Mrs. Ellen E. White, Green street.

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Obituary.

DIED at her home on Church Avenue in this city, Feb. 13, 1891, Mrs. JULIA F. ALLEN, wife of Montressor T. Allen, Esq., aged 48 years, 2 months, and 7 days.

The deceased was a native of Salisbury, N. H., but had resided in Woburn many years, the last twenty-five of which were passed in pleasant, happy wedlock with her now deeply bereaved companion in it. She had many warm friends who sincerely lament her death. Possessing strong intellectual characteristics and great integrity of purpose she wielded a more potent influence among her associates than most women, and her husband's success at the Bar and in public life can be attributed in no little degree to the encouraging influence exerted by her over him.

For some years Mrs. Allen's physical condition had not been satisfactory, but up to two years ago she conducted her domestic affairs as usual and engaged in public duties with her accustomed vigor, good sense and success. Since that time her health has failed steadily, and in the last year, rapidly. She passed away quietly and peacefully in the presence of an affectionate husband and loving friends just before the midnight hour was struck that ushered in the holy Sabbath morning.

Mrs. Allen has been a prominent member of Woburn Women's Relief Corps, No. 83, and two years ago was Senior Vice President of the Corps and at the next election was tendered the office of President, which she declined. She has also been active in the Ladies Charitable Reading Society of the Congregational Church. By these societies, although she was with them but seldom during the last two years, Mrs. Allen's death will be deeply mourned.

The deceased was a true-hearted woman. She was intelligent, practical, and courageous. She possessed too more than ordinary accomplishments; her influence was strong on those with whom she associated, and it was always exerted in behalf of humanity and for upholding the right. Her disposition was amiable. She was kind to every body. Her sympathies went out in full measure to all in sorrow and want. Those who knew her best will miss her most.

The people of this city deeply sympathize with Mr. Allen in his great grief.

The funeral was held at the residence of Mr. Allen on Church Avenue under the direction of Undertaker Tripp. Rev. Dr. March conducted religious services.

As the village urchin wages war against the domestic Tom cat, so does Brussels soap wage war against dirt.

North Woburn.

Miss Grace E. Bond is convalescing after a severe sickness.

Miss Mary B. Anderson of Malden is visiting friends in this village.

On Wednesday, Feb. 11, Mr. Austin Hall of Wilmington was severely burned by the explosion of a tank containing sulphuric acid at the Merrimac Chemical Works.

The Conundrum Party in connection with sociable held in the vestry of the Congregational church on last Friday evening was largely attended and enjoyed by old and young.

The death of Mr. George S. Holt was a severe shock to the people of this village where he has been a respected citizen for many years. The deceased was a member of Post 161 of the G. A. R. and also member of the O. U. A. M.

The "Mock Trial" which took place at the Unitarian Chapel on last Tuesday evening, drew a large audience although the weather was not what was hoped for. The trial went off in a very satisfactory manner and the vocal selections rendered by Miss Bruce of Boston were thoroughly appreciated.

The mock trial held here last Tuesday evening was a very humorous affair. There was a large crowd of spectators present and everybody enjoyed it. The case on trial was Sheldon versus Eames brought to recover damages for breach of promise of marriage, and the parties, witnesses, jurors, etc., were all from Wilmington, except Orville T. Curtis of this place who was Master of Ceremonies and also Attorney for the plaintiff. In both characters he was eminently successful. The singing by Miss S. Louise Bruce of Boston, member of the Harvard Glee Club, was exceedingly fine and one of the most pleasing features of the affair. Miss Bruce stands away up in the pictures as a contralto singer, and richly she deserved the applause accorded to her on this occasion The verdict was for the plaintiff.—X.

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Literary Notices.

A glance at the contents of PETERSON for March will prove that it deserves the above title. The new Fashion plate is an immense improvement on the old style one and will be a welcome change to all the ladies. The opening article, Housekeeping in India, is admirably illustrated and written by one who had personal knowledge of the information which she gives so pleasantly. A Snow Shoe Tramp, by W. Blackburn Harte, is an intensely interesting tale of a Canadian winter. Miss Alice Bowman's serial, The Mystery of Dulce Domum, begins charmingly, and the Queen of Diamonds, by Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper, reaches a happy and effective conclusion. The short stories are all capital; Alice Maude Ewell's Tale of an Old Town deserves special mention. The Little Queen of Holland is a seasonable sketch with a series of good pictures, and A Page of French History is both entertaining and instructive. The household, needlework and fashion departments could not be fresher and more complete. Terms Two Dollars a year. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Youngstown (O.) *Telegram* has this note: "The other day one of the clerks at the Tod House remarked, as a frequent visitor to that hotel inscribed his name on the hotel register, "I will assign you room 13." The commercial man almost grasped for breath as he exclaimed, 'No, you won't. I'll sleep on the office floor or in the wash room rather than retire in room 13.' The clerk, with a merry twinkle in the eye, rang the bell boy and, handing him a key, said, 'Show the gentleman to No 72.' Afterwards the clerk said: 'it's a fact not generally known to the outside world that there are but few hotels in the country that have rooms numbered either 13 or 113. Half the time they would be unoccupied, so superstitious are the traveling public'."

WINCHESTER.

The Highland Bethany S.S. have a library of 300 Vols.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. and Alice Pattee have gone to California.

How about the Australian voting system, good citizens all?

Several distinguished Winchester politicians are members of the Massachusetts Republican Club.

The women have organized a Womens Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. Officers will be chosen soon.

I wonder if Br'er R., who scorns to read a local paper, will be asked to serve the town many more years?

Calumet Club (the boss) have decided to build a Club-house on the shore of beautiful and romantic Wedgemere Lake. It will doubtless be an elegant one.

The signs of a political earthquake here are abundant. Any quantity of excellent gentlemen — all able and worthy—want seats on the Board and to get them there is going to be a hot scramble.

The funeral of Sexton Sharon whose death occured on the 10th, was largely attended by our citizens who held him in high esteem, by the Free Masons, Knights of Pythias, and others, at the Unitarian church. His remains were intered in Wildwood.

At the meeting of the Mystic Valley Club, held Tuesday evening, Edward H. Rice was elected one of the vice-presidents, W. D. Middleton treasurer, Alfred C. Vinton on the executive committee, and E. N. Lovering on the reception committee. Winchester is therefore well represented among the officers of this club.—*Star.*

The following are reliable statistics of the Congregational Church; present membership of the church (including 90 non-resident) is 456; members of Sunday School 329. During the year 13 have been received on profession of faith, 39 by letter. Ten members have died during the year, viz:—Mrs. Lovisa Hanks Boone, Mrs. Persis Clark, John Reed Cobb, Joseph Huse, Edward Payson Johnson, Harrison Parker, Henry Stone, Mrs. Adeline Matilda Symmes, Herman Vasseur, Salem Towne Ward. Thirteen infants and two adults were baptised.

Lasts twice as long as cheap soap for laundry use—Brussels.

Last August there was a fall of manna in Asia Minor, which was baked for bread after the manner of the Biblical tradition. It has been examined by Frenchmen of science and identified as lichen.

Jake Jimson (after the engagement) "Shall I name the day, dear?" Cora Bellows— "Oh, dear, no!" "Why not, darling?" "You are too procrastinating, Jake!"

Olive culture is becoming one of the staple industries of California. The olive has always flourished there, but only of late years has it been adopted as an article of extended cultivation. It yields handsome returns, and groves are multiplying rapidly.

New York has had a literary renaissance. Col. Whitelaw Reid is editing Talleyrand and Col Daly is editing Shakespeare. If Chicago doesn't hump herself she will lose what in polite packing circles is termed her "praystarzhe".

A plague of locusts recently visited Northwestern India, and such immense heaps of them settled on the railway lines that trains could not pass. They darkened the air like a thunderstorm and when they settled on trees strong branches broke under their weight.

Volapuk is threatened with extinction, owing to the action of its originators in altering its forms so that it may be used as the universal literary as well as commertial tongue of the world. These changes the Volapuk Academy refuses to accept, causing a split in Volapuk circles.

Aunt Rachel—"Yes, I like him well enough, Jerusha, but how did you ever happen to marry a man a head shorter than you are?" Neice—"I had to choose, auntie, between a little man with a big salary and a big man with a little salary."

A Western knight of the shears says barbers are not anxious to see ladies enter the shop to get their hair cut, for no matter how pretty the dear creatures look after having their hair cut, they never look as well as they did before, and their first look in the glass makes the fact apparent to them, and they invariably blame the barber for it.

Foxes have other enemies than a man with a gun, says the Bangor Commercial. Two boys were returning from the Post Office in Penobscot county one evening and were badly frightened by a noise they heard in the woods near by. Next day on examination it was found that there had been a fight to the death between a fox and a fisher cat. The fox was literally torn to pieces. The fisher cat was known by his track, and as he was not found it is supposed that he escaped alive.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William Bradley late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Francis Bellew, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary Ann Carroll, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William L. Carroll who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statue;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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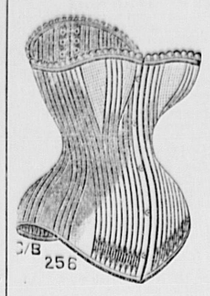

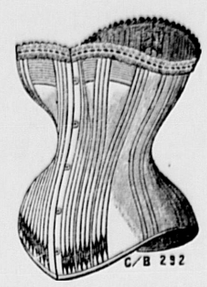

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12. "And Elisha saw it."

He had asked for a double portion of the spirit of Elijah, and the reply was, "If thou see me taken from thee, it shall be so unto thee" (vs. 10). Now we are told that he saw the chariot and horses of fire, and the whirlwind which took Elijah to heaven, and we will expect, therefore, to see in him the spirit of Elijah.

"And he cried, My father, my father! the chariot of Israel and the horsemen thereof."

12, 13. "And he took hold of his own clothes and rent them in two pieces. He took up also the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and went back and stood by the bank of Jordan."

Thus he discards himself, puts himself off and puts on Elijah. Jesus our Master has ascended, and has left on earth many who believe in Him to be His witnesses. He has also sent down the Holy Spirit to live in us, and be in us the power for service and testimony, and the work can be done only as our golden text tells us.

14. "And he took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah?"

He now acts in the name of Elijah, using the mantle of Elijah, and looking to the Lord God of Elijah. So did Peter and John when they said to the lame man, "In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk" (Acts iii, 6). Or to take an older illustration, so did David when he said to Goliath, "I come to thee in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel" (I Sam. xvii, 45).

"And when he also had smitten the waters, they parted hither and thither, and Elisha went over."

The same power that had been manifested on behalf of millions, and so recently on behalf of two men, is now put forth on behalf of Elisha only. God will lavish His omnipotence on one man who is willing to stand for Him; but it was not simply for the sake of one man, but for the sake of many that He might be glorified.

15. "The spirit of Elijah doth rest on Elisha."

Thus testified the sons of the prophets who from Jericho had witnessed the dividing of the waters.

"And they came to meet him, and bowed themselves to the ground before him."

They worshiped God in Elisha, or as Paul says, "They glorified God in me" (Gal. i, 24). Thus Potiphar saw God in Joseph, and so also did the keeper of the prison and Pharaoh the king (Gen. xxxix, 2, 3, 23; xli, 38). Thus the king of Babylon saw God in Daniel and his companions (Dan. ii, 47; iii, 28). And the time is coming when all nations of the earth shall see God in Israel, and bow down to Him and worship Him (Jer. iii, 17; Ezek. xxxvi, 23; Zech. viii, 23).

16. "Let them go, we pray thee, and seek thy master; lest peradventure the Spirit of the Lord hath taken him up and cast him upon some mountain or into some valley."

The sons of the prophets request that fifty strong men should go and rescue Elijah from possible difficulties in which the Spirit of the Lord might have left him.

17. "They sent him, therefore, fifty men, and they sought three days, but found him not."

At first Elisha refused to allow them to go, but when they urged and insisted he finally consented, and this is the result.

18. "And when they came again to him (for he tarried at Jericho) he said unto them, Did I not say unto you, Go not?"

The energy of the flesh can only be shown its folly by allowing it to prove its helplessness. These fifty were sure that they knew better than Elisha, but their vain efforts have now done for them what they would not let his words do, that is, convince them of their folly.

19. "Behold, I pray thee, the situation of this city is pleasant, as my Lord seeth; but the water is naught and the ground barren."

Pleasant to the eyes, but unfruitfulness and death was in it; how like the tree of the knowledge of good and evil in the garden of Eden. There is only life and fruitfulness where the Spirit of God is, and however pleasant or attractive a person or a work may appear, without the Spirit all is death and barrenness. Observe how the people of the city see in Elisha one whom they believe can help them, because the Spirit of God was in him. People seldom go to those who live far from God for help.

20. "And he said, Bring me a new cruse, and put salt therein. And they brought it to him."

In Deut. xxix, 23; Jer. xvii, 6; Zeph. ii, 9, salt is associated with desolation and barrenness, and every Bible reader is familiar with the Salt sea (Gen. xiv, 3; Josh. iii, 16, etc.), in which it is said nothing can live. But in Lev. ii, 13, we read that every offering to the Lord required salt; in Num. xviii, 19, we read of a covenant of salt, and in Matt. v, 13, believers are called the salt of the earth, while in Col. iv, 6, we are told that our conversation should be seasoned with salt. We need not stumble over these seeming contradictions when we remember that Jesus Himself is to some a savor of death unto death and to others a savor of life unto life (II Cor. ii, 15, 16). "Salt is good" (Mark ix, 50; Luke xiv, 34), but neither land nor water is always blessed thereby. "God is good" (Luke xviii, 19), but not all are blessed by Him.

21. "And he went forth unto the spring of the waters and cast the salt in there."

Not the stream, but the fountain whence the stream flows must be healed. The sinner cannot be healed by any mere reformation of conduct; he must be born again, or have placed in him an entirely new fountain, born from above (John iii, 7, margin).

"Thus saith the Lord, I have healed these waters."

Not Elisha, not the salt, but "Jehovah that healeth thee" (Ex. xv, 26). The salt was the symbol, Elisha the instrument, but the worker, the healer, the power, was Jehovah Himself. From the throne of God and of the Lamb flows the river of the water of life (Rev. xxii, 1). "They have forsaken Me, the fountain of living waters" (Jer. ii, 13), He complains of His people; and "If any man thirst let him come unto Me and drink" (John vii, 37), said Jesus on the last day of the feast.

21, 22. "There shall not be from thence any more death or barren land. So the waters were healed."

All earthly streams produce only barrenness and death, but when the waters issue forth from the sanctuary then everything shall live whither the river cometh (Ez. xlvii, 9, 12). Happy the soul that can say, "All my springs are in thee."

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One of the great Buddhist temples at Kioto, Japan, is the centre of a big embezzlement. Some priests forged the seal of the temple in 1887 and secured $86,000 from a national bank, which the temples of the Jodo sect afterwards refunded.

A copy of "Paradise Lost" recently sold in England for $337. This is more than Milton received for the manuscript of his poem.

WAKING FROM A DREAMLESS SLEEP.

I waked: the sun was in the sky,
The face of heaven was fair,
The silence all about me lay
Of morning in the air.

I said: Where hast thou been, my soul,
Since the moon set in the west?
I know not where thy feet have trod,
Nor what has been thy quest.

Where wert thou when Orion passed
Below the dark blue sea?
His glittering, silent stars are gone—
Didst follow them for me?

Where wert thou in that awful hour
When first the night wind heard
The faint breath of the coming dawn,
And fled before the word?

Where hast thou been, my spirit,
Since the long wave on the shore
Tenderly rocked my sense asleep
And I heard thee no more?

Thou hast shown me no fair cities,
No glories once I knew,
Nor those my fancy paints for me
Where skies are ever blue.

My limbs, like breathing marble,
Have lain in the warm down;
No heavenly chant, no earthly care,
Has wakened smile or frown.

I wake: thy kiss is on my lips;
Thou art my day, my sun;
But where, O spirit, were wert thou
While sands of night have run?

—Annie Fields in Harper's.

Popping by Evolution.

A man in California was in the habit, after the occasional manner of men, of writing to his cousin in Maine. He had a friend who would frequently send a word of greeting to his fair correspondent. This word soon became a sentence, then a page, next a letter and ultimately a match, the work of evolution going on in the smoothest and most natural manner. At a certain stage photographs were exchanged and the features of each were imprinted with such effect upon the heart of the other that the recognition was mutual when the hitherto unseen lovers met inside the Golden Gate, she having gone to California to meet her future spouse.

The matrimonial knot was tied in San Francisco, after which this romantic couple sped to the mountains, where for a long time the heroine of my story was the only white woman. It is only fair to say that "they were happy ever after," notwithstanding their very irregular and hazardous mode of procedure, a mode, by the way, which is not recommended as the "grand model" in general codes.—Lewiston Journal.

Hard to Live on $20,000 a Year.

"If any man with an income of less than $20,000 a year," said the spendthrift, "means to lay up any money, he must confine himself to cheap society and steer clear of costly clubs. Giving French dinners is a high priced enjoyment, and club life is apt to be expensive if you get the full benefit of it. I am not given to extravagance, but a dinner for ten often costs one $10 a plate, besides as much more for the wines, and it is but a second class dinner at that. If you give such a dinner once a week, where are your $20,000? What have you left for ordinary household expenses, and for the garments of your family and for things in general? A man can live respectably and quietly, of course, on less money than I have spoken of, but if he attempts to flourish in any kind of style or to put on frills he will have to pay high for the pleasure."—New York Sun.

Where They Pinched.

There are a good many people who prefer old things to new things, sometimes, perhaps, without as good reason for the preference as an old beggar once showed in the matter of shoes.

This man called at the house of a lady and begged for a pair of shoes. She gave him a nearly new pair of her husband's which he had laid aside for some reason. A day or two afterward the beggar returned.

"Mum," he said, "can't you give me a pair of shoes—some old ragged ones?"

"But," said the lady, "I have just given you an entirely new pair; you have them on now."

"Yes'm," he said, "but there's the trouble. They're so new, ye see, that they hurt my business."—Youth's Companion.

Good for Elocutionists.

Here are some sentences which test the agility of the tongue:

Gaze on the gay gray brigade.
The sea ceaseth and it sufficeth us.
Say, should such a shapely sash shabby stitches show?
Strange strategic statistics.
Give Grimes Jim's gilt gig whip.
Sarah in a shawl shoveled soft snow softly.
She sells seashells.
Smith's spirit flask split Philip's sixth sister's fifth squirrel's skull.—New York Ledger.

A unique but useful present to a lady who writes many letters is this. A little silver tray, upon which should stand a cut glass bottle filled with water, and by its side a silver handled brush like those used for mucilage. This obviates the necessity of moistening the gummed flap of envelopes with the tongue.

The gross earnings of our railroads in a year are about $964,000,000, and the operating expenses $644,000,000, leaving an excess of $320,000,000. The income from other sources amounts to $125,000,000, making a total excess of $445,000,000 for charges over operating expenses.

There are few such common sense proverbs as "every man is the architect of his own fortune." Appius Claudius, a Roman censor, used it in a speech delivered by him 450 years before the Christian era.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years. Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. W. Willard, Druggist, Joliet, Ill.

I have been troubled with catarrh for ten years and have tried a number of remedies, but found no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most reliable preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—Geo. E. Crandall, P. M., Quonochawntaug, R. I.

There seems to be no scheme too petty to be practiced by the Democrats. In Rhode Island, their reason for pitching upon a Saturday for the special election in the Second district was a hope of virtually disfranchising a considerable number of Seventh Day Baptists and Seventh Day Adventists living in the district, who, keeping Saturday sacred instead of Sunday, would not go to the polls on that day.

A Pennsylvania church has a pastor only nineteen years old.

THE HEAT OF THE SUN.

Comparisons and Facts About Our Big Luminary That Are Interesting.

We can measure the quantity of heat that the sun constantly emits, because we can measure the amount received by our earth, which intercepts about the 2,300,000,000th part of all the light and heat given out by the sun. Thus we find that in every second of time the sun emits as much heat as would result from the combustion of 11,600,000,000,000 tons of coal. It may be interesting to the reader to know that each portion of the sun's surface as large as our earth emits as much heat per second as would 1,000,000,000 tons of coal instantly transformed into heat—a relative amount easily remembered.

Now it is easily calculated from this that if the sun's whole mass consisted of coal, and could burn up until the time when the very last ton were consumed, maintaining until then the rate of emission now kept up, the supply could not possibly last over 5,000 years. As the sun has most certainly been emitting light and heat for a period many—I will not say how many—times longer than this, the idea that the great solar fire is kept up by any such fuel as coal is of course untenable.

There are many other reasons for rejecting the idea that the sun is composed of burning matter, using the word "burning" in its proper sense, meaning thereby anything that is being consumed, according to which a piece of coal in a fire would be burning, whereas a piece of iron which is red hot is not burning, though burning hot. In like manner we find ourselves compelled to discard the belief that the sun may be a body raised at some remote epoch to an intense heat throughout its entire mass, and now gradually cooling. That it would not be possible for any known metal or material to be wrought up to such a terrible heat has been proven by an astronomer who visited a rolling mill for the purpose of making experiments.

He turned his instrument upon the white hot steel as it came from the furnace, and then upon the sun. The result was that the sun's heat was found to be 88 times hotter than the melted steel and 5,300 times as bright! If the sun were a "burning" mass in the course of a few thousand years it would have cooled far more than the sun has, providing it has; but it has not been proven that it has cooled at all. We have evidence that he has poured his heat upon the worlds during periods compared with which the duration of the human race is but a second amid centuries, while the duration of the historic race is utterly lost by comparison.—St. Louis Republic.

A Distinguished Oshkosh Greek.

In the days when Lord Byron was calling on Greece to awake and was doing several other fool things over there an American drummer from Vermont was doing the country. He was near the battle of Missolonghi in 1824. When the fight was over the American wandered over the battlefield in search of relics. He came upon a live infant playing among the slain. The glory of Greece was in the face of the child. It was a curious find in such a place. Whose was it? Whence came it? No one answered the queries of the American. It needed attention and the Vermonter picked it up, cared for it, brought to America, reared and educated the waif of the field of Missolonghi. The name of the Vermonter was Miller. The child of Greece was given his name. This child of Greece is the member of congress from the Oshkosh district—Leonidas M. Miller.—Chicago Tribune.

Bathing on the Road.

Bathing in a Pullman is delightful in the east, where the railroads are rock ballasted and railed with heavy steel, but out west you are apt to get more fun than bath when you take a tub in the course of an average journey. The coach swings and jolts along, and you feel your way unsteadily to the tiny bathroom. The porter fills the tub, which is narrow and deep and more like a barrel than the vessels we use in our houses. Ten to one, as you sit beside the apparatus to undress the car will strike a sharp curve, and all the water in the tub will leap out and deluge you from head to foot. If you escape that luck and get into the tub the curve and the car are certain to meet, and in an instant you find yourself in an empty receptacle, while your shoes and stockings are floating around in the lake that has covered the floor.—New York Sun.

No Regard for the Afflicted.

"That little boy of yours is not adapted for the undertaker's business," explained an undertaker to the boy's mother, who inquired why he had been discharged.

"What's the matter with him?"

"He hasn't a realizing sense of what is due the afflicted. Day before yesterday Mrs. B—— buried her fourth husband. I sent your son up to learn what hour she wished the ceremony to take place, and he asked what her regular time of day was for burying husbands. I expect to lose her custom entirely."—London Tit-Bits.

Too Much of a Good Thing.

Wealthy Wooer (vehemently)—And you will be mine, dear girl?

Dear Girl—I will; and——

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Anastasius, the chief of the brigands who captured the son of the Sultan is described as a very handsome and well informed man, who speaks four languages and behaves like a born gentleman. He preserves strict military order among his followers, and treated his prisoner in a manner befitting his rank.

Judge Crisp of Georgia, who is one of the most prominent of the younger generation of Southern Congressmen, is a descendant of a family of actors. For twenty years prior to the War his immediate relatives formed a band of strolling players who travelled through the South.

POLLY MADE A MATCH.

A Bashful Youth Helped Out in the Nick of Time by a Bird That Spoke Up.

"A parrot is usually regarded, I know, as a very mischievous, meddlesome bird, and all the stories are of their interference and trouble making, but I have always believed that I owe my life's happiness to one of them," remarked Mr. M. C——, of this place, a day or two ago to a friend. The story being entreated Mr. C—— continued:

"I was the most bashful youth you ever saw, the very shyest imaginable, especially where ladies were concerned. I was fond of their society, enjoying it so that I sought it as often as I could, and yet at the same time in a perfect agony of bashfulness if required to answer the simplest question or to express an opinion on any subject, while to be asked to button a glove or any such little service would throw me into such a state of nervous excitement that I usually ended in making an awkward dunce of myself.

"I visited at one house where the girls, or rather, two of them, romping, high spirited misses, took the keenest delight in playing upon this bashfulness of mine; but, secretly adoring the other sister—the eldest—I bore this patiently, for, while she could not always refrain from laughing at her sisters' pranks, and the confusion they threw me into, she herself never teased me.

"But to get to Miss Polly. She was a green bird with a yellow head and a wicked eye and a habit of walking in the flower garden, where in a little summer house fitted up as a parlor the girls were fond of entertaining their company during the pleasant months. This bird was sitting one day on a trellis near by, when in a state of the greatest excitement I came to this summer parlor, and meeting a servant, sent Miss Nellie word to please meet me there. I had heard that a rival had appeared on the scene and that it was thought that the girl I had loved so long in silence was favoring the new comer, but I had made up my mind to find out the truth of the report by speaking at last in my own cause.

"I had fully determined in doing this, which seemed an easy task, till I caught sight of her sweet face as she advanced toward me, then my courage fled and in abject terror I waited for her. I stammered out some foolish speech intended for an apology and sat looking at her, dismayed to see how unusually quiet and depressed she seemed, while Polly, walking up and down the trellis, watched us both suspiciously. At last, just as I decided to put it off, as I had decided a hundred times before, that parrot paused in her strutting and, leaning over, urged, 'Kiss her! kiss her, quick! you goose!' My heart stopped beating and I scarcely dared steal a glance at Miss Nellie, but when I did she was blushing so divinely, her lips were so tempting and—well, there was a look in her eyes that told me a delicious secret; so, with sudden courage, I leaned forward and with a 'May I, Nell?' followed Poll's sage advice.

"Yes, my wife's name is Nellie, and Poll, now gone the way of all flesh, now stands upon our mantel beautifully stuffed and prized most highly. In all probability I would have allowed the treasure I coveted to slip through my fingers had she not helped me out, for my wife has since told me she had just decided it was lost time to continue to love a man so bashful that he would not take his own, and that she would try and like the other fellow."—Attica (N. Y.) Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Original Three Card Monte Man.

I have found a man in my rounds who was well acquainted with "Canada Bill," the original three card monte man, now dead.

"The three card monte game," he said, "was first worked by 'Canada Bill' in 1869. Bill was a Canadian, as his name indicated, and he was as stupid a looking man as one could easily find. Bill worked his game on the trains usually, passing himself off as a cattleman from Texas. In 1873, after making a vast sum of money at his trick, 'Canada Bill' conceived the idea of organizing all the men inclined to be 'crooked' in the various points about which he plied his vocation. He called it, as all men of his calling now do, 'squaring the head'—that is, 'fixing' the head officials of a town if possible, establishing a fence, having a 'fixed' lawyer and ready 'straw bail property holders.' At one time he had working for him 1,600 men on the trains and in various towns and cities."—Kansas City Times.

Expensive Manufacturing.

"This bit of aluminum," said Col. L. C. Weir, of Cincinnati, the other day, pointing to a small bit of the metal on his desk, "cost me just $10,000. Yes, that's rather dear for aluminum, I admit, but still," with a smile, "we must have it, you know. I became interested in a man who had a 'perfect process' for making aluminum. A company was formed and the stock subscribed. The process looked very well on paper, but this is all I have to show for my $10,000, the amount of my stock. I'm rather curious to see how successful these newer processes of making aluminum will be."—New York Tribune.

Requirements of Steamboat Captains.

Four boys, all under 20 years of age, are captains of steamers on the Mississippi river. A New Orleans steamboat owner says: "Any boy who can talk and write can captain a steamboat as well as a man. The pilot and engineer take all the responsibility."—Detroit Free Press.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

Catnip, or catmint, is so called because cats have a great fondness for it, and are often seen eating the leaves of itr It grows abundantly about old buildings and fences. The plant is covered with a soft, hoary down.

Most of the province of Uralsk, in southeastern Russia, having an area of 141,174 square miles and a population of over five hundred thousand, is below sea level.

FLAGS AND FUNNELS OF STEAMERS.

How the Owners of the Ocean Palaces Mark Their Vessels with Colors.

The various lines of transatlantic steamers sailing from this port have, as is generally known, each a distinctive flag and a distinctive manner of painting their smokestacks. Comparatively few know, however, what these distinguishing signs of the great ocean steamers are. When you see a steamer with her funnels painted red, with a deep black band around the top and two narrow black bands below, that is a Cunarder.

The funnels of the ships of the French line to Havre are exactly like those of the Cunard line, except the two narrow black bands, which the French steamers do not have. The White Star steamers have yellow funnels with a black band around the top, and the Guion line steamers black funnels with a red band some distance below the top. The plain yellow funnels are among the distinguishing features of the North German Lloyd steamers, and the Red Star line has funnels painted exactly like those of the White Star steamers, except that the former have a red star just below the black band at the top.

On the Inman line the funnels are painted black, with a white band some distance below the top. The Anchor line and the Hamburg line both have funnels painted entirely black, but the practiced eye readily distinguishes them.

Over the Cunard steamers floats a square red flag on which is a golden lion rampant holding the "orb of empire" in its paws. The Inman line's flag is red with a white field, and in the field is a black diamond. A red swallowtail with a white star in it is the flag of the White Star line, and the Red Star steamers fly a white swallowtail charged with a red star. The Guion line's flag is blue with a large white diamond in the center in which is a black star.

A white flag on which is a red anchor is the one flown by ships of the Anchor line, and the North German Lloyd ships fly a white flag on which in blue are a key and anchor crossed and wreath of oak leaves. The French line to Havre flies a white flag bearing the name of the company in red. These are only a few of the many flags which fly over incoming and outgoing steamers in the waters of the bay, and of the various paintings of smokestacks which serve to distinguish the ships of one line from another.

At night when these distinguishing features cannot be seen a vessel announces her line by burning lights of a peculiar kind, a certain set of colors and pyrotechnics being adopted by each line. Thus if a Cunard steamer should meet another at night and wish to exchange signals she would burn a blue light and fire off two Roman candles, each discharging six blue balls. If the ship she signaled was an Inman steamer she would show a blue light forward and aft and a red light on the bridge and fire a variegated rocket.—New York Tribune.

The Chinese Idea.

A thinking Mongolian of this city gave a new notion when he spoke in this wise:

You Americans often say that the Chinese face has an unpleasant look, and that you do not like its shape or its expression; but perhaps you do not know that we Chinese think the American face has a very obnoxious shape and expression. Our broad Mongolian features are not to your liking, and your narrow features are not to our liking. You do not laugh at the queer looks of Chinese babies any more than we laugh at the queer looks of your babies.

You do not like the Chinese style of dress, and we dislike the way in which American women and men dress themselves. You say your religion is better than ours; but tell us how it is better. You think American belles are prettier and more pleasing than Chinese belles, but we think just the opposite of that. We believe that things in China are better than things in America, and that the people there are happier than the people here. We come to this country to get money, which is hard to get in our country; but we all want to get back to China while alive or to be taken back after death.—New York Sun.

Oysters with False Teeth.

Mr. William H. Dexter, an oysterman, exhibits quite a curiosity which he took from New river, near Cedar Point, in Onslow county. It is two oysters fastened together at right angles, with a set of false teeth adhering to them at the intersection of the shells. The upper roof of the teeth is next to the shell, while the teeth are pointed outward.

The teeth and gums are in a perfect state of preservation, although it is conjectured that they must have been in the bottom of the river for many years. We are told by oystermen that the oysters to which they are attached are of about three years' growth, and a dentist tells us that the teeth are of a style made about thirty years ago, although a few of the same style are yet made by some dentists.—Wilmington Messenger.

Often the Case.

Old Fuddy—George, just look in the dictionary and see what the meaning of syzygy is?

George—Oh, bother! Why not write to the editor of the Sunbeam and ask him? It will save labor, and besides it will make him think that we are literary lights.

Old Fuddy—George, you're a genius, that's what you are.—Boston Transcript.

Liver Complaint.

Being subject to liver troubles, I have tried many medicines, but have never found an equal to Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. It stimulates the stomach and liver, regulates the bowels, and has proved of such value that I would not be without it.—Mrs. Fred Sheldon, cor. Bridge and Division streets, W. Catskill, N. Y.

A Russian peasant named Namischeff entered the barn of a usurer to whom he owed money and hanged himself on the door, writing upon it with calk the words: "This pays off my indebtedness to you."

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Animals are kept on the roofs of the houses in Lima, Peru, and it frequently happens that a cow passes her whole life on a roof, being taken there as a calf and brought down finally as fresh beef.

A Shark Tries to Eat a Model Yacht.

"Speaking of the peculiarities of sharks," remarked Rev. Dr. Luther, "when I was staying at Ocean Beach, Conn., I witnessed a most remarkable occurrence. The Connecticut Model Yacht club were sailing a race on the Sound, and the custom there is to follow the models in rowboats. The models are from 4 to 5 feet long, carrying from 40 to 50 pounds of lead on their keels, with sail spread in proportion. Of course in a strong breeze it requires a powerfully manned boat to keep up with them.

"Well, on the occasion referred to, the Rev. Dr. Pullman's boat was leading, and we were following along her lee in a regular double banked yawl, having all we knew to keep near her in the short, choppy seas. Suddenly some one called out, 'Look at that big fish!' Sure enough the head of an enormous shark appeared out of the water astern of the little craft.

"The shark actually snapped at the boat four times in spite of all our shouting and splashing with oars to frighten him away. Every time he just missed her stern by about six inches, as the fish did not make sufficient allowance for the speed of the model. The supposition was that the boat being painted white attracted the tiger of the sea, and perhaps he thought it was some sort of bird skipping over the water. I was told it was not the first time that the boats had been followed by a shark, but none had ever attempted to make a meal of one before."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Fatal Vegetable Poisons.

People who advertise patent medicines are very fond of saying that their preparations are of a purely vegetable nature, confiding in the popular ignorance of the fact that the most deadly poisons in the world are vegetable poisons. For example, there is the "woorari" plant from South America, which is used by the savage natives for poisoning their arrows. Introduced into the circulation, the juice of this vegetable immediately paralyzes the muscular system and soon produces death. Physicians experimenting in vivisection employ this poison to paralyze the muscles of frogs and other animals in order that the subject treated may not move under the knife.

It should be mentioned that the arrows envenomed with this powerful agent of destruction are propelled through blowguns of bamboo with astonishing accuracy of aim, birds and other game being captured in this way. Strychnine is a vegetable product obtained from the nux vomica plant of India. The seeds supply this active principle, which is used in medicine to act upon the nervous system as a tonic. Too much of it is a deadly poison, paralyzing the nerve centers and occasioning convulsions that soon end in death.—Washington Star.

Rest the Best Medicine.

Many times rest is the only medicine needed by the sick. If a dog is ailing he rolls himself into a ball in a warm corner and eats little or nothing till he is well. Quiet and warmth are the medicine of the four footed philosopher. The biped loses the instinct of the animal; fumes, frets, takes stimulants and medicaments and gives no chance to the recuperative forces of nature. If he, too, would retire to his chamber, keep warm and eat next to nothing those waste and poisonous matters which produced the disorder would be expelled in due time through the organs of secretion. That machinery which carries on involuntary motion when the body is at rest pushes out of it from two to eight pounds of waste material in every twenty-four hours. The physician of experience says so. He also says that with bathing and half fasting the system, in ordinary cases, will take care of itself.—Good Housekeeping.

Doing Well.

As it was in Emerson's youth so it is now; the best things that a boy learns at school are those which the master does not teach. Such, at all events, is the boy's opinion.

"Well, Tommy," said a visitor, "how are you getting on at school?"

"First rate," answered Tommy. "I ain't doing as well as some of the other boys, though. I can stand on my head, but I have to put my feet against the fence. I want to do it without being anywhere near the fence, and I guess I can after a while."—Jewish Messenger.

Next to It.

"We had such a scare last night!" she said as she got seated.

"Fire?"

"No."

"Accident?"

"No."

"Burglars?"

"Not quite, but the very next thing to it. A policeman tried our back door, and we all got up and sat up for two hours."—Detroit Free Press.

Department of Religion.

Polite Stranger—I wish to see the religious editor, if you have one on this paper.

Office Boy (cautiously)—The—the man wot runs th' religious column is in fust room to th' right.—Good News.

Incurable.

Officer—He's pretty wild, sir. Thinks he owns th' world.

Justice—What's his business?

Officer—He's been janitor of a down town office building.—Judge.

A Meeting.

Ague—Ah, Fever!
Fever—Ah, Ague!
Both—Shake!—Puck.

There is talk of naming a new park in New Haven after Donald G. Mitchell, who is not only a literary man, in whose work the City of Elms takes great pride, but also an authority in landscape gardening.

Among the unpublished Thackeray manuscript offered for sale in London are a note-book containing 1,200 fragments of unpublished verses, a scrapbook with 400 tracings and sketchings, and an album of sketches.

The letters of Hans Christian Andersen, the celebrated writer of fairy tales, are soon to be published, and are said to be of unusual interest. They will include his correspondence with Charles Dickens and other celebrities.

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The last lineal decendant of Christopher Columbus is the Duke of Veragua, known to the Spaniards chiefly as a breeder of fighting bulls.

General Trei, who has just been elected a member of the Federal Council of Switzerland, was formerly a private in an Illinois regiment and spent many months in Libby Prison.

Lord Wolseley seems to be preparing for a vigorous campaign in Ireland. He has inspected all the barracks, is strengthening all the defenses and fresh troops are re-enforcing many places.

John Ross, the present Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation, Bushyhead, Boudinot, and others of them are college graduates, or have been educated in the East, and don't indulge in the Sioux ballet.

Mr. Stanley's expedition has brought to light some curious specimen's of pipes from equatorial Africa. Surgeon Park has made careful drawings of them. The simplest specimen of a rough and ready pipe is that used by the natives of the Aruwimi and Utiri forests. Its tem is perforated banana stock. The bowl is a banana leaf rolled up into a funne, like a grocer's paper, and inserted into a hole cut into the stem and the apparatus is complete.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 8.15, 9.15, 10.00, 10.45, 11.45, A. M., 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, 11.10, A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.20, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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The Woburn Journal.

THE POWER OF LOVE.

That I was unhappily married did not concern my friends. They did not choose to believe me. That my husband's love was of an intensely selfish kind was, however, well known. He was proud of me in his way, and there his love ended. After we had been married a few years I discovered that he was absolutely unfaithful to me. When I ventured to speak to him on the subject he laughed me to scorn, said all husbands were unfaithful, that honor was at a premium, and so on. I stood this because—I had to! Vain had been my appeal to parents, friends and relations. They told me a separation was not to be thought of; if I was unhappy it was my own fault.

After this I became benumbed with sorrow. Indignity after indignity was showered upon me until indeed life was not worth living; but I had been religiously brought up, told to "submit to God's will," etc., and I bore all this for five years. Finally one day the thought came to me, "Is this God's will?" I found my faith in human nature gradually disappearing until I was actually calling even my Maker to account.

To the world I was a mere butterfly of society. We were rich and had a good position in the social world, but my heart and soul were starved. My body belonged to the man I had married, or so he said, but my soul was my own, and even that was in a muddled state. For years I had been living with a thoroughly bad man, and I began to fear that my high ideas of honor, right and wrong, good and evil, were not what they should be. One day I was quite ill. The doctor was called in. He said I was not strong, was losing tone, and must go away for a time.

He did not like the white look around my lips. He denoted heart trouble, which might end in something serious. So, after a little further talk and some coarse remarks from my husband, it was finally decided that I should take a journey to some near place. I will not say what city I visit. Sufficient to remark that it was a beautiful one. I found a quiet boarding house kept by a lady. Two other boarders were there. They were quiet young fellows, plain men of business. I had refused to go to a hotel. I wanted a chance to think, to settle, if possible, upon some plan of life that would bring me freedom, a chance to once more respect myself, if possible. This, I thought would be "God's will."

I never shall forget the first I came into the dining room. The three young men were seated at the table. I saw at one glance that two of them were handsome, one particularly so—a great large blonde. The third young man was rather plain. He had beautiful teeth, fine eyes, a low voice and gentle manner. He, too, was a blonde and of medium height. He was polite to me, but he had little to say and did not look well. The next few days passed in a peaceful manner. In the meantime we all became better acquainted. Finally, one evening he did not come to tea, and, on my asking why, the landlady said he was ill with a severe headache, but would be so glad if we would look in on him during the evening. We did so. We found him lying on the sofa, quiet and pale; spoke a few moments, and as I turned to go he asked me if I would remain and read to him, as he thought it might put him, as he thought it might put him to sleep. Of course my answer was "Yes," and the others going out of the room I drew a chair to his side and read for some time. Once I ceased for a moment and looking up saw him regarding me intently. He flushed to the roots of his hair. I flushed, too, and—I knew I loved him.

This may seem silly, but I am only stating facts. I knew also that he loved me. How did I know it? I cannot tell. I felt I could go on reading to him forever. A look of rapt content was on his face. He said nothing. I knew he held my hand and that was all. Soon he fell asleep, and I sat with him, reviewing my life. I even laughed out loud at the absurdity of the thing. Here was a man I had only known three weeks, and I was so in love with him that everything else became nothing. I knew according to the code of honor and religion it was a fearful sin I was committing, but I felt no chill of horror, no repugnance such as I always felt at my husbands touch. Instead, kind, tender thoughts came to me and life seemed to have something in it once more. I knew I was loved and respected, and I knew I loved, and in vain. Slowly I rose from my seat and sought my room, where I poured out my soul in prayer.

I met him again the next evening, when he was feeling well, and he told me then in very plain language how he had learned to love me. "I never loved before dear, I have thought myself interested in you—very much so—but the feeling I bear you is one I cannot describe. You are so sweet, so loving, but yu have the saddest face I ever saw. What is it, dear? Tell me." And he placed his arm gently around my form.

If he had been one shade less refined or courteous I would have repulsed him, but he was all that a woman of the most sensitive nature could wish for, and—I loved him. His gentle inquiry required an answer, and I told him all. I can see his face now pale with suppressed emotion as I went over certain portions of my married life. "The brute, for he must be that, to treat any one so lovely as you in such a manner. Oh my own loved one, what are we to do? You have every reason for a divorce. Get one and let me make you my own loved and honored wife."

How I was tempted in that hour no one will ever know. I told him it was impossible. How could I tear up all my home life, at my age, and start out afresh and new? Things went on for several days until finally one evening he pleaded with me as I never heard him plead before—as I did not think a human being could plead. This pleading went on for a long time. It was terrible.

On one side the man you loved more than life, more than all else, and on the other the training of a lifetime, old faiths, old habits to be uprooted, all beliefs given up, custom and society trampled on alike. What was I to do? He did not force his opinions on me, but he was pleading for his life, his all, and I knew it! Finally I told him I would think it all over and let him know in the morning. In that hour I more than loved him. As I left him I looked in his dear eyes and then—well, I gave him a kiss such as I never thought to give any man living. My soul was in it, for I almost felt it would be our final parting. His face flushed, he trembled violently and gently pushed me away, saying: "Go, my darling; leave me now, and in the morning tell me you will be my own cherished wife as soon as you can." And I left him and went to my room.

No human soul will ever know what I suffered that night. My dual nature was at war. On one side every fiber of my being shrank in abhorrance from the man the law called my husband, I knew if I tried to be divorced society would raise its hand against me as something too bad to be allowed to enter its sacred portals. I was a proud woman. I loved the world. I revered its customs. I knew its laws were as unalterable as that of the Medes and Persians. If I married this man I knew it meant ostracism complete and entire. Then I tried to reason out why I loved the man. He was far from handsome, slightly pale, of medium height, not very talkative, and still I loved him. That was the sum total of all my reasoning. That was all I could make out. Suddenly, without any warning, I felt the blood rush to my head, I could feel it begin at my feet and rush up, as if in waves, to my head. The pain was terrible. As the agony became unbearable I fell prostrate on the floor and became unconscious.

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I was aroused by hearing voices and the remark: "Is she not beautiful as she lies there? How sad that she should have died so suddenly, and worst of all her husband away from her. We have telegraphed to him at several places. In the meantime, however, she had to be prepared for her long rest."

The whole thing rushed over me; I had been found to all intents and purposes, lifeless on the floor after that night of suffering, and they were now robing me for the tomb. I tried to cry out, but my voice was dumb. I tried to speak, to stir, but in vain. I was indeed dead. For a moment I thought my brain would turn, and then I grew calm. I thought of him. I knew how he would sorrow for me. That seemed to be my greatest grief. After a while, after they had decently composed my limbs, drawn down the blinds and placed a few sweet flowers in my folded hands, they left me alone in my anguish. It grew dark and I knew I had been dead a night and a day. Slowly the shadows fell over the tired world, and strange to say, instead of feeling wild with horror, I grew calm and lay there thinking of him.

I thought over my past life, regretted bitterly that I had ever spoken an unkind word to my husband—regretted, as all of us must do, that I had been unkind to any one; but, perhaps, now that I had died so suddenly, they would forgive me. I think then I must have lost myself in sleep, for I was aroused by hearing voices—horror stricken voices—saying to each other that on returning home and hearing the fatal news of my death my poor husband had fallen with a stroke of apoplexy.

My husband dead! Thank God, he was spared this living death. And then it all rushed over me how I soon would be placed in the casket, the lid fastened down, and then—then I almost groaned in my agony, but—I did not. I could hear the happy birds singing to each other outside the window, the rustle of the leaves as they whispered together, and the swaying of the branches. Presently the door opened and four men came into the room. I could distinguish them by their voices. They bore with them my last resting couch. I think that again I must have fallen asleep, for when I came to I heard some one say:

"But the gentleman insists upon seeing her, says he is an old friend, but here he is himself." There was a slight disturbance at the door, and with the exclamation, "My God, it is she!" he had pushed his way past the several people gathered in the room. It was he. I could feel his kisses raining down on my face, and his great sobs as he called me by every endearing name. He clasped me to his heart. I made a tremendous struggle, gave a slight moan and became lifeless to myself.

I will not weary my readers with an account of my long illness, or how I finally regained all my old health and strength. I mourned for my husband's death, and for two years I wore widow's weeds, nor during that time did I ever once see my lover, but at last at the end of that period of mourning he came to me. He did not say much. He never was a man of many words. He only took my hands and covered them with tender kisses, and now in closing I can only say I have been his dear and honored wife ten years. Little faces gather around my desk as I write this story of one life that was saved, and only "through the power of love."—*N. Y. Press.*

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters curee him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

How Pa Says It.

For the sake of convenience, we will say the place was Amsterdam and the street East Main. 'Tis the hour of two in the afternoon, and a number of guests were seated at the dinner table of Mr. B. Among the number is Mr. B's little daughter, aged five, and Rev. Mr. X. At the request of Mr. B. the reverend guest is politely asked to say grace. "That's a pretty grace you said Mr. X," remarked the daughter, as the latter finished, "but that ain't the way papa says it." "How does papa say it?" asked the proud Mr. X, expecting to hear another of her bright replies for which she, so her father averred, was so famous. "Yes," chimed in the rest of the guests "tell us how papa says grace." "Why, when he comes in to dinner, he looks at the table and then at mamma, and then says, 'Well, this is a great meal to set before a white man.'" Mr. B. subsided.

Thousands Poisoned.

In a recent work on Heart Disease, Dr. Franklin Miles—the noted specialist—gives many new and startling facts. Thousands of people are slowly poisoning themselves, weakening their hearts by the use of tea, coffee, tobacco and alcohol. These are Heart Whips, causing it to beat rapidly, thus gradually wearing it out, producing shortness of breath when exercising, pains in side and shoulder, hungry and faint spells. Finally heart failure and sudden death. For weakened and irritated hearts the press everywhere highly recommend the New Heart Cure discovered by Dr. Franklin Miles, which is for sale by Charles H. Buss.

Francis II, the last King of Naples, whom Garibadi overthrew, is living in exile in Paris. He is a plain-looking man of medium height, whose eyes always have a mournful look in them and who never smiles. His sole occupation seem to be to walk once a day from his furnished apartment to the Church of St. Phillippe du Roul, prayer-book under arm, to pass an hour in devotion.

Tea and Coffee.

What a shocking amount of ignorance is displayed in our kitchens regarding the most simple and common things! A lady the other day in relating her grievances against her boarding place said:

"We get plenty to eat, and have a good variety, cooked fairly well, but it seems impossible to get a cup of real tea or coffee. For my part I could get along better with fewer dainties if there were only served with our food a fragrant cup of tea or coffee made in the right way."

Such is often found to be the case not only in boarding houses, hotels and restaurants, but in private residences as well. The table may be furnished with every variety of eatables prepared in a dainty manner, and yet through carelessness the tea or coffee is spoiled. Some cooks will persist in making tea or coffee quite a while before it is needed on the table, and then let it simmer away at the back of the stove, while they see to the cooking of the other materials for the meal. This is a great mistake. When every thing else is about cooked, then is the time to think of making the tea or coffee, for they must be fresh in order to taste good. Drinking boiled tea, or tea that has been steeped too long, is really dangerous to health if the habit is continued, as the tannin is extracted from the herb, and the effect on the coat of the stomach is to render it leathery. One cannot have a good digestion if strong tea full of tannin, is one's daily drink. The doctors often forbid the use of tea to dyspeptic persons, who, if they had only been more careful and drank the liquid of proper strength, and made in the right manner, would have been spared much suffering. Unless the best tea or coffee is obtained it will be impossible to have a delicious cup of either. It is better to save on something else and have these luxuries on the table. One cup of strong, rich coffee will do one more good than half a dozen cups of weak chiccory slops, and how refreshing it is to sit down to a cup of fragrant tea with the steam rising from the water just poured on it! That certainly is the "cup which cheers but not inebriates." The true aroma soon evaporates from the tea or coffee that is left standing. This is a simple matter and yet one which all housekeepers should be particular about.—*Albany Journal.*

Everybody Knows

That it this season the blood is filled with impurities, the accummulation of months of close confinement in poorly ventilated stores, workshops and tenements. All these impurities and every trace of scrofula, salt rheum, or other diseases may be expelled by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier ever produced. It is the only medicine of which "100 doses one dollar" is true.

Englishmen Seek American Wives.

The popular taste over on the other side of the water appears to be growing more and more warm toward America and Americans. The wealthy and titled men of the Old World are seeking with increased earnestness American brides, and it is erroneous to suppose that all they are after is the parental boodle. There is a charm about American girls that the English do not have. The women of Great Britain are brought up from their earliest infancy to maintain a submissive and meek regard for the other sex. They are taught that the only thing in life for them is to marry comfortably and go into a sort of serfdom for the rest of their lives. No American girl goes into matrimony with any such idea. She is bound to get the upper hand if she can, and she has a sweet and brisk independence about her that is most attractive to men who have met with nothing but the other sort of thing. So it is that American girls, who at first shocked foreign society, are in great demand in Europe nowadays as ornaments in salons and drawing rooms and as prospective wives to nabob natives.

Is it Safe

To neglect yourself if troubled with any disease of the kidneys? No, it is dangerous; and if you are so afflicted, attend to yourself now. Do not wait, but use Sulphur Bitters at once. They cured me when I was given up to die by several physicians.—JONATHAN HAM, Boston.

Bechuanaland.

Bechuanaland, South Africa, is the paradise of the workingman, says a writer in the *Fortnightly Review.* In the course of our sojourn we never saw a begger or a starving person. Masons in Bechuanaland were getting wages of $4 to $5 per diem, and this with meat at ten cents a pound. Natives in the coal pits were getting $1.25 a day. When we consider that a Kaffir's food, consisting of Boer meal pap, costs ten cents a day, there is a good margin for saving. We had Baralongs and Basutos working for us. The former we found clever with their fingers but very poor in physique, with a great disinclination for hard work. The Basutos are a fine race, magnificently proportioned and excellent workers, willing and intelligent. The superiority of the Basuto and the Zulu is shown indisputably by the fact that from them are recruited the police and the searchers of the diamond fields. Some think it probable that the native races of South Africa came originally from the South Sea Islands, but be that as it may, it is certain that Jewish customs obtain among them.

Happy Meeting of Two Friends.

John M. Allen, of Charlotte, N. Y. said to his friend, "Parsons, I am about dead with the Gravel, and cannot find help." Mr. Parsons induced Mr. Allen to give Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Roudout, N. Y., a trial. Weeks went by and the friends met. Mr. Allen said, "Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy has saved my life. It is a sure cure for Gravel."

The pumice stone was a writing material of the ancients; they used it to smooth the roughness of the parchment or to sharpen their reeds.

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The Only Way to Become a Capitalist.

Somebody must save money; and the people who save it will be the capitalists, and they will control the organization of industry and receive the larger share of the profits. If the workingmen will save their money the may not only be sharers of profits, but owners of stock and receivers of dividends. And the workingmen can save their money, if they will. It is the only way in which they can permanently and surely improve their condition. Legislative reforms, improved industrial methods, may make the way easier for them, but there is no road to comfort and independence, after all, but the plain old path of steady work and sober saving.

If the working people of this country would save, for the next five years, the money that they spend on beer and tobacco and base ball, they could control a pretty large share of the capital employed in the industries by which they get their living; and they could turn the dividends of this capital from the pockets of the money-lenders into their own. There is no other way of checking the congestion of wealth and of promoting its diffusion, so expeditious, so certain and so beneficent as this: I wish the working people would try it!—*Washington Glidden in the Sept. Forum.*

Recipes.

Cream Pie—Beat the whites of four eggs until they will remain on an inverted spoon, then add four tablespoonfuls of white sugar. Beat all together in a basin or dish holding a quart; fill the dish with cream, or very rich milk if you have no cream, and flavor with lemon, vanilla, or any extract you prefer to use. Bake with one crust.

Black Pudding—Use for this one cupful of warm water, one cupful of molasses, one and a half cupfuls of stoned raisins, one teaspoonful of soda, two and one half cupfuls of flour. Mix all the ingredients together and boil in a pudding-bag. Add a little more flour if the pudding seems too thin as you put it in the bag. Boil it three hours.

Potato Soup—Peel three medium sized potatoes and boil them until they can be pressed through a colander, then stir in one cup of cream or rich milk and return to the water the potatoes were boiled in. Beat an egg and stir it into a pint of flour; then sprinkle this into the boiling soup. Add butter, salt and pepper to taste and let the small egg dumplings boil about fifteen minutes, then serve very hot.

What Sort of Girls are Lovable.

"What kind of girls are lovable?" asks an old bachelor sternly, in the *Boston Globe.* "That, good sir, depends a great deal upon what kind of a person is going to love them." Here is a rather pretty summing up from the thought—and experience—of a person who has pride in being in some sort a connoisseur of lovability: "The gifts that are lovable," says he, "are these: Girls without an undesirable love of liberty and craze for individualism; girls who will let themselves be guided; girls who have the filial sentiment well developed, and who feel the love of a daughter for the woman who acts as their mother; girls who know that every day and all day long cannot be devoted to holiday making without the intervention of duties more or less irksome; girls who, when they can gather them, accept their roses with frank and girlish sincerity of pleasure, and when they are denied, submit without repining to the inevitable hardships of circumstances—these are the girls whose companionship gladdens and does not oppress or distract the old, whose sweetness and ready submission to the reasonable control of authority make life so pleasant and their charge so light to those whose care they are."

A Spanish potato raised at Clarksville, Ga., this season was four feet and eight inches in length.

To Restore the Freshness of Worn Clothing.

The mystery to many people how the scourers of old clothes can make them look almost as good as new is explained in the American Analyst as follows: Take, for instance, a shabby old coat, vest or pair of pants, of broadcloth, cassimere or diagonal. The scourer makes a strong, warm soapsuds and plunges the garment into it, souses it up and down, rubs the dirty places, if necessary puts it through a second suds, then rinses it through several waters, and hangs it to dry on the line. When nearly dry, he takes it in, rolls it up for an hour or two, and then presses it. An old cotton cloth is laid on the outside of the coat, and the iron passed over that until the wrinkles are out; but the iron is removed before the steam ceases to rise from the goods, else they would be shiny. Wrinkles that are obstinate are removed by laying a wet cloth over them, and passing the iron over that. If any shiny places are seen, they are treated as the wrinkles are; the iron is lifted, while the full cloud of steam rises, and brings the nap up with it. Cloth should always have a suds made specially for it, as in that which has been used for white cotton or woolen clothes, lint will be left in the water, and cling to the cloth. In this manner we have known the same coat and pantaloons to be renewed time and again, and have all the look and feel of new garments. Good broadclo

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

ABOUT INSURANCE.

If we mistake not there is a bill before the present Legislature, or an application for one pending before some of the legislative committees, in favor of changing the present insurance laws in such a manner that when a person has his house insured for a certain amount and it burns down he can find out by his policy just how much insurance money he is entitled to and how much he will receive. The bill ought to become a law.

As things now stand if a man procures an insurance of $1000 on his house and it is totally consumed by fire he can't tell how much money he will get from the company until the loss is "adjusted" and a report sent in. It is hardly ever the case that he receives the full sum of $1,000 notwithstanding his payments are all based on that amount of insurance.

There is, according to the way we look at it, nothing equitable or fair in the way fire insurance business is conducted as it regards the payment of losses.

MR. HAYDEN MEANS WHAT HE SAYS.

There has been considerable talk of late about making Hon. E. D. Hayden of this city the next Governor of Massachusetts. But to the proposal Mr. Hayden gives an emphatic nay. The following needs no explanation:

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Ex-Congressman Hayden was on the floor of the House to-day and a member of the Massachusetts delegation jokingly saluted him as "Governor."

"Don't call me that," said Mr. Hayden. "Most men when they decline something which has not yet been tendered to them are as a rule insincere, and really want what they profess they do not. I am perfectly honest in saying that I would not accept the nomination. I have no further political ambitions, and least of all do I want to be governor of Massachusetts.

"I appreciate the kindness in mentioning my name, but really I am not a candidate either now or at any other time."

THE BIENNIAL ELECTIONS.

When the question of biennial elections came up for a final vote in the Senate last week the Senator from this District, Capt. E. F. Wyer, recorded his name on the affirmative side of it as its friends had good reason to suppose he would.

In any case where it is shown that there is a considerable popular demand for a modification of the organic law of the Commonwealth there ought never to be any hesitation on the part of the General Court about putting the necessary machinery into operation for testing the question by submitting it to a vote of the people and it was probably in this light that Senator Wyer looked at it when he voted last week in favor of allowing the citizens of the State to express an opinion on it at the ballot-box.

A GOOD SELECTION.

The appointment of ex-Governor Foster of Ohio to the office of Secretary of the Treasury to fill the vacancy made by the death of Secretary Windom meets with cordial approval from men of all parties. He is regarded as a man of excellent financial ability; it is known that he has achieved success in his business pursuits through life; his ideas as to public finances are sound and conservative; and he is in full accord with the President on all matters appertaining to the affairs of his Department.

RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS.

If anyone can tell why towns and cities have not the natural right to establish gas and electric plants and sell the products of them to their own inhabitants we should like to hear it.

The idea is absurd, and yet it is doubtful if the petitions for the exercise of such right now before the Legislature will be granted.

☞ Washington despatches of Tuesday last include ex-Congressman Hayden of this city in a delegation of distinguished Boston gentlemen who, headed by Senator Hoar, called on President Harrison that day in behalf of the reappointment of General Corse to the Boston Postoffice. It was also said in the despatch that Gen. Corse's prospects were brightening up again.

☞ Within a few days we have received valuable documents from the Census Bureau of the Interior Department, Division of Mining Statistics, at the head of which is David T. Day namely: Census Bulletin Nos. 26 and 27, the first containing a treatise on "Maryland Coal," and the other a treatise on "Alabama Coal."

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

T. H. Cahill—Brine.
Ayer & Son—Morgan.
A. Cummings—Opening.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
L. L. Whitney—Probate.
L. L. Whitney—Citation.
Barlow Bros.—Minstrels.
Emma Fosdick—Concert.
W. Co-op. Bank—Meeting.
Paine Fur. Co.—Furniture.
S. F. Trull—Parish Meeting.
G. R. Gage & Co.—Dissolution.
Good Will Club—Entertainment.
R. B. P. Co.—Royal Baking Powder.

— Tuesday was almost like a summer day.

— Another big rain storm on Wednesday night.

— Judge Johnson's confirmation will take place on April 1.

— There has been some pleasant spring-like weather here this week.

— The Boston Branch has an important announcement in this paper.

— Josie Littlefield of No. Berwick, Maine, is visiting relatives in this city.

— Episcopalians will be interested in the notice for a Parish meeting published in this paper.

— Mr. Austin Hall who was so badly burned is getting along as well as could be expected.

— There were 12 applicants for police civil service examination before the Board last Tuesday.

— Barlow Bros. famous minstrel troupe will give a entertainment at Lyceum Hall to-morrow evening.

— The Central Square Rod and Gun Club had a shoot last Monday. The next one will be held on Fast Day.

— The rain and drizzle of Saturday and Saturday night swept away what little snow there was and made slushy walking.

— A meeting of the Woburn High School Graduates Association will be held Friday evening, March 13, 1891. All are invited.

— Please read the announcement of an entertainment to be given by the Good Will Club at No. Woburn next Friday evening.

— Mr. J. L. Smith of Winchester, near Locke's Hill, was in this city last Tuesday to attend the funeral of a relative on Montvale Ave.

— Brewster Colony, No. 19, U. O. P. F., will give an entertainment at the close of its meeting on March 5 to the members and their wives.

— We announce the death of Mrs. Brooks, mother of Mrs. Col. Hayes, at the age of nearly 96 years—the oldest person in the city probably.

— The alarm from box 38 last Wednesday afternoon was for a small fire at Calnan's shoe stock factory on Winn street. The damage was slight.

— Crystal Fount Lodge, I. O. O. F., by invitation of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, the pastor, will attend divine services at the M. E. Church next Sunday.

— Burbank W. R. C. No. 84, have elected Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside, President of the Corps, a delegate to the National Convention to be held in Detroit next Aug.

— Particular attention is called to the notice of Miss Fosdick's banjo concert in another column. It will be seen that a fine array of talent has been engaged for it.

— Mr. H. Olson who fell into a vat of tanning liquor last week and was terribly burned, is rapidly recovering. He had a narrow escape from an awful death.

— Remember the readings by Prof. Churchill, Friday evening, March 6. The tickets are selling rapidly and we think it safe to prophesy that few, if any, will be on sale that evening.

— The State Inspector of Buildings, after another examination, pronounces the heating apparatus of the Union Street school which has given so much trouble this winter still unsatisfactory.

— Mrs. S. K. Ellis and her daughter Josie of Bennett street left here last Friday for Boston where they took a Raymond excursion train for a trip to and several days visit at Washington, D. C.

— Read full programme, etc., of the annual meeting and banquet of the Pine Tree Club in another column in this paper. The affair is to come off on Wednesday evening, March 4, and will be a notable one.

— The great meeting of the Salvation Army at Concert Hall last Tuesday evening was a success. The Chelsea Brass Band of the Army furnished music, and many prominent Army officers delivered addresses.

— The expressions of approval of the Mrs. Converse property on Sherman Place for a City Hospital, first suggested by the JOURNAL, are general and warm. There is no other spot in the city so good for the purpose as it is.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammond have been taking a great deal of pleasure at Winter Park, Florida, where they went some weeks ago. The genial Southern climate agrees with the health and spirits of both of them.

— Mr. F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Lewis Music School in this city, and other popular talent gave a concert last evening for the benefit of the M. E. Church and Society. The JOURNAL goes to press too early to give an account of.

— Albert Thompson, the painter, has had a busy and profitable year of it. He has had all the orders for pictures (principally cattle pieces which are his specialty) that he could execute and still has a satisfactory number on hand.

— Every house needs a good Dining Table. There is no comfort in the old style oval table. The legs are in the way, the leaves are never level and the table creaks constantly. Oak and Cherry Pillar Extension Tables can be bought as low as $10 at Paine's Furniture Warerooms, 48 Canal street, Boston.

— "Bradley's American Farmer," published in Boston by the famous Bradley Fertilizer Co. of 30 years standing, is not only a neat and prettily illustrated publication but likewise a useful one, as farmers, gardeners, horticulturists and other soil-workers will see by a careful examination of the same.

— A despatch has been received from Mr. George W. Copp who went to search for the body of Rufus W. Lovering, Jr., of this city who was drowned on Jan. 24th last at a place about 50 miles from Seattle, Wash., saying that he had recovered it and would reach Woburn with it by due course of railroad conveyance.

— Miss M. M. Jameson, Musical Instructor in the public schools of this city, is a lady of rare musical accomplishments and is giving entire satisfaction to our school authorities. This was not an easy thing to do coming to the position as the successor of Prof. Emory P. Russell whose administration of its affairs were signally successful all through his engagement. He is a musical teacher of great merit, and his incumbency of the post of Musical Instructor in Woburn's public schools was in the highest degree satisfactory to all concerned. It is believed that Miss Jameson will prove a worthy successor to him.

— Organist Clarke has arranged the following music for the morning services at the First Congregational church next Sunday:

Organ Prelude. "Elevation in A flat." A. Guilmant.
Chant. "Lord, we come before thee, now."
Anthem. "Cast thy burden on the Lord." De Lange.
Solo at the Collection. "Your mission."
Organ Postlude. "Marche Pontificale." Lemmens.

— Mr. William Woods, the machinist in the Train Signal building, has sold out to Mr. Charles Tuttle of Lowell who is now, or will be soon, on the spot. The new proprietor has a plenty of capital and will take measures at once to materially enlarge the plant and increase the business. Mr. Woods will remain in the shop in the employ fo Mr. Tuttle.

— Mr. Robert C. Whitten, the well-known and popular baritone of Winchester, will sing at the services at the Unitarian church next Sunday evening. This announcement will have the effect to attract a large audience from among those who know Mr. Whitten and admire him as a vocalist. Rev. Mr. Parker is to lecture, and what with the music and oratory something like a "field day" is anticipated.

— Mr. W. B. Ward of 145 Montvale Avenue, formerly a saw-maker in the Montvale saw factory but now a saw, knife, scissors and axe grinder on wheels, has invented and manufactures and sells a steel tool for scraping out pots, kettles, sinks, etc., which every housekeeper in the country ought to have. It will be found "as handy as a pocket in a shirt," and as it comes cheap every woman can afford to have one.

— Mr. Amos Cummings is investing in printer's ink in a manner which indicates a determination on his part to launch a business boom at his great dry goods and millinery establishment this spring. No one knows or appreciates the value of printers ink better than Mr. Cummings. He has made it pay in the past and always speaks well of the bridge that carries him over safely. Read his little card on page 4.

— Saturday evening, for one night only, the much talked of Barlow Brothers' Minstrels appear at Lyceum Hall. This organization comes here flushed with the success of its recent Philadelphia engagement at the Arch Street Theatre, where it packed the house night after night. By the Philadelphia press the aggregation is unanimously indorsed as one of the strongest ever combined under one management, and as giving a most enjoyable and varied entertainment.

— It is too early to comment on the stories in the Boston papers concerning the condition of the Middlesex Investment Company of this city. We prefer to wait until further light is shed on the matter. This however is true: there are no honester men in this State than the officers of that company, viz: B. A. Tripp, President; C. E. Tripp, Vice President; C. H. Kimball, Treasurer; H. N. Conn, Clerk. They are all upright, square, honest men, and highly respected citizens of this place.

— The Equal Suffrage League will hold its next regular meeting Monday evening, March 2, at 7.30, in the Y. M. C. A. parlor. The first half hour is usually devoted to business including reports of what men and women are doing in the philanthropic and political world. At 8 o'clock members of the League and any others who choose, study from "Citizen and Neighbor," a book on Political Economy by Rev. Chas. F. Dole. The purpose of the book as set forth by Mr. Dole is not only to set people to reading but if possible to thinking and acting.

— The Water Board of Boston have been interfering again with the leather making business of Stephen Dow & Co., at their tannery on Meadow Brook in this city. For years Boston's Water Board have been an almost constant annoyance to the tanners of Woburn and at last the Dows propose to try titles with them. An injunction has lately been served on the firm of Dow & Co. to prevent the alleged pollution of Horn Pond by drainage from their works and the Dow brothers, proprietors, have made up their minds to fight. They have money and pluck enough to give Boston all they want of courts, and it will be a tough fight unless the matter is compromised.

— Mr. Amos Cummings's opening of underwear and corsets began yesterday and will close on to-morrow evening. It is a rare event in mid-winter dry goods trade and we have reason to believe it has been, so far, satisfactory to Mr. Cummings and profitable to his patrons. It is well and widely known that he is showing in this opening a stock of ladies underwear and corsets of great extent, variety, and genuine value. His goods are of superior style, fabric and workmanship. He buys and sells "the best"; and as the prices are all low the ladies are "picking up" these bargains with avidity. Remember that the opening will continue to-day and close to-morrow evening.

— Last Monday was Washington's Birthday, a legal holiday in this and all other States. A very fair article of weather prevailed but it was not utilized for celebrating purposes to any great extent in this city. In the forenoon business was carried on as usual and no attempt was made by anybody to do anything towards honoring the day except at the postoffice and the unfurling of flags from the various mastheads in the community. In the afternoon and evening nearly all the stores, shops and other business houses were closed up and the proprietors generally speaking went somewhere. There were hardly any entertainments, little or no dancing, and the same was true of feasting. On the whole Washington's Birthday was a quiet one in this city.

— A terrible accident occurred at the residence of Dr. James Madigan on Warren St. last Monday afternoon while the doctor and wife were in Boston which resulted in the instant death of their youngest child, Willie, whose age was about two years. As is usually the case different versions of the sad affair are current, but the real facts are about these: While the parents were away the eldest son, about 14 years old, went gunning. He returned about 2.30 and took his gun to one of the rooms of the house, placing it in a corner. He then went out. There were in the house four other children, the eldest 10 years, and others five and two years and an infant. Some of them got the gun, and in playing with it it was discharged, the contents striking the two year old child in the head and killing him instantly.

— Last week we received a good sized specimen of gold-bearing gravel from somewhere in California but from just where we were unable at the time to determine. A note from a former fellow-citizen, Mr. H. L. Parker, once book-keeper for the Woburn Coal Company, posted at his home, Forest Hill, Cal., contained the information that the specimen received was taken from his gold mining claim on American river in Placer county, and known in that country as the "Golden Eldorado." The specimen received is rich in the precious metal, and Mr. Parker's claim from which it was taken is said to be a very valuable piece of mining property. He is now meeting with excellent success in organizing a company to work the mine and expects to get to digging in a very short time. From present indications it is safe to say that friend Parker has "struck it rich."

— Messrs. J. W. Hammond & Son have begun the manufacture of pantaloons on a considerable scale in this city and propose, if proper encouragement is received, to enlarge the business in the near future. They have leased the upper hall in Lyceum Hall building where they have already set some 6 or 8 girls and an experienced cutter to work turning out a better 3-dollar article of working trousers than can be at present found anywhere in the market. Mr. Winthrop Hammond has no doubt but that the enterprise will speedily prove to be a complete success and that within a short time the firm will have a large number of sewing girls at work on the manufacture of these goods in their rooms in Lyceum Hall block. We see no reason why it should not be a success for it is proposed to make and sell a better pair of trousers for $3.00 than can now anywhere be bought for that price. Furthermore, as it promises to give a pleasant and profitable employment to many girls who now find it difficult to obtain work without going out of town for it, the scheme deserves the hearty endorsement, best wishes, and encouragement of our people.

— The musicale given at the beautiful residence of Mr. and Mrs Robert J. W. Phinney on Academy Hill one evening last week was participated in by some of the ablest musicians in Boston, not to mention Mrs. Phinney who is a lady of rare natural gifts and acquirements in music. She has been an apt student of the best masters on both sides of the Atlantic and stands high as a vocalist in musical circles. A delightful evening was spent by an assembly composed of the cream of Woburn society, the size of which was just equal to the capacity of Mrs. Phinney's parlors and drawing-rooms to accommodate. A choice selection of songs, airs, etc, was rendered by Miss Mary How and Mr. Charles R. Adams who fill conspicuous places in the highest musical society of musical Boston; Miss Gardner, a sweet singer from Chicago; the Saint Cecelias of which Mrs. Phinney is a member; Mrs. H. T. Remick, and the hostess, of this city; the pleasure of which was greatly enhanced by piano solos artistically performed by Miss. Mertena Bancroft and Miss Maggie Thompson. An elegant repast added to the pleasures of the evening.

— We notice that a former citizen of Woburn, William V. Kellen, Esq., State Reporter of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court decisions, took an active part in the annual meeting of "The Sons of Brown," meaning graduates of Brown University at Providence, R. I., which was held in Boston on Thursday evening of last week. He was chosen one of the Vice-Presidents of the association, and made a speech which of course was good, for Lawyer Kellen never used to make any other kind and we suppose he does not now. He was otherwise prominent in the meeting. Mr. Kellen graduated from Brown in 1872, and afterwards read law and was admitted to the Bar of this Commonwealth. For several years past he has been engaged in legal authorship and compilation, his work being done mostly for Little & Brown who enjoy a widespread and enviable reputation as publishers of works on law. Mr. Kellen's Digest and Index published by that house is pronounced by the Bar the best thing of the kind ever written. A half dozen years or so ago he was appointed Reporter of Decisions, for the proper discharge of the duties of which office no man in this State is better, and very few as well, fitted by study and bent of intellect as Mr. Kellen is.

— Mr. M. S. Prescott of Montvale, is one of the most extensive and successful poultry raisers in this part of Massachusetts. He makes a business of it, and a paying one. At the present time he has between 1500 and 2000 fowl of the best breeds for eggs and eating, for the accommodation of which his arrangements are according to the latest and most improved plans. The houses are seemingly perfect in design and finish, affording every comfort for the fowl and convenience for their keepers. The methods for feeding and watering are the best that ingenuity could devise and were adopted with the view solely of promoting the cleanliness, comfort and health of the birds. Mr. Prescott eschews the incubator and insists that his chickens shall be brought into the world in the natural way. He prefers nature's plans of doing such things to the mechanism of inventors however perfect they may seem to be. Mr. P. makes his money by selling eggs and chickens for the table. He understands the business thoroughly and is noted for always securing the best results from its prosecution. We have an impression that his henneries are the largest in this section of the State and that the annual products of them exceed those of any other breeder.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade will vacate the Centre postoffice on tomorrow evening and on Monday morning Mr. Arthur B. Wyman with his force of clerks, etc., will open the office and go to work in Mr. Reade's place. The new personnel of the establishment will be as follows: Postmaster, Arthur B. Wyman.; Assistant Postmaster, Clarabel D. Flinn; Clerks, Nellie J. McCarthy, Lizzie Callahan, Charles O'Brien, Frank Smith. There will be no change in the corps of letter-carriers. Of the new force Miss Flinn served in responsible positions under Nathan Wyman, W. T. Grammer, and Lawrence Reade, her services commencing fifteen years ago at the least. The public will be glad to see her back at her old post after an absence, caused by illness, of a year or two, for she was always popular with everybody having business at the postoffice by reason of her courtesy and kindness to all. Miss Nellie J. McCarthy was wisely retained by Mr. Wyman, for she has been one of the most patient, prompt and accommodating of Mr. Reade's corps of excellent employees. She is thoroughly posted in the duties of the office and will prove a valuable assistant in the future as she has in the past. Miss Lizzie Callahan has also been a clerk in the office long enough to have learned the ropes and to make hosts of friends among the patrons of the establishment. She is pleasant, willing and ready to oblige, quick, and a general favorite. The young gentlemen are steady-paced and will make good clerks we have no doubt. We opine our readers will agree with us in thinking that Postmaster Wyman has done firstrate in selecting his corps of aids for service at the Centre office.

— The Sunday papers of Boston, or some of them at least, contained sensational accounts of a railroad accident to an esteemed citizen of Woburn well and very favorable known by the name of Daniel McCarthy by the 5.12 P. M. inbound train last Saturday. These stories were not true—our old friend McCarthy was not hit by that or any other train that day and therefore received no injury from such source. True, Daniel had a close shave from the engine of the 5.12 train that afternoon; he came very near being struck; it looked for a moment or two as though he had set out on his journey for the great Beyond; but a plucky, cool-headed engineer saved him, and Mr. Daniel McC. is alive and kicking to-day. The engineer brought his locomotive to a dead standstill just before our esteemed fellow-citizen was reached, and that is the reason why good mistress McCarthy is not sitting and sighing in widowhood at this hour. Some of the papers say that Mr. McCarthy claims that he has been struck and toppled over 12 times by locomotives and was never very seriously hurt by any of them. Whether 12 or 20, he is a terror to engineers on the road, not one of whom but knows Dan and expects some day to be the death of him. But Mr. McCarthy still pursues the even tenor of his way; conscientiously he discharges his daily duties; he walks the railroad track without fear or trembling; he feels no concern for his personal safety, and Biddy has got so used to it that even *she* don't mind his frequent contests with belligerent cow-catchers and all that sort of thing. So Dan stoutly maintains that if engineers and traveling people don't like his style of getting over town they must do the next thing.

Schumann Ladies' Quartette.

A large and select audience assembled in the Waverley Congregational church last Wednesday and witnessed the finest concert given thus far this season. The audience was so large that chairs had to be procured, while many could hardly find standing room. It was the first visit to Waverley of the Ladies' Schumann Quartette of Woburn but our readers are assured that it will not be the last.

The following artists of the occasion are well known: Schumann Quartette: Mrs. Annie E. T. Strout, first soprano; Mrs. Mary L. E. Seaver, second soprano; Mrs. Mary E. A. Fulton, first alto; Miss Anna C. W. Bond, second alto; Prof. Curtis, reader; Mr. John E. Braur, clarinetist.

The program was excellently rendered, the artists being frequently encored. Prof. Curtis's clever witticism provoked much mirth, and he was called out again and again. His readings were well delivered and contained many good hits. The Quartette captivated the audience with its fine renderings, their voices blended exceedingly well.

Mr. Braur made a hit by his sweet clarinet solos, and that his playing was far above the average was evident by the hearty encore he received, especially from the musical critics that were in the audience. —*Belmont (Mass.) Bulletin.*

Annual Banquet of Pine Tree Club.

Arrangements are complete for the annual meeting and supper of the Pine Tree Club.

They will take place in Concert Hall on next Wednesday evening, March 4.

Rev. Geo. A. Crawford, formerly Chaplain of the Navy and now Pastor over the Bromfield Street Methodist Episcopal Church, and Major H. M. Daggett of the Regular Army, of Boston, will be the speakers. Mrs. Ada Louise Carey Sturgiss, sister of Annie Louise Carey, assisted by Mrs. F. A. Partridge and Mrs. C. M. Strout, will furnish the music for the evenings entertainment.

The price of tickets is 75 cents: Samuel H. Patten will be the caterer on the occasion.

Natives of Maine now residents of Winchester will be, or have been, invited to participate in the festivities of the evening.

The Secretary has the names and addresses of 144 Sons and Daughters of Maine in this city, and believes that there are twice that number living in Woburn. Sign now!

School Meeting.

The School Board of this city held a meeting on last Tuesday evening.

Communications were received from Miss Annie F. Carpenter of the High School graduating class of '89, for a position as trainer in the public schools; received and placed on file. A. P. Howard, Superintendent of the Chemical Works, called attention to the fact that the vehicle which carries children to school does not run regularly, and is often not large enough to carry all. Referred to Superintendent. Voted, that the Truant Officer be chosen in June instead of January. The Superintendent's monthly report was made and accepted. The matter of High School graduating exercises was discussed at some length and referred to the Board as a committee of the whole, to be decided next Monday evening.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a regular and very animated meeting on Thursday evening, Feb. 19, at which there was a good attendance. The records referring to the special meeting of Saturday evening were expunged, as there was no quorum. Edward Simonds was appointed Keeper of the Lockup. The following were appointed and confirmed as Constables: Thomas Mulkeen, Thomas Quinn, Edward Simonds, John Maguire, Wm. T. Kendall, James Mack and Terence Maguire. Mayor Bean's vetoes of the orders to increase the salaries of Clerk of Committees and Common Council and erect six electric lights at North Woburn were laid on the table.

Dr. John M. Harlow declined the election as Cemetery Commissioner. Two petitions were received from the Postal Telegraph Company, one for permission to erect poles, the other for permission to string wires on poles already erected. Referred to Highway Committee. The order to elect a City Solicitor was taken from the table and Francis P. Curran was elected by a vote of 4 to 3.

The order to increase the salaries of Police Officers was amended, making the salary $850, instead of $900. Thomas D. Hevey was elected Overseer of the Poor to fill the unexpired term of John Ferguson. Six dollars a month State Aid was recommended for Wm. A. Preston and $7 a month for Luke Estabrook. The appointment of the following officers was also confirmed: Pound Keeper, Thomas C. Boyce; Fence Viewers, Wm. H. Cummings, Joseph B. McDonald and James H. Doherty; Field Drivers, Oliver Sevrens, George F. Hosmer and Wm. A. Colegate; Surveyors of Lumber, Clarence Littlefield, John I. Munroe, George E. Fowle, Cyrus H. Menizer, James McFeeley and Cyrus N. Richardson; Measurers of Wood and Bark, David W. Brown, John P. Delaney, Clarence Littlefield, Edward F. Cassidy, Joseph M. Eaton, Cyrus N. Richardson and Alva S. Wood; Measurers of Mason Work, George F. Hartshorne and Wm. H. Cummings; Measurers of Upper Leather, J. Otis Cummings, Arthur T. Nichols, Otis Bacon, Edward J. Phillips, William H. Bowers, Thomas G. Beggs, John H. Hovey, Robert Turnbull, Daniel W. Bond, Patrick H. Murphy and Joseph M. Eaton; Measurers of Grains, Henry C. Hall, George E Waters, Joseph Bailey, Jacob A. Ham and Albion P. Chute; Undertakers, Lawrence Reade, Benjamin A. Tripp, Charles E. Tripp, Edward E. Lynch and John McLaughlin; Examiners of Charcoal Measures, Fred W. McDonald and John R. Carter; Weighers of Coal, Elmer C. Claffy, Oliver M. Wade and Herbert E. Lord; Public Weigher, Charles T. Dearborn.

The following were elected as Assistant Assessors: Ward 1, John Lynch, Ward 2, James Dolan, Ward 3, Dennis D. Begley, Ward 4, J. Fred Leslie, Ward 5, James Cogan, Ward 6, B. Frank Kimball, Ward 7, Franklin Flint.

Monthly reports of City Auditor, Overseer of the Poor, Inspector of Milk and Vinegar, etc., received and filed.

[NOTE. Ald. Fowle moved to lay the Mayor's vetoes on the table, in opposition to which Ald. Davis said: "The public business should be disposed of and not piled up for action at some indefinite period. They were there to attend to the public business and it seemed to him it should be done. The spectacle of two members of this Board being in the hall not two minutes before a meeting was held and then going away without attending to the business of the Board he was satisfied did not meet with public approval and it would be condemned by the citizens." Ald. Davis was entirely right. The public will not tolerate tomfoolery on the part of their servants and if the public business is not attended to as it should be, this city government, when the day of reckoning comes, will find themselves most grievously left. Neither side is free from blame. Personal animosities are cutting too big a figure in the action of the Boards and the tax-payers will not abide it longer than they can help.—EDITOR.

The O. U. A. M. Fair.

The grand Bazaar and Fair of the American Mechanics which commenced on Tuesday and closed on Saturday evening last week netted Liberty Council just about $1500. It was one of the most successful ever held in this city.

The public generally took a lively interest in it, and its management was of such a character that failure was out of the question. Mechanic Building was thronged every night during the continuance of the Fair. Its patrons were not confined to Woburn but came from all the neighboring towns and cities, and the visitors without exception enjoyed the exhibition, the entertainments, the contests, and other means adopted by the management to give them pleasure.

There was great rivalry for the prizes, and the voting on them was brisk from start to finish. The contests were carried on in a pleasant and friendly spirit, but they were sharp. The Police Officers gold badge was won by Chief of Police William R. McIntosh of this city, that official having received 2020 votes, against 1125 for Chief Newton of Stoneham. Charles H. Nichols secured the whip, Orlando J. Hart the past Sachem's Regalia, and Foreman Edward E. Stowers the Fireman's badge. The prizes found the right keepers. No candidate for the Officers badge had more friends and earnest workers than Chief McIntosh of this city, and no one deserved the honor more than he. Medicine Man O. J. Hart carried off the Past Sachem's regalia of the Order of Red Men in triumph and no one will stand up and dispute his title to it. The vote showed that he is a popular gentleman for he distanced all competitors. Neither did the Fireman's badge go astray when it fell into the hands, by an overwhelming majority, of Edward E. Stowers, and the same holds true as to the various other prizes.

Quilt, Miss May Hunting, 625; Miss Hattie Story, 120; Miss Carrie Stevens, 65. Lady's Gold Ring, Miss Abbie Cummings, 609; Miss Mamie Perry, 530. Plush Easy Chair, Woburn Woman's Relief Corps, 138, the only competing society entered. O. U. A. M. ex-Councillor Regalia, Orin W. Stevens, Jr., 2124; Alonzo J. Haynes, 155. Set of "Handy Volume" of Shakespeare, Miss Emma F. Hovey, the only teacher who was in the contest, 55 votes. Bow and Arrows for the Indian Queens in the Archery, Miss Amelia Bland, 225; Miss Lizzie Whitcomb, 179; Miss Lottie Carter, 179.

The large amount of money raised at the Fair will go far towards furnishing the Council's hall in their building and to defraying other expenses incurred in changing over the old Methodist meeting-house into a fine business block.

Liberty Council, having good business talent at the helm, is reported to be in a prosperous condition.

Penny Wise but Pound Foolish.

Once a merchant, who had an eye single to great profits and regarded not the wants of his patrons, undertook to induce a customer to take some of Dusenbury's soap. "What you say may be all true," said the customer, "but my wife does not want that soap, and as you have not got Brussels soap I'll step in next door and get it," which he did. And ever after he traded at the place where could be found the economical Brussels soap and other desirable household articles.

A Minstrel Show.

Harris Bijou Theatre was crowded yesterday afternoon and evening to see the first performance of Barlow Bros.' minstrels, and such delighted audiences have never before been seen within the Bijou Theatre. The entertainment, as a whole, is one of the best seen here, and elicited round after round of applause for their artistic specialties and acts. The Barlow brothers made a great team of fun-maker, and the performances throughout was new, refined and artistic.— *Washington, (D. C.) Post.*

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A Pleasant Party.

On last Monday evening the First Parish Committee consisting of Messrs. Joseph G. Pollard, Luke Warren Fowle and Oliver F. Bryant gave a supper to the choir of that church and their friends which everyone present said was a very pleasant affair.

The choir is what is called a voluntary one and for several years have furnished the best of sacred music for public enjoyment in that place of worship without money and without price. Their efficiency as vocalists is due chiefly to the intelligent and skilful training of organist Clarke who has accomplished so much in the way of elevating the character of the music of the church. In the nature of a return for such valuable services, although regarded as altogether inadequate, it was deemed fitting by the Parish Committee to give the choir a reception and supper, which was accomplished on last Monday evening in a very successful manner.

The Committee, Dr. March, members of the Choir and their friends, and some invited guests, assembled in the church parlor early in the evening, where the enjoyment of a social good time was indulged in. This was brought to a close by the company, in response to a cordial call, repairing to the small vestry where they found tables set for 60 persons, which was just the number present to surround and occupy them.

Hon. J. G. Pollard of the Committee presided and on taking the Chair entertained the company with some appropriate remarks. Dr. March invoked divine blessing after which the company fell to and gave an hour or so to gastronomic pleasures. The meal was pronounced an excellent one by everybody, which was true, for the Committee had been generous in their providing.

There was after-supper speech-making, as is the fashion of the times. Chairman Pollard first called on Dr. March, the pastor, who expressed the gratitude of the church to the choir for their valuable contributions to the Sabbath services and accompanied the same with warm thanks.

Next, Chairman Pollard in a felicitous manner, introduced Mayor George F. Bean, who for a year and a half was a member of the choir, who responded in a bright, breezy and very appropriate speech. It was a spicy one and everybody enjoyed it. Mr. E. H. Lounsbury, a present member of the choir, made a neat, pleasing speech in response to the Chairman's call; and Mr. Frank B. Richardson, Superintendent of the Sunday School, in fitting terms expressed the regrets sent by Deacon G. R. Gage over his inability to be present and participate in the pleasures of the evening. Besides this Mr. Richardson had some kind words of thanks for organist Clarke and the choir.

Chairman Pollard made especial reference to the services and sacrifices of Mr. Charles H. Lyford, Superintendent of the Primary Department of the Sunday School, and called particular attention to the valuable aid he had rendered organist Clarke in keeping and looking after the juvenile end of the choir Sunday after Sunday. Mr. Pollard spoke in warm terms of the value of such services and his remarks were appreciated and heartily endorsed by the company present.

At the close of the speech-making at the festive boards, the company returned to the parlor where they were pleasantly regaled by the rendition of a humorous poem by organist Clarke; cornet solos by Mr. William W. Crosby; vocal solos by Mr. W. P. Fox, Mr. Mark H. Cotton, and congregational singing of hymns.

At a seasonable hour the party broke up, and in view of the honors paid them it is expected that the choir will hereafter more than heretofore (if possible) sing "with the spirit and the understanding also."

"John," said a wife to her husband, "what a goose you are. I really believe you cannot tell a yard of gingham from a cargo of brick. Here you have brought me ten cakes of that nasty, yellow, rosin soap when I told you to be sure and bring Brussels. Don't you believe in economy?"

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North Woburn.

Miss Edith Wyman passed the holidays at her home in this village.

Mr. Harry G. Carter, a student at Amherst College, is at home on a short vacation.

Mr. Albert Warren spent Washington's birthday at his home. He is employed in the Waltham watch factory and is meeting with great success.

Mr. F. D. Cook and Mr. J. W. Studley, both of Ward Six, arrived home on Feb. 20 from a very pleasant 3-months trip to and visit in the "Sunny South." After staying a month in the Lake region of the interior of Florida, where the alligators were very plenty, the rest of the visit was spent at Ocala, the most enterprising city in Florida, and Mr. Cooks says his land there is just the right sort to grow oranges on.

The members of the Good-Will Club of North Woburn will give a musical and dramatic entertainment in the Unitarian Chapel on Friday evening, March 6th, under the direction of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Sunday Schools to which the members belong. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested to help by their presence and thus give encouragment to the children in so laudable an undertaking.

On last Tuesday evening Mr. W. P. Sevrens was surprised at his home by a large delegation of his friends. It was about seven-thirty P. M. when the party, about thirty in number, marched into the house in solemn Indian file and took seats ready to seize their prey, which soon appeared. After a most hearty welcome had been given Mr. Sevrens the usual jollification was indulged in, which only stopped while a bounteous collation was being served. It was a late hour before the party broke up and wended their way towards home.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Feb. 21, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. J. Flynn, Chas. A. Gould, Mr. John Harris, John H. Maxwell, Miss R. E. McPherson, Highland Ave., Mrs. J. W. Rushton, 139 Fair Oaks St., Luther Thompson, Miss Maggie Sturley, 12 Court St., (Package.)

LAWRENCE READE, P. M.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Communion at 2.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Missionary Concert 7 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: The Right and Wrong Uses of the Bible. At 7 p. m., Lecture by the pastor. Subject: The Divine Goodness.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. Rev. F. W. March will preach. Communion service at 2.30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly Concert. Mission Reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evening.

METHODIST.—At 10.30 a. m. brief memorial service followed by Holy Communion. At 6 p. m. Epworth League prayer meeting. At 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor before organizations of I. O. O

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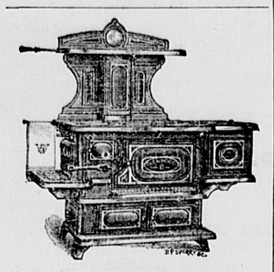

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Dedication of the Woburn M. E. Church.

The Methodists of this city could not have had a fairer, brighter or better day on which to dedicate their new and beautiful church than that of last Monday, on the afternoon of which the dedicatory exercises were held. It was clear, cloudless, sunshiny, with a breath of spring in the air, a welcome harbinger of vernal delights, and everybody enjoyed it, or at least appeared to. Such beautiful weather was a happy omen and our good Methodists seemed so to regard and accept it.

The customary Boston Monday morning Minister's Meeting was held in the new church here instead of in Boston which fact brought many clergymen and laymen with their wives to town quite early in the forenoon and gave our streets somewhat the appearance of a Theological Seminary town. Many people also were present from adjacent towns and cities to witness the interesting ceremonies of dedicating the handsome new church, whose erection was largely due to the energy, devotion, and hard work of its able and devout Christian pastor, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, to the worship of Almighty God. These met with a cordial welcome and were carefully cared for by resident members of the Church. There were 75 attendants at the Ministers Meeting which was presided over by Rev. W. N. Brodbeck of Boston, and Rev. C. H. Hannaford of East Cambridge was Secretary. Rev. J. W. Adams of the New Hampshire Conference delivered an interesting lecture on "Palestine." After the meeting the clergymen and others, to the number of over 150, sat down to an excellent dinner, provided by the ladies of the society. Much credit was given the ladies for providing a repast so worthy of the important occasion and as the viands was discussed the praises bestowed on their handiwork were neither stinted nor few.

The exercises of dedication began at 2 P. M., and were as follows: Organ voluntary, by George H Ryder; anthem by the choir; prayer, Rev. L. B. Bates of East Boston; opening service, read by the Presiding Elder, Rev. John W. Lindsay, D. D., of West Newton; duet, "Peace to This Dwelling," by Mrs. F. A. Partridge and Mr. D. C. Page; first Scripture lesson, read by Rev. W. J. Ponfret of West Medford; soprano solo, "The Resurrection Song," music by Harry Rowe Shelley, sung by Mrs. F. A. Partridge; second Scripture lesson, read by Rev. C. A. Merrill of Maynard; hymn, read by Rev. H. C. Parker of the Unitarian Church, Woburn, and sung by the congregation. Rev. Olin A. Curtis of the Boston University School of Technology then delivered an able sermon on "Basal Elements of Strength in the Church."

A short address by Rev. J. W. Hamilton, D. D., of Boston, followed, and he then proceeded to raise from those present the balance of the debt due on the church, some $2,700. For an hour or more he worked diligently, and succeeded in getting over $1,500 subscribed; and at the evening meeting he succeeded in raising all of the money necessary to free the church of debt. At the afternoon and evening services Mr. Hamilton obtained subscriptions for over $2,700. His success was deemed extraordinary, and there was deep and hearty rejoicing in the hearts of all good Methodists of this city when Mr. Hamilton's success had been announced. During the exercises Rev. Hugh Montgomery stated that when he came to Woburn he found the church with a debt of $17,000; the old church, which was partly a business block, was sold, and after paying all indebtedness they had $10,000 with which to begin the new church. This had cost $23,088, and there was a debt of $4,666—with uncollected subscriptions of $1,735. This left a balance of about $2,900 to be raised. Two verses of a dedication hymn, written by Rev. Mark Trafton, D. D., of Somerville, were then read by Rev. W. H. Meredith, and sung by the choir and congregation. Mr. E. G. Clough, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the church, then presented the church to be dedicated to the service of Almighty God, the other members of the board standing with Mr. Clough in front of the pulpit while he made the presentation. Presiding Elder J. W. Lindsay then made the declaration that the church was so dedicated. The dedicatory prayer was then read by Rev. J. H. Mansfield, D. D., Presiding Elder of the Lynn District, the Doxology was sung by the choir and congregation, and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. C. H. Hannaford.

While the audience was dispersing Mr. George H. Ryder played "Gloria" from Mozart's Twelfth Mass.

The new edifice is a handsome one and admirably adapted to church purposes. It is of wood, 65x92 feet, with organ recess in the rear. The basement, which is nine feet in the clear, contains at the main street end a commodious kitchen and banquet hall. The front shows four feet of granite facing. The building has two spires, 90 feet high. Entrance is had through the towers.

Within, on the first floor, and between the towers, are double parlors; back of these the vestry, and in the rear the floor is raised 16 inches for use as the primary department converted into one by a system of rising doors. The vestry finishes 12 feet in the clear.

The auditorium has side walls of 16 feet, and is finished open nearly to the ridgepole, a distance of 56 feet. The choir gallery is at the rear of the pulpit. The seating capacity is as follows: Vestry proper, 390; primary department, 200; auditorium, 686; gallery, 200.

The society has been steadily growing for several years and numbers on its rolls many of the most prominent business and society people in this city. In financial strength it is also increasing, and in its beautiful new home it will increase much more rapidly no doubt.

The first conference preacher was Rev. J. G. Cary, stationed there in 1853. A year later the society removed their chapel to the corner of Main and Mann streets. In 1864 the society purchased the Unitarian Church building at the corner of Main and Walnut streets, and it was dedicated as a Methodist church May 17, 1865. In 1868 the edifice was remodelled and improved at an expense of $4,000. In 1872 a parsonage was built in the rear of the church. Fire destroyed both in the spring of 1873. The church was rebuilt the following year, incurring a heavy debt, which has ever since been an embarrassment to the society. The Walnut street property was sold in April, 1890, for $26,000. The present membership is 265, in full connection with 37 probationers. The Sabbath School numbers 380. The officers of the church are:

Stewards, James Atwood, Jr., James Given, Don C. Page, Andrew Dobbins, Thomas Heartz, James Partridge, M. Wesley True, Herbert S. Dickinson, Thomas Wilson, James Greydon, James Knowlton, James Frazier, Fort Staples; Trustees, E. G. Clough, John D. Finn, Warren P. Adams, Amos Knowlton, Thomas R. Corbett, Frank W. Legg, Frank Greydon, M. Wesley True.

Epworth League—President, C. H. Kimball; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. J. P. Bailey, W. P. Adams, Helen Montgomery, Mrs. H. Copeland; Secretary, C. W. French; Treasurer, Miss Lulu Davenport.

Sunday School—Superintendent, H. Copeland; Assistants, Thomas Wilson, Mrs. Fort Staples; Secretary, E. E. Heckbert; Treasurer, Miss Annie R. Atwood; Librarian, Fort Staples; Superintendent Infant Department, Mrs. Susie A. Wilson.

Ladies' Aid Society—President, Mrs. H. Montgomery; Secretary, Mrs. James Fowle; Treasurer, Mrs. T. Heartz.

Building Committee—Edward G. Clough, Warren P. Adams, C. H. Kimball, Thomas Wilson, M. Wesley True, H. Copeland, Hugh Montgomery, Thomas R. Corbett, Frank W. Legg, Fort Staples.

The evening meeting was a large and enthusiastic one. A spirit of benevolence pervaded it and money to pay off the church debt was quickly raised, on which score the church are to be warmly congratulated. No church debt!

The church and society have done nobly, and so has their beloved pastor, Mr. Montgomery. They have secured a new house of worship, large, convenient, admirably situated, handsome, and it is all paid for!

The Woburn Woman's Club

Had the rare opportunity and pleasure of listening to Louise Chandler Moulton on the afternoon of Thursday, Feb. 19. Mrs. Moulton has an engaging manner, a pleasing voice, a sweet smile and a pretty way of expressing her thoughts, and these attractions enhanced the charm of her breezy, sparkling notes of London Society. The ultra fashionable set, and the literary and artistic set, both have their characteristic charms, and of both has Mrs. Moulton made a study from life. She sketched in words their features from those of the dear duchess herself to those of the humblest and most silent devotees at the shrine of fashion.

London society, with its lofty aims or its pitiful ambitions; its foibles; its idiosyncrasies; its Londonism; its utter subservience to weath, power and royalty; its blind worship of genius and beauty—as depicted by Mrs. Moulton—is an interesting study. The London cabby—his astuteness, his bravado and impertinence—made a deep and lasting impression on Mrs. Moulton's mind, and very amusing were her recitals of her experiences with this aggravating class of necessary individuals. Mrs. Moulton kindly responded to the Club's wishes and recited three poems of her own composing:

"The Dead Men's Holiday,"
"The Way to Arcady," and
"The Name on a Door."

The first of these poems has never been in print, and it was written after seeing Vereschagin painting of Skobeleff at Shipka—a poem worthy the work that was its inspiration.

The widespread interest in Mrs. Moulton was shown by the presence of seventy-five non-members and a large attendance of members.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Music Hall, the Dow Building, on the afternoon of Friday, March 6, at 3 P. M. It will be the Annual meeting devoted to the transaction of business, and the election of officers. No papers will be read other than the annual reports. It is hoped that the business will be finished in time to allow the members to mingle socially for half an hour.—G. M. B.

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WINCHESTER.

Aberjona Council, R. A. is growing rapidly.

Mr. T. W. Lawson has returned from Kentucky.

Miss Helen Pressey has been elected President of the Mission Union.

Mrs. Sallie Libby is going to visit England and the continent soon.

When are the W. V. I. A. going to get together to talk over tax matters?

Miss Alice Howmans and Mr. W. C. Gregory are engaged to be married.

A fancy sale and "Welsh bidding" was held in G. A. R. Hall last evening under the auspices of the Congregational society.

E. A. Holbrook is one of the Vice-Presidents of the Middlesex Poultry Association, and N. A. Knapp is a member of the Board of Directors.

A good many of our people are firing up terribly over the approaching annual Town Meeting. It will all come out right as usual.

Voters, remember that there is to be a special Town Meeting held on next Monday evening March 2, to see if the town will accept the Australian system of voting. There ought to be no opposition to it.

A special town meeting will be held Monday evening. Action is to be taken on the question of adopting the Australian ballot system of voting for town officers, and what officers are to be so chosen will be decided. The question of appointing a committee to consider the appropriations for the ensuing year will also be discussed.

For my part I fail to appreciate the force of the argument that Judge Littlefield had no show for succeeding Judge Converse for the simple reason that he does not live in Woburn. Although located in that city it is not a Woburn Court any more than it is a Winchester Court, or a Stoneham or Burlington Court. Neither of the towns composing the District has any absolute right to the Judgeship, so all the talk about Littlefield's being barred out of the succession on account of locality is bosh. I hear that there is to be a contest over the confirmation of Mr. Johnson.

On the 18th inst. a Women's Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. was organized here and the following Directors were elected: Miss Kate Pond, Mrs. W. F. Forsyth, Miss Emily Rolie, Mrs. E. H. Mason, Mrs. Wm. F. Fitch, Mrs. G. H. Perkins, Mrs. R. M. Armstrong, Mrs. J. E. Rice, Miss M. A. Emerson, Miss Carrie Duncklee, Mrs. E. H. Rice, Mrs. N. T. Apollonio, Mrs. W. A. Perry, and Mrs. J. E. Lyons. In addition to the above list, two directors will be elected later on. After transacting other business, the meeting adjourned. The newly elected board of directors will meet, elect officers and organize for work some day this week, and the various committee of the auxiliary will be appointed as soon as possible.

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Burlington.

Rev. Avery K. Gleason of Westport supplied the pulpit of the church last Sunday. The time of holding the service has been changed from afternoon to half past ten o'clock in the morning.

The Ladies Benevolent Society held their regular monthly meeting and supper in the church parlor Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance of members and a pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all.

Those who attended the entertainment given by Miss Hattie A. Bishop in the church last Thursday night, passed a very pleasant evening. Among the selections given by the popular elocutionist were "The Inventor's Wife," "A Telphonic Conversation," "Kentucky Belle," "What the Train Brought," and "Rescued."

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Washington News.

At Mrs. Spofford's reception at the Riggs House, before the opening of the Womans Council an opportunity was given to meet with many famous women. Mrs. Spofford was assisted by Miss Frances Willard, President of the N. W. C. S. U.; Mrs. M. Louise Thomas, Treasurer of the Woman's Council; Mrs. May Wright Sewall, Secretary of the Council; Miss Clara Barton, President of the Society of the Red Cross; Miss Susan B. Anthony, Vice-President of the Woman's Suffrage Association; Mrs. Ella Dietz Clymer, President of Sorosis; Mrs. Edward Roby of Chicago; Mrs. Estelle M. Merrill, President of the Woman's Press Club of Boston; Rev. Anna Shaw; Mrs. Isabel Beecher Hooker; Mrs. C. H. Bond, Cliftondale, Mass.; Mrs. Bottome, Philadelphia; Miss Jennie Smith; Mrs. Ama Garlin Spencer, Providence; Miss Alice Blackwell; Miss Helen Winslow, Secretary of the Press Club, and Miss Flora Vining, Treasurer of the same, Boston.—H.

Reapportionment.

The *Traveller* for... favors action at this session of the Legislature upon the Reapportionment bill because it is the straightforward thing to do, but it is the greatest folly for Josiah Quincy or any body else to expect the Legislature to cut up the fourth district and distribute it among the second, third, fifth, sixth and ninth districts. The fourth district is what it is by nature. These Democrats live together because they enjoy each other's company, and a series of shoe-string districts for the accomodation of Mr. Quincy and his aspiring friends is an impossibility. Let the Republicans make a sensible reapportionment, and the political result will take care of its self. There should be the least possible disturbance of the districts as they now are. —*Boston Traveller.*

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FRIDAY, MARCH 6,

At 7.45 P. M. The proceeds to go towards replenishing the Libraries of the North Cong. and Unitarian Sabbath Schools.

Admission	15 Cents.
Children under 12,	10 Cents.

WOBURN Co-operative Bank.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A meeting of the Shareholders will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on

Thursday, March 12,

at 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of nominating Officers and Auditors for the ensuing fiscal year.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of Hannah Chamberlain late of Woburn in the County of Middlesex, Massachusetts, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Exec'r.

Woburn, Mass., Feb. 24, 1891.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing between Gawin R. Gage and Frederic A. Flint, both of Woburn, Mass., under the style of G. R. Gage & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. It is agreed that the said Flint shall have power to collect the debts now due said firm in the name of the firm to his own use and shall pay and discharge all the debts and liabilities of said firm and forever hold said Gage and his Executors harmless therefrom.

(Signed.) GAWIN R. GAGE, [L. S.]
FREDERIC A. FLINT [L. S.]

Woburn, Feb. 23, 1891.

Mr. Frederic A. Flint will continue, under the same firm name, the business at its present location, No. 399 Main Street.

NOTICE.

A Special Parish Meeting of Trinity Parish, Woburn, will be held at Room No. 5 in Dow's Block, Woburn, on Thursday, March 5, 1891, at 7.30 o'clock, P. M., to consider and act upon the proposed sale of the Church property, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

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CHARLES A. SWEETSER, Clerk.

Woburn, Feb. 27, 1891.

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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Josiah Richardson late of Woburn in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Edwin Richardson,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lewis L. Whitney, the trustee under said will, has presented for allowance the fifteenth and final account of his trusteeship:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Mary A., Patrick H., and Catherine McGrath of Woburn, in said County, minors,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lawrence McGrath, the Guardian of said minors, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified, of his said wards for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Lowell, in said County on the third Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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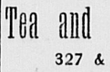

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of William Bradley late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Francis Bellew, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary Ann Carroll, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William L. Carroll who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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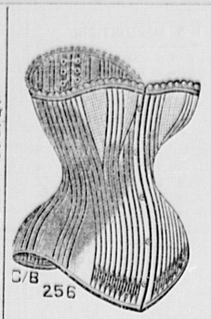

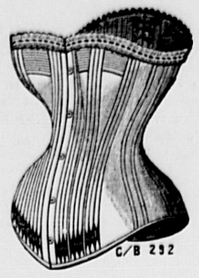

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THE SHUNAMMITE'S SON.

LESSON IX, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 1.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings iv, 25-37. Commit Verses, 32-34.—Golden Text, John v, 21—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

After the dividing of the Jordan to allow Elisha to recross it and the healing of the waters of Jericho, both of which events were in last week's lesson, another miracle in connection with water is recorded in chapter iii. In the beginning of chapter iv we have the record of a miracle in connection with oil; and these three miracles of the spring healed, the ditches filled and the oil multiplied were all wrought by God through Elisha on behalf of the perishing, the troubled and the needy. The God of Elisha is our God, and of Him it is written, "My God shall supply all your need" (Phil. iv, 19.

25. "So she went and came unto the man of God to Mount Carmel."

Our lesson begins in the midst of the story of this woman who dwelt at Shunem, a village a few miles south of Mount Tabor and southeast from Mount Carmel.

26. "Run now, I pray thee, to meet her; and say unto her, Is it well with thee?"

The man of God saw her afar off and thus commanded his servant to meet her and make inquiry for the health of herself, her husband and her child. The meaning of the word "well," as used in this story, is seen in the margin of verse 23, and also the margin of chapter v, 21—Is there peace? See also the text and margin of Gen. xxix, 6; xliii, 27; Ex. xviii, 7; Judg. vi, 24.

And she answered, It is well. The soul in which the Prince of Peace rules shall have peace at all times, even in tribulation (Isa. ix, 6, 7; xxvi. 3; Jer. xxix, 11; John xvi, 33).

27. "And when she came to the man of God to the hill she caught him by the feet."

"Let her alone, for her soul is vexed within her, and the Lord hath hid it from me."

Gehazi would have thrust her away as did the disciples of Jesus many a time (Matt. xiv, 15; xv, 23; xix, 13); Gehazi had so little of the spirit of his master, the disciples so little of the Spirit of Christ. And what shall we say of ourselves?

28. "Then she said, Did I desire a son of my lord? Did I not say, Do not deceive me?"

29. "Then he said to Gehazi, Gird up thy loins, and take my staff in thine hand and go thy way, and lay my staff upon the face of the child."

The prophet seems to understand that the child is dead, and with these words he sends his servant. Better if he had at once done as Elijah did in a similar case (I Kings xvii, 21). If the disciples of Jesus could not cast out the demon from the boy (Matt. xvii, 19, 20), much less could Gehazi with the prophet's staff do anything for this dead child.

30. "And the mother of the child said, As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee."

Thus did Elisha say to Elijah three different times, and he is now reminded of his own earnest desire to obtain a blessing.

31. "And Gehazi passed on before them, and laid the staff upon the face of the child, but there was neither voice nor hearing."

It is one thing to hold the truth and quite another to be held by it. The prophet's staff in the hand of Gehazi was very unlike the presence of the prophet himself. Preachers and teachers and all Christian workers must be possessed and controlled by the truth if they would be used of God, and truth that does not possess and control us and affect our daily life is not really held by us.

32. "And when Elisha was come into the house, behold the child was dead and laid upon his bed."

The child was in the prophet's bed (vs. 21)—a use of it that the woman never dreamed of when she prepared it for Elisha. When we are blessing others we are often unconsciously preparing a resting place for our own sorrows, a comfort for ourselves in time of trouble.

33. "He went in therefore, and shut the door upon them twain, and prayed unto the Lord."

It is no formal servant and staff business now, but hand to hand and heart to heart work with the dead child and the living God. Now he does as Elijah did. He sees and realizes that the child is dead, and he prepares to take hold of God with as much earnestness as when he sought the double portion of Elijah's spirit.

34. "And he went up and lay upon the child, and put his mouth upon his mouth, and his eyes upon his eyes, and his hands upon his hands."

"And he stretched himself upon the child, and the flesh of the child waxed warm."

Spurgeon says that there is no stretching that is harder than to stretch one's self to a child. (I am indebted to him for many other thoughts in this lesson.) When we do this, however, in honest reliance upon God, there will surely be a response, the flesh of the child will wax warm. Here is a token of returning life.

35. "Then he returned and walked in the house to and fro, and went up and stretched himself upon him."

Not in a moment, nor in a day, does the fullness of life come. We must take as our motto, "Patient continuance in well doing" (Rom. ii, 7), and remember that "In due season we shall reap if we faint not" (Gal. vi, 9). It is not stretching ourselves to the child once only, but repeatedly, and always in sincere reliance upon God.

"And the child sneezed seven times, and the child opened his eyes."

So we must rest not till there is very manifest life. We must cover the children with our compassion, take them to our hearts, work with them and pray for them, in wholehearted reliance upon God, until they can say, "I see Jesus as my own dear Saviour."

36. "So he called her, and when she was come in unto him he said, Take up thy son."

Elisha called his servant, and Gehazi called the woman, and thus Elisha spake to her. She was not deceived, but only tried. God is able to raise up even from the dead. Jesus gave the little girl back to her parents, the son to his mother, and Lazarus to his sisters. He is the resurrection and the life; and the time is coming when all that are in their graves shall hear His voice and come forth; they that have done good unto the resurrection of Life and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of Judgment (John v, 28, 29). In Rev. xx it is clear that there shall be a thousand years between these two judgments.

37. "Then she went in and fell at his feet, and bowed herself to the ground, and took up her son and went out."

Her soul is no longer vexed within her, but full of gratitude and adoration.

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It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store. Large size 50c. and $1.

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SAVING HIS AMMUNITION.

Why a United States Marshal Did Not Return the Fire of Desperadoes.

In the year of the last yellow fever epidemic in the south one of the first men to catch the disease at a summer resort on the Gulf was a tall, rather heavily built man, whose eye was dark and keen and who wore a fine gray imperial. He was a strikingly handsome man, with his military carriage and his strong face. But his manner was grave and chilling and he made few acquaintances. Staying at the big hotel was a man who in his early life had lived in the west, but who shortly after the war had married a southern widow who owned a sugar plantation on the Mississippi river. He knew Maj. Wells, the stranger, and on the evening when the major died told the following story to a group of men who sat on one of the hotel verandas:

"When I first saw Wells he was a deputy United States marshal in Nevada. He was so cool and daring that he seemed absolutely indifferent as to death. He would calmly walk into a barroom filled with reckless gamblers and desperate outlaws, pick out his man, scarcely saying a word, and march him out the door without placing his hand on a weapon or holding himself in readiness for an attack.

"Coming down the street one day I heard rapid firing, and looking up saw Wells standing behind the stump of a tree (the stumps still stood in the streets where the trees had been felled) and three men blazing away at him. Wells was as rigid as a statue, his face a little white, but unmoved. He was a sure shot with a revolver, and I expected to see him draw his six shooter and drop his men in one, two, three order; but he did not stir.

For a moment the bullets rained around there, and then the sound of the shooting suddenly ceased. The three men had emptied their revolvers. At that instant, quick as a flash and with a tiger bound, Wells leaped before the three men, and whipping out his revolver with a swift stroke of his arm covered them. They all stood stock still. The whole thing took less time than it does to draw a good long breath. Then he grimly walked the three of them off and saw them securely locked up.

"I met him a few hours later as easy and unconcerned as if he had never heard the crack of a six shooter.

"'Good heavens, Wells,' I said to him, 'why did you let those fellows blaze away at you without returning a shot? The chances were fifty to one against you.'

"There was a quiet smile on his lips when he answered that words cannot describe, and in his eye was the twinkle of a man who loved a good joke.

"'There was just one ball in the chamber of my revolver,' he said, 'and I thought I might need it later.'

"And there is a man," added the speaker, after a slight pause, "who defied the bullets of desperadoes for years, and who went down like a child before the fever."—New York Tribune.

The Skin as a Medium of Sight.

A Russian physician has invented an instrument by which persons totally blind are able to perceive light through the sense of touch. The instrument consists of an apparatus which converts light rays into a thermo-electric current, which is perceived by the nerves of the skin covering the forehead, when the instrument is placed upon this part of the body. The sensations produced by the instrument are thus described by the inventor:

The presence of a light giving or of an illuminated object is manifested in the perceptive field as a sensation of warmth. A light object on a dark background is perceived as a peripherally warm sensation, with a sensationless center. The degree of the sensation of warmth increases with the approach of the illuminating object, and vice versa. A movement of the feeling of warmth toward the right shows that the light has moved to the left, and vice versa. If the warm area moves downward the illuminating object is moving upward, and vice versa.—Good Health.

An Awkward Predicament.

A party of ladies and gentlemen from Birkenhead, who had been to Hawarden castle in a four wheeled carriage, experienced a remarkable accident one evening in crossing the Dee at Queen's Ferry, a mile below Hawarden. The ferryboat could not be brought to the side of the stream, it being low water, and, the party leaving the carriage, the coachman arranged to drive across, refusing the assistance of the ferryman to guide him. In midstream the horse sank into a deep pit, and the carriage followed and began to settle down in the sands. The coachman was in a perilous position, and the boatman rowed to his assistance and brought him off. The horse was also cut away from the shafts and brought to land. The carriage remained in the water, the tide rolling over it till it again receded, when ropes were attached and it was eventually dragged out.—Birmingham Post.

Electric Cattle Killing.

One of the beneficial results of the various experiments which have been made with a view to determine the value of electricity for killing purposes is the establishment of the fact that not only can cattle be dispatched by the electric current without the least pain, but that the meat of the animal is actually improved by the passage of the current and will keep longer than by any other method.—New York Journal.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years. Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. W. Willard, Druggist, Joliet, Ill.

I have been troubled with catarrh for ten years and have tried a number of remedies, but found no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most relible preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—Geo. E. Crandall, P. M., Quonochawntaug, R. I.

Gen. Robert E. Lee's birthday, Jan. 19th, is now a legal holiday in Virginia. The proper celebration of the day is now under discussion among the Confederate veterans of Richmond, who expect to have a military parade on the anniversary and make the occasion an imposing one generally.

Reports from the Carolina and Georgia rice fields are far more encouraging than those of some weeks ago. The crop on the whole has turned out much better than was expected.

VERY ODD DINNERS.

Castor Oil for the Dressing of Salad and Chewed Garlics for Flavoring.

"The funniest bachelor dinner I ever partook of," said a well known club man the other evening, "I ate one evening with a married friend of mine in the suburbs, whose wife was away. My host, knowing that I was something of a gourmet, spread himself for the occasion, as I plainly could see. The repast furnished was evidently of unusual elaborateness, and it went fairly well until the salad came on. I could not eat any of that after the first mouthful, which I managed with difficulty to swallow. Observing that I refrained from the dish my entertainer said:

"'I'm afraid you don't find this first rate.'

"'It has a peculiar flavor,' I admitted reluctantly.

"'Ah,' replied my friend, who had finished with apparent gusto his own help of the salad, 'I was afraid that it might not prove satisfactory. You see, there was no olive oil in the house, and having nothing better on hand for the purpose I used castor oil for the dressing.'

"He did not appear at all embarrassed at making this statement, but what broke him up entirely for the moment was the appearance at dessert of a hunk of ordinary grocer's cheese.

"'Why!' he exclaimed, addressing the servant, 'where is the Roquefort that I ordered sent home today?'

"'Begorra, sir,' responded the handmaid, 'if you mane the chase that come this afternoon from the store, it was that moldy it had to be thrown away, and I sent back to the grocery for this, that is nice and fresh.'

The other men in the little party at the club window smiled languidly at this story, but the bald headed member said:

"Speaking of dining out reminds me of a repast that I enjoyed very much the other day in a small but very excellent restaurant here in town. What struck me particularly on the occasion I speak of was the exceptional quality of the lobster salad. There was evidently garlic in it, but that estimable vegetable was so artistically infused that, instead of communicating an actual taste of garlic, it simply contributed an indescribable and undefined accentuation to the flavor of the dish. I asked that the chef be summoned and demanded of him how he was able to use garlic with such marvelous delicacy and effectiveness. He replied:

"'The way I do is to chew up a small bulb of garlic, and when the dish is being stirred I breathe very gently upon the mixture. That gives the suggestion of flavor which you speak of, sir.'"—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Lions in a Hotel.

New York hotels and apartment houses have usually gone to England for their names. The Victoria, the Windsor, the Brunswick, all serve to illustrate how fond Americans are of a name which carries with it a suggestion of the mother country. The new Plaza hotel, however, has varied the programme by choosing a name associated with Venice, and has heightened the effect by taking as a symbol the lion of St. Mark's. He shakes his shaggy mane at the guest from every possible place in the furniture and decoration of the house.

He crouches under the stairway, is woven into the window curtains, and even looks out with good natured ferocity from the center of every piece of the Limoges dinner service. The king of beasts might not take kindly to serving as the device of an ordinary house of entertainment, but he cannot surely feel it a sacrifice to his dignity to preside over such splendor as surrounds him on every side at the Plaza.—Kate Field's Washington.

Gas and Glass.

There is a good deal in the way you turn up an ordinary every day (or night) gas jet with a glass shade or globe over it. Those small jets that are like penciled rays of light, directed suddenly against the globe, cause unequal expansion, and the globe cracks. Still more remarkable results attend the too swift illumination of the best room when the young daughter of the house is bidding her lover good night, and has left the light very low while she stands in the shadow, and while her beau is satisfying himself which side of his hat he ought to turn to the front. The expansion and contraction noticeable in true lovers discounts glass all hollow.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

How Steam Has Helped Man.

A steam "horse power" is equal to three actual horses' power; and a living horse's strength is equal to that of seven men. The steam engines of the world represent, approximately, the working power of 1,000,000,000 of men, or more than double the working population of the world, the total population of which is usually estimated at 1,455,923,000 inhabitants. Steam has accordingly enabled man to treble his working power, making it possible for him to economize his physical strength while attending to his intellectual development.—St. Louis Republic.

A Necessity.

He—How carelessly happy Miss Humpkins looks!

She—Yes. When any one is 30 and has never been engaged, one has to look carelessly happy.—Munsey's Weekly.

No Objection to That.

Mr. Mushy—I love you, Miss Ada.

Miss Ada Mant—That's right. The Scriptures tell us to love our enemies.—Puck.

Nobody Knows

What I suffered for years with those terrible racking sick headaches. Life was only a torment to me; if you are so troubled, I would advise you to use Sulphur Bitters, for they cured me.—Clara Belle.

Go West.

Mother—Now that you have become a chiropodist, where are you going to settle?

Ambitious Youth—I think, mother, I will go to Nebraska. All the papers say that it is a great corn State.

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WE DON'T ALL SMOKE HAVANAS.

The Number of People in the Country Who Smoke Imported Cigars.

"As near as we can get at it," said the cigar dealer, "we calculate that there are 12,000,000 smokers in the United States. We haven't been able to get it down fine enough yet to estimate how many of these smoke cigars, what proportion the pipe, or the number of those who inhale the delusive cigarette, but we can get pretty close to the number who go in for imported cigars. And that number surprised me when I figured it out. Not one person in a thousand would be able to guess anywhere near it, after knowing the total number of smokers in the country. Now out of those 13,000,000 smokers how many indulge in Havanas?"

"About 4,000,000," replied the reporter.

"That's the nearest to the number of any guess I've had, and I have a standing offer of a box of the best Perfectos to the man who guesses within half a million of the actual figure. I'm sorry, but near as you came you have not won the box. You're out of the way, though, only about 4,000,000 in your guess. Now, then, if you'll tell me whether you are too high or too low I'll give you the Perfectos."

"Too low, of course."

"Exactly. That's what they all think. I'm sorry, young man, but you don't get the box. You're just 3,234,000 smokers too high in your estimate. Hardly believe it, would you? Nobody would. But it's so, and there's no getting around it. Why, if there were 4,000,000 consumers of Havana cigars in this country, how often do you suppose each one would get a Havana to smoke? Just about three a month. That is, if all the cigars imported from Cuba into the United States were equally divided among 4,000,000 smokers, each smoker would have twenty-five cigars and a piece of one. At the outside we take from Cuba 110,000,000 cigars a year. That is all the demand calls for. Consequently we smoke in round numbers 330,000 of them every day.

"I think it is fair to give five cigars as each smoker's daily average. So we see by easy figuring that just 66,000 persons are all that are required to get away with all the imported cigars that the United States consumes annually. Astonishing, isn't it? Out of an army of 13,000,000 people in this country who smoke only 66,000 indulge in the luxury of imported cigars, but that 66,000 pay not less than an average of $1 apiece every day for the privilege, which makes the snug little sum of $22,000,000 a year which goes up in the fragrant smoke of the Havana in this great and glorious land."—New York Sun.

Truth in a Fable.

A story hailing from the orient is to the effect that one day as a pious mollah was riding into Smyrna on a donkey he met the Cholera specter, who told him that he was going into the city by command of Allah to kill 700 faithful. The mollah invited him to ride on his donkey, and as they neared the gates the holy man said, "I conjure you, in the name of Allah, and by the pure faith of a Moslem, that thou wilt not slay one more than the Lord has commanded."

The Cholera took the oath, alighted from the donkey and at once set about his commission of slaughter. Instead of 700, however, 7,000 of the faithful died during the period of the Cholera's visitation.

When the Cholera had finished his appointed work and was about to depart from Smyrna the mollah again met him. "How is it" demanded he, "that thou hast committed so great a perjury, and violated thy oath to Allah that thou wouldst not slay more than 700?" "I have slain the 700," answered the Cholera, "neither more nor less. All the others have been slain by panic, and not by me, blessed be Allah!"—Chicago Herald.

He Waited in Line.

A delegation came from Chicopee and Chicopee Falls one Saturday night to attend George Kenman's lecture. Most of them had already purchased tickets, but one sorry mortal from the Falls had gone unprovided; so on coming into the lower city hall he beheld a long serpentine line of people, and promptly falling into line he patiently waited for his turn. He thought the tickets were being sold rather slowly, but not until he was pretty near the head of the line did he discover that the people were paying their tax bills. The doctor was made to feel very tired while going home on the cars that night, but he knows now where the tax collector's office is.—Springfield Homestead.

The Mouse Ran Up His Sleeve.

As George Humphreville was seated in a car going to Lancaster a few days ago a mouse sprang from the back of a seat in front of him and landed beneath the collar of his coat. In a twinkling the rodent was in the sleeve of Mr. Humphreville's coat, and then there was considerable commotion in the car. The mouse was finally expelled from the undesirable hiding place, but none too soon for the peace of mind of his victim.—Philadelphia Record.

Justin H. McCarthy is just 30 years old. He has published eleven books and seven plays. He is tall and thin, with a very small head. He has traveled much in Persia, and has an intimate acquaintance with the literature of that country.

The Wonderful Tower.

The highest structure in the world is Eiffel Tower, at Paris, 1,000 feet high. But the great discovery of Dr. Franklin Miles is certain to tower far above it in promoting human happiness and health. This wonderful nerve medicine builds up worn out systems, cures fits, sparms, headache, nervous prostration, dizziness, sleeplessness, monthly pains, sexual troubles, etc. Mrs. John R. Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., gained 20 pounds a month while taking it. Finely illustrated treatise on "Nervous Diseases," and a sample bottle of the Restorative Nervine, free at Charles H. Buss's.

Fishermen over a large part of Europe always kill the fish as soon as they take them out of the water, and do so upon the ground that it is better for the flesh of the fish that it be killed at once.

Montfancon notices a very ancient book of eight linden leaves, which on the back had rings fastened by a small linden rod to keep them together.

The Musicians in Battle.

In connection with his army experience Col. Pat Gilmore, the famous musician, tells this story: "You see we musicians who march to battle are really the only ones who are unprotected. We, of course, can handle no weapons and are at the mercy of bullets. To our duty of furnishing the inspiring strains to the marching soldiers we have another one, that of carrying off the wounded from the field on stretchers. In one of the battles we were on our way to the scene of action when we met a soldier running away from the field.

"'What is the matter?' I inquired in chorus with several other of the musicians. The man hurriedly replied: 'Oh, nothing at all. I'm only wounded in one of the fingers of my left hand. I'm off to have it dressed and will return again.'

"But the light of inspiration had come to us. No unprotected march for us when our angels had thrown such a good chance in our way. We seized the man and said, 'Get on the stretcher.' 'No, no,' he answered; 'only one of my fingers is hurt. I can get on faster myself. Why should I be carried? Do I walk with my hand? Let me go.'

"We merely repeated the order, 'Get on the stretcher.' He didn't heed us and again we said more emphatically, 'Get on the stretcher.' Seeing he was obdurate, we made a bodily seizure of him and put him forcibly on the waiting stretcher.

"Then we beat a hasty retreat with our burden. We carried him down a long hill to a place of safety, and we took good care to place our wounded soldier in a distant place of security. How were we to help it if the battle was nearly over when we returned to the field? I always tell the generals with whom I fought that I was always in advance of them—in the rear."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Proposed Use of the Smokeball in War.

In the sham fight at Portsmouth in honor of the Emperor William an advancing column was so affected by the fumes of the smokeball, which was used to raise a cloud of impenetrable obscurity under which they could advance, that the men had to keep their hands to their noses to avoid suffocation. It is now proposed that the smokeball shall receive a further development. It has occurred to some military men that instead of half suffocating their own troops, it would be better to follow the example of the Chinese pirates with their stinkpots and asphyxiate the enemy.

A Vienna scientist has accordingly invented a bomb of such power and virulence that every one who is within a certain radius of it when it explodes is rendered unconscious. Devices such as these would soon modify the art of war, and probably the next development will be an anti-asphyxiating bomb, whose fumes will neutralize those of the other. It is said that many years ago a scheme based on the throwing of poisonous gases over a tract of country was put before the war office in England, for the purpose of devastating the country in the face of an invading army, but the agency employed was so terrible in its effects that it was not made public, and was consigned to the secret records of the war office.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Surnames and Their Origin.

Surnames in France began about 987, when barons used to designate themselves by the names of their estates; and that has been the general practice of deriving surnames, though by no means the origin of the names of all the nobility of Europe. Names were taken from badges, cognizances and nicknames applied to individuals. Among the commonalty surnames are said not to have been general before the reign of Edward II.

It will be found, upon examination, that many of them originated in the still older custom of adding to the son's Christian name that of the father; many more from the names of trades, and many from accidental distinction in size and color, probably originally applied to the founder of the family. Many who display crests and arms nowadays would be reluctant to emblazon them upon linen and silver, carriage door and livery, if they knew the true origin of their now vaunted display.—New York Ledger.

Two Opinions of Chrysanthemums.

Two gorgeously attired young ladies and two grimy faced urchins met before the show window of a florist on Broadway who makes a specialty of chrysanthemums and always makes a fine display of them. "Oh, Carrie!" gurgled one of the girls, "aren't those white chrysanthemums just too deliciously lovely? They look like the down on a baby angel's wings."

"I'm'm," said Carrie in delighted acquiescence.

"Yah," observed the grimier youngster to his mate, "dat makes me tired. Dey looks a sight more like 'er lot 'er coldslaw."—New York Times.

At first the savings bank attracted so little attention in Japan that at the end of 1875 there were only 2,000 depositors, with £3,000 lodged. Thenceforth, however, the figures increased at a remarkable rate. In 1876 the deposits amounted to £8,000, in 1882 to £250,000, in 1885 to £2,000,000 and in 1889 to £4,100,000.

Nearsightedness is overrunning the French people as much as the Germans. Among the senior boys in the different French colleges more than 46 per cent. are near sighted.

Liver Complaint.

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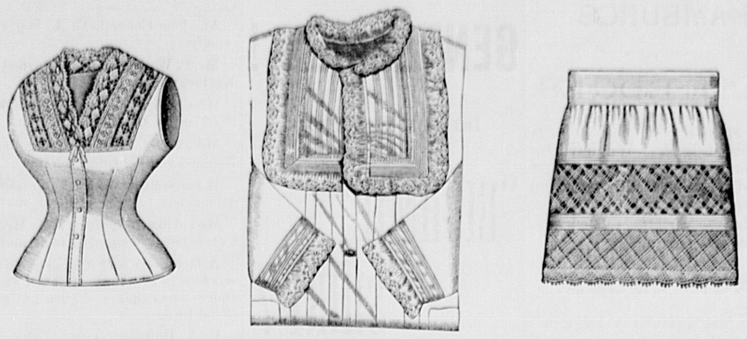
Prof. William James, of Harvard, who is becoming almost as famous out of college as in because of his intesest in psychology and in societies for psychical research, is a brother of Henry James, Jr., the novelist. The father of these two famous sons is a preacher.

Father Time seems to be constantly casting flowers along Jean Ingelow's path in life. The great authoress at sixty years of age is described as cheerful and happy, with cheeks as round and rosy as a milkmaid.

Sir John Lubbock kept a queen bee for fifteen years, a test proving her eggs to be just as fertile at that age as they were twelve years before.



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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.05, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 3.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.59, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M , 6.42 P. M.

WINCHESTER and WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.55, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 6.52, 6.55, 8.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.23, 10.21, 11.28 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10 40, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 9.10, 9.55, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.15, 10.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.35, 1.30, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.25, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 8.15, 9.15, 10.00, 10.45, 11.45, A. M., 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, 11.10, A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.20, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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42	Junction Bow and Salem Streets.
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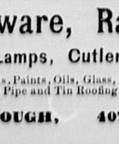
DEALER,  REPAIRER.
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New York Mail opens at 7.30 A. M.
Northern Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
Lawrence Mail opens at 7.45 A. M., 1 P. M.
Lowell Mail opens at 8.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 9.00 A. M., and 4.30 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7, 8, 8.30, 9.20, 11.00 A. M., 12.30, 1.40, 2.30, 4, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, 7.00 A. M.
Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
Lawrence, 8 A. M., 4.45 P. M.
Lowell 8.30 A. M., *via* Winchester 12.30, 4 P. M.
Nashua, 4 P. M.
Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
North Woburn, 5.30 P. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 5.55 P. M.
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HOW JOE LOST HIS ARM.

On the Tombigbee river so bright, I was born,
In a hut made of husks of the bright yellow corn,
And 'twas there that I first met my Julia so true,
And I rowed her about in my gumtree canoe,
Singing, row away, row o'er the waters so blue,
Like a feather we'll float in my gumtree canoe.

The clerk of the Pretty Jane had a mellow voice, and blended sweetly with it was little Jennie's childish treble.

He sat upon the deck of the little steamboat gazing around on the bright waters of the Tombigbee as the sun danced on them, gazing intently, and smiling absently to himself.

He was a man of about thirty, and his right coat sleeve was empty and pinned upon his heart.

Little Jennie leaned upon his knee, staring him intently in the face in a way that children have. She pushed her broad brimmed hat back from her eyes so that she might stare the better. The hat was a queerly shaped palmetto structure, for this was in '63, and clothes were at a premium. She was the child of one of the passengers, and between her and the clerk quite a friendship had sprung up.

"And did you sure enough meet your Julia here on the Tombigbee?" asked the child, stroking the empty sleeve with a pitying touch.

"Yes," said the clerk, roused from his reverie and smiling down on the eager little face; "I have often taken her rowing on the Tombigbee before the war, when I had my other arm."

"How nice!" said Jennie. "How nice! And in a gumtree canoe?"

"Well, I wasn't particular as to the kind of canoe, so it was a canoe," said he, smiling.

"And your Julia ain't named Julia, but Mary Jane, after all," said the child.

"Yes," said he, "but she's just as sweet as if her name was Julia, though 'twouldn't fit in the song so well."

"No, you couldn't say, 'I rowed my Mary Jane so true.' 'Twould make the song too long legged."

"True," said he, laughing, "but that makes no difference. I think of her while I sing it, so that it seems as if it was her name."

"Well, Mr. Perkins," said Jennie, "tell me why haven't you married your Julia, if you've been rowing her around in your gumtree canoe these ever so many years?"

"You see," said the mate smiling, "my Julia couldn't make up her mind that she loved me till the war broke out and I volunteered; then she said directly she'd marry me, but 'twas too late then; I had to go off to fight."

"You had both of your arms then!" interrupted Jennie; "you was born with 'em?"

"Of course, child. Did you ever hear of any one born with one arm? Nature don't ever make no such cobbled, lopsided work as that."

"Well, if you had both of your arms then, I don't see why she wouldn't have you."

"Bless you, child, everybody had plenty of arms then; that was no inducement to take a fellow. But, as I was saying, when she found I was going off to the war and might get killed, then she found that she loved me."

"She'd rather marry you than that you should get killed," said Jennie.

"Yes, I think she ought, after you rowed her around in the canoe."

"You are right," said Perkins, laughing; "but 'twas too late to marry her then. We agreed that if ever I got back safely, when the war was over, we'd marry."

"Tell me now, how you came to lose your arm," said Jennie.

"'Twas in one of the great battles around Richmond that year. I had been in many fights before, but this was about the hottest. The enemy were bound to get the hill on which we stood, and we were holding on desperately. But at last we began to waver and give way. Then our colonel came out to the front, and the rest of our officers followed him, and they ran up and down the lines cheering up the men.

"'Steady, my boys,' said the old colonel; 'keep pouring it into them. Steady! Re-enforcements will soon be here! Never let it be said that the line broke where the Alabamians stood!'

"The whole air seemed black with shot and shell. A piece of one grazed the colonel's cheek, and the blood kept trickling down his face, but he didn't seem to feel it. The firing grew so hot that the men seemed fairly mowed down, and the line began to waver and break. Suddenly, clear on our right, there arose a tremendous yell. It grew louder and louder, and ran down the line toward us. Then, at last, we saw a courier galloping down the line. I shall never forget how he looked. His black horse was all white with foam and its flanks were bloody from his spur. He rode bare headed down the line as if he bore a charmed life, and he kept waving his cap around his head and shouting something to the men, and as they heard him the wavering line rallied and sent up deafening cheers. Then he galloped by where we were and yelled:

"'Rally, men! rally! Stonewall Jackson is in their rear, and giving 'em sut?'

"Then we cheered, too, until we were hoarse. The courier galloped on, and presently our officer shouted:

"'Forward men; charge!'

"And away we went, down the hill and across a field, right 4oward the Yankee lines, yelling like Indians.

"I held the colors in my hand, and I ran ahead. I didn't seem to have any feet; I seemed to fly, and the men followed me. Right toward the blazing line we ran.

"All at once I saw the colonel, who was riding by me, grasp the colors, for they were falling. I looked and saw that my hand, my whole arm was gone, and I hadn't felt it! I grabbed the flag in my left hand.

"'I can carry the colors yet, colonel,' I said. 'I don't feel any pain.'

"I ran on some fifty steps, when the blood began spouting my from shoulder. I dropped. Joe Ashe, one of the color guards, snatched the flag, and they all rushed on.

"I fell senseless. I never knew another thing till weeks after, when I woke up one day in Chimborazo hospital and found some fanny looking ladies in black bonnets, that the boys called 'the sisters,' bending over me. If it hadn't been for their good nursing I should have died."

Perkins ceased. He had been so carried away by the interest he felt in his own narrative that he had gone quite beyond his auditor.

"But tell me, Joe," Jennie eagerly asked—she had been impatiently waiting for an opportunity for some minutes—"tell me, did you ever find your arm that you dropped?"

"No; to be sure not. I never went to look for it."

"You couldn't fasten it on again, then?"

"Of course not, child. I am not a jointed doll."

"What a pity you couldn't," said the child. "What a pity! And how do you manage to dress yourself and tie your cravat and shoes?" she asked, for she had been burning to make these inquiries ever since she had seen the one armed confederate.

"'Twas awkward at first, but I learned at last to do it with the help of my teeth."

"But how when you get old and lose 'em?" said Jennie, who was of an investigating mind.

"Providence will raise me up some other way," he said with a pathetic smile. "I'll have my wife to wait on me."

"To be sure, I forgot; Miss Mary Jane will. What did she say?"

"I got one of the sisters to write her for me, and I set her free. I said I wouldn't bind her to a poor cripple like me."

"And she said no, sir-ree! I 'spose," cried Jennie, full of fiery zeal for her new friend.

"Something to that effect," said Joe, smiling.

"She wrote me that she loved me more with one arm than she ever had done with two. And whenever I could get home she was ready." Here Joe's eyes filled and he gazed steadily in the water.

"Well, now, Joe," said Jennie, who was suddenly struck with a bright idea, "maybe if you would lose both arms she'd love you betterer and betterer."

"I believe I'm satisfied with what she feels now," said Joe, laughing.

"But why hain't you married?" continued Jennie, pursuing her investigations.

"Because I first had to get well, and then I had to get something to do. I had been a mechanic, and I couldn't work at my trade with my left hand. So Capt. Ramsey gave me a place on his boat, and I've been trying to learn how to write, so that I can keep his books. I think I'm doing pretty well. See."

He drew from his pocket a little blank book in which were scrawled divers hieroglyphics, at which he gazed complacently.

"Why, yes," said Jennie approving. "There's a t with the cross mark, and there is k with his broken back, and that's an i. I know him by his eyebrow. You see I can read a little," she said proudly.

"So I see," said he, laughing and putting up his book. "Now I must go. The sun has set. It is time for me to see after things for the night."

He stroked Jennie's curly head with his left hand, and walked away, softly singing in his mellow voice, "My Own Mary Ann."—*Paul Grant in Atlanta Constitution.*

Character vs. Environment.

A human will, firmly set on a life of holiness, may make the most untoward environment only a means of progress onward and upward. In short, in spite of environment we find that man is what he wills to be; that outward circumstance determines character only so far as it is permitted to determine it by impelling a man on in that course that he has more or less consciously determined to pursue. The more we consider the teaching of experience and the conclusions of science, the more we discover the Scripture to be profoundly true that says, "As a man thinketh in his heart so is he." It is the deepest current of man's nature, far below the surface, and unaffected by outward circumstance, that determines the essential character. To the development of this self-determined nature environment powerfully contributes, and to one unacquainted with the hidden springs of action its effect may well seem to be omnipotent. But by one who knows that underneath surface currents the tide of man's nature is setting from or toward God and good the effect of those things that merely touch the surface will not be exagerated. Man is what he in the depths of his heart wills to be, not what his surroundings make him. This, science, experience and the Word of God unite in testifying.—*Golden Censor.*

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We authorize our advertissd druggist to sell you Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with La Grippe and will use this remedy according to directions, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We make this offer, because of the wonderful success of Dr. King's New Discovery during last season's epidemic. Have heard of no case in which it failed. Try it. Trial bottles free at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store. Large size 50 cents and $1.00.

He Liked Things Orderly.

It would seem a most natural thing for an American entering Westminster Abbey for the first time, to fall upon his knees in adoration and reverence as he recalls here, as in no other place, the dealings of Providence with this great nation of which we are but an offshoot, though destined perhaps, as I heard an Englishman say, "to yet be the greater England." But let such an one beware how he indulges in this act of worship out of stated time, should the good verger of whom Dean Stanley delighted to relate the following anecdote still wield his authority there.

One day as the beloved Dean was rambling in accordance with his daily custom about the precincts of his beloved Abbey, he observed a man enter and kneel. Presently this verger went up and spoke to him and the man went out. Directly after a second came in and knelt. To him also the verger spoke and he, too, arose from his knees and went out. The Dean called the verger to him and remonstrated against his action. "Why," exclaimed the verger "If I didn't send 'em away they'd soon be praying all over the place!"—*July Wide Awake.*

Great Discoverers.

What Bell and Edison are to the telephone and electricity, says the Pittsburg *News*, Dr. Franklin Miles, the well-known specialist in nervous diseases, is to the nervous system and nerve fluid. Among his numerous discoveries the Restorative Nervine is undoubtedly one of the greatest. It is unsurpassed in nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, epilepsy, neuralgia, backache, melancholly, sleeplessness, change of life, etc. *Free trial bottles* of it may be had of Charles H. Bass, Druggist. All should read his "*New and Startling Facts for the Afflicted*," a very able, interesting, and finely illustrated book. Free to all.

Assistant Postmaster General Clarkson said recently: "The State of Washington has more coal than Pennsylvania, more pine than Maine and more fish than Massachusetts."

Stand Your Ground.

When you make up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy some other preparation instead. Clerks may claim that "ours is as good as Hood's," and all that, but the peculiar merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla cannot be equalled. Therefore have nothing to do with substitutes and insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and building-up medicine.

The speech of Claudius, engraved on plates of bronze, is yet preserved in the town hall of Lyons, France. It was discovered in 1528 on the heights of St. Sebastian above the town.

Literary Notices.

HARPER'S MONTHLY for February is a number which lovers of good literature and fine art work will greatly prize. It is one of extraordinary merit. Seven of its papers are illustrated by between 40 and 50 pictures by the best of artists. A few of the articles are on Literary Landmarks of Edenburgh, Wessex Folk, The Argentine Capital, The Chinese Leak, In the Vestibule Limited, etc.

***HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company, Franklin St., Boston; and by Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for March has found its way to our Book Table and has had an examination bestowed upon it. We have no hesitation in pronouncing it an extraordinary good number, and we think its many Woburn patrons will cordially endorse our verdict. Its numerous illustrations are unusually fine, while its literary contents, both prose and verse, is excelled in downright merit by no magazine in America. The reader of this will oblige us by keeping in mind the fact that we give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2.00) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 a year) for $2.00 paid in ADVANCE.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for February 14th and 21st contain The Letters and Journals of Lady Mary Coke, Lord Houghton, Findland, Labor Colonies in Germany, Winter in the Country of the Passion Play, Statesmen of Europe, and A Musical Village in Yorkshire, The Sham Fight at Ruddiford, A Tour in Burmah, The Responsibility of Reading, Ladies' Whist, An Adventure in the Dark, and A Crisis in the City, Concerning Inns and Taverns, The Applications of Geometry to Practicel Life, with instalments of Madeleine's Story and Messer Antonio's Revenge and poetry. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

It is not difficult to see the reason for ST. NICHOLAS'S growing subscription-list if one will but examine the pages of the successive numbers with the eye of a child-reader. From the picture of cozy comfort which Mr. J. H. Dolph has furnished for a frontispiece to the naive idea contained in the last bit of verse, Her Little Shetland Shawl, there is nothing that an intelligent boy or girl cannot understand and appreciate, and yet all the contents are unbackneyed and, in the best sense of the word, artistic. Some of the papers (all fresh and very entertaining) are Cæsar and Pompey, The Fortunes of Toby Trafford, Jingle, Good-Bye, Huz and Buz, The Turtle and the Katydid, What and Where, My Autograph Book, The Boy Settlers, A Polar Bear for a Jailor, The Alligator's Funeral, Cause and Effect, The Midnight Sun, Pauline and the Policeman, and others, each one splendidly illustrated by well known artists.

A wide variety of interesting topics is discussed in THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for March. First, one of the great questions of the day is treated in an article on Supposed Tendencies to Socialism, by Prof. William Graham, of Belfast. This writer gives reasons for expecting a progressive improvement in the condition of society, but no sudden social transformation. There is an account of Iron-working with Machine Tools, by William F. Durfee, in the Monthly's illustrated series on American Industries since Columbus. Mr. Durfee will conclude this division of the series with a sketch of the steel manufacture. Some of the other papers, all of which are timely and interesting, are Hypocracy as a Social Elevator, Cultivation of Sisal in the Bahamas, Dr. Koch's Method of treating Consumption. The Tyranny of the State, Greeting by Gesture, Non-Conductors of Heat. The Relative Value of Cements, Government Among the Lower Animals, and many others.

New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number: $5 a year.

The March issue of THE CENTURY contains a third instalment of the famous Tallyrand Memoirs. The California series takes up the Fremont explorations, first with a paper giving a resume of the five explorations; second, with a paper by Mrs. Fremont; third, with a posthumous narrative of the terrible experiences of the fourth expedition under the title of Rough Times in Rough Places, it being a personal record of Micajah McGehee of Mississippi. Included are portraits of Thomas H. Benton, George Bancroft, Mrs. Fremont, besides other illustrative material. To the department of California Professor Royce of Harvard College contributes some new documents on the Bear Flag affair. General J. F. B. Marshall makes record of How California Gold was sent to Boston in 1841. The First California Gold in Australia, and The First California Gold in Wall Street. The frontispiece is a new portrait of Bryant without the familiar beard. General Crook in the Indian Country is a paper that has been profusely illustrated with pictures typical of soldier life in the Indian country. A charming feature of this number is a curious story by Edith Robinson called Penhallow, with two full-page pictures by Will H. Low. Among the poets of this number are Celia Thaxter, Edgar Fawcett, Rose Hawthorne Lathrop, and the late Charles Henry Luders.

The reappearance of la grippe in Europe should warn Americans to be in readiness, in case the epidemic returns to our shores. Catarrh, the forerunner of the disease can easily be cured by the use of Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

If your baby is sick, suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, soothe it with Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. It is safe. Price 25 cents.

Munroe's Clothing House.

GREAT MARK DOWN
—IN—
Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers, Etc.
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

We shall turn these goods into cash REGARDLESS of COST.
Please come and see us.
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One Stitch at a Time.

What is the secret by which you do your work so beautifully?" The questioner held in her hand an exquisite piece of crochet work, wrought by the lady to whom the question was addressed.

"There is no secret about it," replied the lady: "I only make every stitch as perfect as I can, and am careful to put it exactly in the right place. There isn't one wrong or careless stitch in all that work. If I make a mistake I ravel it out and correct it."

One perfect stitch at a time! So the marvelous fabrics of lace at fabulous prices are made. So the intricate and exquisite embroideries are wrought. So the costly garments of men and women are put together. One perfect stitch at a time.

The noblest lives are lived—one moment at a time. No moments wasted; no moments carelessly spent; no moments viciously spent. Wrong stitches in crochet can be picked out and put in again right. But who can reverse the tide of time, and undo a wrong act, and make it right?

Some unknown friend left a card on our desk on which was printed this: "I shall pass through this world but once! Any good thing, therefore, that I can do or any kindness that I can show to any human being, let me do it, now, in His name, and for His sake! Let me not defer or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

Is there a better secret than that for making the whole fabric of life perfect? "Any good thing that I can do;" that covers all our duty to God and to ourselves. "Any kindness that I can show to any human being;" that covers all our duty to our neighbor. Love to God and to our neighbor is the fulfilling of the law.

One stitch at a time! Sometimes we allow ourselves to become confused with the thought or feeling that we have a dozen things to do at once. But this is a mistake. We can do but one thing at a time, think one thing at a time, speak one word at a time, see one thing at a time. For every duty really required of us, we have time given to do it in. We may pass rapidly from one task to another, we may construct enginery by which much of our work may be done simultaneously, and we thus multiply our executive power, but to live two minutes at once no mortal can do any more than we can recall one act or one moment of the past.

"Let us then be up and doing,
Heart within and God o'erhead."

Temperance News and Notes.

Nearly 30,000,000 barrels of beer were brewed in the United States last year.

The education department of South Australia has issued a Temperance Pledge Book for use in the schools.

In connection with the British Women's Temperance Association a Temperance Home for Women has been established.

The widow of John B. Gough, who lives in Worcester, Mass., is the victim of progressive paralysis and is in a helpless condition.

Dr. Parker, of London, in his recent address on "Individualism," stated his own plan for making General Booth's scheme an almost perfect success. It was to "shut up the public houses," for permanent reformation is impossible while the present state of things exists in this respect.

They Died Sober.

Apropos of General Cutcheon's remarks on social drinking in Washington, the general was led to tell the story of an army experience of his with whisky. It was in the trenches before Petersburg. As colonel of the regiment he had prohibited the sale of liquor save on a doctor's order, and in that case prohibited.

The division commander, however, issued orders that a ration of whisky should be served to each man in the trenches and the liquor for the twenty-eth Michigan was brought in two great iron kettles. As the men clustered around with their tin cups some one cried out:

"Boys, if I'm going to be shot today, I want to die sober!"

The cry was taken up by the regiment. The kettles were seized by willing hands and the whiskey was poured on the ground. Fifty-two out of 110 of the brave Michigan boys of the twentieth were shot that day and every who died, died sober.—*Detroit Tribune.*

Is it Safe

To neglect yourself if troubled with any disease of the kidneys? No, it is dangerous; and if you are so afflicted, attend to yourself now. Do not wait, but use Sulphur Bitters at once. They cured me when I was given up to die by several physicians.—JONATHAN HAM, Boston.

Theories Will Not Work.

A friend of mine told me that he had the grandest theories about the training of children that any man could desire. But when the Lord sent him seven children not two were alike, and they smashed his theories all to pieces

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE BOSTON POSTOFFICE.

The quarrel over an appointee to the Boston postoffice in place of Gen. Corse, whose time was out, assumed such large proportions at last that interest in it was stirred up all over the State. It was a long hot fight and a good deal of bad blood was stirred up among Republicans which, however, it is hoped will disappear before another election takes place.

Postmaster Corse (Democrat) and Supt. of Mails Thomas (Republican) were the principal applicants for the place, their candidature also involving the important question whether the appointee should be a Republican or not. Senators Hoar and Dawes recommended Gen. Corse for reappointment; the Representatives were divided in opinion as to the man but a majority of them favored the appointment of a Republican; and President Harrison and Postmaster-General Wannamaker were decidedly opposed to continuing a Democrat in the office in the person of Gen. Corse.

On Saturday the President settled the knotty question by appointing ex-Mayor Hart of Boston, a representative Republican whose name had been mentioned for the place; the appointment was promptly confirmed; everybody was satisfied; and everything is serene and lovely again.

REDISTRICTING THE STATE.

There is a conflict of opinion among the Republicans in the Legislature as to when it will be best to cut the State into new Congressional Districts under the census of 1890. Some favor doing it now, while others want to wait until next year. The latter advocate postment as a matter of policy.

Policy is a bad motive in politics as well as in the affairs of private life. It is selfish and seldom successful in the long run. The redistricting of the State should be done honestly and with a due regard to the rights of all parties. There should be no gerrymandering by by Republicans whatever the Democrats might do if they were in power.

There is only one way this business should be carried out and that is, the right way. It always pays to be fair in politics, as well as in everything else. Remember too that when things are done otherwise chickens are apt to come home to roost.

"Honesty is the best policy."

EXPIRED.

The 51st Congress of the U. S. came to an end at noon last Wednesday, since which date the papers have been filled with notices, good, bad and indifferent, of its demise and character.

How the Congress whose existence closed last Wednesday noon compared in ability and efficiency with its immediate predecessors is more than we know. The presumption however is that it was an average Congress and that its labors will prove a lasting blessing to the country. The Tariff Bill, for instance, will stand as a high and perpetual credit to it. The Subsidy act was almost equally important and beneficial. Other wholesome legislation occurs to the mind but need not be particularized.

The word is that there is to be no extra session.

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS

Was killed in the House on Wednesday: 96 Republicans voted for it, 29 against it: 20 Democrats voted for it, 74 against it.

☞ Hon. E. D. Hayden of this city returned from Washington last Saturday evening where, in company with Senators Hoar and Dawes, Representatives Lodge, Chandler and others, and many leading Boston business men, he made a square, stand-up fight for the reappointment of General Corse to the Boston postoffice, but did not quite win the battle. President Harrison looked at the case in a little different light from what these gentlemen did and appointed ex-Mayor Hart of Boston as a compromise. Mr. Hayden expressed himself to a JOURNAL man as willing to acquiesce in the President's choice although he believed that the reappointment of Gen. Corse would have been for the best interests of the Republican party in this State.

☞ There was not very much Civi Service in the refusal to promote Superintendent of Mails Thomas of the Boston office and picking up an outsider to take Gen. Corse's place. But there was as much of it as one could reasonably expect to see when self-interest or party policy interferes with its operations. Civil Service stands a poor show even with those who profess to be its warmest friends when it stands in the way of promoting party or personal interests.

☞ General N. P. Banks, late Representative in Congress from this District, has got his pension and everybody is glad of it. His Waltham fellow citizens propose to give a great party and reception in his honor at an early day. Which would be an eminently proper thing to do.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. E. Tidd—Sheriff Sale.
G. R. Gage & Co.—Card.
Friday Night Club—Lecture.
R. B. P. Co.—Royal Baking Powder.

— March came in like a lion.

— Mr. L. F. Bond will settle with his creditors in insolvency.

— Durward's market is counted among the best there is going.

— Mr. E. N. Blake is very low and his death is looked for at any hour.

— Mrs. Packard's display windows contain a good deal of very fine millinery goods.

— Business is slack in the tanneries just now and a good many men are out of work. This is not a pleasant state of affairs to contemplate in midwinter.

— G. A. R. Post, No. 161, are agitating the subject of holding a big fair pretty soon.

— Good people at the Centre, don't forget the entertainment at No. Woburn this evening.

— There were no school sessions on Wednesday afternoon. The storm was too severe for that.

— Members and their wives of Brewster Colony, U. O. P. F., of this city held an artist party last night.

— Mr. Moses Bancroft has been selling rubber boots of late at a great rate. He has a big stock and a good one.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomry preached a powerful temperance sermon to a big house at Medway one night last week.

— Our Washington letter came to hand "a day after the fair" and was not therefore available for these columns this week.

— Supt. Jones did the best he could to keep the sidewalks in a walkable condition last Wednesday but he had his hands full.

— When the Stoneham steam fire gong signalled for no school on Wednesday it could be heard here almost as distinctly as our own.

— The Board of Assessors have elected Col. William T. Grammer Chairman, and Mr. John Ferguson Clerk of the 1891 organization.

— Cashier George A. Day of the First National Bank has been wrestling with the grip of late. He will please accept the JOURNAL's sympathy.

— Supt. Richardson has the silver medal awarded by the French Republic to the Woburn Schools for their exhibition at the Paris Exposition.

— It was 10 above at 6 A. M., on Tuesday, and two hours afterwards it was 25 above. There were snow squalls with easterly winds all day.

— Efforts are being put forth to get purchasers of certificates in another "investment" company here. But gudgeons don't bite very sharp just now.

— The O. U. A. M. are highly pleased with their new Hall in Mechanic Building as well as with its furnishings. They occupied it this week for the first time.

— Peter Olson, who fell into the vat of boiling hot tanning liquid at Eustice Cummings's tannery a fortnight ago, has been a great sufferer but is now getting better.

— On account of the demand for tickets Miss Fosdick's Banjo concert will take place in Lyceum Hall instead of Music Hall.

— A company have leased the waterproof plant in this city for the purpose of manufacturing varnish. They are about to erect another building to accommodate their business.

— A baby was born at the Unitarian parsonage at 1.30 Thursday morning, an hour prior to which good domine Parker had to paddle through the snow for a doctor. It was tough!

— The funeral services of Rufus A. Lovering, who was drowned near Seattle, Wash., on Jan. 25, last, will take place at the Unitarian church on Sunday, March 8, at 1.30 P. M.

— Crews of men and horses worked all Wednesday night until 6 o'clock Thursday morning on both street railroad lines in this city to keep the tracks clear. And they made "the riffles."

— After a severe tussle of several days duration with an uncommonly severe cold Mr. F. A. Flint got back to his business again early this week and is now improving in health every day.

— The No. Woburn street cars made every trip last Wednesday on time and the East Middlesex came close to it. It was a big thing to do in the worst snow storm that has prevailed here for years.

— Mr. James L. Fowle, General Superintendent at Gage & Co.'s merchant tailoring establishment, has been suffering with the influenza, cold, grip, or by whatever name the prevailing sickness may be known.

— Mr. Michael Hevey, father of Representative Hevey of this city, dropped dead at his home last Saturday morning. He was an intelligent, well-informed, clean-handed man, and well respected by all who knew him.

— Prof. Churchill's readings will be given this evening in Music Hall. Those who would hear something very fine in the line of elocution should remember that this is the evening on which Prof. Churchill will read.

— At a meeting of the School Board last Tuesday evening it was voted that the graduating exercises of Class '91 should consist of an address by a speaker from out of town and music by the class. Thus ended the big fight.

— Talk about a bazaar and a Dickens "curiosity shop!" all you have got to do to see one is to step into Prior's, 421 Main street. We'll venture to say there is nothing equal to it in the way of variety of goods in Massachusetts.

— The meeting and supper of the Pine Tree Club was postponed from Wednesday to last evening on account of the terrible snow storm. We go to press too soon after the close of the notable affair to publish any account of it this week.

— Kind hearted people threw out crumbs of bread and cake to the poor little sparrows during the big snow storm. The sparrows, not the least one of which is suffered to fall to the ground unnoticed by its Maker, deserve to be kindly looked after.

— Judge Charles D. Adams had some votes for City Solicitor at the last meeting of the Common Council. If the deadlock between Johnson and Curran cannot be broken by the election of Johnson it both branches why not compromise on Judge Adams?

— Last Monday morning the mercury ranged from 2 below to 1 above—the coldest of the season. At Waterman Brown's, it was 1 above; at Mr. George Buchanan's 2 below; at the residence of Commodore Ferguson 1 above; the average all over town about zero.

— Capt. Horace N. Conn, the insurance agent in this city, is proud of his new office in Mechanic Building and well he may be. The location for business and pleasure is unexcelled by any in this city, and the rooms are high and dry, airy, sunny, and easy of access.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., is Attorney for the six Middlesex Investment shareholders who are red hot for their $200 apiece, and M. T. Allen, Esq., is Attorney for the 200 or 300 who are trying to get a division prorata of the money in the Treasurer's hands.

— Considerable Woburn leather manufactured by James Skinner & Co. and Beggs & Cobb went down in mid-ocean on the ice wrecked steamer Iowa of the Warren line on Feb. 22. The leather had been sold to English customers of these firms on whom the loss will fall.

— A sort of epidemic of colds is prevailing here. The complaint is not a common cold but a species of "the grip," or influenza, but it takes a sharp hold of its victims and is by no means a pleasant illness to endure. We have heard of no deaths from it, but the doctors are kept busy.

— Mr. Gregory is selling at auction in the A. Wood store No. 406 Main street, C. A. Bradley's stock of cigars, tobacco and gent's furnishing goods and will continue the sale on this (Friday) and to-morrow evenings. It is a good place to secure some big bargains in the above named goods.

— Postmaster Wyman is doing business at the old stand in Dow Block recently vacated by Mr. Lawrence Reade and has gathered about him a corps of assistants who, with the boss, will maintain the popularity of the office to its full height. We congratulate postmaster Wyman.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hackett of St. Paul, Minn., are visiting with E. E. Thompson, Esq., on Montvale Ave., whose wife is a sister of Mr. Hackett. The gentleman is a prominent merchant and citizen of St. Paul where Mr. and Mrs. Thompson visited him and his family late last fall.

— Rabbi Solomon Schindler of Boston, one of the most eloquent orators in this country and prominent as one of Boston's great men, will deliver a lecture on "Why I am a Jew" at the Unitarian church on Friday evening, March 13, under the auspices of the Friday Night Club. Everybody will want to hear this eminent Jewish Rabbi.

— The new hall of the American Mechanics in Mechanics Building has been handsomely furnished and is one of the best which are occupied by the secret orders of the city. The furniture is made of antique oak, heavy, massive and solid; a handsome brussels carpet covers the floor and adds much to the pleasure of the members; and a fine upright piano has been put in. The hall is comfortable and attractive. The furnishings cost the Council about $2000.

— There is quite a display of Mr. Legg's art work in Call's job printing office in Mechanic Building, where they attract a good deal of attention. The photographic exhibition at his rooms over Dodge's jewelry store corner of Main street and Montvale Ave. is also a fine one, and comprises portraits in cabinets and otherwise of many of the first people in Woburn, Winchester, Stoneham, and other neighboring places. Legg is a skilled artist.

— Mr. Schwartz is an upholsterer on whom our people can depend for the best kind of jobs at the lowest prices. He is a thorough workman. He understands every phase of the business and we have personal knowledge of the thoroughness of his work and the fine taste he displays in doing it. Mr. Schwartz ought to be liberally patronized for Woburn needs a first-class upholsterer and in him they have one. He also cleanses and lays down carpets and does all other kind of work in his line.

— Last Saturday morning Patrick F. Kerrigan and William McDonough were put through a course of chopped feed in the Fourth District Court, the former to the tune of $150, and the latter $200. We are glad to see Chief of Police McIntosh going for the violators of the liquor laws. If one will persist in unlawfully selling rum and producing all the misery in the world that he is capable of, nothing does our soul so much good as to see him followed up and punished according to his deserts.

— English violets are all the rage in Boston and we esteem the fad an exhibition of good taste in floral matters, which cannot always be truthfully said of "Boston Notions." English violets are sweet and pretty, and to enjoy them in their perfection one should visit Mr. William S. McGregor's (Dow) hot houses just off Church Ave. and take a walk through the long house of his devoted to the cultivation of these flowers. It's a picture. Mr. McGregor takes quantities of them, with other choice flowers, into Boston every morning and sells them to the florists there for handsome prices.

— It should be borne in mind that Rev. Thomas Dixon, who is to lecture in the First Parish church in this city on next Monday evening, March 9, occupies the front ranks of platform orators. He stands with the most popular of them and deservedly so. Of his brilliant talents as a lecturer our citizens are not entirely ignorant for he has occupied a Woburn rostrum before now to the pleasure of a large assembly of cultivated people who know a good thing in literature and oratory when they hear it. The price of tickets has, very considerately, been put at the low figure of 25 cents that thus everyone who wants to listen to a really fine lecture can afford to go and hear Thomas Dixon next Monday evening.

— Dr. Stevens G. Cowdrey, Surgeon in the United States Army, died in New York city Feb. 22. Dr. Cowdrey was born in Plymouth, N. H., June 13, 1838, was graduated from Harvard College, class of 1861, and practiced medicine for a time in Carlisle, Pa., where he married a daughter of Charles Hall. In 1868 he was appointed Surgeon in the regular army, and last year was given the rank of Major.—*Boston Journal.*—The subject of the foregoing notice graduated from the Woburn High School in the Class '57, and taught in our public schools in 1860 and 1861. Only recently he visited this city and dined with Doctor and Mrs. J. M. Harlow, to whom the news of his death was a great surprise.

— The great evangelist Moody, the attendance on whose noon meetings in Tremont Temple, Boston, is the wonder and surprise of the city, is expected to hold meetings here some time during this month. Mr. Munhall, another great revivalist, is looked for some time in April. There is need enough of the labors of these two great evangelical preachers in Woburn, mercy knows, and we hope they will not disappoint us.

— Business at the tannery of Stephen Dow & Co. is hung up and will remain so during the pendency of the present legal proceedings by the city of Boston against them, and many men are thrown out of employment at a season of the year the worst in which to put up with forced idleness and loss of income. For this however the Dows are in no way responsible as they have been enjoined by the Supreme Court and of course have been obliged to suspend operations. It is hoped legal proceedings will come to an end soon and that operations at the factory may be speedily resumed.

— The following applicants for police positions secured the required percent at the Civil Service examination in this city last week: Frank E. Tracy, 59 Prospect st.; John Maguire, 32 Highland st.; Patrick H. Greany, 59 Bedford st.; John J. Roche, 22 Wright st.; James E. Boutwell, 9 Clinton st.; Dennis C. Walsh, 6 Buckman st.; James W. Marrinan, 20 Union st.; James Donahey, 17 Vining ct.; Owen Kerrigan, 66 Washington st.; John J. Hayden, 10 Poole st.; Donald K. Colegate, 72 Sheridan st.; James H. Henchey, 122 Winn st. The average percentage was 85 3-10.

— By courtesy of Miss Hattie Kenney we had the pleasure of examining some copies of the *Bunker-Hill Aurora and Boston Mirror* a few days since of date Feb. 1837—54 years ago. They were of Vol. 3 of the paper, so it was probably founded in 1834. It was a 6-column weekly sheet published by W. W. Wheilden at Charlestown Square and Edited by C. W. Moore. The numbers examined contained Woburn death and Probate notices, and of the subscribers here one was Mr. Jesse Converse, father of Mr. D. Gould Converse, lately deceased, by whom the files had been preserved and from which the copies examined by us were taken by Miss Kenney.

— The financial article in Wednesday's Boston *Advertiser* contained words encouraging to the leather manufacturers of this city and their employees although the application of the article was meant of course to be general. It was supplemented by an Editorial of the same encouraging import. The Editor thinks an era of money-making for the leather manufacturer has set in, which, if true, would mean easier times for the laboring men, and better business conditions for the merchant and all others dependent on leather for their support. We truly hope that the predictions of the *Advertiser* writers may be borne out by the facts, for the tanners and curriers have had a hard time of it for half a year past, while their employees and general business interests have suffered proportionately.

— Miss Emma Fosdick of Woburn, the popular teacher of the guitar and banjo, will give a concert on the evening of March 19 in that city. Besides a chorus of 20 banjos and guitars, duets, solos and quartets on the same instruments, composed of Miss Fosdick's pupils, such other musical and literary talent has been engaged as will make the entertainment one of the best and most enjoyable ever given in that city. Mr. Battis of Colby University will give readings and impersonations. Several of Miss Fosdick's Winchester pupils will take part.—*Winchester Star.* From all we hear about it we feel justified in saying that the concert above mentioned will be one of the very best ever given in this city. There can be no question but that the talent which will take part in it is of the highest quality and a plenty of it has been engaged by Miss Fosdick to give a No. 1 concert. Read advertisement of it in this paper.

— Mr. George S. Haskell, of Marlboro, Mass., and Miss Lucille Soule, of Alton, were yesterday afternoon united in marriage at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Peter Folsom, in this city by Rev. H. A. Westall. The ceremony was witnessed by Mrs. Soule, the bride's mother, and a few relatives. Mr. Haskell is a merchant at Marlboro, near Boston, and is a nephew of Miss Haskell, the well-known principal of the Monticello Seminary at Godfrey. The bride has often visited in Bloomington where she has many friends. She is a handsome and talented young lady and has chosen a most worthy young man for a life companion. They will depart for their eastern home in about a week.—*Bloomington (Ill.) Pantagraph.* A few years ago Mr. Haskell, the groom, was a very popular society and business man in Woburn. He was proprietor of the the Globe Clothing Store in Windsor Hotel block, and left here for Marlboro. The officiating clergyman, Rev. Mr. Westall, was also once an esteemed Woburn gentleman. A few years back he was pastor of the Unitarian church here, in which he had many warm friends as well as among the citizens of the place. The bride was a native prairie flower, and she and the groom and Rev. Westall have the best wishes and warmest congratulations of the JOURNAL and its people.

— The trouble just now in the Middlesex Investment Company lies between the six holders whose certificates have matured and on which the owners are by the laws of the Company entitled to a full payment of $200 each, and the certificate holders of shares not yet matured. The former have made a legal demand for their money, and the latter have got out an injunction from a New Hampshire Court procured last Saturday by Col. Henry B. Hayes who went to Manchester for that purpose. The writ of injunction was served on the officers of the Company late on Saturday evening by Deputy Sheriff Capt. John E. Tidd of this city and a hearing will be had on it to-morrow at Manchester, N. H., and on the decision there rendered will, it is presumed, depend the future action of the officers. If all stories are true the position in which the officers find themselves is far from being an enviable one, for no matter what course they may pursue one side or the other is bound to hold them responsible and get back their money if there is any law that will enable them to do so. If the Treasurer pays over the $200 apiece to the 6 matured certificate-holders, as by the charter of the Company (obtained under the laws of New Hampshire by citizens of Massachusetts) they are bound to do, then the other and less fortunate holders will sue the officers (so it is said) and compel them to disgorge if there is any legal way of doing it. So, on the other hand, if the officers refuse to pay the $200 to each of the matured certificate-holders, whether restrained by a decision of the New Hampshire court before which the hearing is to be held to-morrow or not, then suits will follow against the officers. It is a muddle of considerable dimensions and bids fair to prove an expensive one all round. No one claims or insinuates that the officers are not entirely honest and desire to do just what is right in the premises.

— The severest snow storm that has visited this part of New England for a great many years set in about 4 o'clock on last Wednesday morning and continued without intermission and in the most furious manner until near 2 o'clock yesterday morning. During that period of 24 hours 15 inches of damp, heavy snow fell on a level, which body would have made a depth of at least 4 feet had it been of the usual light weight and feathery. It was about the heaviest article of snow that we ever saw anybody try to shovel and it stuck to everything it touched like pitch. A pretty stiff gale blew all the time. The street car people had a siege of it during the whole 24 hours and at times it looked as though they would have to give up the fight. But they stuck her out and won the battle at last. Snow-plows drawn by 4 and 6 horses were industriously worked on both lines all the while the storm lasted and by this means the tracks were kept open and trips were made all day although sometimes they were a bit irregular. But Superintendents Sewell and Wentworth did well and were entitled to much praise for keeping their lines open as well as they did. The railroad trains made tolerable good time until towards night when they began to lag behind and by the time the last one from Boston was due here (11.30 p. m.) they appeared to have been a good deal rattled. Several times in the evening trains got stalled at the Church Ave. crossing, and even big old "Pegasus," gateman Brown's favorite locomotive, had to "back and fid" a good many times before she conquered the drifts there and succeeded in getting a final sendoff for Boston. There was but very little going about the streets in sleighs, and as little as possible on foot. The storm was too severe for outdoor recreations, and business was very nearly or quite suspended. "The Oldest Inhabitant" says it has been a good while, according to his memory, since a snow storm of such severity occurred in these parts and during which so much snow fell. On yesterday morning the Shovel Brigade went to work and they had a busy day of it.

Change in an Old Mercantile Firm.

The name of G. R. Gage & Co., Merchant Tailors, has been a familiar one in Woburn for the last 25 years. The firm was composed of Mr. Gawin R. Gage and Mr. Frederic A. Flint who would probably have remained together much longer but for the state of Mr. Gage's health. It has always maintained a high standing in mercantile circles and enjoyed an enviable popularity at home.

Mr. Gage was a New Hampshire boy. He came to Woburn 50 years ago and went to work for Tallman Seeley, father of the late Montresser S. Seeley, as a journeyman tailor. In 1842 he and Mr. James L. Fowle bought out Mr. Seeley; the firm was Gage & Fowle, and by them the business was carried on until 1853, when the partnership was dissolved. Mr. Gage prosecuted the business alone very successfully until Oct. 1, 1866, when Mr. Frederic A. Flint, who had been for some time a clerk and salesman in the store, formed a copartnership with him, which union has continued up to Feb. 13 ult. when it was dissolved by mutual consent.

The house has been a leading one in this part of Middlesex county for many years. Carefully and liberally conducted it has always been a prosperous house, and at no period during the 25 years of its existence has it ever been more so than during the last twelvemonth. Under Mr. Flint's sole management it will no doubt continue to flourish.

Mr. James L. Fowle, mentioned above, has continued in the employ of Mr. Gage and G. R. Gage & Co., ever since their dissolution in 1853, and Mr. Atwood, who has been with the firm several years, is very popular with the young men of our city who stick for the most fashionably cut and best made suits.

Go and Hear Dixon.

"The typical Southerner, born comedian, and genuine dramatist."

Have you heard Dixon? Haven't? Well, go and hear him on March 9, in the Congregational Church. Rev. Thomas Dixon comes the second time to our city by invitation of the Young Men's Missionary Club. His lecture on "Backbone" delivered last year in the Y. M. C. A. course was an introduction to our people not to be forgotten. He has the largest Sabbath audience that assembles regularly in New York City. The building cannot hold the crowds that struggle to hear him.

The lecture on "Fools" is divided under eight heads, and the wisest Fools have been made wiser by listening to Mr. Dixon's fun, language, imagination, passion and ridicule. He is positively the most interesting lecturer of the forum in our time.

Change your plans in some way, so as to be sure to hear him March 9.—X.

All Others Fall Short.

None can imitate Shakespeare or Milton with success; Edison has no duplicate on earth; American push and individuality have no peer. In other words there are things in this world that cannot be successfully counterfeited. And among them must be counted Brussels soap. Though destined to work about the dirt of earth, yet there it fulfils its mission to perfection and with ease. It's economical.

City Finances.

The Joint Standing Committee on Finance submit the following estimate of amount of money necessary to be raised the ensuing financial year; City of Woburn, in Common Council, February 28, 1891. Order laying a specific tax.

Ordered,—That for the purpose of defraying the current expenses of the city of Woburn for the year 1891, the following named sums of money be and they are hereby respectively appropriated to the accounts and for the objects and purposes as hereinafter stated and explained, that is to say:

ESTIMATE OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

	DEPARTMENT.	Appropriation to be raised by taxation.
1.	Abatements and Overlayings,	
2.	Almshouse,	$3,539 93
3.	Armory,	
4.	Election Expenses,	895 65
5.	Fire,	9,000 00
6.	Gravel Lots,	
7.	Health,	
8.	Highways,	13,000 00
9.	Lockup,	
10.	Memorial Day,	100 00
11.	Military Aid Ch. 279 Acts 1889, city,	450 12
12.	Miscellaneous Department,	
13.	Municipal Building,	946 68
14.	Outside Relief,	2,996 98
15.	Police,	6,492 28
16.	Printing and Stationery,	1,726 03
17.	Repairs on Public Buildings,	780 94
18.	Salaries,	5,820 05
19.	Schools—Evening,	616 02
20.	Schools—New Highland Building,	
21.	Schools—Incidentals,	1,500 00
22.	Schools—Instruction, Fuel and Care of Rooms,	36,500 00
23.	Schools—Text Books,	1,762 81
24.	Soldiers Relief, Ch. 447, Acts 1890,	271 81
25.	Street Lights,	6,747 42
26.	Support of Criminals,	
27.	Support of Insane,	1,579 41
28.	Ventilation Union St. Schoolhouse,	
29.	Water Works Construction,	1,250 00
30.	Woburn Public Library,	1,696 67
		$96,622 68

And it is hereby provided and ordered,—That the unexpended balances above set forth amounting to $15,890.39 and the dog tax amounting to $1,281.20 hereby are applied towards the payment of the appropriations above enumerated.

And it is further ordered, that the balance of appropriations herein enumerated, amounting to $96,622 68, together with the amounts required by law to be raised on account of the city debt, namely:

For Sinking Fund of 1874,		$8,500 00
For Sinking Fund of 1881-2, Municipal,		800 00
For Water Loan of 1886,		2,000 00
For Municipal Loan of 1883,		4,000 00
For Municipal Loan of 1886,		1,250 00
For Municipal Loan of 1887,		6,266 67
For Municipal Loan of 1888,		2,000 00
For Interest on Municipal Debt,		4,250 00
For Interest on Water Debt, (Hydrant Service),		6,160 00
For Public Park Loan,		700 00
For Conduit Loan,		600 00
For Highland Schoolhouse Loan,		1,400 00
		$37,926 67

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION.		Total Appropriation.
Unexpended balance of	$302 81	$ 302 81
Unexpended balance of	210 17	3,750 00
Unexpended balance of	44 60	44 60
Unexpended balance of	4 35	900 00
Unexpended balance of	557 82	
and from Mis. Dept.,	1,000 00	10,557 82
Unexpended balance	115 25	115 25
Unex. bal. of $82.99 and from Mis. Dept.,	517 01	600 00
Unexpended balance of	506 37	
and from Mis. Dept.,	1,493 63	15,000 00
Unex. bal. of $50.93 and from Unex. bal of Armory Department,	200 00	250 93
Unex. bal. of $9.38 and from Unex. bal. of Abatements and Overlayings,	290 62	400 00
Unexpended balance of	40 99	500 00
Unexpended balance of	121 57	121 57
Unexpended balance of	53 32	1,000 00
Unex. bal. of $2.00 and from Mis. Dept.,	1,000 00	4,000 00
Unexpended balance of	207 72	6,700 00
Unexpended balance of	23 97	1,750 00
Unexpended balance of	419 06	1,200 00
Unexpended balance of	1,179 97	7,000 00
Unexpended balance of	133 98	650 00
Unexpended balance of	7,787 05	7,787 05
Unexpended balance of	12 39	1,512 39
Unexpended balance of	289 40	36,789 40
Unexpended balance of	37 19	1,800 00
Unexpended balance of	128 19	700 00
Unexpended balance of	292 58	7,000 00
Unexpended balance of	201 89	201 89
Unex. bal. of $420,59 and from Mis. Dept.,	1,500 00	3,500 00
Unexpended balance	1,390 00	1,390 00
Unex. bal. of $47.78 and from unexpended balance of Water Works Reservoir Main,	755 55	2,500 00
From Miscellaneous Dept. and Dog Tax of	1,800 00 1,281 26	3,081 20
		$121,104 91

And also the sums which will be required as the City's proportion of State and County taxes, be raised on the Polls, Property and Estates taxable in the City, according to the provisions of law.

And it is further ordered, that the sum of $30.57, being the unexpended balance to the credit of the Department of interest on Municipal debt at the close of the last fiscal year, be placed to the credit of that department.

And it is further ordered, that the receipts of each department be placed to the credit of their respective accounts, and be considered and used as part of the annual appropriation and that the bank and corporation tax when received from the State be placed to the credit of the Miscellaneous Department.

And it is further ordered, that interest at the rate of six per cent per annum shall be charged from the fifteenth day of October, 1891, upon all taxes to be assessed the present year, remaining unpaid on that date, and until the same shall have been paid.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

This branch of the City Council held a meeting last Thursday evening week at which considerable important business was done.

Wilbur E. Cummings and others petitioned for an electric light on Main street, between Warren and Hudson streets. Referred.——The resignation of Dr. John M Harlow as a member of the Cemetery Commission was accepted.——Ordered, that an arc electric light be placed on Salem street, opposite Winn Park, and that the incandescent lamps be removed.——The order of the Aldermen making the pay of the police $850 per annum was concurred in by the following vote:

Yeas—Cutler, O'Donnell, Weafer, Kendrick, McAvoy, Waldron.

Nays—Bowers, Larkin, Littlefield, Simonds, Hanson.

The order making the annual appropriations was read, when Councilman Cutler moved to increase the police item $1200, stating that an extra officer was to be appointed and it would become necessary. Councilman O'Donnell said the matter of increasing the pay of all the police had not been considered and he favored it being sent back to the committee, and it was so voted. The rest of the appropriation Order was passed.

Thomas D. Hevey was chosen Overseer of the Poor, receiving 10 votes to one for C. A. Jones.——C. A. Jones was chosen Cemetery Commissioner for five years, receiving six votes to five for F. M. Pushee.——Four ballots were taken for City Solicitor, the last one electing John Warren Johnson, receiving six votes, Francis P. Curran four, and Charles D. Adams one, thus non-concurring with the upper branch.——The order referring the item regarding police back to the committee was reconsidered and then passed.——The following assistant Assessors were chosen in concurrence: John Lynch, Dennis D. Begley, J. Fred Leslie, James Cogan, B. Frank Kimball, Franklin Flint, while Edward C. Collamore in Ward 2 was chosen in nonconcurrence, the Aldermen having chosen James Dolan.

A Card.

The Co-partnership which has existed for nearly twenty-five years between G. R. Gage and myself having been dissolved, I desire to express gratitude to the citizens of Woburn and vicinity for the interest they have manifested in the past, and wish to assure them that I shall continue to keep abreast of the times (furnishing the best goods at fair prices) and solicit a continuance of patronage from old friends, and orders from a large number of the general public.

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(For the Woburn Journal.)

Among the Books.

The last two months have witnessed a lively call for books at the beautiful stone building, 12,963 volumes having been issued during this time, and on Saturday, Feb. 28, nearly 600 books were sent to the homes throughout the city. Of the new books added:

"The New Senior at Andover," by Herbert D. Ward, is a story of school life with its interests, hopes and ambitions. The hero is an ideal one in his sturdy and manly qualities, his high conceptions of duty, and his persistence in overcoming obstacles. It will not fail to be read with great profit by all boys, especially those who are making a struggle for an education against adverse circumstances.

"Inside the White House in War Times" is the title of a book by William O. Stoddard, Private Secretary to President Lincoln from 1861-1864. His position made him acquainted with much that was unknown to the world at large and gave him opportunities of seeing behind the scenes and estimating the influences that were at work shaping the course of the administration. It is principally with the details of the White House business life that Mr. Stoddard deals, but one gets glimpses into Lincoln's life and ways which present him in a very interesting and pleasing light and tend to ennoble his character.

"Life of Petrach" by May Alden Ward who, it will be remembered, received much favorable notice a few months since for her life of Dante. The Author says that Petrach will always be associated in the mind of the student as the apostle of Culture, the instigator of the revival of Letters, and the precursor of the Renaissance. It was he who first saw the value of public libraries and took steps to found one. He urged and entreated his countrymen to preserve their ancient ruins as reminders of the past and as aids in the study of history. He was greatly interested in collecting manuscripts, of recovering the lost treasures of classic literature from the monastic libraries in which they were buried; in fact, Petrach is the first instance in the modern world of a genuine man of letters, a devotee of literature for its own sake. He lived in the past rather than in the present, being more familiar with ancient Rome than with the Rome of his day. Livy, Seneca and Cicero were his constant companions. "Every day he studied the inscriptions on the marbles with which Rome abounded." "Where are now these great men?' he was often heard to exclaim; "would that I could have lived when such men did." His title to fame rests chiefly on his Latin writings. He wrote: "Freedom is an uncertain possession, for there is no real freedom except in the grave. Nobility of birth is not a blessing, for true nobility cannot be inherited, it comes only from ones own deeds."

One of the most charming books that has recently appeared is Mrs. Oliphant's "Royal Edinburgh." The first part is devoted to Margaret of Scotland and is an exquisite portraiture of this saintly woman, whose influence on Scotish life and character has come down through all these centuries. The Stewarts of Scotland and the five Jameses are described in the second part. The volume is a graphic sketch of the growth of Edinburgh and its romantic history, portraying vividly the men and women who for 500 years lived and acted on its stage.

"Anne Bradstreet and Her Time," by Helen Campbell, is a book that claims the careful attention of readers, being the history of the first woman whose work has come down to us from that troublous Colonial time, and who, "if not the mother, is at least the grandmother of American literature," in that her direct descendants number some of our most distinguished men of letters. The direct ancestress of the Danas, of Dr. O. W. Holmes, Wendell Phillips, and the Channings, Anne Bradstreet stands alone and is represented only by a volume of moral reflections, and the often stilted and unnatural verse, but she tells the story of a woman whose conditions in life hindered and hampered her complete development, but who in the midst of obstacles spoke such words as her limitations allowed.

"Records of Later Life" by Frances Ann Kemble is the third volume of her autobiography and is full of interest in matters pertaining to England and this country. Born in England in the early part of the century of German parentage she often refers to the delightful home of her grandmother where could be seen the great Jungfrau range of the Alps, and she often wondered in later life if it were not the blood in her veins that made her always love and long for these supremely beautiful mountains. Her long experience of life in America with an English woman's ideas of duties and occupations are all pleasantly referred to. Her impressions of America; the homes and peculiarities of the people; her confidence in this grand experiment of free government; and her letters referring to her acquaintance with the prominent men of her time, are well worth reading.

"A Woman's Trip to Alaska" by Mrs. General Collis is finely illustrated, while the mountain-walled channels of British Columbia, the ocean canyons of the Sitkan Archipelago, the snow peaks of the beautiful Fair Weather range, the gigantic and appalling Muir Glacier, are vividly described.

"The Light of Asia" by Sir Edwin Arnold is now followed by "The Light of the World." From the higher significance of its subject, the greater power and reverence of its handling, it will be read more widely by all lovers of English verse. It was much to have written "The Light of Asia": it was infinitely more to have written "The Light of the World."—E. F. P.

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A Good Suggestion.

WOBURN, February 28, 1891.

WOBURN JOURNAL: As there are in your city many able expounders of the Scriptures, those who are

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— AND —

LACE EDGES.

Our annual sale of Hamburgs and Lace Edges. We have on our counters one of the finest lines of Hamburg Edgings and insertions ever shown in this city, in a large variety of widths, qualities and prices.

LACE EDGES.

Have just recieved a large assortment of lace edges a special feature of which are Edges varying from one to eight inches in width, at only five cents per yard.

It would well pay our patrons and others to call and look these goods over.

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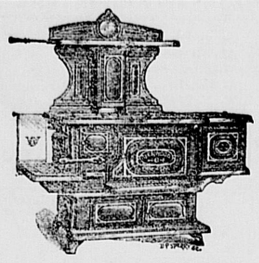

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Abstract of a Sermon

Delivered by the Pastor, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, in the M. E. Church, Woburn, Sunday, Mar. 1, 1891, before a Body of visiting Odd Fellows.

Any body of men or women that draws closer the ties of mutual sympathy and strengthens the bonds of brotherhood between man and man, is not only worthy of approbation out of admiration. I have learned such is the object of Odd Fellowship.

We learn that "as members of one great family, we feel a deep interest in the well being of each other, and are bound by all means to promote it."

"Is a brother in need of our counsel? He gets such as we can give."

"Has Poverty laid her hand upon him? He comes to us with the assurance that he will not be sent empty away."

"Has sickness laid him on a bed of pain? Brotherhood stands by to the last. If a stranger they provide for his burial; his widow and orphan children are cared for."

As Odd Fellows they promise to revere the name of Almighty God and never to pronounce it except with that reverence due from a creature to his Creator. They regard His Holy Word as the only guide which points out the path to happiness and peace. Again we read, "Our order is the hand-maid of virtue and religion." They are instructed to avoid intemperance, and to do unto others as they would wish them to do unto them.

Let "Union be our motto; and Onward our watch-word. Let virtue be our defence and friendship our aim." Friendship, Love and Truth; on these pillars rests the order. It does not interfere with a man's religion or politics. Their favorite passage of Scripture is the parable of the Good Samaritan. Luke 10 30-37. The same Bible is the foundation of this order; they look at it as the test of truth, the fountain of peace, the source of blessedness. Newton says:

> Precious Bible! what a treasure
> Does the word of God afford!
> All I want for life or pleasure,
> Food and medicine, shield and sword;
> Let the world account me poor,
> Having this I need no more.

Sir Isaac Newton said: "We account the Scriptures of God the most sublime philosophy." So this order take the Book as their chart. II Pet. 1-16: "For we have not followed cunningly devised fables."

You as Odd Fellows have taken this Book as your guide. You believe it must be hid in the heart as seed in the ground, as leaven in the meal, as treasure in the cabinet, as the soul in the body. You have taught that this book is a directory, showing the evil to be avoided, and the requirements of God. You have been taught to believe that God's works are perfect. That whatever methods of thought may be put forth, still without a revelation it can neither know truly of God, or his will concerning his creatures.

You admit that a man may expand his powers and increase his knowledge by its study; he may form some estimate of the greatness and grandeur of the Deity; some ideas of his power, wisdom and goodness; but he can learn nothing as to his moral character, or his infinite counsel and will. He can learn nothing of the law of morals, or of duty, of disobedience, of rewards, or of punishment; nothing as to man's immortality and responsibility. Hence the founder of this Order believed that man without divine assistance can never find out God, or attain to the knowledge of his will. The fathers and brothers of this Order found that where a revelation has not been enjoyed the people were poor and ignorant. More than five thousand years has surely been sufficient to test the ability of the human mind to discover the Supreme Being and a knowledge of his will concerning mankind.

The metaphysicians of the East, the priests of China, at this day have not taken a step beyond the ancients as to moral knowledge. They knew this did not come by learning. The Philosophers of old were learned yet royally benighted. The character and mind of God form a part of no language, or system of metaphysics, or mathematics. It is to be met in no scheme of jurisprudence, or legislation. The wisdom of the world, however profound and extensive or sublime, does not involve the knowledge of God and his will. Athens was the seat of science, yet her streets were crowded with false gods.

The Odd Fellows came to the conclusion that if man is to know ought of God correctly; or if he is to know himself and his destination; it must be revealed to him by God.

And this is why they have taken the Bible for their guide. The Bible must be one of two things: either an invention of good men or good angels; of bad men or bad angels; or a revelation from God. But it could not be the invention of good men or angels for they could not make a book of lies, saying "thus saith the Lord" when it was their invention. It could not be the invention of wicked men or devils, for they could not make a book which commands duty, which forbids sin. There is only one conclusion: the Bible is God's Book.

The Bible was written in fragments during fifteen centuries, in different languages, by persons of opposite tempers, talent, learned and unlearned, prince and peasant, bond and free. Yet its authors are not found contradicting one another but are at harmony in their sublime scheme. St. Peter denies that he is following cunningly devised fables. Peter was the leader of the apostolic band and knew all the facts in the case. He is a good witness.

The enemies of the Bible have asserted that it is not God's book. Any foolish person can do that, and the Bible itself predicts that it should experience this treatment from those who did not know God. Again we find in the Bible an interesting variety. This is well illustrated by Mrs. Ellis, in the following eloquent extract from her recent work entitled the "Poetry of Life." She says, "From the worm that grovels in the dust beneath our feet, to the track of the leviathan in the foaming deep; from the moth that corrupts the secret treasure, to the eagle that soars above his eyrie in the clouds; from the wild ass in the desert, to the lamb within the shepherd's fold; from the consuming locust, to the cattle upon a thousand hills; from the rose of Sharon, to the cedar of Lebanon; from the crystal stream gushing forth out of the flinty rock, to the wide waters of the deluge; from the lonely path of the wanderer, to the gathering of a mighty multitude; from the tear that falls in secret, to the din of battle and the shout of a triumphant host; from the solitary in the wilderness, to the seraph on the throne; from the mourner clad in sackcloth to the prince in purple robes; from the gnawing of the worm that dieth not, to the seraphic visions of the blest; from the still voice, to the thunders of omnipotence; from the depths of hell, to the regions of eternal glory."

There is no condition of man, no thirst for excellence that is not met with its full supply in the Bible. Why do Odd Fellows take the Bible as their guide? Because it introduces man to God, not the Pagan's polluted fancy, but the one infinite intelligence whose hand guides every star and opens every bud; whose breath is like the roar of the mountain storm and the sigh of the quiet sea; who follows the wandering prodigal and watches the infant's pillow, while he marshals the ranks of angels and orders the worlds on high; who hath revealed himself in Jesus and made an atonement for sin, thus bridging the gulf between himself and man.

While this Order believe that the truths in the Bible are the same yesterday, to-day and forever, they believe that every revolving moment presents it in some new aspect and unfolds its burning glory. Every struggle of a redeemed soul, and every flutter of the pinions of a saved and ascending spirit in heaven's eternal sunlight, makes this great truth a more deep, glorious, and interesting mystery. A spiritual knowledge of this blessed Book will fit a man for deepest suffering, or highest achievements of humanity. Answer, ye heathens in bondage, ye martyrs in fire. So you are not following cunningly devised fables.

By the Scriptures we mean all the books of the Old and New Testament. These books cover a period of more than four thousand years, from the creation to sixty years after the ascension of our Saviour. The Word of God is a rule of faith and life. We need know no more. It is full, all sufficient; a rule for every station, class, condition in life. We do not believe this Book is for a particular class, but for all; for priest and people. It is the guide from earth to heaven. It is translated into 250 different languages, and accessible to all. The Apostle thus ready to lay down his life, was conscious that he and other ministers of Christ had not followed fables, devised for the purpose of soothing men's passions and gratifying their depraved hearts.

We do not deny that good morals were taught by ancient moralists in fairy tales, inculcated by pagan priests. Every religion among the heathen, Hindooism, Buddhism, Mohammedanism, had fables, but they have no proof that the events ever took place; they depend solely on the authority of the writer. But the authority of the Bible is supported by evidence. Pagan writers have established most of the events stated in the Old Testament. The facts of the New Testament can be proved with equal certainty with the landing of Julius Cæsar on the shore of Britain. The events of paganism are without dates; but the year and often the day of the occurrences of the Bible is given with exactness.

Mohammedanism is one of the most intelligent sects, yet the things in it would be laughed at by the children of our Sabbath Schools. In the Koran the contradictions are endless. Mohammed insisted that the last revelation was the truth. The fables were many of them impure. Not one contains a sound morality; many of them so gross that missionaries would not dare to translate them.

The Bible! Holy, high, unrivalled in purity of speech and thought. The fables gave no clear views of the way of salvation or of a future state. All was dark, confused, contradictory, no comfort, no good hope. The Bible is the chart of life, the revelation of God's salvation. And that is the reason that the fathers of this ancient order of Odd Fellows have taken the Bible for their guide.

Be thankful for the Scriptures, every day, every hour; rightly use them; read and meditate. Follow them as a body of Odd Fellows, then asa body you will be wise, holy, benevolent, happy, and fitted for life, death and eternity.

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Entertainment by Pupils.

The pupils of Miss Stella M. Haynes's School of Elocution, at No. 492 Main street, gave a pleasing entertainment in Horticultural Hall last evening. The programme was well arranged, and was listened to with much interest by the large number present. The selections were given in a manner that showed the careful and thorough training each pupil has received. Millocker's "Gasparonne," by the Elberon Orchestra Club opened the exercises. Then Miss Edith M. Gould gave "Mrs. Middlerib's Letter." Miss Ada M. White gave "Buzzards' Point" in a manner that called forth much applause. It was expected that Mrs. E. H. Plaisted would contribute two songs, but she was unable to be present. Her place was taken by Mrs. J. F. Howells.

E. C. Stedman's "Country Sleighing" was given by Miss Ella H. Plaisted. Mrs. Hattie E. Price gave with much dramatic ability Mark Twain's "How Tom Sawyer got his fence whitewashed." On a hearty encore, Mrs. Price gave "The interview."

After the cornet song, "Golden Shore," by the Elberon Orchestra, the first instalment of the marching, posings and tableaux was given by Miss Ida E. Fitch, Miss Ella H. Plaisted, Miss Effie C. Walsh, Miss Edith M. Gould, Miss Ada M. White, Mrs. Hattie E. Price and Mrs. W. A. Newgent. Each participant was dressed in a beautiful white Grecian costume. Following each other in rapid succession, the effect being that of living statuary. The several movements were made upon the platform without the aid of a curtain, and with musical accompaniment. The whole, being lighted by the calcium light, made a very effective and pleasing entertainment.

"Hallowed be Thy Name," "Rock of Ages," were among the tableaux that were especially well received. This part of the entertainment was one of the features of the evening.

The second hearty encore was given Miss Olive Hewitt in James Whitcomb Riley's "Elf Child." "Lulu's Complaint" was given as a response. J. J. Shea deserves much praise for the dramatic presentation of "Swore Off." He possesses much skill in this direction. Mrs. Howells gave Trotere's song, "In Old Madrid." There was another delightful appearance of the class in posings. De Berri's concert galop, "12 o'clock," closed the evening's entertainment.—*Worcester Evening Gazette, Feb.* 21.

Miss Haynes, by whom the above entertainment was conducted, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Haynes of Pleasant street, this city, and is an elocutionist of wide note and rare proficiency.

North Woburn.

Mr. Herman F. Page is confined to his home with a very severe cold.

A sociable will be held in the vestry of the Congregational Church on next Friday afternoon and evening.

The monthly sociable of the Unitarian society was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Tidd on last Wednesday evening, March 4th.

Be sure and attend the entertainment to be given by the Good Will Club in the Chapel on this, Friday, evening. The proceeds to be used in purchasing new books for the library connected with the Sunday Schools. Every one should be on hand and help to encourage the Club in their good work.

Mr. Charles W. Newton has gone to Marlborough, where he has charge of one of the stitching rooms in a large shoe factory. If his stay is permanent we shall lose one of our best citizens, which goes to show that there is not enough business in this village to support its people. Some new enterprise is needed.

Burlington.

The annual Town Meeting will be held March 16.

The Sunday School are making preparations for an Easter Concert.

Rev. Mr. Allen of Andover preached an excellent sermon at the church Sunday morning, and also conducted the evening service. Our church-going friends must not forget that the time of service has been changed from afternoon to half past ten o'clock in the morning.

In the diary of Rev. John Marrett for 1791 we find some notes on the weather a hundred years ago, which may be interesting to the readers of the JOURNAL:

Jan. 1, he writes: "Last night and to-day a great snow storm, wind north, very cold, ye snow deep and drifted—ye year come in like a Lion."

On the next day, Sunday, Jan. 2, he records: "Fair and pleasant, preached Dorni [at home]. But one exercise, very thin meeting, went to meeting on rackets. Snow Deep and Drifted."

Some "fair and moderate" weather followed. On the fifth of the month it was "lowery and moderate;" on the seventh "lowery and moderate and thawing." More storms of snow and hail followed. On the seventeenth day he records "a Severe and Blustering Snow Storm."

Feb. 17, he writes: "Last night and to-day ye Coldest this winter."

On the next Sunday he describes the meeting as "thin."

Feb. 28, there was "a great thaw."

April 3, he writes: "Had in ye morning a fair and full view of a total Eclipse of ye Sun."

The spring of 1791 seems to have been rather forward.

April 19, Mr. Marrett "Sowed flax, barley and oats, onions and parsnips."

May 2, he "Put Cows into Meadow."

May 7, he "planted most of ye Corn."

May 10, he "finished planting potatoes and Sauce Beans."

May 18, he writes: "Apple trees in their full Blossom."

"Chipman's Liver Pills the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.'

Postponed.

The Fair in aid of the Home for Aged Women which has always been held Fast Day, has for this year been postponed to Wednesday and Thursday, the 15th and 16th of April, and will be held in Dow's Block.

This change of place will enable the ladies to serve the supper on the same floor with the bazaar and the ice cream table, a much more convenient arrangement.

The change of date is caused by the engagement of all the halls Fast Day. —X.

Literary Notices.

OUR LITTLE ONES, published by the Russell Pub. Co. of Boston, is one of the very best of the juvenile magazines in this country. The March number of it is as pretty as a picture, and cannot but please immensely all well-regulated little ones that see it. Every page has a picture, and the stories and verses which they illustrate are prime.

WINCHESTER.

Mr. Thomas Spurr makes a very efficient and popular Town Treasurer.

The Unitarian Society are canvassing the question of a new church edifice, or an enlargement of the present one.

On the opening of the new rooms of the Y. M. C. A. which will take place in a week two, it is proposed to hold a grand reception and give an entertainment.

Within a year there will be a street or elevated railroad between Winchester and Arlington. The operations of the West Side Syndicate will make one or the other absolutely necessary.

Mr. Henry M. Pitt and Mrs. Henry Temple Brown will give a reading in Rangely Hall, Wednesday evening, March 11, commencing at 8 o'clock. After the reading there will be dancing until 12 o'clock.

The prospect for much building and considerable increase of population this coming season is encouraging. Winchester is fast becoming the most popular residence place in the vicinity of Boston.

Selectman Ayer will be elected this year "as sure as shooting." He is perfectly conversant with the affairs of the town and we haven't a man among us who could fill his shoes. Mr. Ayer is a very valuable officer for the interest of Winchester and I hope he will live a good many years to serve here in the capacity of Selectman and other public positions.

At a special Town Meeting held last Monday evening it was voted almost unanimously to use the Australian system of voting at the next annual Town Meeting, to be held this month, in pursuance to a recently enacted statue giving towns the right to decide for themselves whether they would adopt it or not. Mr. Henry F. Johnson, who is abreast of every real political, municipal or social reform, who steps to the music of progress, made a telling speech in favor of the Australian method of voting, and it was carried with hardly a dissenting voice

The Boston & Maine railroad is wide-awake to the interests of Winchester, and the accommodation at the present time are unequalled by any other town outside of Boston.—*Star.* Glad to hear it. Since Mr. Sanborn has filled the office of Superintendant of the Southern Division of the B. & M. Railroad not only Winchester but all the cities and towns on the lines under his management have fared well—much better than they did when his predecessor held sway. Mr. Sanborn is an able railroad man, and not only that, but he is disposed to use the patrons of the road fairly and liberally.

Mrs. Lucy F. Hill, wife of the late Jonathan Hill, who died in Woburn last Sunday morning at the age of 73 years and 13 days, was the last of the eight daughters of Capt. Josiah Locke, who was drowned Aug. 21st, 1818, in the 39th year of his age. Capt. Locke was a resident of the westerly part of this town where he was born Dec. 23, 1779.—*Star.* The Lockes have been an influential family here from early times. The members in each generations were held in high esteem, and they were connected by marriage with many other leading families, some of whom now and always have had their homes on or around "Locke's Hill," in the western part of this town. The Lockes have been people of great integrity of character and always commanded the confidence and respect of their fellow citizens.

Boarder:—"Mrs. Toughsteak, I shall send the expressman after my collar box and cane." Landlady:—"What are you leaving us for, Mr. Slim?" Boarder:—"Because you have replaced the Brussels soap that was in my room with that of inferior grade."

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Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

WOBURN, March 3, 1891.

Taken on execution and will be sold at public auction, at my office, No. 424 Main street, in said Woburn, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, and interest, liable to be taken on execution, that Charles M. Wendall, of said Woburn, had on the 3d day of February, A. D. 1890, that being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, with the building thereon, to wit:—A certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County, with the buildings thereon, on the northerly side of a private way leading out of Beach street and bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at a stake and stones at said private way; thence the line runs easterly, on and by said private way, about ten rods to a wall at land formerly of John Nelson; thence northerly by land last named by the wall to land belonging to the City of Woburn; thence westerly by land last named about ten rods to another stake and stones at land supposed to belong to one Woodland; thence southerly by land last named about twenty-seven rods to the bound first mentioned; containing about one and one-half acres, more or less.

Also, at the same time and place, all the right, title, and interest that the said Charles M. Wendall had on the said 3d day of February, liable to be taken on execution, in and to the following described real estate with the buildings thereon, to wit:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Charles street, and bounded as follows, namely:—Southerly by said Charles street; easterly by land of Simeon Weymouth; northerly by land of said Weymouth, and by land formerly of Alfred G. Carter; westerly by land formerly of one Thurston.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

LECTURE

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE

Friday Night Club,

— AT THE —

Unitarian Church,

— ON —

Friday Evening, Mar. 13, at 7.45 O'clock,

— BY —

Rabbi Solomon Schindler,

Subject: "WHY I AM A JEW."

Admission, - - 15 Cents.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of Hannah Chamberlain late of Woburn in the County of Middlesex, Massachusetts, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Exec.

Woburn, Mass., Feb. 24, 1891.

NOTICE TO

LAWYERS.

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Miss M. Emma Fosdick has the pleasure to announce that she will give her second annual concert on

Thursday Eve'ng, March 19, '91.

ASSISTED BY THE FOLLOWING ARTISTS:

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Miss MERTENA L. BANCROFT, Accompanist.

Together with Banjo and Guitar Orchestra of 25 pieces, Quartette, Duett, Solos and Giutar Orchestra.

The above talent will offer one of the most attractive and select entertainments given in Woburn this season.

Admission 25 Cents,
Reserved Seats 35 "

Tickets will be for sale at C. H. Buss's Drug Store, commencing at 7 o'clock.

Tuesday Eve'ng, March 3,

where a plan of the Hall can be seen.

Secure your ticket early to prevent disappointment.

Doors Open at 7.15. Concert Commences at 7.45.

404 Main St.,

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A meeting of the Shareholders will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on

Thursday, March 12,

at 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of nominating Officers and Auditors for the ensuing fiscal year.

A. W. WHITCHER, Secretary.

For Sale.

Valuable improvement property for investment, on the corner of Main and Richardson streets. House contains 9 rooms and in first-class repair. Also, Barn, Carriage and Greenhouses, Hennery, Shed, &c., &c., and about 40,000 feet of land, with frontage on Main street about 133 feet, Richardson street about 412 feet (no waste land), every foot of this valuable land available for building purposes; as an investment it is the best on that part of Main street for dwelling or business. The south part of Main street is fast becoming a business centre; such a chance is seldom offered. Anyone who desires an absolutely safe and profitable investment for the present, and one which holds forth such excellent prospects for increased future value are advised to look this estate over thoroughly. Terms easy.

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Corn, Sandy River,	12c.,	1.40 " "
Corn, Honey Drop,	14c.,	1.65 " "
Peas, Standard Marrowfats,	10c.,	1.20 " "
Peas, Booth's Marrowfats,	13c.,	1.50 " "
Succotash, Honey Drop,	14c.,	1.65 " "
Squash, Richardson's,	14c.,	1.65 " "
String Beans,	8c.,	.90 " "
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Peaches, California,	25c.,	2.85 " "
" "	35c.,	4.00 " "
Bartlett Pears, Richardson's,	30c.,	3.50 " "
Sliced Pineapple,	23c.,	2.65 " "
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Pres. Strawberries,	25c.,	3.00 " "
Blueberries,	14c.,	1.65 " "
White Cherries, California,	35c.,	4.00 " "
Apricots, California,	22c.,	2.60 " "
Apricots, Golden Gate,	30c.,	3.50 " "
Plums, California,	25c.,	2.85 " "
" Golden Gate,	30c.,	3.50 " "
Salmon, Alaska,	10c.,	1.20 " "
Salmon, Booth's,	15c.,	1.80 " "
Salmon Steak,	18c.,	2.10 " "

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, and all other Persons interested in the Estate of Mary Ann Carroll, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William L. Carroll who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Josiah Richardson late of Woburn in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Edwin Richardson.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lewis L. Whitney, the trustee under said will, has presented for allowance the fifteenth and final account of his trusteeship:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Mary A., Patrick H., and Catherine McGrath of Woburn, in said County, minors,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lawrence McGrath, the Guardian of said minors, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified, of his said wards for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Lowell, in said County on the third Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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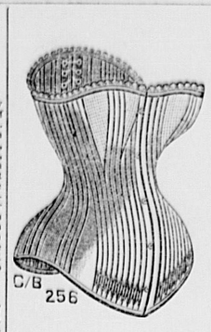

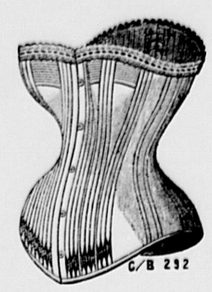

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NAAMAN IS HEALED.

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1. "Now Naaman, captain of the host of the king of Syria, was a great man with his master and honorable, because by him the Lord had given deliverance unto Syria."

"He was also a mighty man in valor, but he was a leper."

Gideon and Jephthah and others who served God are called men of valor (Judg. vi, 12; xi, 1; I Chron. xii, 8, 30), but so also was Jeroboam, who made Israel to sin (I Kings xi, 28). Some are men of valor or might for God, and some are valiant for the devil. May our song be, "Through God we shall do valiantly" (Ps. lx, 12; cviii, 13). What availed all Naaman's greatness since he was a leper? And what avails all the might of the world, with all its honor, if one is a sinner in the sight of God, and on the way to endless torment (Matt. xxv, 41, 46; Rev. xx, 15)?

2. "And the Syrians had gone out by companies, and had brought away captive out of the land of Israel a little maid; and she waited on Naaman's wife."

Let any little girl consider well the situation of this little maid, stolen from home, which was as much to her as home is to any child, and now a little slave in a far off land, with little if any prospect of seeing father and mother again; and yet she seems to be faithful in her new home under these hard circumstances. Let the boys consider Joseph, stolen from home by his own brethren and serving as a slave in Egypt; and yet we read four times in one chapter that the Lord was with him (Gen. xxxix, 2, 3, 21, 23).

3. "Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy."

Not only faithful as a servant, but faithful in testimony, and that for the benefit of her enemy, reminding us of Rom. v, 8, 10; Matt. v, 44; Rom. xii, 20, 21.

4. "And one went in and told his lord, saying, Thus and thus said the maid that is of the land of Israel."

The little girl's saying is being spread abroad. It has now reached his ears for whom it was intended. We have only to speak of Jesus as we have opportunity, and we may be sure that the message will in due time be owned of God. His word will not return to Him void (Isa. lv, 11).

5. "And the king of Syria said, Go to, go, and I will send a letter unto the king of Israel."

"And he departed, and took with him ten talents of silver and six thousand pieces of gold and ten changes of raiment."

6. "Behold I have sent Naaman, my servant, to thee, that thou mayest recover him of his leprosy."

Thus wrote the king of Syria to the king of Israel. The Lord who gave deliverance to Syria is not recognized. We cannot wonder at this if we consider the church of Christ today and see her reliance upon money and influence and the favor of this world, while He whose name she bears is comparatively unknown and unsought and unhonored.

7. "Am I God, to kill and to make alive, that this man doth send unto me to recover a man of his leprosy?"

Thus spake the king of Israel, when having read the letter he rent his clothes and fancied that Syria's king sought a quarrel with him. "Am I God?" reminds us of Jacob's angry words to his wife Rachel (Gen. xxx, 2), and killing and making alive reminds us of Deut. xxxii, 39, I Sam. ii, 6.

8. "Let him come now to me and he shall know that there is a prophet in Israel."

Thus spake the man of God when he heard that the king had rent his clothes.

9. "So Naaman came with his horses and with his chariot, and stood at the door of the house of Elisha."

A great and honorable and mighty man of this world stands in his majesty at the door of this poor and dependent servant of God. He is now in the right place, but not in the right spirit. He knows that he is a leper, that he has a deadly disease, and he has come a long journey seeking for health; but then he is no poor man; he does not come as a beggar; he is not like the leper of Matt. viii, nor the ten of Luke xvii. He is able to pay for his healing and he wants it done as to a great and mighty man. He is dealing with men and wants his position before men to be recognized. He does not know Luke xvi, 15.

10. "And Elisha sent a messenger unto him, saying, Go and wash in Jordan seven times, and thy flesh shall come again to thee, and thou shalt be clean."

What magnificent indifference to earth's potentates and earth's favors. What an opportunity to make a friend with great influence and obtain a great sum of money. But, like Abram before the king of Sodom, he is conscious that the possessor of heaven and earth is his friend, and he can afford to say concerning the king of Syria's gold and silver, "I will receive none."

11. "But Naaman was wroth, and went away and said, Behold, I thought" * * *

He wanted health, but he wanted it given in a style befitting his high position.

12. "Are not Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel?"

Here are some more of his thoughts: Syria is better than Israel, Damascus than Jerusalem, Abana and Pharpar than Jordan. It is a great humiliation for him, a Syrian, to come to Israel seeking any favor, and he does not want favors; he can pay for all he gets.

13. "My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldst thou not have done it?"

Thus reason his servants with him, showing more wisdom than their master, for "Great men are not always wise" (Job xxxii, 9); and they had him, too, as we say, for that was just the thought of his heart.

"How much rather then when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean?"

14. "Then went he down."

That is good, for every proud person must come down, and if they come willingly it will save God the trouble of bringing them down.

"And dipped himself seven times in Jordan, according to the saying of the man of God."

"And his flesh came again like unto the flesh of a little child, and he was clean."

Just as the man of God had said so it came to pass. It always has been, is and will be just as God says. There is nothing like the word of God, and on our part nothing like obedience. It is not some great thing we are to do to be clean, but just come as we are, and accept Jesus as God's gift to us, and He will do great things for us. Then, being clean, He will do great things in us and through us.

A remarkably handsome woman is said to be the moving spirit in a philanthropical movement in Russia to supply the poor of that country with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

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Fireworks were not known to antiquity. They are a modern invention. If ever the ancients employed fires at their festivals it was only for religious purposes.

Bright's Disease Lost Its Victim.

Mrs. Laura A. Kempton, of West Rutland, Vt., writes: "We are certain that only for Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., our little ten-year-old daughter would have been dead from Bright's Disease. We had tried in vain other means, but the Favorite Remedy came just in time to save her life."

The use of holly, in particular, dates back at least to the founding of the Roman saturnalia, for the plant was dedicated to Saturn and regarded as an emblem of peace and good will.

THE CROWS AND THE FARMER.

The farmhouse was cosy and sweet as could be;
The green fields and orchards were pleasant to see—
Then why, do you think, was the farmer so glum?
His good wife looked out, saying, "Why does he stand
Like a stock or a stone, with the hoe in his hand,
When it's supper time, quite, and the cows haven't come?"

The farmer stood thinking, "There's nobody knows
The life a poor farmer is led by the crows!
It's much if they leave me a morsel to eat.
'Twas the peaze, and the beans, and the oats, and the rye;
They didn't spare cherries enough for a pie,
And now I'll be blest if they're not at the wheat!

"And I really believe that before I am older
They will come to that scarecrow and light on his shoulder,
Or build them a nest in the crown of his hat!
If I live till to-morrow we'll some of us see—
I'll take the old gun and hide up in this tree.
I've buckshot enough; we'll try how they like that!"

How they liked it, however, he was not to see.
Though all the next morning he hid in the tree,
Not a crow was on hand, save one wary old scout,
Who crept through the bushes, flew close to the ground,
And took word to the flock, "The old gentleman's 'round
With a gun in his hand, and we'd better clear out!

"When he puts up a scarecrow we're certain at once,
And if we were not we should each be a dunce,
That there's lots of good eating and nothing to pay;
But a man with a gun's so unpleasant a sight
It destroys the most ravenous crow's appetite,
And when we're not hungry, pray why should we stay?"

—Margaret Vandegrift in St. Nicholas.

Virus of Indian Snakes.

A communication concerning the physiological action of the poison of the venomous snakes of India, presented to the Royal society, is a paper of exceptional interest. It contains an account of numerous experiments made upon small birds, cats, dogs, fowls, frogs, guinea pigs, pigeons and rabbits, with the virus of the cobra and that of the almost equally deadly viperine snake known as the daboia. These experiments were made in England, with poison sent thither from Bengal in a gum like condition, which preserves its potency. The idea that the venom is effective only when conveyed into the system through the blood is a mistake; it also acts when introduced by means of the stomach, although it is not then so certainly fatal.

When carried directly to the heart, as by the jugular vein, the poison arrests its action and causes almost instantaneous death. Death is more commonly produced, however, by the paralyzing effect of the poison upon the muscular apparatus, and the consequent check of respiration. It is a remarkable fact that while this snake poison acts injuriously upon so many forms of animal life, and to some extent even upon plant life, it is practically harmless as against venomous snakes themselves.

Disclosure of Invention.

The number of claimants of priority of invention in the Bell telephone suits, and in several other cases where important electrical interests were involved, has shown the necessity that the law on this subject should be very clearly defined, both for the prevention of future litigation and the protection of existing interests. It has been decided by the commissioner of patents that the mere statements of an applicant for a patent that he disclosed the invention is of no avail, either to constitute evidence of disclosure or to impart sufficiency to a statement of facts in themselves inadequate, unless he states by what agency the disclosure was made and the details of which it consisted. Sketches and models should be produced, if possible, or else reproduced from memory. If verbal disclosures are relied upon, the language is to be stated as nearly as possible.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Faithful to His Trust.

G. R. French, of Cornville, went to help a neighbor plow, taking with him a double harness and allowing the dog to follow. The harness was not used, but thrown down in a shed. The dog, thinking it his duty to guard it, lay and watched it for two days and two nights without food, and would not leave until the owner went and took the harness. This dog should be named Cassabianca.—Somerset (Me.) Reporter.

Among the bootblacks of Washington is a colored man who has lost his right arm and right leg, but single handed he polishes boots with neatness and dispatch, and he has a good stand and a fair run of trade. It was a railroad train that took off his arm and leg. Of course he would prefer to have the full number of arms and legs, but he takes a cheerful view of life, works manfully and is grateful that his life was spared.

A prominent coal miner of Elmwood, Ills., testifies to the value of electricity in its application to certain work in mines, which, he says, cannot be overestimated. The operating expenses in the driving of the pump alone were reduced to a remarkable extent, the expenditure being $300, as compared with the $1,200 entailed by operation by steam power.

The three golden balls, or more properly pills, were the coat of arms of the Medici family, the great Lombardy money lenders. Pawnbrokers, in carrying on the same business, assumed the Medici shield. The three golden balls also form the emblem of St. Nicholas.

It is said that to drink sweet milk after eating onions will purify the breath so that no odor will remain. A cupful of strong coffee is also recommended.

There are growing on a farm in San Antonio, Cal, two large fig trees that are as old as the State. They are thirty feet in height, have a very large spread and are marvels of productiveness. It is thought they will yield 1,000 pounds of fruit each.

When a loon sees anything bright—a red scarf, or looking glass, or a lantern at night—he swims towards it and wants it. He could not do anything with it if he had it, only to spoil it—but he wants it all the same.

The ups and downs of impecunious nobility are seldom better illustrated than in the case of Count Sackendorf, who is now conductor of an elevator in a Cincinnati hotel.

A new financial term coined by the mathematicians of the Berlin University is "Vereinsligenthumsverwaltungsdurchsichtsausschuss."

A PHILANTHROPIC LETTER CARRIER.

By Far the Most Popular Man in His District, at Least Among the Cats.

The day was closing damp and cold over Postal District "G," and a young lady was shivering as she waited for the letter carrier at the half open door of a handsome house in West Twentieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Presently she saw him crossing from the opposite sidewalk, with his eye fixed encouragingly upon the steps above which she was standing.

"Here he comes!" she exclaimed joyfully to somebody in the hall behind her. "I am certain he has a letter for us. He is walking straight— Oh, dear me, the striped cat has caught him. How I hate that greedy brute!"

But, though a gaunt and hungry striped cat did, indeed, seem to have captured the stout, soft hearted postman, and was rubbing her head against his gray trousers, her blandishments were powerless to delay him long. He fished a small piece of meat out of the paper bundle that he carried under his arm, gave it to her, and moved on with an increase of speed that enabled him to place a letter in the outstretched hand of the young lady as soon as though he had not met the striped cat.

The animal quickly finished the food that had been given to her, and then proceeded to show her gratitude for past favors, as well as her lively sense of benefits to come, by scampering after the letter carrier. She was no longer alone, however. Three other cats had lovingly welcomed the evening advent of their best friend, and falling into an orderly procession behind him were gratefully taking the bits of meat that at short intervals he extracted from his bundle and threw to them. When a cat voraciously ate out of her turn he stood still for a moment and sternly rebuked her. Then she slunk to the rear of the line and seemed to be heartily ashamed of herself.

Before he reached the end of the long block at least a dozen cats were behind him. He fed them all and gave good advice to many of them. His longest delay was at an empty house. Here he went through a side entrance into the rear garden, where he carefully removed the remains of the morning's meal from the grass and left a new supply on a piece of brown paper. The cats that occupied that mansion in the absence of the family were of too high a social strain to eat their meals upon the street.

The good natured letter carrier has been endearing himself to the dogs and cats of the neighborhood in this way for years. It increases his butcher's bill materially, but he doesn't mind that. He is especially careful to look after the comfort of animals left behind by families who go to the country in the summer, and he is probably the most "all 'round" popular man in the district.—New York Sun.

About Autographs.

Autograph collecting is a very innocent though somewhat costly hobby. My collection has cost me over $500, and its cash value today is over $1,000. Autographs have their cash prices and will always fetch them. The signature of a president of the United States is worth $1—that is to say, any since Garfield. Garfield's is cheap at $2, and Lincoln's at $10. A letter written by Lincoln early in the war has been sold for $50. Thomas Jefferson's signature fetches $10 and is very scarce. Foreign autographs run high. The first Napoleon's is worth between $20 to $50; Dr. Johnson's about the same.

Queen Victoria's is sold as low as $6.50, and is often a forgery at that. The Prince of Wales has been very sparing with his autographs, and the only one I ever knew of being sold brought $12.50. Lord Beaconsfield's is worth $5, but as Mr. Gladstone will courteously reply to any letter sent him, his autograph is a drug in the market, and has scarcely any cash value at all. Boulanger's autograph used to sell for $1, and Bismarck's is worth three times that amount.—Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Mr. Brown's Peculiar Experience.

Ed Brown, the grocer, had a peculiar experience a few days ago. He had purchased a brand new tarpaulin for one of his delivery wagons. It lay on the walk in front of his store, and Brown himself stood in the window looking at it, when a man came along and began to fold it up. Brown thought it strange that a stranger should do such a thing, but absentmindedly concluded that the man must be an employe whose face he did not remember. And while he was cogitating over the matter the fellow had rolled the tarpaulin up and walked off with it. The man was a thief, and the tarpaulin was stolen literally before Brown's eyes.—Omaha World-Herald.

Wilder's Wit.

"There is a great deal of jealousy and bickering in the theatrical profession," remarked Marshall P. Wilder the other day. "I know three performers who have been playing together for three years without speaking to each other."

"Humph, that's strange! Who are they?"

"The two horses and the dog in the 'Still Alarm.'"—New York Telegram.

Not an Amateur.

Editor in Chief—Is that new man good for anything?

Managing Editor—He is evidently an old and experienced journalist. His first editorial begins, "The political pot has begun to boil."—Good News.

Nobody Knows

What I suffered for years with those terrible racking sick headaches. Life was only a torment to me; if you are so troubled, I would advise you to use Sulphur Bitters, for they cured me.—CLARA BELLE.

A single hair can support a weight of two ounces, and it is so elastic that it may be stretched to one-third of its entire length, and then regain its formerly size and condition.

Mr. Straight of Walla Walla, Washington, found an exquisite pink pearl, the other day, in an oyster that he picked up from the river. He had it mounted for a shirt stud.

W. H. Dobson of Havre de Grace, Md., has a record of 520 ducks killed in one day. This feat he performed in 1884, and it has never been equalled.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is on the flood tide of popularity, which position it has reached by its own intrinsic, undoubted merit.

A MONSTER TOAD.

A Lieutenant in the Swiss Army Put to Flight by the Creature.

M. Charles Offredus, a lieutenant in the Swiss army, gives the following account of a gigantic toad he saw on the coast of Italy:

After having seen Rome, Naples and other principal cities of Italy, I returned through Venice. I had just left Aquapendente, a town situated upon an eminence, and passed down the mountain afoot to go to an inn that lies out of the town. M. Buschins, the companion of my journey, was a good ways before me, I having loitered by the way to examine some peculiar plants indigenous to those parts. I had not penetrated far when I heard a rustling in the thicket upon which I had my eyes fixed.

I looked down and saw at my feet an enormous toad, so prodigious that, without exaggeration, it seemed to be more than a foot and a half across the back. The ugly monster was so near me that it touched my left foot. Seized with horror, I quickly drew back my foot, having only strength enough left to run away as fast as I could. Recovering my wits when I had reached a safe distance from the horrid creature, I stopped a while, and at last made up my mind to return to the spot where I had seen the horrible beast.

Seeing it in the same spot I came to the conclusion that I could easily dispatch it with my sword. Uncertain, however, what weapon I should use in making the attack, and judging that distance would be more prudent than a close engagement, I laid hold of a large stone, which I could scarce lift with both hands, and with my naked sword under my arm I presented myself before the animal. His mouth was wide open, and his little black, wicked looking eyes were sparkling, his whole aspect betraying not the least sign of fear at sight of danger. On the contrary, he appeared anxious for the fray.

Having raised the stone as high as my strength would permit, I measured well its fall, covering the toad entirely, crushing it, so I thought, into a shapeless mass. "Horrible beast," I said to myself, "that is the last time ever you will frighten a tired soldier out of his wits;" and "there shall be your grave," I again said, as I piled a number of smaller stones upon the large one that had first crushed the monster. I had a great desire to examine the thing more closely, and if possible to dissect it, but had not the courage to touch even the stones under which it lay buried.

Standing gazing intently at the little rock mound which I had intended as a tomb for the unsightly creature, I noticed that the smaller of the stones had commenced to move. Soon the whole mound toppled over, and the beast walked out alive, seeming none the worse off from his late experience. Seeing that the creature had neither wound on his ugly skin nor broken bone in his body, I snatched my cloak and sword and passed out of the thicket, declaring that I would no longer make war against such a monster. Arriving at the inn I called for a glass of wine, but no sooner had I drank it than I felt feverish symptoms, which turned into a chill, lasting nearly two weeks.—St. Louis Republic.

Models of Famous Sparklers.

The models of all the great diamonds of the world are found in the government collection, and there are emeralds from New Mexico and from South America. Four long bottle green Brazilian emeralds, of two carats each, are very fine, and another which Professor Dana bought in Peru is over an inch long. New Mexico furnishes the finest garnets in the world in point of color, and it seems to be the precious stone region of the United States.

A curious stone exhibit has just been received from Siberia. It is a bowl of fruit made of precious stones, carved out so naturally that one would mistake them for the original. There are red raspberries and luscious black cherries, strawberries and currants, resting on leaves of green serpentine which are more natural in their appearance than the famed cow of Sculptor Myron, which was so lifelike that it imposed upon a living calf. In another quarter of the museum Uncle Sam keeps his gold in the rough. Under glass cases there are great lumps of quartz with the gold shining out in more or less delicate veins.—Washington Cor. Pittsburg Dispatch.

Caroline Herschel's Many Years.

The life of Caroline Herschel, one would imagine, was anything but favorable to long lasting. Insufficient sleep, irregular and hasty meals, long fasts, excessive toil, both bodily and mental, were the conditions of her life—at least, during the fifteen years she was her brother's housekeeper and astronomical assistant. A lady who devoted herself to hard work, one of the necessities of which was that she had to spend the whole of every starry night, covered with dew or hoar frost, on a grassplot in the garden, would not, one would think, be likely to make old bones. At the age of 82, however, according to her nephew's account, she skipped up two flights of stairs and ran about like a girl of 20. She died at the age of 98.—All the Year Round.

Telegraph lines are subject to a great variety of pests. In Rio, for example, there is an orchid that incrusts the wire and causes leakage. In Japan the large web of a spider, dripping with rain or dew, frequently interrupts the traffic, while in Norway a large species of woodpecker raises havoc with the poles.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers everywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

A man who hit on the idea of popping corn in an attractive stall in the busiest part of Fulton street, New York, in full view of the shoppers, is making lots of money.

March 14, 1855, the first engine and train of cars passed over the bridge at Niagara Falls. The railroad span is 821 feet. The track is 245 feet above the water.

A Plea for the "Green Goods" Man.

I think that the "green goods" sharpers are a much abused class, said a shrewd little lawyer friend of mine, who makes a specialty of defending that particular species of confidence operators. Why, they are really a protection to the honest, hard working members of the community, and should be encouraged, instead of being hunted like wild beasts. In the first place they have practically killed the counterfeiting business. Years ago operators on a large scale flooded the country with counterfeit bills and flourished, despite the greatest exertions on the part of the government detectives. But the "green goods" men have so demoralized the dishonest class of citizens, among whom the counterfeiters found their customers, that the making of "queer" money is restricted to a few small gangs of Italians, who do a very limited business.

In the next place the "green goods" operator finds his victims only among dishonest people who are far worse than he is. The courts are finally waking up to the fact that these alleged victims are persons of the most despicable character. You should see some of the letters received by clients of mine; they are enough to make one despair of human nature. One letter was from a villainous mill owner out west, who explained that he had a number of workmen, and that he would have little difficulty in passing the "queer" money upon them. As I said before the "green goods" man does good work in frightening such hypocritical wretches into being passably honest.—New York Telegram.

Power of Imagination.

Surgeon General Francis, of the British East Indian medical service, tells of a drummer who was suddenly aroused from his sleep by something crawling over his naked legs. Being in India, the land of deadly serpents, he imagined it was a cobra, and his friends, who had collected by the outery, thought so, too, and it was treated accordingly. Incantations, such as are customary with the natives on such occasions, were resorted to. The poor fellow was flagellated with twisted cords and cloths, while ropes were tightly bound around his arms and legs, in view partly to arouse him, but principally to drive out the evil spirit which had taken possession of him.

With the first dawn of light the true cause of the drummer's fright was discovered in the shape of a harmless lizard which was lying crushed and half killed by the side of the patient. But it was too late; from the moment when he believed a poisonous snake had bitten him he passed into an increasing collapse, gradually growing worse until he died, purely from an imaginary snake bite, some six hours after the harmless little quarian had dragged its icy body across his warm limbs.—St. Louis Republic.

New York's Holidays.

A little more than a century ago, or just before the beginning of the Revolution, the New York colony had at least twenty-six annual holidays. These were not the festivals of a certain number of their citizens, but the legally appointed days of rest and amusement for the whole colony, on which the custom house, all places of business and all public offices were closed.

These holidays were as follows: The King's Birthday, Anniversary of the Death of Charles the First, New Year's Day, Shrove Tuesday, Ash Wednesday, Lady Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Easter Tuesday, Ascension Day, St. George's Day, Restoration Day of Charles II, Queen's Birthday, Whitsun Monday, Whitsun Tuesday, Prince of Wales' Birthday, the Day That King George Landed in England, Coronation Day, All Saints' Day, Anniversary of Gunpowder Plot, Christmas, Fast Day, Thanksgiving Day, General Election Day, and Commencement Day of Columbia College, called College Day.—New York Ledger.

All for One Cent.

It is delightful to think how much fun a bright and healthy boy can get out of one cent. He bought a red top. After a while he remembered that he had seen in the toy shop some tops painted green, and he went back and exchanged the red top for a green one. Later he thought that he didn't want a toy after all, and he carried back the green top and exchanged it for candy. It would be a waste of space to tell what he did with the candy, but it may be mentioned that he took the empty fancy wrapper back to the toy shop and offered to exchange it for a full one. This, however, was a little too much for the benevolent shopkeeper, who said, "We do everything we can to please our customers, but we can't give something for nothing."—New York Sun.

A Doctor's Lapse Lingua.

Fair Patient—What is the matter with me?

Popular M. D.—Let me see your tongue.

F. P.—Well?

P. M. D. (absent mindedly)—I think it needs a good, long rest.

F. P. (frigidly)—What do you mean, sir?

P. M. D.—Beg pardon. I mean you need a good, long rest.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

It Never Fails.

Charles—Wish I could find a remedy for dandruff.

Bryetoppe—Try mine.

Charles—What is it?

B.—Baldness.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

In continental Europe oysters are never served without a plate of bread and butter cut into in finger lengths, and piled on the plates crosswise like lady fingers.

An apple raised in Delta County, Col., this season weighed an even pound, and was fifteen inches in circumference. It was of the Alexandra variety.

The manager of a variety show in Berlin has succeeded in bringing some genuine Dahomey Amazons to the German capital, where they are now on exhibition.

A Japanese author has just finished a novel on which he has been steadily at work for forty-one years.

Six-millions of dead letters are annually torn and sold as old paper in Washington.

Woman's Column.

Miss Friday Schytte, a Danish violinist, has been awarded a first prize at the Conservatory contest in Paris.

A bureau to represent the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair is about to be opened in New York.

A bill has been introduced in the Illinois Legislature to pension school teachers who have taught in the public schools of the State for twenty-five years continuously.

The Trades' Assembly of Denver, Col., has voted to petition Congress to submit to the States an amendment to the Federal Constitution enfranchising women.

The United States Senate has passed a bill to provide for the purchase of a site and the erection of buildings for the Girls' Reform School of the District of Columbia.

Miss Lucy E. Swallow, of Hollis, is the first woman applicant for admission to the State Agricultural College of New Hampshire, under the new law.

Miss Nancy Cornelius, who graduated in 1888 from the Indian Industrial School at Carlisle, has received her diploma from the Hartford Training-School. She is the first Indian woman to prepare herself scientifically for nursing.

Mrs Zerelda G. Wallace has been invited by Chancellor Vincent to address the Chautauqua Assembly on Woman Suffrage. This is the first time that the advocates of equal rights for women have had occasion to be grateful to Bishop Vincent; but for once they will all heartily approve of his action.

The Board of Lady Managers for the World's Fair have decided not to have a separate exhibit of women's work, but to have a pavilion for a special exhibit of such work as does not come under the general classification, and of such matters as will call attention to woman's progress and development. For this woman's building, designs by women architects are asked for on or before March 23, 1891.

Miss Letitia Burlingame, the lady lawyer of Joliet, Ill., who has lately died, was highly esteemed. Her funeral was attended by the bench and bar of the city, and a large concourse of people. Miss Burlingame was a graduate of the law department of Ann Arbor, and a successful practitioner. She was a member of the executive committee of the Illinois E. S. A., and president of the Will County E. S. A. She was thirty-eight years of age.

The Wisconsin House of Representatives has passed by a large majority a bill permitting married women who are lawyers to act as court commissioners or assignees. Women are allowed to practice law in Wisconsin, but married women have until now been disqualified from holding these positions on account of coverture. The vote in favor of removing the disability stood 53 to 42. Miss Kate Pier, a lawyer of Milwaukee, worked for the passage of the bill.

Dr. Julia McAllister, who has recently been appointed on the staff of physicians at the New York State Insane Asylum, in accordance with the new law which requires that at least one woman physician shall be employed in all such institutions, passed a fine civil service examination. She is already doing good work. The other physicians approve of her, the women patients like her, and she causes everyone to feel that a woman physician supplies a long-felt want.

Mrs. Hannah J. Bailey of Winthrop, Me., herself a large taxpayer, made an argument at the recent Legislative hearing in Maine against the taxation of women without representation. Mrs. Bailey showed that she was not alone in making this request. In her own town of Winthrop, there were 170 women who paid taxes. Some time ago, Mrs. Bailey had a petition in favor of municipal suffrage circulated among these women, and 169 of them signed it. The other had already gone on record as in favor.

Within the past few days, the friends of woman suffrage have had legislative hearings in six States, Maine, Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and Massachusetts. In Maine, the hearing was before the Judiciary Committee. In the other States, it was before the Legislature in the hall of the House of Representatives. The Illinois Legislature not only gave the ladies the use of Representatives' Hall to address the House, but, after hearing them, invited them to speak the next day before the Senate in Committee of the Whole. This was the second time in twenty years that any person not a member had been allowed to speak from the floor of the Senate, and was the first time in either house that women had been given a hearing except before special committees in small committee rooms.

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A girl at Norristown, Pa., attacked with toothache, left the theatre, and going to a neighboring dentist had the offending molar extracted, after which she returned to see the rest of the play.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.44, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10 02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.23 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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THE ROOM-MATES.

BY JOHN B. RAYMOND.

Henry Hadley and John Ashton had roomed together for six months, but had never exchanged a word. There was no quarrel between them; they were not deaf mutes; they were normal, every-day young men, and one, at least, longed ardently to hear the other's voice.

It came about in this way: Hadley was a reporter on the *News-Herald*, where he had filled a certain round of dry-as-dust assignments for years and was not much liked by his associates. He had a tendency to drudge; he wore faint "mutton chop" side-whiskers and turned up the bottoms of his trousers when it rained. But he was really a capital fellow, and in spite of his prosiac exterior he had a little romance of his own. He was engaged to be married, and Alice Tyler was a girl of whom any one might well be proud. She was the niece of a friend of Hadley's, and when he proposed to her, after a long, despairing courtship, he was astounded to find himself accepted. It seemed incredible that such a perfect creature could ever be his own, but after he had somewhat recovered from his transports his practical nature asserted itself, and he began to retrench his expenses in preparation for the event. Thus it was that he eventually answered an advertisement for a room-mate.

It also happened that the other occupant of the room was also a reporter, although a very different stamp of man. John Ashton was a meteoric genius. He was a waif from dead and gone Bohemia. His forte was the strange, the odd, and the grotesque, and his startling and unlooked-for strokes had gone far toward making the *Chronicle* famous. In his field he was invaluable, and he had long since killed his chance of promotion by meriting it too much.

The *News-Herald*, as everybody knows, is published in the afternoon, while the *Chronicle* is a morning daily, and Hadley, who had made his arrangements through the landlady, was disappointed when he awoke early on the first day in his new quarters to find that his room-mate, who had let himself in sometime during the night, was then asleep in the little alcove opposite his own. He had promised himself much pleasure from the society of a man whose work he so much admired, but the pale, handsome face and slight form, relaxed in the languor of deep sleep, prompted him to dress as quietly as possible and slip out without awakening the other.

It turned out, to Hadley's infinite chagrin, and probably to Ashton's secret amusement, that this was no mere accident. The former went to work early in the morning and his duties ended when the big presses threw out the first copy of the last edition, at about dusk. Ashton, on the other hand, arose a little after noon, lounged about until dark, and left his desk any time between one and three o'clock at night. Consequently, when he reached the room he invariably found Hadley asleep, and when he awoke he was the only occupant. And vice versa. Several things conspired to maintain this fantastic relationship. Their offices were remote from one another. Their work was essentially different. It did not make common resorts or mutual friends. So it easily chanced that by day they never met.

Such was the curious train of events which had carried them through one summer and into an autumn that brought to Hadley many a miserable heartache. A shadow had somehow fallen across the honest fellow's love affair. It was hardly to be defined in terms; that was the worst of it—it was so intangible; so difficult to say just what was wrong. There was a change in Alice. She was silent; she was distraught; her tears came and went like April rain. Yet she protested that nothing was amiss, and met his well-meant questioning with an impatience that surprised and frightened him; for he did not know very much of women, and her asseverations sounded to his ears like confessions in disguise. Above all, he felt a cumbersome unfitness to cope with the situation. It was like a plow-boy essaying to probe a sensitive wound, and at length he feared to speak lest he should precipitate some unknown crisis.

Thus it was, when at dusk one autumn day he walked from the office to Alice's home to pay one of his customary visits. It was an indolent evening, suave with the spell of Indian summer, and through the dreamy haze that wrapped the city even the hum of traffic sounded faint and harmonious, like a choir of giant insects at the approach of night. He fell into a vague reverie as he walked on, and when he stopped mechanically before the house he did not ring at once, but sat down upon a little bench just within the gate and masked by lilac-bushes.

The narcotic calm of the scene and hour lulled him into serenity, and night fell unmasked, until, at length, a familiar voice broke in upon his meditations. He recognized it on the instant as Alice's, but it was mingled with deeper tones that were unfamiliar to him. Although no words had yet detached themselves from the tangle of sound, it seemed to him that one voice was urging and one remonstrating. Presently they came nearer and stopped by the gate.

"Oh, I cannot! I cannot!" some one cried. It was Alice's voice, and although there was not a jot of the spy in Hadley's nature, something in the intonation held him spell-bound.

"But why not?" said the other voice, a melodious baritone—low, persuasive, thrilling. "But why not? It was a conditional promise; the conditions have changed and that is——"

"No; it is not that," broke in the girl. She was speaking quietly, but a pathetic little quaver ran through her words. "Oh, can't you understand! He is honest and true, and I could not break his heart!"

A moisture sprang on Hadley's forehead and very slowly he opened and closed his hands. There was a pause, and then the pleasant baritone again: "Are there no rivers in Damascus? What of my heart, Alice?" Hadley heard no more. Something seemed to suffocate him. His breath went no further than his throat, and the dusky web of lilac-branches danced in black and shapeless phantasmagoria before his eyes. He was dimly conscious of a patter of feet, a wave of perfume, and gush of yellow light as the hall door clashed open and shut, and then he knew he was alone again.

Alone! A hideous sense of loss, and bitter, hopeless desolation, such as he had never felt and never dreamed of, overwhelmed him. He did not think; he did not dare to think. He staggered to his feet, opened the gate and passed out.

To run away, to elude this thing as if it was some sentiment, palpable pursuer, was the first impulse that possessed him, and he hurried on, blindly, stumblingly, he cared not where. How far he walked thus he had no means of knowing, but when he stopped it was on a thronging thoroughfare, before the window of a great emporium, aquiver with electric lights. He drew a long breath and pulled himself together. An illuminated dial that punctured the gloom of the upper air marked after midnight, and a faintness began to assail him, a deadly reaction that turned his knees to water. The careless, alien crowd jarred on him, the barbaric splendor of the windows smote upon his brain; he wanted to be alone, and presently he saw the open doorway of a cafe and entered.

A few people sat at tables here and there, and on one hand were the curtained doorways of a row of little rooms or stalls. He walked instinctively toward one of these and drew the drapery aside. A man within, who musing, apparently over a bottle and a half-eaten meal, turned at the sound, and the room-mates looked one another in the face.

Ashton was the first to recover himself, and sprang up with outstretched hand. "Why, my dear fellow!" he exclaimed, "Am I indebted to insomnia for this pleasure?"

Hadley took his hand absently, but did not at once reply. What was there about that voice, with its plausible vibrating timbre, that thrilled him so?

"I have been a little troubled," he said, hesitatingly, "and tried to—walk it off."

"Ha! And came in here, I daresay, to drown it in a drink, as the proverb goes. My word for it, trouble is the thirstiest thing on earth. I tried to drown a small sorrow in drink once, and when I was under the table there was the sorrow, sober a judge. But I'll tell you something, Hadley, it won't stand feeding. The proper thing to drown sorrow in is mutton chops and fried potatoes. Suppose we put it to the touch. Waiter!"

"Hold!" said Hadley, who burned to stop this badinage, "I am not hungry—not in the least. Let me sit down a moment and think."

He sank into a vacant chair and gazed at the other with a sudden, haggard intentness. A thought had just occurred to his distracted mind. Why was not this man, so bright, so versatile, so self-contained, so en rapport with the great world and its usages—why was not he the very man of all men to give him counsel in this predicament?

"Ashton," he said, "I am in distress. Will you give me your advice?"

Ashton smiled grimly.

"You have come to a good shop for advice," he said. "My whole life is more or less a warning. However, if I can be of any service to you, blaze away. Out with it, my boy!"

But Hadley did not find the story so easy to tell.

"I am engaged to be married," he said, at length.

"Ho! ho!" cried Ashton. "I foresee a stern parent with a prejudice against literary characters." Then something in the other's face checked him and he dropped his tone of levity. "Forgive me," he said gently. "What is this trouble of yours? You need not mention the lady's name of course. Make it a hypothetical case."

"Oh no!" said Hadley, "I can confide in you. She is the best girl in the world. Her name is Alice Tyler."

Ashton was leaning over the table toying with a glass, but at the words he rose involuntarily and fixed his eyes upon the other with strange and challenging regard. Hadley paused for a moment with a dim and troubled conscience that he had touched some hidden spring; but only for a moment, and then, slowly and incoherently he told his story. Ashton sank back as he proceeded and heard him in silence to the end.

"Do you know this man?" he asked, when it was done.

"No," replied Hadley, gloomily. "What does it matter who he is?"

Ashton did not reply; he seemed lost in thought.

"Hadley," he demanded, suddenly, "do you intend to marry this girl? But pshaw!" he continued, "you are too honest to be a trifler. And this fellow—why, a thousand to one he is amusing himself looking for a new sensation, and has no more use for a wife than he would have for a bishopric. You must have saved some money, have you not?"

"Yes," said Hadley, rather surprised: "I have a few thousand dollars in bank."

"Well," sighed Ashton, this is a world of fact, but we can't all grasp it. Some men are made for homes and some are not. I might have ten times your income, and the last chapter would find me a vagabond. I tell you Hadley, you have no real rival. This is a shadow that has already passed, and shadows leave no trace."

"What shall I do?" he asked.

"Do! Why, do nothing. For heaven's sake don't distress the girl with questions. I tell you this belongs to the past. Forget it. Bury it. Act as if nothing had happened, and all will come right in the end. If I were you I would make it convenient to be away for a few days. She will miss you, depend upon it, and you can begin where you left off. Can't you arrange to go away?"

"I think so," said Hadley. "When had I best go?"

"Go to-morrow. You will come back a new man and find her eager to welcome you."

Hadley reflected a moment.

"I will take your advice," he said.

When he returned home, at the close of the week, from a brief visit to a neighboring city, he mounted the stairs with an eager step, but paused, perplexed, in the open door. The room was dismantled of much of its furniture, and looked bare and unfamiliar. He entered, almost timidly, and read this legend, chalked upon the looking-glass:

KEEP WHAT TRAPS OF MINE YOU FIND. HAVE MIGRATED. GONE WEST GOOD BYE. GOOD LUCK TO YOU. J. A.

"It was an extraordinary thing," he used to say in after times, when he and Alice were happily mated. "Here was a brilliant, successful man with the world before him, one might say, who pulls up stakes all of a sudden, goes out West goes to the dogs, and inside a year winds up in a dance-hall fight with a bullet through his head. No, I can't say why he did it; he never mentioned it to me, although we roomed together over six months."—*Frank Leslie's.*

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will care all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts., and $1.00 per bottle at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

Stop.

You cannot travel far on a railroad without seeing a board, with the word "*Stop!*" conspicuously displayed on it. The word of command is so placed that the engineer cannot help seeing it. But he does not always heed it; and when he does not, a fearful accident may be the result.

Engineers are not the only persons for whom there should be such a signal. The young man of the period needs to have the word "stop" where he can see it very often. He is on a fast train and little does he think of danger ahead. But it is there: and alas! how often is there a wreck of character and of prospects that were the prophecy of a long and happy career. There is a time to let on a full head of steam; but there is also a time when a full stop is the only way to escape destruction.

You are away from home, are you? and you find the evenings lonesome? A well-dressed young man, whose place of business is next to yours, drops in; and, by his invitation, you go out with him for a walk. He says he will show you the sights, and he has been in the city a good while. You go with your new-made friend from time to time, and soon you learn, or think you have learned, that a glass of wine is one of the nicest drinks in the world. Claret won't hurt you. You have read in the newspapers that a celebrated minister of the gospel said: "If you want a glass of claret with your beefsteak, and can afford it, you're a fool if you don't have it." So you have it. Now, my young friend, you have on all the steam you can carry. There is danger ahead. "Stop!"

What is that you are reading? The covers look a little yellow; the print is fine, and the paper is poor. Ah, yes! it is a dime novel. Did you ever see birds flitting about a threshing machine? I used to see them quite often when I was a boy. Wherever wheat had been scattered, there you would find a bird taking a square meal, with the ground for a table, and a dear little bill for knife, fork, spoon, and all the rest of the dishes. But I never saw a bird trying to fill its crop with chaff.

Dime novels are worse than chaff. They fill the head very fast, but they make very poor filling. To the reader of such miserable trash, I would say "Stop!" Then do as the engineer sometimes does when he has stopped his train. Back up and switch off onto another track.

The world is full of good reading. Why feed your mind on chaff, when you can do so much better? Did you say you could not afford books? Let us see. I notice that you smoke. "Oh, yes: but only a couple of cigars a day." Indeed! Well, supposing your two cigars to be five-centers, the blue smoke that you blow into the air in one year costs you $36.50—a sum which would pay for all the best magazines in the country for a year.

A full-toned organ has I don't know how many stops. A high-toned young man needs almost as many stops as an organ. Mind your stops, and your life will be full of music. Joy, health and prosperity will be yours.

But if you do not stop your wine, and tobacco, and worthless reading, depend upon it, you will run off the track some day. So come at once to a full "stop."

Marvellous Endurance.

The vast amount of labor performed by the heart in keeping all portions of the body supplied with blood is not generally known. It beats 100,000 times, and forces the blood at the rate of 168 miles a day, which is 3,000,000,000 times and 5,150,880 miles in a life time. No wonder there are so many heart failures. The first symptoms are shortness of breath when exercising, pain in the side or stomach, fluttering, choking in throat, oppression, then follow weak, hungry or smothering spells, swollen ankles, etc. Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure is the only reliable remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Literary Notices.

The March WIDE AWAKE bristles with good things, from Margaret Sidney's inimitable Pepper Serial to Miss Poulsson's Scandinavian Witch Story; from John D. Long's article on Our Government, with its page portrait of Hamilton to Mrs. William Claflin's Letter on the behavior of young people to their elders and superiors; from Oscar Fay Adams' illustrated visit to Winchester College to hear the boys sing the famous old Commencement song, Dulce Domum, to Mrs. Ormsbee's graphic account of How Grandmother's Spoons Were Made; from articles by the learned men of the Smithsonian Institution to the four sparkling pages of original anecdote known as the Men and Things pages; these and many more stories, poems, pictures and articles give a wide range of first class reading. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

The Spring Medicine.

The popularity which Hood's Sarsaparilla has gained as a spring medicine is wonderful. It possesses just those elements of health-giving, blood-purifying and appetite-restoring which everybody seems to need at this season. Do not continue in a dull, tired, unsatisfactory condition when you may be so much benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood and makes the weak strong.

The heirs of J. R. Andrews of Shenango, Pa., two weeks ago discovered papers which proved that he had $8,000 of bonds in the Treasury Department at Washington, and a few days later they found $17,000 in Government bonds in a tin box on a beam in the barn. They are in search of further treasure.

Boils—Blood Disorder.

I had been troubled with boils which came out on my ears, neck, and in fact all over my body. I tried everything and could get no relief until I was advised by my neighbor, T. N. Arnold, to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. After using it less than three months, I can say I am fully cured.—Sam'l Grady, No. 20 Caledonian ave., Rochester, N. Y.

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Life of General Sherman.

No literary announcement of the year is of greater interest to the general public than that of a comprehensive Life of General Sherman, which is about to be published and sold through agents by the noted house of Hubbard Brothers of Philadelphia. Admirable biographies of Grant and Sheridan, complete to the time of their death, are already familiar to the public, but a life of the third great commander, to finish the series, has been lacking. The various biographies of Sherman hitherto published have necessarily been incomplete; and even his own memoirs, written in 1875, said almost nothing of his intensely interesting early life, and not a word, of course, of the more than twenty years of social activity and fraternity with old comrades since the war.

The work which is now to be issued will splendidly supply the widely felt demand for a history of the great strategic commander. It is being written by General O. O. Howard, a man of fine literary attainments, who knew him better than any other of his comrades now living, and ranked next but one to him in the army, and by Willis Fletcher Johnson, whose ability as a historian is familiar to the reading public of America through his former unusually popular works, which have had millions of readers, and the sales of their vast editions enriched an army of book agents. That this history of Sherman, the last of the great Generals will surpass all others in popularity is not to be doubted.

The story of this great General's career is of a marvellous march from the mountains of time to the sea of eternity. Of the three great war heroes, Sherman was by far the most interesting personality. He was the best known to the public and the best loved for his genial disposition and warm sympathy with the popular heart. He has joined his illustrious compeers in the eternal bivouac of the dead. His is a life to study—to emulate—and is a profound inspiration. The forthcoming volume will tell the whole story of his marvellous career, and from the authorship engaged upon it, we are assured it will be told in a way that will enthral the attention and interest of every reader from first to last. It is a book every American will want and one every American youth should read. It will doubtless be the best life of the great chieftain published, and we predict for it wonderful popularity.

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A Belfast (Me.) paper tells a story at the expense of a merchant of that city who was so sharp in trade that drummers were almost afraid to tackle him. One of the tribe, however, entered his store one day while the merchant and his clerk were busy down cellar. Espying an open box of cigars the drummer filled his pockets with them, and when the merchant and his assistant reappeared treated them liberally with the tempting bait. The maneuvre resulted in securing a large order, and the drummer generously bestowed the remainder of the cigars upon his innocent patrons before he left.

Salvation Oil quickly finds its way to the seat of the disease, allays the inflammation, and, by removing the cause, effects a permanent cure. 25 cts.

Mr. Ruskin thinks there is a great future for American art—but he hardly realizes the enormous demand over here for Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Mexican High Schools and Colleges.

There are within the republic of Mexico, according to the most reliable statistics, sixteen schools for the high branches of female education, sixteen preparatory schools for professional careers, nineteen law colleges, twenty-six seminaries of ecclesiastical studies, nine colleges of medicine, eight for engineering, one for practical mining engineers, and thirty-one public institutes or lyceums where, besides preparatory studies, the careers of lawyer, physician, apothecary, merchant or engineer may be acquired. Besides there are four colleges of fine arts, two colleges of agriculture, one special for the blind, one for the deaf-mutes, three of mechanical arts and trades for men and women, three conservatories of music, one military college, two nautical academies and several normal schools and colleges where the profession of teacher is taught to men and women.

Alcohol a Poison.

We put a drop of alcohol into a man's eye. It poisons it. We try it upon the lining of a living stomach. Again it poisons it. We study, after death, the stomach of drinking men, and find alcohol produces in regular stages intense congestion, morbid secretions, deeper hurt, destruction of parts, utter ruin. We study its influence upon the health and strength of sailors and soldiers, and find it helps to freeze them in arctic regions and exhaust them in the tropics. We watch two regiments on a long march in India, one with and the other with out grog, and are driven to the conclusion that even moderate quantities of alcohol weaken the muscles and break the endurance. We visit

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

A HITCH IN THE PROCEEDINGS.

Having been called upon to ante up their share of the expense for constructing the Metropolitan Sewerage System, or in anticipation of being so called upon, the towns of Winchester, Stoneham and Everett have entered a protest against the same and if pushed they propose to try the constitutionality of the act creating it. In other words, these towns will refuse to contribute a single penny towards this great undertaking unless they are compelled to do so by the highest judicial tribunal in the Commonwealth.

It is generally thought that the towns named above are not the only ones that will refuse to pay their proportional part of the several millions of dollars it is estimated the work will cost.

At the sea end, or outlet, of the great drain many thousands of dollars have already been expended, but if Winchester *et als.* persist in their determination to test the constitutionality of the law on the subject operations will have to be suspended all along the line and the completion of the system will be set back a considerable length of time.

ISN'T IT?

Ex-Speaker Reed may or may not be affected by the way in which the vote of thanks for impartial presiding was passed, but a strictly party vote is never a compliment to any man—*Boston Courier.*

A unanimous vote of thanks from his party and a unanimous negative from the other side is the highest compliment a Speaker can have given him. A vote of thanks, on laying down the gavel by the whole House, amounts to nothing. It is a formal, meaningless ceremony. But when a Speaker has carried himself in such a way as to incur the enmity of his party opponents and to make his party associates stick closer than a brother, then the vote of thanks is worth something.

NEEDS WEEDING OUT.

The Boston *Herald's* praise of some of the members of the Massachusetts Republican Club raises the suspicion in our mind that the Club needs weeding. We had observed, without the *Herald's* aid, indications of the existence of Mugwumpry in the Club which, coupled with the *Herald's* warm commendation of a few of the members, excites the JOURNAL'S fears and leads it to suggest the expediency of an early overhauling of the list and freeing the association from even the faintest suspicion of everything not pure Republicanism.

☞ THE HOME JOURNAL is one of the oldest and best of the Boston literary weeklies, and also one of the most liberally sustained by the public. It is a neat, clean, bright 8-page paper, fresh and breezy in all of its departments, ably edited, carefully printed, and "made up" with good taste. Success to it.

☞ The Danvers *Mirror*, one of the brightest papers published in Massachusetts, was enlarged last week to an 8-column size. We like to see and make mention of such evidence of prosperity as that shown by our sprightly and esteemed contemporary.

☞ The Supreme Court have fixed on March 26 as the date for a hearing on the constitutionality of the Metropolitan Sewage act.

☞ We return our sincere thanks to Senator E. F. Wyer of this District for a copy of the "Manual for the General Court, 1891."

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

C. E. J.—Wanted.
Box 1260—Wanted.
120 Main St.—Hens.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
J. E. Skinner—Citation.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.

— See "Hens for sale."

— The snow is about all gone.

— Read "Wanted" by P. O. Box 1260.

— The Boston Branch have a change in their card this week.

— Mr. Cyrus Cummings has been quite sick with pneumonia.

— There are in this city about 17 graduates of Wellesley College.

— The W. H. S. B. engaged in a military drill yesterday forenoon.

— Everything is lovely at the factory of the Russell Counter Company.

— Fine fruits and vegetables are a specialty at Sylvester's Cash Market.

— The new U. S. mail delivery cart is a daisy. It was built at Amesbury.

— La Grippe continues to hold quite a good many of our people in its cruel clutches.

— A powerful 36-hour rain storm cleared off very early on Tuesday morning.

— The room of the City Assessors in Municipal Building is to be refurnished.

— Dr. March addressed a missionary meeting at Fitchburg last Wednesday afternoon.

— The snow went off very rapidly last Saturday under the ardent rays of a March sun.

— Mr. Lester Partridge of Dedham, with his family, visited his parents here last week.

— Charlie Wood goes West this week to seek his fortune and establish a home—perhaps.

— Read the card "Wanted" in our advertising columns signed by C. E. G. of Winchester.

— "The Order of the Mystic Seven" is the last "investment" humbug that has struck Woburn.

— A private musicale was enjoyed at the residence of Mr. J. H. Nason on Wednesday evening.

— We are unable to determine whether "In Harbor" was sent for publication in the JOURNAL or not.

— Do not forget that Miss Fosdick's Banjo Concert will commence at 7.45 P. M. Doors open at 7.15 P. M.

— We have experienced considerable real balmy spring weather this week and can stand a good deal more of it.

— Cashier George A. Day of the First National Bank is feeling a good deal better than he did when he was sick.

— Mr. D. W. Kelley, the prosperous Mechanic Building druggist, spends a portion of the time at his Malden store.

— C. M. Munroe is selling 300 fine fancy shirts that cost $1.50 each for 50 cents each. Go quick if you want same.

— In accordance with the advice of physicians Thomas W. Kenney started for Florida last Monday for a brief sojourn.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe's display of mid-winter goods at spring prices is unsurpassed in quantity, quality and variety.

— It is expected that the Great Chief of I. O. R. M. for the State of Massachusetts will visit Shawsheen Tribe this evening.

— The fire alarm at 8 p. m. Wednesday was for a little blaze in the fruit store in Allen's Block. No damage done.

— Capt. W. E. Sherman of the ship Lucelle which in the last 13 months has sailed round the world is now at his home in this city.

— Mrs. Mary Shaw and Mr. John W. Shaw of this city were recent arrivals at the Hotel del Coronado, Coronado Beach, California.

— Mechanics Hall will be dedicated by its owners, the O. U. A. M., next Wednesday evening Mar. 18. An interesting season is anticipated.

— Ex-Sachem O. J. Hart of this city and suite raised the Chiefs of Wamscott Tribe, I. O. R. M., of Stoneham a week ago last night.

— Mr. William Ellard, a prominent citizen of Cummingsville, was reported as having baen taken suddenly and dangerously ill on the fifth.

— "Arsenical poisoning" through the medium of wall-papers, upholstering, draperies, etc., is on deck again. Readers of the JOURNAL, it is all bosh.

— A man by the name of John Cullen was struck by the 9.15 P. M. train last Wednesday evening near Conn street, and quite severely injured.

— The W. H. S. Graduates Association will hold a meeting this evening to elect officers for the year. It is hoped that every member will be present.

— It is given out that George Freddie Williams and John E. Russell will make speeches before the Woburn Tariff Reform Club on the evening of March 25.

— All reserved tickets to Miss Fosdicks concert are sold, and those who have not secured their seats should do so at once. There are only 25-cent tickets now left.

— There has been a tremendous rush for tickets to Miss Fosdick's Guitar and Banjo concert to be given next Monday evening at Lyceum Hall. It is going to be a fine one.

— The Lawrence mails that have come here at 7.45 A. M. and 1 P. M. and have left here at 8 A. M. and 4.45 P. M., also the 4 P. M. Nashua mail, have been discontinued.

— Fitz & Stanley of the Boston are noted, among other things, for the extent and variety of their canned goods. They have a large stock on hand and are selling cheap.

— Mr. Thomas D. Hevey was elected Clerk and Almoner of the Overseers of the Poor last Monday evening. He takes the place so long and efficiently occupied by Mr. John Ferguson.

— A meeting of the Co-operative Bank was held last evening to sell money and nominate officers. There was about $3,000 for sale. It is presumed the old Board of officers were nominated.

— Miss Emma Fosdick promises a delightful programme at her banjo, mandolin and guitar concert next week Thursday evening, Mar. 19. — *City Press.* She will carry it out in the best of shape too.

— Mr. Charles H. Gooding, proprietor of the City Dining Rooms on Main street, went to Portland, Me., last week to visit his father who suffered a stroke of apoplexy from which he died on Sunday evening.

— Postmaster Wyman has discontinued the street letter box on Maine street close by the postoffice door and established a new one on the corner of Maine street and Montvale Ave. near Bancroft's shoe store.

— We are indebted to Major Henry C. Hall for a copy of the "First Maine Bugle," a publication issued quarterly by J. P. Cilley, Treasurer of the First Maine Cavelry Association, of which Major Hall is a member.

— A large number of tannery employees are still out of work with no very flattering prospect for a change in the programme. Such forced idleness comes hard on poor people especially at this season of the year.

— The date of hearing in the case of Boston against the Dows of this city has not yet been fixed but will take place soon. In the meantime business at the Dow factory approaches nearer and nearer a final shut-down.

— A despatch received on Monday forenoon informed Mr. A. Willoughby that his oldest brother, Dr. Willoughby, died at his home at Hollis, N. H., on Sunday. In response to the telegram he went to Hollis on Tuesday morning.

— A high grade concert is to be given at Ashley Hall, Montvale, this evening, under the management of the Principal of Ashley Hall School, Miss Whittemore. The artists are to be Wulf Fries, F. H. Lewis and Miss Bullard.

— A sacred concert wil be given in Lyceum Hall next Sunday evening under the auspices of the Knights of Labor for the benefit of the benefit of the leather workers in Lynn who are experiencing the bitterness of a mid-winter lockout.

— Miss Meagher and Miss Callahan of Class '90, and Miss Harkins and Miss McGovern of Class '91, St. Johns Parochial School, attended the concert given by the pupils of the Parochial schools of Lowell, Lawrence and Boston, in Boston last Tuesday.

— Last Saturday morning Miss Hannah Coughlin had two fingers on her right hand nearly cut off by a heel-cutting machine at the factory of Wilbur E. Cummings. Dr. Murphy dressed the wounds and took measures to save the fingers if possible.

— Next Tuesday will be St. Patrick's Day. There has as yet been no movement made here to celebrate the same and probably it will be suffered to go by without the customary parade. Some of the Saint's desciples will give entertainments so report says.

— Mr. Joseph F. Winn, the milkman whom good housewives esteem, took pains to drop into the JOURNAL office last Tuesday morning to make the announcement (for private use solely) that the "going" was about as mean and rough as he ever saw it in March.

— The Committee on Highways, Supt. Jones, representatives of the Fire Department, Telephone and Electric Light Companies examined the route last Tuesday over which the Postal Telegraph Company want to set their poles. Hearing adjourned one week.

— The Olympian Club will give their 6th grand costume carnival in Mechanics Building, Huntington Ave., Boston, on next Wednesday evening, March 18. Tickets 75: children 50. One hundred valuable prizes will be distributed. It will be a big thing on skates.

— Edward Shandley, who has been employed in the Highway Department of this city for several years, had one of his legs broken by an accident last week Thursday. He was taken to the Mass. Gen. Hospital. It was not a great while ago that he suffered from a similar accident.

— Mr. Jacob Brown who was so terribly injured by a fall from the roof of his residence on Canal street last fall is making very satisfactory progress towards complete restoration to health. He goes about the house on his crutches, has resumed his place at the table, and is improving every day.

— Mrs. Susan K. Ellis and her daughter Josie returned from their visit to Washington, D. C., a few days ago. They tarried in New York a short time to visit a son and brother and also "did" places of note in the vicinity of the Nation's Capital. Their trip and visit were very pleasant indeed.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made some successful rum raids last Monday. One of the places struck hard was that of P. H. Burke who will probably have to suffer for violating the law. "Kitchen bars" are plenty in this city but the officers are doing good work in suppressing them.

— The many friends of E. R. Webster were glad to see him again the past week after several years of absence. He was for a number of years associated in a business way with the Bond Bros. of North Woburn, but has been of late residing in Newark, N. J. He is now on a month's vacation in the East.

— For Rent. Rooms furnished or unfurnished, single or en suite, with or without steam heat, at the Windsor House, corner of Main and Union streets. A first class Restaurant connected with the house. Meals served at all hours. Apply to J. I. Munroe or Gordon's Restaurant, No. 461 Main street Woburn.

— Ah Ba Sundre, a converted high cast heathen from India, in Hindoo costume, will speak here on work in India. He will be accompanied by Major Brewer of the Mass.. R. I. and Conn. Division of the Salvation Army. Meeting to be in Dodge's Block, corner of Main street and Montvale Avenue, Saturday night, March 14.

— The First Congregational Sunday School provided a supper and entertainment for 150 sailors of all nationalities at the Seamen's Bethel in Boston last Tuesday evening. Some 25 Woburn people connected with the Congregational SS. and church went to the supper and Dr. March delivered an address to the sailors. All said it was a pleasant time.

— Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Goddard and Mrs. Goddard's sisters Miss B. and Miss A. Frost, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Aldrich attended the grand reception given a fortnight ago by Mrs. Doctor Adeline Church at the elegant Church residence in Rangeley, Winchester, at which there were some 200 of the most distinguished society people of Winchester, Woburn, Boston and elsewhere.

— At half past 2 last Sunday afternoon a passenger car of the B. & M. standing on the track with others near the old depot was totally consumed by fire and three more badly scorched. The loss was estimated at from $4000 to $5000. The firemen were promptly at the scene and by good work prevented a more extensive fire. The origin of the fire was unknown although it is generally thought it was occasioned by a gas explosion of the heater.

— Mr. Dixon's lecture last Monday evening under the auspices of the Y. P. M. S. of the First Parish church in this city, considering the weather and roads, drew a good house and proved quite satisfactory to the Society from a pecuniary point of view. President Cotton, through whose instrumentality chiefly this community was privileged to hear the distinguished lecturer, expressed himself to a JOURNAL representative as being happily disappointed in the attendance considering everything. Of course "Fools" was handled "without gloves" by Mr. Dixon whose witty sayings kept the house in the best of humor all the evening. He is one of the most popular and generally sought-for men now occupying the lecturer's stage.

— The last meeting but one before the annual meeting of the Board of Trade will take place next Tuesday evening, at which matters of interest to the city will be discussed. There is a good prospect for a large accession of members this spring which will have a tendency to infuse new blood into the veins of the organization. The interest in the prosperity of the Board was never stronger than at the present. It is going to increase in numbers and wax strong.

— The fame of Prof. Churchill of Andover as a reader attracted an immense audience at Music Hall last Friday night when he read under the auspices of the Wellesley College Alumnæ of Woburn. Some 40 or 50 tickets in excess of the seating capacity of the hall were sold, but they all "got there" and had the privilege of enjoying one of the best literary entertainments ever given in this city. Prof. Churchill, as a reader, is without a peer in New England.

— The St. Charles Minstrel troup will give their regular St. Patrick's Day show at Lyceum Hall on the evening of the 17th, which we feel sure will draw a big crowd. Their reputation for good singing, instrumental manipulation, and acting, is such as to preclude the necessity of any commendatory words from our pencil, nor need we ask people to attend their concert next Tuesday evening for everybody and the women folks will be sure to go without any urging by the JOURNAL.

— Mr. William S. York and family returned from their California trip last Saturday. They were gone 32 days, in which time they visited New Orleans and other Southern cities, and then proceeded on by the Southern Pacific Railroad to California where they tarried some weeks and enjoyed everything they saw very much. Nearly all the winter resorts on the Pacific coast and many places of interest were visited by Mr. York and his family, who express themselves as highly delighted with the whole trip.

— If correctly reported the School Board at their last meeting administered a richly deserved rebuke to Class '91 of the W. H. S. and by implication to their parents and guardians for having presumed to petition for a change in the graduating programme this year. Discussing the matter they "deprecated the presenting of petitions to the Board by the scholars on matters pertaining to conducting the schools and did not wish it understood that it was the petitions of members of the Class that influenced their decision" in this case. "The right of petition" does not apply to the School Committee of this city it would seem.

— The medal received by Supt. Richardson which was awarded by the French Government to the Woburn public schools for their exhibit at the Paris Exposition is briefly described thus: On the face of the medal is a classic female figure crowning a man beside an anvil, a symbol of industry. Below is a miniature representation of the exposition buildings, including the Eiffel tower in the foreground. Above this is the number, "1889," the year of the exposition. On the upper are the medal is inscribed, "*Exposition Universelle.*" On the reverse side of the medal is also a classic female figure represented as blowing a trumpet. At the right is a queenly bust crowned with laurel. At the left is the inscription "*Republique Francaise*" and at the bottom "*Ecoles Publiques De Woburn.*"

— Mrs. Ada Cary-Sturgis of Durham, Maine, whose sweet songs so greatly enhanced the pleasures of the annual meeting of the Pine Tree Club last week, has been visiting friends here since that meeting. She is a niece of Capt. and Mrs. Merrill W. Strout and a cousin of Mr. Charles M. Strout of Montvale Ave., who with the Carys all had their homes in Old Durham years ago, where Miss Lydia J. Valentine of Court street, this city, grounded the younger members of the families in the rudiments of an education. Mrs. Sturgis is a sister of Annie Louise Cary (now Raymond), the celebrated prima donna, and it used to be said down at Portland, where both were well known, that Ada was fully as sweet a singer as her gifted sister. We hear that she is enjoying her visit here very much.

— The Woman's Club of this city held their annual meeting on March 6, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year. President, Mrs. Frances K. Harlow; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Caroline G. Johnson, Mrs. Frances W. Hill; Recording Secretary, Miss Grace M. Bryant; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. S. Adelaide Porter; Treasurer, Miss Maria E. Carter; Auditor, Mrs. Jennie K. Adams; Directors, Mrs. Anna L. C. Remick, Mrs. Elmira S. Ramsdell, Mrs. E. Maria Beau, Mrs. Evelyn M. Trull, Mrs. Melina Skinner, Mrs. Maria B. Bickford, Mrs. Cynthia B. Goddard, Mrs. Isabella Ward. The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Music Hall, the Dow Block, on Friday, March 20, at 3 P. M. Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis will address the club on the subject of "Woman in the Nineteenth Century." Miss Grace Bryant, the Recording Secretary for the last year, has sent us the Club's annual report which was received too late for publication this week. It will appear in our next issue.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., Counsel for the six certificate-holders in the Middlesex Investment Company who want their $200 each now; M. T. Allen, Esq., Counsel for the 200 or 300 who want a prorata division of the funds in the Treasurer's hands; Col. Henry B. Hayes, who acted for the latter and procured the injunction to restrain the officers from paying out the funds until the matter is decided; President B. A. Tripp of the Company; and many interested parties, went to Manchester, N. H., last Saturday, to take part, for and against, in the matter of the application for a receiver to wind up the affairs of the Company which was tried before Judge Lewis W. Clark in that city that day. Col. Hayes, President B. A. Tripp, President Frank Waldron of the Woburn Common Council, and some others testified; the lawyers submitted arguments; and finally Judge Clarke took the case under advisement. In all the talk that this case has given rise to not a word, hint or inuendo has been heard against the integrity of the officers of the Company. No one has the least question of their confidence in the fairness of their scheme or the least doubt or suspicion that it was not a strictly legitimate business. And in the controvesy that has arisen over the funds no one doubts but that President Tripp and his official associates want to do just the right thing.

She Was "Particular" Like.

"John, go up to Mrs. Swandown's and get that barrel of flour we sent up yesterday. Head it up and drive around the block and when you go back open the other head and she'll think it another barrel and 'twill suit. Thus said a groceryman who had a very particular customer. But these particular kind, though they may be deceived in the matter of flour, are never cheated in their soap, for they buy Brussels, the economical asop. The name is on the goods.

A Music Party.

It was given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Strout last Tuesday evening at their inviting home on Montvale Ave. Its object was to afford some of the many friends of the family in this city and Boston the privilege of listening to the charming vocal efforts of a relative of theirs from Durham, Me., Mrs. Ada Cary-Raymond, Annie Louise Cary's musical sister, and enjoy her society for an hour or two. She is a very sweet singer and the Strout family wanted our musical people to hear her. Hence the very pleasant party above mentioned.

There were nearly 70 representatives of the cream of Woburn society present, among whom were seen several quite notable local vocalists, and some pianists of wide and honorable repute, and nearly the whole company were lovers of and people more or less interested in the graceful art. The brilliantly illuminated and genially warmed parlors and drawing-rooms of the Strout residence were thronged by a gay party whose enjoyment of the occasion was supreme.

The solos were given by Ada Cary-Sturgis, and so finely rendered were they that the company were captivated. She sang several pieces delightfully, each one of which was greeted with generous applause. Her audienence were charmed. The Schuman Quartette, composed of Mrs. Strout, Mrs. Partridge, Mrs. Fulton and Mrs. Seaver, sang several songs which were highly appreciated by the ladies and gentlemen who listened to them. Mrs. C. M. Strout accompanied the vocal programme on the piano and thus intensified the pleasure derived from the productions of the vocalists.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis, at the head of the Lewis Music School, delighted the company by the rendition on the piano of several pieces from the classics in their customary artistic style, the execution of each of which eliciting praise in unstinted measure. As an organist and pianist Mr. F. H. Lewis has no equals in this region.

There were some very agreeable elocutionary exercises by Mr. Curtis who enjoys quite an enviable reputation as a reader. His contributions added much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Seasonably a collation of tempting viands was served which the company seemed highly to relish, and after disposing of this, and giving a season to social intercourse, the party broke up and its members repaired to their respective homes feeling that rarely had it been their privilege to pass so delightful an evening.

City Report—1890.

The annual reports of the various Departments of the city government have been published and many copies are already in the hands of the people. They give a complete history of the municipal affairs of Woburn for 1890 and to most readers will prove interesting, no doubt. The few following items have been culled from the volume by the JOURNAL'S statistical Editor: The City Clerk reports 462 births; 107 marriage certificates; 226 deaths; dog licenses yielded $1,412 40. The Collector's report shows good service during the year.

The length of pipe laid by the water department was 10,155 feet, making a total laid to date of 240,049 feet——Seventy-nine services have been put into buildings, and no service has been cut off for non-payment. The Commissioners say: "For the first time in its history this department is absolutely self-sustaining, the revenue for the past year having been sufficient to not only meet the expense of maintenance, and the entire interest charges, but also to allow a real surplus of $336.50." The receipts from 2156 services were $30,527.93. The total cost of the water works to date is $560,219 55. Number of gallons pumped in 1889, 293,805,400, an increase of over 40,000,000 gallons. Coal used, 5713 tons.

The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department reports the force to be 65, and that there were 34 alarms answered.

The Chief of Police reports the number of arrests for the year to be 376, of whom 320 were residents. Of these 43 were arrested for assault, 239 for drunkenness, 23 for larceny, 20 violation of liquor law.

The Sinking Fund Commissioners report a balance of $95,192 58.

The Auditor shows the municipal debt to be $84,583.33 and the water debt $416,006; temporary loans, $26,437.44.

The library trust fund amounted to $59,-138 95.

The Librarian of the public library reports volumes issued 60,758, and 942 new volumes added to the library.

The Superintendent of Schools reports 47 schools and 72 persons employed, while the number of pupils enrolled was 2575. Average cost per pupil, on the basis of daily attendace, was $18 64; basis of average whole number, $15 88; basis of enrolment, $13 89; while the average cost for each child between 5 and 15 years was $12.32.

The Truant Officer reports 275 cases investigated, 63 being truants.

Y. M. C. A.

Boys meeting Sunday, 3 P. M. This meeting is designed for all boys of all ages. Average attendance for the month of February 18.

The 4 o'clock Men's meetings are increasing in interest and numbers. An average attendance of 50 last month, and we wish to make it 75 for this month. Will you, young man, aid us?

At 3.30 P. M. we hold a Prayer Service for Christian men who are interested and believe that such meetings are helpful. We should be pleased to see all who wish to carry out the first clause of 1 Cor. 2:9, present next Sunday.

Next Sunday at 4, Mr. J. E. Caufield, Gen. Sec. of Winchester Y. M. C. A. will have charge. He is a young man, a good leader, and we can assure all of a good meeting. Besides, you will receive a cordial welcome and meet some of the best men in the city.

—The Woman's Auxiliary are planning for a unique entertainment which all will want to see. The junior branch are also at work on a "Law Case" wh ch they hope soon to bring to the public's notice. On the 23rd a members reception will be given. Are you a member? If not join at once so as to be able to take this in.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

A regular meeting of the Board was held on the evening of the 6th instant at which there was a full attendance.

Mayor Bean made the following nominations which were confirmed by a unanimous vote: for Fence Viewer, Cyrus Cummings; Public Weighers, Eugene D. Newton, Gilman F. Jones and Louis W. Claffy. Surveyors of Lumber, Eugene D. Newton and Clarence Littlefield. Measurer of Wood and Bark, Louis W. Claffy. Sealer of Weights and Measures, John Lynch.

The following petitions were received: John O'Donnell for State Aid: referred to State Aid Committee. James Little and twenty-five others, for a fire alarm box at the corner of Harrison Avenue and Grove street. Referred to committee on Fire Department. Thomas Salmon, to erect an advertising post in front of 480 Main street. Granted.

Mrs. Lucretia True and family sent in a letter of thanks for the resolutions of the Board on the death of Alderman John S. True.

Official bonds of Constables Tho's Mulkeen, Thomas Quinn, Edward Simonds approved——John Ellard and Lawrence Martin were drawn as jurors——James Dolan was chosen Assistant Assessor for Ward 2 in non-concurrence, the Common Council having elected E. C. Collamore. ——On a third ballot Charlie A. Jones was chosen Cemetery Commissioner, Dr. John M. Harlow having declined an election.

An order providing for a ballot for City Solicitor was laid on the table by a yea and nay vote of 4 to 3. [Same old bone of contention.—ED.]—The reports of Overseers of the Poor and Chief of Police were received and filed.

Reports of Committees. State Aid: recommending Sylvester Murray for $4 a month, to be applied under the direction of the Overseers of the Poor. Same committee; Michael Feeley, leave to withdraw. Fire Department. W. E. Cummings and others for a fire alarm box on Main, near Warren street, leave to withdraw. Police. Petition of Lemuel Armstrong for a billiard and pool table license. Order that it be granted. All these reports were accepted and adopted.

Alderman Davis addressed the Board, saying that he desired to make a motion, which he hoped would be adopted, to take up the order of business, that is the election of officers, and he hoped the Board would see fit to take from the table the order providing for the election of City Solicitor. It was no way to transact City business to refuse to take action. It was necessary for the Board to choose a City Solicitor. He did not consider it right to table a motion to proceed to ballot. He was ready to cast his ballot and was not ashamed of it, and he hoped the others would do the same. Gentlemen had no right to assume that the ballot would always be the same, or that there were not enough votes to elect a City Solicitor. The citizens of Woburn would not endorse muzzling of the ballot by members of the Board. Members had a right to vote for whom they pleased, but they had no right to interrupt a ballot. Such filibustring or muzzling as that is not worthy of such a Board.

"I am heartily sick of this," said he, "and my only desire is to have the office filled, and no more of this boy's play, which smacks of ward politics. I hope gentlemen will allow a ballot to be taken, but if not I want the public to know who are working in the interest of the city and who are not."

The vote was taken, but the Mayor, not being able to decide, ordered another, when, on the call of Alderman Davis, the vote was taken by yeas and nays, as follows:—Yeas. In favor of taking from the table and having a ballot for City Solicitor, Davis, Ham, Pushee, 3. Nays,—opposed to any action, Fowle, Finn, Walsh, Dearborn, 4, and the motion of Alderman Davis was defeated. Adjourned.

Obituary.

MR. EBENEZER N. BLAKE died at his residenceon Abbott St. in this city at 9 o'clock, a. m., Thursday, March 12, of cancerous tumor, after an illness of several months.

The deceased was born at Farmington, Franklin county, Maine, on July 30, 1817, and was one of several children of Dr. Blake who went from Boston to Farmington somewhere in the nineties and in a few years established a reputation for skill as a physician and surgeon which reached far beyond the confines of his home.

About 1835 the subject of this notice left Farmington and repaired to Salem, Mass., where he served an apprenticeship at the leather tanning and currying trade, and at its expiration, in 1839, he came to Woburn and went to work in the tannery of Dea. Marshall as a journeyman. He afterwards entered the employment of Moses Cummings at No. Woburn with whom he remained until, some years after, he entered into a co-partnership with J. B. Winn, Timothy Winn, Lewis Shaw and Joseph Kelley, which firm for a long time did a large and successful business in the manufacture of leather. The firm had three tanneries, and after several years of great prosperity it was dissolved, and Mr. Blake continued to do business with Charles Tidd and other partners until a few years ago when he retired on a handsome fortune.

Early in his business career in Woburn he married Miss Harriet Cummings, daughter of his employer, Mr. Moses Cummings, who was a brother of Dea. John Cummings the father of Hon. John Cummings of Cummingsville, who survives to mourn the loss of a kind and indulgent husband. Several children were the fruit of this long and happy union, those now living being Emma L. (Mrs. Parker of New Hampshire), Warren N., Dr. Harrison G., Isabella F., Hattie C., all of this city except the first.

A brother of the deceased was the inventor of the famous Blake Pump and the founder of the Blake Pump Works of Boston; another, who died a year or so ago, was a promihent actor in the great struggle in 1855 to make Kansas a free State.

Mr. Blake was a Director in the Woburn First National Bank; President of the W. A. & M. Association; a Director in the Blackstone National Bank of Boston.

He will be sadly missed in this community. He has lived here 52 years at least and has always been closely identified with the interests of the place and the people. He had many staunch friends for he was a kind hearted man, genial in manners, sociable with everyone, and his conscientious honesty and high regard for truth and fair play gave him a strong hold on the confidence and esteem of his fellowmen. He was a bright, brainy man; successful in whatever he undertook; interesting in social intercourse; and his aim was to do right for right's sake.

His sorrowing wife, children, and other relatives will receive the sympathy of this community in their sore bereavement.

When you see a line full of clothes hanging out at nine o'clock on Monday morning, you may depend upon it that the lady of the house either worked on Sunday or else used the economical Brussels soap.

Ventilation.

Those who listened to the excellent readings given by Professor Churchill on the evening of the 6th instant suffered much on account of the vitiated condition of the atmosphere of the hall.

To be obliged to breathe overheated, poisonous air is the chief cause of much illness among our people.

Owing to the height of the walls in Music Hall and the position of the windows great care should be taken to have the temperature in accord with the means of ventilation.

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The Last Night.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C.,
11.45 P. M.,
March 3, 1891.

MY DEAR JOURNAL:—You have the proceedings of Congress in the daily papers, but as I have the privilege of witnessing the last night session of the Fifty-first Congress I send it as I see it.

With the noise and confusion it is difficult for one so unused to the sight to tell what is going on. Here is Gen. Banks who says they are regaling themselves with milk-punch to strengthen them for the long night work. Mr. Coggswell is wandering around in front of the desks, hands in pocket, while two are reading papers alternately and gesticulating. Congressman McKinley is busy writing, while others are sitting on desks; laughing; others with feet on desks while smoking.

Macomis of Maryland is speaking now. There is millionaire Vaux, eighty years old. Little pages are flying around. Well they may for eighty dollars a month! Here is speaker Reed with a white pink in his buttonhole. Here is a man house cleaning; evidently he goes home to-morrow.

Some one is trying to read the report; a member asks to have the reading dispensed with; Holman of Indiana objects. Boutwell of Maine is listening intently as the report is being read.

Every sofa has its occupant. If these men are needed to vote they must come forward, sleepy, and dismayed at losing a comfortable place.

The third reading is finished, and now is the struggle for recognition. Perkins of Kansas has it. Holman objects.

I have it now. They are talking about the Cherokee strip, and a price per acre. Those men in the aisles are commanded to return to their seat. To us looking on there seems no regularity but we are not versed in the ways, and show our ignorance in criticising. However careless these men seem to us the work is going on and the wheels of the government are turning.

This is the last night and much work will be done. The soft light comes from above, illuminating the coats-of-arms of the different States and casting a pleasant glow over the assembly. The beautiful mosaics of the corridors have echoed the footfalls of many this night.

Mr. Lawlor of Chicago says that before we came a temperance bill was presented and it was voted that no liquor should be sold in the District. Then they went out and drank milk-punch in the cloak room. He also says there are 11,000 bills untouched as yet. Widows of soldiers in the last war have waited 20 years for pension bills to be recognized, but the wheels of government are turning.

A message now from the Senate and a momentary lull occurs. Now they are talking about increasing the Army, and now they say "vote, vote," and those outside have to come in and vote. "No quorum" they say. "Fall in for a quorum," and they swarm in. This is to make 12-company regiments so they can make 3 battalions of 4 companies each. It seemed to be carried.

Now a bill regarding copyright is being read. A little disturbance occurs for Holman objects to what is said. Noise and confusion, and the mallet comes down. Mr. Reed says they shall keep quiet while they speak upon the copyright bill. A gentleman said something about protecting the rights of the mother tongue. Mr. Hank of Tennessee says "we are having too much of the mother tongue." "Yes," said another, "by the gentleman from Tennessee." This is an interesting debate; whether our authors shall be protected, or we have cheap books for the masses.

Now comes the voting. The ayes seem to have it. Now the roll is called for ayes and nays and the copyright bill is—127 to 87—passed at 2.15 A. M. on Wednesday morning, March 4th, 1891.—H.

Burlington.

The warrant for the Town Meeting is posted.

The winter term of the schools ends this week. Public exercises will be held at the Centre school.

Rev. P. Thurston of Sutton, supplied the pulpit of the church in the morning and evening last Sunday.

The snow storm was severe in Burlington. No such breaking out of roads as that of last week has been known for three years. The sleighing is not good and does not promise to be.

The proper food for her infant is a subject of the highest importance to a mother who can not nurse her child. Mellin's Food is a perfect substitute for mother's milk, and is highly recommended by the most prominent physicians of both Europe and America.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, March 7, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mrs. Homes, Cademy Hill, Mr. John Mason, A. Nosworthy, Esq., Musician, Mr. A. G. Stevens, Mrs. Alice Taylor, Main St., Mr. James Vanney, forwarded from Peabody.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

Dirt flees before Brussels soap like a grasshopper before the advance of a yellow-legged chicken.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Feve, Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chiblainsr Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

Hereafter women will be admitted to the Liverpool Trades Council as delegates from women's unions.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.'

Mrs. Fawcett and Miss Phillippa Fawcett are coming to America to study the women and schools.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

BAPTIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Fruits of Christianity. At 6 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society; at 7 p. m. Short Sermon. Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

UNITARIAN—At 10 30 a. m., preaching by the pastor. Subject: What has the Bible done for civilization? This is the tenth and last sermon in the series on the Bible. At 7 p. m., lecture. Subject and lecturer to be announced Sunday morning.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "How to be Saved." At 6 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening Christian Endeavor.

METHODIST.—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Leaven. At 6 p. m. Epworth League prayer meeting. At 7 p. m. General Prayer and Praise meeting. Regular prayer meeting Wednesday

HAMBURGS
— AND —
LACE EDGES.

Our annual sale of Hamburgs and Lace Edges. We have on our counters one of the finest lines of Hamburg Edgings and insertions ever shown in this city, in a large variety of widths, qualities and prices.

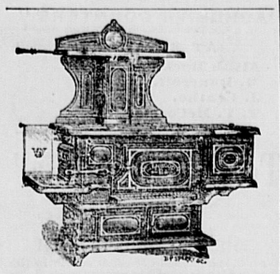
LACE EDGES.

Have just recieved a large assortment of lace edges a special feature of which are Edges varying from one to eight inches in width, at only five cents per yard.

It would well pay our patrons and others to call and look these goods over.

Copeland & Bowser

355 Main St.



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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

Meeting of the Pine Tree Club.

The Executive Committee made up their minds that the first anniversary meeting and dinner of the Pine Tree Club should be worthy of the State from whence its members sprang and they carried out their intentions in the best style and to the unbounded satisfaction of every one who had anything to do with it. To the interest and activity of Secretary William N. Titus from Waldo county was the signal success of the affair largely due, but Nason and Dorr and Strout and others should be cheerfully accorded a full meed of praise for their valuable services. Dr. Seth W. Kelley, President of the Club, manifested a lively interest in the reunion and banquet and contributed much to its success.

About 100 Sons and Daughters of Maine were present at Concert Hall to meet and greet each other and participate in the festivities and pleasures of the reunion. They reported themselves as natives of all sections of the Pine Tree State—from regions extending "from Kittery Point to Quaddy Head," from the Canada line to Sheepscot Bay, and from the Scooduc to the Bogo river. There were representatives from the lumber regions of the north, the clam beds of the south, "Oxford bears," from the "Penobscot country," Androscoggin, Cobossecontee, Maddawaska, Carrabassett, Moosehead, Passadumkeag, Norredgewock, Agamenticus, and all over the State, between whom the greetings were cordial, earnest and honest. Of course many of these people were strangers to each other, but they hailed from Maine, which was all the introduction that was needed as a preliminary to the exchange of experiences and an evening's pleasant social intercourse. A common nativity was the bond that united these scores of Sons and Daughters of Maine in an organized union that is strong, warm and promises to be enduring.

To begin with, an informal reception was held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors when and where some old acquaintances were renewed any many new ones formed, and which occasion everyone improved by saying something good and pleasant about their native State of Maine. The reception was so highly enjoyed that it put into more than one head the idea of holding a sort of everyday, free-and-easy, social, kitchen-fireplace party in the course of a month or so for the purpose of giving the 200 Maine people in Woburn an opportunity to make each others acquaintance without an entertainment and gastronomical accompaniment. To do something towards carrying out such an idea a meeting of the Executive Committee was held last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nason on Main street.

At the close of this informal reception supper was announced and with well whet appetites and as much alacrity as might be consistant with good breeding (Maine people were always well brought up) the company repaired to the dining hall and sat down to an abundant and most excellent repast prepared by Caterer S. H. Patten, himself a good sample of the hardy sons of the Pine Tree State, and served in the best of style. Everybody said it was a royal good dinner and everybody seemed to enjoy it.

After the meats and salads and bread-and-butter, came good, honest Maine doughnuts, some twisted and others round with a hole in the middle, followed by all the standard pies of that glorious old Commonwealth; then blancmanges, walnuts, coffee, and icecream; and after all these, and the company had got themselves into the most receptive and comfortable state of mind, order was called and postprandial exercises announced.

Dr. Seth W. Kelley, President of the club presided, and gave the people assembled a warm and cordial welcome. In his neat and appropriate address from the Chair he congratulated the natives of Maine on the formation of the Pine Tree Club, and was most agreeably surprised to meet so many of the members there that evening. He complimented the guests at the festive boards on their loyalty to the State of their birth and early homes as demonstrated by the large attendance at this, the first anniversary of the Club's organization. In an impressive manner he continued: "But we note with sorrow the absence of some who were with us a year ago at our reunion. Since then our honored President has been taken from us, by an inscrutable but all-wise Providence. He was a typical Man of Maine and one whom we all delighted to honor. To-night we cherish and revere his memory. He was an upright man, with the choicest qualities of mind and heart, and was an honor to his native State as well as to the State of his later home.

"One other, the poetess in the exercises of that evening, has also been 'called up higher.' Though a daughter of Maine by adoption, she was a glad and devoted one.

"Sweet, noble and loving soul, missed and mourned by a whole community, we here tonight do homage to your sterling worth and womanly virtue.

"The record of the State of Maine and her people forms a bright chapter in the history of New England and of America, to which we proudly point with no fear of shame or honest criticism in its perusal.

"Our ancestors possessed those sturdy traits of character which have made the history of the State a glory and a blessing to mankind. Their energy and courage as pioneers in the wilderness, their love of liberty, their patriotism, their pious devotion and religious zeal, their love of well doing, have been transmitted to their children and their childrens' children, and stand forth today, pre-eminently, in the noble types of manhood, presented in her poets, her scholars, her soldiers, her statesmen and her men of thrift and business.

"North, South, East and West you find the men of Maine foremost in affairs. They have also carried with them their inborn love of freedom and patriotic fire and devotion to our common country. Hence we have the right, and here at least the privilege, to congratulate ourselves upon our birthplace and to show pride in the name and fame of this good old State."

Mrs. Ada Cary-Sturgis of Maine, a sister of the unrivalled songstress Annie Louise Carey, was introduced by President Kelley as "a sweet singer from Maine" which praise was fully justified by the splendid manner in which the lady rendered several popular pieces during the evening. She has a charming voice—full, round and melodious—and gave it full play first on "The Waiting Heart," which was followed at intervals all too long for music-loving ears and hearts, by "The Song that Reached My Heart," "Way Down upon the Swanee River," "Home, Sweet Home," and others. Mrs. Charles M. Strout presided at the piano and added much to the musical enjoyment of the evening. The music was an important and pleasing feature of the reunion and each piece was warmly applauded by the company.

President Kelley next presented to the assembly in fitting words Col. A. S. Daggett of Boston, a native of Maine, whose heart was overjoyed to meet so many Pine Tree people around the banquet tables, to partake of their good cheer, to shake their honest hands, and help them celebrate the first anniversary and reunion of the Pine Tree Club. The Colonel is an enthusiastic lover of his native State and never tires of saying good things of her soldiers, her statesmen, her judiciary, her bar, her poets, editors, and other great and good men and women; and he loves her forests and fields; her rivers and lakes; mountains and plains; her sea-girt coast, and the cities and towns and hamlets and farms where peace and plenty dwell all the year round, and he isn't afraid to say so—indeed he loves to say it on every occasion. The speech of Col. Daggett was listened to with marked attention and generously applauded from beginning to end.

Mr. S. C. Small of Winchester glories in being a native of Maine, a fact which President Kelley fully appreciated when he introduced him to the company at the tables. Some think that when Mr. Small gets to talking about his boyhood days at Bowdoinham, or Cathance Landing as old people call it, he is apt to "draw the long-bow," but those who knew Cathance Landing 50 years ago and the country that lay back of it, and how hard it was to catch fish there then, would have no reason to question Mr. Small's veracity when reciting some of his mirth-provoking anecdotes respecting the hardships of his early life. The melancholly story of the drowning in Holmes's Hole of five good citizens of Cathance Landing some 75 years ago is still told by the venerable people of that little village on winter evenings, and Mr. Small has perhaps seen the dear old lady who composed the following verse on that direful event:

"Five honest men from Cathance went,
And never's known to wrangle;
On cedar poles in Holmes's hole,
Cringle, crongle, crangle."

Mr. Small and his stories are always honored guests at Woburn banquets.

After Mr. Small President Kelley introduced Chaplain George L. Crawford, a son of Maine, now and for many years a resident of Boston. He kept the tables in a roar from beginning to end and contributed materially to the life, fun and pleasure of the occasion.

The Executive Committee exercised good judgment in arranging the programme in that they did not string it out far into the night, nor overburden it with a multiplicity of speakers, nor make it stiff and uncomfortable by too much ceremony. The reunion and dinner was a great success and it will be a long day before the Sons and Daughters of Maine in Woburn forget it.

Secretary Titus then read the following letters from distinguished Sons of Maine and with this the meeting closed;

BANGOR, Feb. 19, 1891.

WM. N. TITUS, ESQ.,

Dear Sir:—I have your favor of the 17th inst., as Chairman of the Executive Committee inviting me to the reunion of the sons and daughters of Maine, of Woburn, March 4.

It would give me pleasure to meet with the Pine Tree Club on the occasion named, but I cannot consistently do so. I have just returned from N. Y., and I find that I overtaxed my strength, at my age, and it would not be prudent for me to make another journey so soon, so I must be excused.

Yours Truly,
HANNIBAL HAMLIN.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, 1891.

WM. N. TITUS, Esq.,

Dear Sir:—Mr. Blaine regrets that important official engagements which require his presence in Washington, will prevent his acceptance of the kind invitation of the Pine Tree Club to attend their reunion at Woburn on March 4.

Very respectfully yours,
SYDNEY T. SMITH,
Acting Private Secretary.

SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14, 1891.

WM. N. TITUS, Esq.,

Dear Sir:—I have just received your kind invitation to be present at the reunion of the Pine Tree Club of Woburn, Wednesday evening, March 4. I shall not be able to leave Washington at that time and therefore cannot be present, but I send my best wishes for yourself personally and for the occasion, which I am sure will be enjoyable, as are all the places where the natives of Maine get together.

Yours very truly,
EUGENE HALE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16, 1891.

MR. WM. N. TITUS,

Dear Sir:—Your kind favor of the 12th, inviting me to be present at the annual reunion of the Pine Tree Club of Woburn, is received. Please accept my thanks for the courtesy extended, and my regrets that it will be impossible for me to be present. I do not expect to go East until the latter part of March, and if not in Washington shall be further South at the time of your reunion. I am,

Very truly,
WM. P. FRYE.

SPEAKER'S ROOM, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14, 1891.

MR. WM. N. TITUS,

Dear Sir:—Speaker Reed regrets that his duties here till noon of March 4, will prevent his leaving the city and that he cannot accept the invitation of the Pine Tree Club of Woburn at their reunion that evening.

I will say further that Mr. Reed will soon after adjournment go to Portland and has declined all invitations except one.

Very respectfully,
AMOS L. ALLEN,
Private Secretary.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 18, 1891.

WILLIAM N. TITUS, ESQ.,
Chairman Executive Committee.

My Dear Sir;—I am in receipt of yours inviting me to be the guest of the Pine Tree Club of Woburn on the evening of March 4. It would afford me much pleasure to be present, if my public duties permitted, but as Congress will not close until March 4, and I shall be detained here for some little time after that date, it will be impossible for me to accept your kind invitation.

Thanking you for your courtesy, I remain,
Very sincerely yours,
N. DINGLEY, JR.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15, 1891.

Dear Sir:—It will be necessary for me to be here on March 4, next, when you so kindly invite me to meet the Pine Tree Club at their first annual reunion.

Maine raises more granite, ice and slate, and brave, true men than any other State in the land. She sends forth her patriotic and heroic spirit into every school district in the nation, which is the foundation of all that is glorious and true and reliable in the Union. So long as the other States follow she will lead them to justness and greatness.

Truly yours,
S. L. MILLIKEN.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.
WASHINGTON, FEB. 19, 2891.

WM. N. TITUS, Esq.,
Chairman of the Executive Committee, Pine Tree Club of Woburn, Mass.,

Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your kind invitation of the 12th inst., inviting me to be present and speak at the first annual reunion of your Club to be holden on the evening of March 4th, next. In answer permit me to say that I am exceedingly obliged for the invitation and that it will be impossible for me to leave here at that time. Please extend to the members of the Club my thanks for the invitation.

Very Truly,
C. A. BOUTELLE.

Mayor George F. Bean had also been invited but a previous official engagement required his attention until it would be too late for him to attend, and he sent a letter of congratulation and earnest wishes for the success of the occasion. This letter was also read by Mr. Titus.

Mrs. Sturgis then sang "The Lost Chord" gloriously and the meeting adjourned.

Among those around the tables were the following: President S. W. Kelley, Chaplain George L. Crawford and wife, Col. A. S. Daggett, Wm. N. Titus Esq. and wife, Mr. J. Howard Nason and wife, Mr. Morris G. Rich, Portland, Mrs. Fannie Thomas, Boston, Mr. Charles M. Strout and wife, Mrs. Ada Cary-Sturgis, Mr. Melville C. Strout and wife, Boston, Mr. M. F. Roak, Boston, Miss Florence Hackett, St. Paul, Minn., Mr. C. S. Small, Mr. J. W. Hemenway, Miss Delia R. Bates, Mr. Joseph Smith and wife, Mr. A. J. Edwards and wife, all of Winchester, Miss Eva D. Walker, of Fryeburg, Me., and the following residents of Woburn: Mr. Francis A. Partridge, Mr. James E. Furlong and wife, Mr. C. H. Dudley, Miss Jennie S. Dudley, Mr. James M. Kimball, Mr. George W. Kimball, Mrs. Jacob Ames, Mr. Charles A. Nichols and wife, Mr. S. C. Scantlebury, Mr. James Partridge and wife, Miss Minnie E. Moody, Mr. D. R. Carpenter and wife, Mr. J. W. Sawyer and wife, Mr. Asa G. Sheldon and wife, Mr. Ward L. Dennis, Mrs. A. J. Austin, Miss Ina V. Austin, Mr. Andrew M. Faden and wife, Mrs. Wm. G. Miller, Mr. H. M. Call and wife, Dr. J. P. Bixby and wife, Mr. C. C. Miles and wife, Miss Annie E. Childs, Mr. Edwin W. Gurney and wife, Miss Ethel Maud Gurney, Mrs. W. S. Strout, Mr. A. A. Fish and wife, Miss Stella Smith, Mr. George A. Pearson and wife, Mr. Zoeth W. Atwood, Miss Susie DeLoriea, Dr. N. A. Springer, Mr. Charles W. Dorr and wife, Mr. Wm. H. Swain and wife, Miss Addie M. Swain, Miss Alice Huse, Miss L. J. Valentine, Miss Elizabeth V. Bridgham, Mrs. Eunice B. Leach, Mrs. Addie S. White, Miss Dolly Milton, Mr. W. E. Smith and wife, Major H. C. Hall, Mr. James E. Fowle, Mr. A. T. Carter and wife, Mr. H. M. Eames and wife, Miss Lillie C. McLucas, Mr. George E. Waters and wife, Mr. A. P. Maxwell and wife, Mr. David Ronco, Mr. T. R. Corbett and wife.

The Committee who had charge of the affair and to whom much credit is due for its success were: Wm. N. Titus, Esq., Mr. C. W. Dorr, Mr. Edwin W. Gurney, Mrs. George A. Hobbs, Mrs. Wm. B. Smith, Mr. Charles M. Strout and Mrs. James Partridge.

North Woburn.

Mrs. Timothy Reed still continues to be seriously sick.

Mrs. Herbert Dockham and children of Meriden, Conn., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Marion.

Five days after the snow storm and still some of our principal sidewalks are buried under huge snow drifts. Where is our Superintendent of Streets? He must know that there is such a place as Ward 6.

The bidding on the shadows of the young ladies for the purpose of enjoying a pleasant lunch and chat with them will be one of the features of the sociable to be held at the church this, Friday, evening.

On Wednesday evening, March 4, Mr. Edward Buchanan was given a surprise party at his home by quite a delegation of his friends who turned out in spite of the severe storm. Mr. Buchanan was presented with a fine easy chair beautifully upholstered with plush. A superior collation was served and a very pleasant evening was passed.

The entertainment given by the "Good Will" Club in the Chapel on last Friday evening, gave a very satisfactory result. The dialogues were of a very interesting character and the recitations by Miss Bennett, Miss Lena French and Miss Susie Edgecomb were thoroughly appreciated. Piano solos were executed in a very pleasing manner by Miss Bessie Barker, Miss Grace Bond and Miss Gertrude Watson. One of the best features of the entertainment were the duets sang by Miss Hattie Marshall and Miss Nellie Rodd.

The entertainment given by the Good Will Club last Friday night at the Unitarian Chapel in North Woburn was a grand success. The children sustained their several parts in a manner that would do credit to older heads. The singing and the instrumental music were well received. The of the "Light House Keeper's Daughter" as told by Miss Nellie Bennett of the Emerson College of Oratory held the audience spell bound and the burst of applause that greeted her at its close told how well it was appreciated. Miss Lena French, as the Elf Child, sent us all home feeling we had passed a very enjoyable evening, but we "must watch out or the goblins would get us."

Last Saturday was Mr. Andrew R. Linscott's 47 birthday, and likewise the 25th year of his teaching in the public schools of Woburn. His birthplace was Jay in the state of Maine from whence he moved to this town at an early age. He served faithfully and bravely in the great War of the Rebellion and helped maintain the supremacy of the Stars and Stripes in that monstrous struggle. After returning from the war, at the solicitation of leading people of No. Woburn, he embarked as an instructor of youth and has continued in that occupation ever since, having been reckened always as one of the very best and most efficient teachers in the town or city. He has taught in the Rumford, Hudson and Central Grammar schools, but Rumford has always been felt to be his true school home. He was first Alderman for this Ward, and is, all in all, one of the truest, most exemplary and best esteemed citizens of Woburn.

WINCHESTER.

Street cars run regularly to Symmes's corner.

The new Y. M. C. A. building will be opened on the 17th.

Mr. S. W. Twombly declines a re-eleetion to the office of Assessor.

Every voter will be dead in love with the Australian system after it has been tried here.

The Wedgemere Tennis Club will give their annual entertainment on Fast Day evening.

Mr. Harrison Parker led the Y. M. C. A. meeting last Sunday afternoon. It was a very interesting one.

It is thought that Mr. B. F. Nourse, the well known real estate dealer, will be elected Town Collector this spring He would make a good one.

The prize pool tournament which has been going on for a week at the Hall of the Winchester C. T. A. S. closed last Monday evening. It created great interest and drew big crowds.

Much dissatisfaction is caused by the failure of the ventilating apparatus in the new Gifford school building to perforn its functions properly. One of the teachers states that she has lost nearly a week by having to dismiss her pupils this term.

At the special Town Meeting held last Monday evening it was voted to reject the proposition to adopt the Australian system at our next annual meeting. The politicians were opposed to it, as they always are to any real political reform.

Following is the report of the Winchester Y. M. C. A. for February: Total attendance at the rooms, 658; calls made by secretary, 160: meetings of the religious work, gymnasium and rooms committee, and two directors, meetings were held.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Twombly arrived home from their California trip on last Saturday evening in the best of health and spirits. Both were well while away and both enjoyed the journey and visit on the Pacific coast hugely. They saw a great deal of the Golden State and were pleased with it all.

Boston Herald: Ladies at Winchester are circulating a petition that an article may be inserted in the warrant for the annual Town Meeting, looking to better ventilation at the Gifford school building. About a year ago a patent system was introduced with highly unsatisfactory results, as described in the *Herald*.

It's economical—Brussels soap.

Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

WOBURN, March 3, 1891.

Taken on execution and will be sold at public auction, at my office, No. 424 Main street, in said Woburn, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, and interest, liable to be taken on execution, that Charles M. Wendall, of said Woburn, had on the 3d day of February, A. D. 1890, that being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, with the buildings thereon, to wit:—A certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County, with the buildings thereon, on the northerly side of a private way leading out of Beach street and bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at a stake and stones at said private way; thence the line runs casterly, on and by said private way, about ten rods to a wall at land formerly of John Nelson; thence northerly by land last named by the wall to land belonging to the City of Woburn; thence westerly by land last named about ten rods to another stake and stones at land supposed to belong to one Woodland; thence southerly by land last named about twenty-seven rods to the bound first mentioned; containing about one and one-half acres, more or less.

Also, at the same time and place, all the right, title, and interest that the said Charles M. Wendall had on the said 3d day of February, liable to be taken on execution, in and to the following described real estate with the buildings thereon, to wit:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Charles street, and bounded as follows, namely:—Southerly by said Charles street; easterly by land of Simeon Weymouth; northerly by land of said Weymouth, and by land formerly of Alfred G. Carter; westerly by land formerly of one Thurston.

JOHN F. TYLER, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the Trusts under a deed of Oliver B. Coolidge of Woburn, in said County given to Ebenezer Lawrence, in trust, and recorded with said Middlesex (So. Dist.) deeds, Book 280, Page 212,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, praying to be appointed Trustee under said deed;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

New Bargains At BONELLI'S

22 Franklin St., Woburn.

Peacock Blue Henrietta, Silk Warp, 86c., sells in Boston for $1.00.

Black India Twill, 46 inches wide, 65c., sells in Boston for 75c.

Wine Color Henrietta, 46 in. wide, 75c., sells in Boston for $1.00.

Seal Brown Henrietta, 44 in. wide, 60c., sells in Boston for 75c.

We will give anyone a Dress Pattern of the above goods if they can match them in Boston Retail Stores for less than the prices quoted as Boston prices.

We would be pleased to have you take up this offer.

WANTED,

Near the first of April, a strong willing young woman, between twenty and thirty years of age, for nursery and chamber work, in a family where there are three children under six years. Best of reference required.

Address with particulars,
C. E. G.,
Winchester,
Mass.

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Wanted, a few hundred sides of rough stock finished in GLOVE, PEBBLE and RUSSET GRAINS.

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P. O. BOX 1260,
WOBURN, MASS.

A Suggestion to
DOCTORS.

Habit has made you have a sort of affection for your old furniture. From a practical point of view this is a mistake. Your patients will come twice to once if you have a cheery office. For your new furniture you had better come to us.

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Concert

At Lyceum Hall, Woburn.

Miss M. Emma Fosdick has the pleasure to announce that she will give her second annual concert on

Thursday Eve'ng, March 19, '91.

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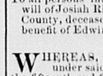

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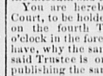

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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Josiah Richardson late of Woburn in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Edwin Richardson,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lewis L. Whitney, the trustee under said will, has presented for allowance the fifteenth and final account of his trusteeship:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Mary A., Patrick H., and Catherine McGrath of Woburn, in said County, minors,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lawrence McGrath, the Guardian of said minors, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified, belonging to his said wards for investment:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Lowell, in said County on the third Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Bell Skinner, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jennie E. Skinner, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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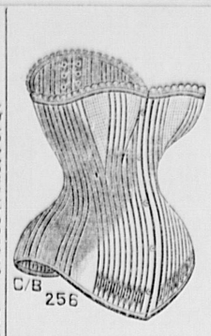

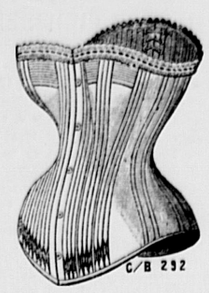

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LESSON XI, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 15.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings v, 15-27. Commit Verses, 15-17 — Golden Text, Num. xxxii, 23—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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15. "Behold, now I know that there is no God in all the earth but in Israel."

Thus spake Naaman as, having returned with all his company from Jordan, he stood before the man of God and prayed him to accept a blessing in the form of money and raiment.

16. "But he said, As the Lord liveth, before whom I stand, I will receive none. And he urged him to take it; but he refused."

Thus spake and acted the man of God. He was not rich in this world's goods, and yet he turns away from riches when voluntarily offered to him, and apparently from a grateful heart. How different from most people! How different from the church of today, which in the most ungodly ways seeks to raise money for what is called the Lord's work!

17. "Thy servant will henceforth offer neither burnt offering nor sacrifice unto other gods, but unto the Lord."

Naaman seems truly to have turned from idols to serve the living and true God (I Thess. i, 9), and he desires to take home with him some of the earth of the Lord's land (Hos. ix, 3), that when he offers sacrifice to the Lord he may do it literally upon holy ground, though in a far country. He did not understand the worship of Jehovah; he did not know that God would hear him from any soil (I Kings viii, 48, 49), but he seems sincere, and if any one sincerely desires to know God He will enlighten him. "Then shall we know if we follow on to know the Lord" (Hos. vi, 3).

18. "When I bow down myself in the house of Rimmon, the Lord pardon thy servant in this thing."

19. "And he said unto him, Go in peace."

This is the decision of the man of God in the matter, and this is his blessing. See in II Chron. xxx, 18-20 how the Lord pardoned His own people, and allowed them to eat the passover otherwise than as it was written. And observe that the attitude of the heart toward God is more in his sight than the outward form.

20. "But Gehazi, the servant of Elisha, the man of God, said * * * as the Lord liveth I will run after him and take somewhat of him."

Here is an idolater indeed—an idolater in Israel, an idolater in the house of a holy man of God, for covetousness is idolatry (Col. iii, 5). He forgot that the law taught us unto covetousness, and that Achan was stoned and burned because of his covetousness (Ex. xviii, 21; Josh. vii, 21).

21. "So Gehazi followed after Naaman."

When Elisha said "Go in peace," Naaman departed; but it seems that he went but a little way ere this covetous Gehazi overtook him. Living with one like Elisha how was it that he had not more of Elisha's spirit?

"And when Naaman saw him running after him he lighted down from the chariot to meet him, and said, Is all well?"

Or, as in the margin, "Is there peace?" There was little peace in that covetous soul. "There is no peace, saith the Lord, unto the wicked" (Isa. xlviii, 22; lvii, 21). "The way of peace they know not" (Isa. lviii, 8).

22. "And he said, All is well. My master hath sent me" * * * *

23. "And Naaman said, Be content, take two talents."

His little scheme was working well. Lying seemed to be a paying business. He had only ventured to ask for one talent of silver, and now two talents are pressed upon him, which, with some urging (?), he consents to receive. Some three thousand dollars for one lie; many a man has lied for even ten or five dollars or less, and boys and girls have been known to lie for a very small amount.

24. "And when he came to the tower (Margin, secret place) he took them from their hand, and bestowed them in the house: and he let the men go, and they departed."

He had no desire to make a great display of his riches, at least not for the present. He had that which he coveted, it was safely in his possession and securely deposited, and no one about the premises was any the wiser, as he thought; and like the rich fool of Luke xii, 19, he perhaps said to himself, What a good time I can now have!

25. "He went in and stood before his master."

As if nothing had transpired worth mentioning, as if he were a very devoted and faithful servant, as if he would say, "My dear master, thou man of God, what is thy pleasure?" We read in Ezek. xxxiii, 31, of some who "sit before the servant of God as the people of God, and they hear His words but they will not do them; for with their mouth they show much love, but their heart goeth after their covetousness."

"And Elisha said unto him, Whence comest thou, Gehazi? And he said, Thy servant went no whither."

Lie upon lie. This is at least the third in this transaction. How hard the heart grows! It is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked (Jer. xvii, 9). What a gulf has opened between him and his master! Let some boy tell how he felt, when, having spent the afternoon in some forbidden place or way, he was asked at the tea table where he had been. Let some Christians say how they feel about prayer when they have been doing what they know God does not approve.

26. "Went not mine heart with thee, when the man turned again from his chariot again to meet thee?"

Ah, Gehazi! he's got you now. Covetousness is a bad thing, and lying won't help it any. "Be sure your sins will find you out." "A lying tongue is but for a moment" (Num. xxxii, 23; Prov. xii, 19). Eve obtained and perhaps enjoyed with Adam the forbidden fruit. Achan obtained and possessed the garments and the gold. Gehazi obtained and possessed the coveted silver and raiment; but in no case did these things bring peace. There cannot be true enjoyment of anything unlawfully obtained. And even though not in this life is the sin laid bare, there is a day coming when the Lord will bring to light the hidden things of darkness and make manifest the counsels of the hearts (I Cor. iv, 5). We should always remember that the eyes of the Lord are in every place beholding the evil and the good, and that "all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of Him with whom we have to do" (Prov. xv, 3; Heb. iv, 13).

27. "The leprosy, therefore, of Naaman shall cleave unto thee and unto thy seed forever. And he went out from his presence a leper as white as snow."

A moment of sin, a lifelong punishment. He begins at once to eat the fruit of lies (Hos. x, 13). It did not pay after all.

An infallible sign of physical decay is sleeplessness; if this is dangerous in an adult, it is deadly in early childhood. Dr. Ball's Baby Syrup will always assist in comforting the baby.

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The Chinese Government has decided to establish brickyards in the empire, in order to rebuild most of the cities, whose houses are almost wholly built of wood. The frequent fires in these places almost invariably result in the destruction of thousands of buildings.

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Mrs. Laura A. Kempton, of West Rutland, Vt., writes: "We are certain that only for Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., our little ten-year-old daughter would have been dead from Bright's Disease. We had tried in vain other means, but the Favorite Remedy came just in time to save her life."

An extensive emigration of negroes from Arkansas Westward is in progress. It is expected that thousands will leave before the summer opens

THE SACRAMENT OF SUFFERING.

We laughed together, dear, you and I,
Many a time in the days gone by;
There was many a jest betwixt us twain,
But never a thought of grief or pain;
And the sun shone bright in the sky above—
It was not the sunshine taught us love.

We often lingered a little while
With a kindly word or a passing smile
(As folks may do who often meet),
Or hand clasped hand in the crowded street;
But with smiling words we still could part,
It was not yet, dear, heart to heart.

Love grew up in the after time,
When life's sweet joy bells ceased their chime.
My soul was rent with anguish sore,
A kindred sorrow kept your door;
'Twas then, as we knelt and together wept,
That into each other's hearts we crept—
Friends, firm friends, through the passing years,
Friends through the sacrament of tears.
—Florence Tylee.

Two of Mr. Allen's War Stories.

Congressman Allen, of Mississippi, never tires of telling funny tales about the war. Here are two: A Confederate soldier in a certain regiment had become noted for running away from every fight. On one occasion his captain found him in line as an unexpected attack opened. Standing behind him, the captain drew his pistol and said: "Now, John, up to this time you have run from every fight. You have disgraced yourself on all occasions. Now, if you stir from the line this time I intend to shoot you dead. I shall stand here, right behind you, and if you start to run I shall certainly kill you." John heard the captain through, and drawing himself up to an unusual height replied: "Wall, captain, you may shoot me if you like, but I'll never give any low lived, low down Yankee the privilege of doing it." At Murfreesboro' a Confederate soldier was rushing to the rear with all the speed he could command. An officer hailed him and sneeringly inquired why he was running so fast away from the Yankees. The soldier, without stopping, yelled back, "Because I can't fly."—Galveston News.

The Dead Sea.

One of the most interesting lakes or inland seas in the world is the Dead sea, which has no visible outlet. It is not mere fancy which has clothed the Dead sea in a perpetual gloom. The desolate shores, with scarcely a green thing in sight, scattered over with black stones and ragged driftwood, forms a fitting frame for the dark, sluggish waters, overhung with a continual mist, and breaking in slow, heavy sepulchral toned waves upon the beach. It almost seems as if the smoke from the wicked cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, which lie at its bottom, was yet ascending up to heaven, and as if the moan of their fearful sorrow would never leave the death smitten valley.

It is a strange thing to see those waves, not dancing along and sparkling in the sun as other waves do, but moving with measured melancholy and breaking upon the shore with scarcely a sound—a fact due to the great heaviness of the liquid, which has more salt and bitumen in it than water. Fish cannot live in such a solution. It has even been said that birds cannot fly over, an absurdity often disproved.—St. Louis Republic.

Sure Preventive.

The Spanish wit and philosopher, Quevedo, who in his time gained a reputation for knowing almost everything, was asked if he knew of a means whereby a person could avoid growing old.

"Most certainly," said Quevedo, "I know of certain rules which will surely prevent your growing old."

"What are they?"

"Keep always in the sun in summer, and always in the wet in winter. That is one rule. Never give yourself rest; that is another. Fret at everything that happens; that is still another. And then if you take care always to eat your meat cold, and to drink plenty of cold water when you are hot, you may be perfectly sure that you will never grow old!"—Youth's Companion.

Average Height of the Land.

The average level of the solid earth has been calculated by Dr. John Murray to be 1,400 fathoms below mean sea level; but more recent explorations show greater ocean depths, according to Dr. H. R. Mill, and a mean sphere level at a depth of 1,700 fathoms. That is, all the land above the level of 1,700 fathoms beneath the sea would have to be filled into the greater depths in order to give equal height to all parts of the solid earth.—Arkansaw Traveler.

Fremont's Nationality.

It is probable that Fremont was a German. He seems to have drifted to Charlestown and to have been taken care of by a worthy German. When he went to school he was received as Fremont, though his German name was Freimuth, and he was probably the heir of a rich German family of that name.—Atlanta Journal.

He Wasn't Built for a Copper.

Neighbor—What would you like to be?

Johnny—Policeman.

Neighbor—You would never do for that. Whenever there is a fight you are always around.—Texas Siftings.

Bad Outlook for Brorson.

Smithers—Bronson's humor is very dry.

Editor—It isn't half so dry as it will be after it has been in my stove a few minutes.—Harper's Bazar.

A Warm Attachment.

Dashaway—Travers is so attached to dress.

Cleverton—Yes; I've known him to wear the same suit for a year.—Clothier and Furnisher.

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"I hunted up one of the under stewards and asked him if he could not arrange for me one of those mattresses which I saw as he had done for others. Oh, yes; they were there for any one who wanted them.

"'But,' I said, 'I can't sleep on one of those things as they are. Can't you get me a sheet and blanket?'

"'I don't know,' he answered doubtfully.

"But he did know when I slipped a dollar into his hand, for in a short time he came back and made a bed for me. I dropped off to sleep at once, and was only awakened by feeling my blanket roughly jerked off me. Sitting up in my improvised bed I saw the retreating form of my steward carrying the blanket. He went up to a man, made up a bed for him, took a dollar and started off.

"'See here,' I cried indignantly, 'what do you mean by stealing my blanket?'

"'Oh,' he said, 'did you want it?'

"'Of course I wanted it; didn't I pay for the use of it?'

"'Well,' he answered coolly, 'it's so warm I didn't suppose you cared about it.'

"'I do; it's cold now.'

"'Oh,' he said easily, 'there are plenty more of them. I'll get you another.'

"He walked up to a sleeping man, deftly pulled his blanket from him and brought it to me.

"'There,' he said, 'if you want another I'll get it for you. There are plenty of them.'

"I tucked myself in carefully this time to save being robbed again, and turning over went off for a second sleep."—New York Tribune.

Sowing on Stony Ground.

Once in a while you hear a Sunday school story that is really good, even if it is rather wicked. In a "suburban village" is an Episcopal church, which maintains a Sunday school, and one of the classes therein is taught by a laughter loving girl. There are ten little girls in her class, nine of them of not remote Irish ancestry and one little negress.

The other Sunday Virgin Mary Parsons—that's the little darky's real name; Virgin Mary is the full name of half the negresses who are called Mary—came very late; the other nine children were present, and looked up as the late comer swept proudly up to her seat. Ignoring the teacher's salutation, the little darky concentrated into two words all the ill feeling that months of contempt had wrought in her, and tossing her head indifferently threw at her classmates the single remark:

"Morning, Paddies!"

The lesson that morning, the teacher is forced to explain, fell into stony ground.—Chatter.

True Courage.

There is a vast difference between brutality and courage. What the world needs to-day is not the courage of the prize fighter—we have too much of that already—but the courage of Gen. Grant and Garibaldi, the courage which has led thousands, when there was need, to die, not only on battlefields but in yellow fever hospitals, at the martyr's stake, and on the cross. Such courage has never been promoted by brutal sports which endanger either human or harmless animal life.—Dumb Animals.

The Queen of Spain Smokes.

Christina, queen regent of Spain, is a great advocate of tobacco. She consumes a large quantity of Egyptian cigarettes, and there is nothing that her little "Bubi," His Most Catholic Majesty King Alphonso XIII, enjoys more than when his mother permits him to strike a match and apply the flame to the end of her cigarette. When thus engaged the little fellow laughs merrily and indulges in all sorts of antics, like a light hearted little monarch that he is.—Paris Letter.

"A Local Habit-ation and a Name."

Vicar of Ballyhooley—Well, Mab, my child, have you made up your mind to the Irish vicar?

Mab—Oh, I don't know, father. He's so eccentric.

Vicar's Wife—Eccentric, dear?

Mab—Yes, mother. When he's in Belfast he calls his congregation "dear Belfast souls," and in Dublin "dear Dublin souls," and in Cork "dear Cork souls."—Judy.

Worn One Hat Ever Since 1859.

One of our state officials can daily be seen on the street exhibiting with no little pride a straw hat which he has worn since 1859, and which is now nearly as good as new.—Kennebec (Me.) Journal.

About Time to Stop.

Criticus—In my opinion all the possible jokes have been worked off.

Editor (wearily)—Yes, and almost all the impossible ones also, I fancy.—Chatter.

There is an enormous tree in the Ocmulgee River swamp near Abbeville, Ga., that rivals the great trees of California. It is ot the tupelo gum variety and hollow at the base, with an aperture large enough to admit a tall man. The hollow is 15 feet high by 12 in diameter.

Among the dishes advised for Lent by a writer of culinary matters are oyster croquettes, lobster croquettes, volaurent of salmon, jardinere salmon, fillets of halibut, caramel custard and cabinet pudding. Lent under these circumstances is hardly a time for fasting.

"Nervy, what kind of a market do you call this?" "Well, I should say it was a market in which men made more money in their heads than they did in their pockets."

An important discovery of tin at Millwood, Va., is reported.

WHAT CANDY COSTS.

How Small Fortunes Can Be Spent Very Easily on Sweetmeats.

Violets and rose leaves, delicately candied, are for sale at $5 a pound.

Gold dragees, a plain round candy dipped in gold, cost $10 a pound. Silver dragees cost $1.50 per pound.

Fruit candies cost 80 cents.

Chocolates and bonbons of the finest description are 80 cents.

Caramels, cups and drops are 50 cents.

Lime tablets, frequently used on steamers to prevent seasickness, cost 60 cents a pound and come in bottles.

Cream peppermints are also used for steamer purposes by young women and children. These are the same price.

Taffy and molasses drops, besides old fashioned molasses candy, are here for sale at 40 cents a pound.

Salted almonds are $1 a pound. Cream cherries are 80 cents a pound.

Chocolate for eating and cooking purposes can be bought for from 40 cents to 65 cents a cake.

Cocoa is 25 cents a cake. Chocolate creams, jellies and nuts are 80 cents a pound.

Satin bags for candies are, when filled, worth $7 each.

Rests for chairs, in lovely designs in lace and painting, are filled with bags of candy and cost $14.

Cap mottoes, for dinners and germans, cost from 25 cents to $3 a dozen.

Dinner favors, in dainty designs of guitars, bags, bouquets and everything beautiful, are to be ordered at from 50 cents to $2 each.

Satin boxes cost from $5 to $60; these are hand painted and embroidered, and filled with choice candies they are fit presents for a queen.

Royal Worcester, Crown Derby, Hungarian, Minton, Carlsbad and Moore, for holding candies, are very dainty and elegant. These cost from $8 to $25 each, and are painted frequently in special designs to order.

Twined baskets cost $3 to $15 each.

Sterling silver bonbonnieres, for holding candies, are of the most charming designs. These range in price from $5 to $15.

The choicest of these sterling silver bonbonnieres contain Italian mint drops, a rare delicacy.

Bonbonnieres for holding dragees are made of handsome enamel. These cost from $5 to $20 each.

Sterling silver dishes for table use, for holding choice candies, cost from $3 to $8 each, and are very elegant.

Boxes of dragees cost 25 cents each and boxes of pastils cost the same price.—New York World.

The Common Sense of the Court.

One of the oldest and best practitioners at the Erie county bar was arguing a motion at a neighboring county seat, and was depending more upon his own sound logic than upon authorities for success. At a critical juncture the judge interrupted the speaker with this inquiry, "Yes, I understand, but where are your authorities upon the subject?" "If your honor please," retorted he briskly, "I will explain the absence of authorities, with your permission, by telling a little story: A young man freshly admitted to practice had produced in court in support of a motion a wealth of authorities. After allowing the young man to read page upon page of dry decisions the judge at length interrupted wearily: 'You are just beginning in practice,' said he; 'let me give you some advice. It does very well to cite authorities once in a while, but you must always trust somewhat to the common sense of the court.'" It was a bold, almost audacious, position to take, but it won his case.—Buffalo Courier.

No Forgiveness There.

A missionary was preaching to an American frontier audience on the Prodigal Son. After he had described the condition of the son in rags among the swine, and had started him on his return, as he began to speak of the father coming to meet him and ordering the fatted calf to be killed in honor of the prodigal's return, he noticed a cowboy looking interested, and he determined to make a personal appeal. Looking directly at his hearer the preacher said: "My friend, what would you have done if you had had a son returning home in such a plight?" "I'd have shot the boy and raised the calf," was the prompt reply.—San Francisco Argonaut.

The Thirsty Cats.

A plea for the thirsty cats that haunt the back streets in the early morning may surely come in here. If you cannot afford to give such skeleton visitors a sip of milk at least set a saucer of water before them. To see them in the back yards of closed houses vainly lapping at the dry stone under the yard hydrant is a pathetic sight.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Family History.

Mrs. De Style (in her bric-a-brac corner)—I cannot imagine how my grandmother managed to keep this set of china so long. Since I have had it the servants have broken half a dozen of the choicest pieces.

Mrs. Levelhead — Probably your grandmother did her own housework.—Good News.

Its Other Effect.

Mrs. Fangle—A Berlin physician says that constant piano practice will almost certainly ruin the health of any girl.

Mr. Fangle—Yes, and it has the same effect on the tempers of the people next door. Don't you think so, my dear?—Argosy.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

Sara Bernhardt has been sitting to M. Clairin for a medallion portrait in which she wears the crown of Cleopatra. Miniaturists are copying the print, which appeared in a French journal, on ivory to fill orders from United States jewelers.

The Americans present at the launch at Portsmouth, Eng., on Thursday were much struck by the display of an enormous American ensign side by side with the royal standard of England.

Why Loved.

Admiral Nelson disliked stiffness and formality. When the hour had come for beginning the council of war he had called on board his ship, instead of opening it ceremoniously he would pace the quarter deck with his captains and coax them into a frank expression of their opinions.

One morning as the Victory, Nelson's ship, was floating along with a four knot breeze, the cry rang out, "Man overboard!"

A midshipman named Flinn sprang to the rail, and looking over saw his own servant in the ship's wake. As he knew that the man could not swim the lad leaped overboard, and held the man up until both were recovered by a boat from the ship.

Nelson, who had seen the brave deed, called the lad up to him and made him a lieutenant on the spot. The other midshipmen cheered and tossed up their hats.

"Stop, young gentlemen!" cried Nelson, putting up his hand for silence, and then, with a smile, added: "Mr. Flinn has done a gallant thing today—and he has done many gallant things before—for which he has got his reward; but mind, I'll have no more making lieutenants for servants falling overboard!"

It was such offhand acts as this which made the great admiral admired and loved by his officers and crews.—Youth's Companion.

Goodness Seldom Pays.

A man stood in a doorway on Jefferson avenue at 10 o'clock at night puffing at a cigar. Along came a second man with an unlighted cigar in his fingers, and he halted and asked:

"Give me a light, please?"

"Certainly," was the reply.

The smoker then took from his vest pocket a match, and from his coat tail pocket a candle wrapped in paper. He struck the match, lighted the candle, and then taking a paper from another pocket he lighted it at the flame of the candle and held it out with the remark:

"Certainly, sir—always willing to oblige."

The other looked at the match, the candle and the paper in unfeigned astonishment for a moment and then drew back, pocketed his cigar and passed on with the remark:

"Much obliged, but you are too all-fired civil."—Detroit Free Press.

A Marvelous City of the Dead.

A map by Padre Marchi shows that one of the Roman catacombs occupies an area of nine furlongs in greatest length by seven in greatest width. A recent calculation from this map places the area of the entire series of catacombs at sixty times this amount, and the total length of the subterranean streets at not less than 900 miles. This agrees very closely with Padre Marchi's estimate by a different method. He conjectured that there may have been twenty confraternities of diggers, and that these might have excavated about seventy feet of road and 100 graves every day; and this, taking two complete centuries as the time which the catacombs continued to be used as Christian cemeteries, gives a total of 720 miles and 6,000,000 graves—figures, however, that Padre Marchi considered much too small.—Arkansaw Traveler.

No Calf.

A Harvard professor's study window overlooks the lawn of a neighbor, upon which is tethered a fine Jersey cow. He says that he was looking out of the window one summer evening when his gentlemanly neighbor came out to milk. As he sat upon the milkstool and bent over to his task the motherly cow turned her head and deliberately began to lick the back of his coat. He jumped to his feet, overturning the pail of milk, and, grasping the stool, belabored the bewildered beast. The professor suggests, when he tells the story, that the poor man could not stand the implication.—Portland Transcript.

A New Excuse.

"Can't you settle that account now, sir!"

"Why, I mailed you the money long ago."

"I never received it."

"Well, I saw in the newspapers that letters containing $35,000 have gone to the dead letter office in the last twelve months. Yours must be among them. See the government about it!"—Epoch.

Reductio ad Absurdum.

Judge (to prisoner)—You are charged with entering this man's store and stealing a clock. What have you to say for yourself?

Prisoner—I am not guilty of theft; I am guilty only of procrastination.

Judge—Only guilty of procrastination? How so?

Prisoner—I am the thief of time.—Jewelers' Circular.

Big Towns with No Hospitals.

The statement is made, as startling, that Richmond, Va., a city of almost 100,000 people, has no city hospital. Omaha, a city of 135,000, is also in the same unfortunate dilemma.—Omaha Bee.

Very Deferential.

"Mr. Dolley is a very deferential man," remarked Amy to her mother.

"Yes," assented the old lady, "he's differed with everybody ever since he was a little boy."—West Shore.

Of Course.

Tommy—Sis, here's a little fuzzy baby caterpillar.

Kittie (severely)—Oo mustn't call that a caterpillar. It's only a little kittenillar.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

For the past three weeks the Lower Potomac fisheries have been almost coining money. It is estimated that more fish have been caught on the Virginia shores of the Potomac since the 15th of December than during the whole season for the last twenty years.

A Frenchman in the Province of Lorraine bequeathed France $800, with which to buy arms to fight Germany in the next war. As he was beyond the reach of the law the Germans arrested his brother as accessory to the crime of sedition and conspiracy.

A unique international exhibition of the year will be that of products, machines and implements connected with the various clay, stone, cement and asphalt industries. It will be held in Hungary, but will hardly produce world-wide enthusiasm.

It is reported that $40,000,000 of British capital is invested in Paraguay.

Woman's Column.

Twenty-three of the United States now admit women to practice at the bar as lawyers.

A bill to give women municipal suffrage has been introduced in the Michigan Senate by Senator Miles.

Miss Sanborn, of Laconia, N. H., has been appointed a notary public by Gov. Tuttle and his council. She is the first woman to hold such a position in New Hampshire.

Dr. Edith Pechey Phipson has been appointed a member of the Senate of the University of Bombay. The Vice-Chancellor said he believed this was the first time a woman had been appointed a member of the governing body of any university. But he was mistaken. It has happened in America several times.

Madame Von Truffel, better known as Blanche Willis Howard, is living happily and writing busily in Stuttgart. Her husband lately said to a friend that it would be "a blot on his 'scutcheon" if her marriage should paralyze his wife's literary faculties. He is said to be as proud of her as a literary woman as he is devoted to her as a wife.

Miss Gertrude E. Fonda of St. Albans, Vt., has won the fifty-dollar prize offered for the best original design by a woman for an article of household furniture. Her design is a book-case in the form of a large volume open at a little more than right angles, with the shelves across the open pages. It is made of wood, and the binding, lettering and trimming of blue and gold are cleverly imitated. About 200 designs were submitted in the competition.

Miss Yerne Tsuda, who has been a special student at Bryn Mawr for more than a year, recently gave an interesting talk to the students on the progress of education among Japanese women. Miss Tsuda was one of the five children sent to this country by the Japanese Government, in 1871, to be educated. She and one companion were the only ones able to complete their ten years' residence. On her return to Japan, Miss Tsuda was appointed teacher of English in the Peeresses' School, founded by the Empress at Tokio, a position she still holds, and to which she will return in June.

The National Farmers' Alliance, which had present, at its recent convention in Omaha, more than a hundred delegates from eleven States, and which in Nebraska alone has 65,000 members, passed the following resolution:

"We believe that women have the same rights as their husbands to hold property, and we are in sympathy with any law that will give our wives, sisters and daughters full representation at the polls."

Lewis E. Gurley, president of the Troy (N. Y.) Female Seminary, has presented to the trustees a memorial building to cost about $45,000. It will be erected this year. The building is to be a memorial to the deceased brother and sister of the donor, and is also to perpetuate the memory of Mrs. Emma Willard, the founder of the seminary, and a pioneer in the movement for the higher education of women.

Miss Elizabeth Sheldon, who has made a thorough study of architecture, gave a lecture recently in the vestry of the Church of the Messiah, New Haven, Conn., on "Interior decoration." There was a large attendance. The New Haven *Journal and Courier* says of the lecture: "Not only did it show excellent knowledge of the history and principles of design and of art in general, but the delivery of the lecture would have commanded praise by the side of almost any examples of platform work. Miss Sheldon ought to have an opportunity to give a course of lectures on art."

I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely, it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Christianity or the plain precepts of the Bible, as embodied in the Golden Rule, strikes at the root of all evil, makes the love of humanity paramount to self love, and is the only remedy for all individual and social evil; makes religion and morals harmonize, brings peace on earth and good will to men. All efforts to establish justice by any other means always will fail. When true religion is fairly tried, as it never has been, it is sure to succeed. "All things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them."

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Judge Simpson

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Women were particularly successful in entering the British Royal Academy Schools this year. Of the 23 who were chosen 13 were women and 10 men.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10 40, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 9.10, 9.55, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 8.15, 9.15, 10.00, 10.45, 11.45, A. M., 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, 11.10, A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.20, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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The Woburn Journal

CHOICE OF AN ACTRESS.

Being at foundation a womanly woman, she always expected to marry. I say expected, instead of hoped, because she had constantly too many admirers to doubt her opportunities—to her mind it was simply a question of meeting the right one.

She felt that when the right man came she would be willing to give up everything for him; indeed, she contemplated with a certain serene satisfaction the coming of a time when her triumphs and ambitions and fame and freedom would be exchanged for the proud servitude of wifehood.

Still she wasn't in a hurry to meet the right man. He would come when he did come—and when he did come it couldn't be helped, and she would be glad. Upon various occasions she had experienced a distinct sensation of fretfulness.

She had conscientiously given the admirer a fair chance to prove himself the right man, but had always been downright glad when he had failed to do so. The admirer always made some mistake fatal to his interests.

Perhaps he lost his head, and went down on his knees; that always immediately settled it. She was much too proud and too humble a woman to be willing to marry a man who went down on his knees about it.

Or he lost his head, and threatened to shoot himself, or drink himself to death, or jump in the bay.

Now and then she was moved with regret at the storm which she had raised, and expostulated in a kindly fashion with her victim, but more often she shrugged her white shoulders, saying, if not to the man, at least to herself, that the man who was foolish enough to want to shoot himself because a woman did not love him, had better shoot himself.

Some men were doggedly meek—of these she was a bit afraid—yet so far these meek, dogged wooers had presently developed into bores, which, she felt, lessened the danger. I say danger, because she regarded the possibility of marrying any man but the right man a danger.

Sooner or later, in the course of every admirer's attention she made a stanch effort to dismiss or escape him.

She argued to herself that escape from the right man would be impossible, and that escape from any other was to be regarded as wisdom and hailed as good fortune.

She never went out of her way to attract men—in the first place she had no need to, and besides she really did not care to increase the chances of coming across this more or less to be dreaded right man.

She kept pretty closely to her work, enjoyed the footlights, spent her money freely, rejoiced in her independence, and thought herself a lucky girl.

Of course she had admirers. She considered that a natural result of her position, profession, sex and attractions.

She permitted men who loved her certain privileges—they might kiss her hand, come to the theatre and see her play, and give her flowers and feel miserable about her.

Any one of them, she realized, might develop into the right man, so she treated them all conscientiously. She never misled them or led them on, and since she was frank with them and never discourteous, she felt she had a right to be exacting about their manners, and she always was.

Upon the three or four occasions when a man's devotion had stirred in her a certain degree of interest she had rigidly demanded time to find out and make up her mind.

To find out meant to satisfy herself that the man in question and the "right man" were of one "identity." To make up her mind meant to decide whether, right man or not, she would have him!

The candidate having always failed to stand this test, she had, directly she was so assured, dismissed him promptly and gently.

By what subtle sign of authority she would recognize the right man she did not know. He would be big, she was sure of that, and very gentle; he would meet her mentally, "understand" her, satisfy her morally and tenderly, master her physically.

He would be above all her little arts and caprices, but he would admire them; he would be too dignified to go down on his knees from not being able to help it, yet quite fond enough of her to do it. For her part, she would never wish it, and she would be very meek and gentle and obedient, and glad to be so; but—but, meanwhile she was free, and of that she was glad, too.

Really, her life was delightful; she lifted her white arms into her pretty lace wrapper and laughed to herself as she settled for her little rest before retiring. Her parlor was warm, and the light softened by colored shades; a bit of sandalwood among the logs sent a spicy fragrance out with the heat, she rubbed her head among the cushions and laughed again to herself.

It was a notion of her own, this half hour rest before retiring. For the sake of it she usually came home at once from the theatre.

Going out to suppers and sitting up and drinking wine was stupid, besides such a course would soon spoil her good looks. A warm, all-by-herself half hour in her own pretty room with the crackling of her fire for company was much nicer.

It was nice to feel that the comfort around her was all of her own making, and to know herself in the midst of it to be very pretty and very sweet, and alone, in spite of the ones she could check off on her pink fingers as at that very moment who were miserable for sight of her.

As a rule, men had sought her out and made themselves as charming as they found possible and permitted; but Crag Demmon attracted her.

He was big, undeniably a gentleman and by nature apparently a savage. He fell promptly in love with her, and his personality riveted her attention in an insistent way which she made no effort to oppose. For the first time a man's passion for her seemed to invest the man with strength.

To face his savagery and do as she pleased in spite of his fierce jealousy she found an exhilaration; to command a creature so much bigger than herself, and to feel his strength and not his weakness obeyed, was an excitement.

To look into his savage, somber eyes and melt them with the smile of her own was worth doing, and intoxicating.

One day he asked her to be his wife, adding that unless she gave him some definite answer he would see her no more. She was much interested.

"Could you leave me and not see me again?" she asked.

"Yes."

"Would you shoot yourself?"

"No."

She felt aggrieved. After a pause she asked, "Do you love me?"

"Yes." His teeth were set, his face pale, and he looked at her as if he hated her.

Her breath quickened. "Why do you hurry me so?"

"Because I will be made a fool by no woman."

A throb of fear went through her. She flung her head back and made answer, "You may go at once," and then, because his eyes frightened her, she began to cry and—"How do you expect one to decide at once like that, if she loves you? I can't and I won't—you can go."

"How much time do you want?"

"I don't know."

"I will wait a while."

"Much better go. I won't be put on time. I don't think I shall care for you, anyhow, and even if I did you are so ugly maybe I would not marry. Go away and let me alone." She spoke in a frightened rush.

"Don't be foolish," he answered; I will wait—a while."

During the "while" he saw a great deal of her; he curbed his temper, was always gentle, always devoted, made no effort to kiss her, half strangled a man at the club who suggested that all actresses were alike, and looked at her half the time as if he hated her.

She grew frightened and meek, and made an exhaustive study of his tastes. One day he spoke harshly to her; she cried out that he must not—that she loved him.

Thereat he took her in his arms, kissed her and said, "Will you be my wife?" A month from that time she married him.

Her manager protested, and a good deal of money was paid over. To the wife the manager said, "You are a fool; if you ever want to come back to the stage let me know."

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Demmon carried her off to Europe. He was strong and gentle and devoted. There was little trace of his savagery, except in a fiercely jealous guardianship over her.

Now and then he ordered her around. Once she protested vehemently; he looked at her and answered, "You forget you belong to me."

He gave her all the money she wanted, bought her anything she fancied, and insisted upon her dressing richly and indulging extravagances, but once, when she received a check for a story she had written, he tore the bit of paper in pieces, saying: "I will give you all the money you want! Don't forget!"

She was happy—oh, yes. Her one thought was to please him, and to please him made her happy. She gave up all her own fancies, and endeavored only to meet his moods. She kept up all of the pretty petulance and caprice that had pleased him originally, because sometimes it amused him to see her childish and exacting—she knew when to be silent, though, and how to efface herself.

She read the papers faithfully, and, by dint of study and close attention to a few political arguments within earshot of which she came, she got a fair grasp of the principles of the party opposite to her husband's, and argued with him very well.

To such men as he presented she made herself charming—he liked to have other men admire her; herself, she took no interest in attracting them, and she was always a bit afraid of being too successful and so annoying her husband. Besides, attention from other men made her heart ache; her husband loved her dearly, but he did not tell her so very often, and sometimes when she made mistakes he called her stupid.

Of course she did make mistakes sometimes. Being very anxious to please him, her instinct was not always true. There were times when he liked to have her creep to the side of his chair and push her soft hair against his face, saying nothing meanwhile, unless the little caressing breath from her lips could be called speech; but then again this annoyed him, and he had to be let alone.

Being very fond of him, it was hard to come near or pass him without reaching out a hand touch his shoulder or cheek, and this fretted him dreadfully when he was not in the mood. Also there were times when she wanted him to take her in his arms and be good to her, and find out how she felt, or when she wanted to cry and be miserable and be petted and coaxed out of it; all this was childish and foolish, but—oh, dear! how her heart ached sometimes.

He loved her—of course she knew that—so there was no need that he should tell her so all the time: besides, he did tell her what an unfailingly attractive companion he found her, and he praised her tact and sense and the way she kept her pretty looks.

She was happy when she was with him, only happy when she pleased him; and she used to cry her pillow wet very often.

At the coming of the child her husband was distinctly displeased; when it died the mother grew sullen

They got back to America; a letter from her old manager inclosed a contract for the coming season. She signed, left all her jewels, and with her maid started for New Orleans—*Emma V. Sheridan.*

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

The first Capuchin monastery in Ontario has just been completed. On the ground floor is the chapel. Above are the cells of the monks. Each cell or room is lighted by a small window, and contains a rude bed, with a pallet of straw and straw pillow and a little wooden desk, the handiwork of the occupant. In the basement is the laundry, the monks doing their own work in this department and the dining-room. Plain deal tables are arranged around the sides of this room. Each monk has assigned to him two plates, a water jug, a cup and a bowl—all of brown earthenware—and a knife and wooden fork and spoon. The furniture, which is as plain as possible, was all made by the monks.

They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Buss drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart

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Woman's Column.

Life of Anna Ella Carroll.

The biography of Anna Ella Carroll is now completed, and will be printed as soon as 500 copies shall be subscribed for at $1 apiece. Payment to be made when the work is ready for delivery; and the names of the subscribers to be published. Names of individuals and societies subscribing may be sent to Miss S. E. Blackwell, 1829 F street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

This biography has been prepared from data furnished by Miss M. H. Carroll, and from the Congressional records. The proceeds, after defraying the cost of publication, are to be for the benefit of Miss Anna Ella Carroll. The work includes Miss Carroll's ancestry and early life, an account of her civil services, and numerous letters of historical interest. It will be accompanied by a portrait of Miss Carroll at the time of the Civil War.

An Object-Lesson.

A new illustration of the need of women on public boards is afforded by the death, under most distressing circumstances, of a twelve-year old girl, through the culpable carelessness of the superintendent of the Michigan State School at Coldwater. The Equal Suffrage Association of Detroit passed the following sensible resolutions:

WHEREAS, The Superintendent of the State Public school gave into the hands of a man unknown to the officers of the school, without any guarantee as to his character, a young girl, thereby paving the way for her consequent abuse and atrocious murder: therefore

Resolved, That the death of this motherless child under such harrowing circumstances is an evidence that women should be on the boards of control of all public institutions containing persons of their own sex, and that the placing or indenturing of children from that or any other institution should not be in the hands of men alone.

Mrs. E. W. Croft thought that the root of the difficulty lay in politics. She said, very reasonably: "We can never have these institutions rightly managed so long as politics control the appointment of the officers in charge."

The Women Ignored.

It often aggravates the condition of disfranchisement for women to see themselves wholly ignored when public questions of large general or local interest are pressed upon the attention of the people, as in Presidential elections, and in Town Meetings. Here is one of the latest. The Danvers (Mass.) *Mirror*, in its last issue, says:

"Important matters are coming up at the special Town Meeting to-night, and every citizen who is loyal to his town should make an effort to be present. The questions to be discussed closely concern the interests of the town."

The questions to come up involved women not less than men. They also involved the spending of money, and the women would be taxed; but they had no vote.

It is the same with the Divorce Reform League. Its officers and members are all men, as though the question had no concern for women. In the same way the Lying-in Hospital of Boston, where only women are treated, has its whole Board of Trustees, officers and physicians composed of men. There are plenty of well-qualified women physicians, but they are wholly excluded, although they are the only persons properly entitled to have the care of the women in the Lying-in Hospital.

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An uncommonly well-developed specimen of the genus tramp addressed the veteran stock operator, Addison Cammack, in New street the other day with a hearty "Say, Uncle, will yer give me a quarter?" The cynical millionaire looked curiously at the forlorn combination of rags and impudence and replied, sarcastically; "Why, of course; come to my office when you have leisure and I will give you my note for the amount." "Yer note?" queried the mendicant, as an anxious look stole over his face, "Well, say, who can yer git to indorse it?" Cammack actually grinned as he passed over a silver quarter.

The Best Result.

Every ingredient employed in producing Hood's Sarsaparilla is strictly pure, and is the best of its kind it is possible to buy. All the roots and herbs are carefully selected, personally examined, and only the best retained. So that from the time of purchase until Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepared, everything is carefully watched with a view to attaining the best result. Why don't you try it?

A man at Anderson, Cal., won the bet that there were seven dogs in town to each voter.

SOMETHING NEW.
The Greely Pants Stretcher.
The best and simplest in use.
PRICE ONLY 25 CTS.
Munroe's Clothing House.
423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

The Boston Mugwumps.

The Boston mugwumps have been interesting themselves in an attempt to retain Gen. Corse as postmaster, and, in arguing their case, they have not hesitated to become maudlin. They say that as Gen. Corse who was appointed by Cleveland, has made a good postmaster, he ought to be reappointed by Harrison. This gives us a front view of the mugwumps idea of politics.

This idea is worth considering as one of the curiosities of emasculated temperaments. The mugwump view is that the contests between the parties mean nothing. When the people elect a Democratic or a Republican Congress, the result is not only fortuitous, but humorous. When the people, through their electoral system, choose a Democrat or Republican President, the mugwump idea is that they are only fooling.

That Gen. Corse has made a good postmaster there can be no doubt, but he has not made a good Republican postmaster. Nevertheless, the mugwumps of Boston have been besieging Mr. Harrison and begging him to reappoint the Democratic veteran. We do not believe that Gen. Corse himself has sympathized with this movement to retain him in office under a Republican president.

Mr. Harrison has set an example in this matter for Democratic Presidents to follow, and it is a very wholsome example.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

If you don't want to have ultimate trouble cure your catarrh now by using Old Saul's Catarrh Cure. It costs but 25 cents.

One lap (its mother's) for the well baby in daytime. About 700 laps of the bedroom floor at night for the happy (?) father unless he has Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup to ease the little sufferer.

The Omaha *Bee* reports: "A Leadville jury recently becoming disgusted with the "sass" administered to themselves, as well as the lawyers and witnesses, by the Judge, ordered the Sheriff to lock the latter up for a couple of weeks, "just to let out a hole or two in his checkrein," as the foreman, a livery stable keeper, aptly expressed it. And to His Honor's great exasperation he was incontinently lugged off to jail and placed in durance vile, while the case went on smoothly with the most popular barkeeper in town occupying the judicial chair."

Boils—Blood Disorder.

I had been troubled with boils which came out on my ears, neck, and in fact all over my body. I tried everything and could get no relief until I was advised by my neighbor, T. N. Arnold, to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. After using it less than three months, I can say I am fully cured.—Sam'l Grady, No. 20 Caledonian ave., Rochester, N. Y.

Farmer Aiken of Venango county, Pa., aged 80, started for Pittsburg on his first railroad ride. "The rattle of the train terrorized him, and he got off at the first stop and took to the mud roads. He hired a private conveyance and went to Pittsburg in that manner."

"If any here present," said the officiating clergyman, "can show just cause why this man and this woman may not lawfully be joined together, let him speak or forever hold his peace." The groom, Mr. Lariat of Arizona, casually laid a pair of large revolvers on the railing in front of him and the ceremony proceeded.

The administrator of the Cathedral at Milan has found it necessary to contradict the statement of an English clergyman that the bones of Judas Iscariot were preserved as relics in the cathedral.

The signatures of many members of the British House of Commons, among them some of the most learned, are so illegible that the clerks are sometimes unable to decipher them.

A portion of the Indians who were sent to Florida with Geronimo have been returned to within a few miles of their old stamping ground, much to the dislike of the citizens.

Scientific Drops.

Pipes for gas, water and electric cables made of paper have recently appeared at Vienna.

Platinum and silver can each be drawn into wire many times smaller than a human hair.

Tough paper is made by mixing chloride of zinc with the pulp. The more concentrated the zinc solution the tougher will be the paper.

The telescope enables us to measure the invisible by first making it visible; the spectroscope enables us to measure the invisible without making it visible.

An employe of the Pullman Company has invented an electrical air brake, which is so constructed that the air chambers can be recharged whether the brake is in operation or not.

Celluloid in solution is now being extensively used as a lacquerer for all kinds of fine metal work and as a wood varnish with results that are said to be superior to the old methods.

Every year a layer of the entire sea, fourteen feet thick, is taken up into the clouds. The winds bear their burden into the land and the water comes down in rain upon the fields to flow back through rivers.

Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL RECORD for March is a number which cannot help but please musical people. It is published monthly by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

THE NEW MOON, a Lowell literary product, is filled to the brim with good things this month. The stories and poetry are of the best quality, while the Editor's Departments are running over with bright, timely articles.

The Baltimore *American* says: The republican party always manages to swing back to its old victories after an off year defeat. Read this paragraph from an editorial in yesterday's New York *Sun*, the leading democratic paper of New York State: "Fifteen of the 30 cities of New York choose their mayors on the first Tuesday of March, and 22 of the 60 counties hold their town elections on the same day. In the contest of the present week the republicans have recabtured Rochester, carried Dunkirk, elected for the first time in the history of the town a republican mayor in Rome, won in Newburgh, Olean and Amsterdam, and carried six of the seven wards of Elmira the home of Gov. Hill, exactly reversing last year's result in that town. The *Sun* wants to know who is to blame for this. Of course, the people are to blame.

A visitor in New Orleans says that there are three features of the life in the Creole City that are sure to impress the stranger forcibaly. They are the cemeteries, which are veritable flower-gardens; the language of the French residents, which is spoken every-where and has the pure Parisian accent, and the fact that the negroes on the lower river still sing the old tuneful songs that were heard in slavery days.

It is said that Mr. Mills is coming to New England shortly in the interests of his canvass for the Speakership. It is further said that Mr. Mills is Mr. Cleveland's candidate for the position—whereat our Massachusetts Democratic Representatives will doubtless fall down at once and worship him.

The new year will bring Miss Belgarnie, of the London National Society of Woman's Rights, to New York to lecture on the wrongs of the oppressed sex.

Baroness Burdett-Coutts laid the memorial stone of a new wing of the Princeton Almshouse at Wood Green a fortnight ago.

Seven American girls were registered among the Newham students last month. What's the matter with our Bryan Mawr and Smith Colleges?

Royal Baking Powder is reported by the U. S. Government, after official tests, highest of all in leavening power. It is the best and most economical; a pure cream of tartar Baking Powder.

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE TREATMENT OF RUM DRINKERS.

There is a bill before the Legislature of this State which proposes something of a revolution in the judicial treatment of persons more or less addicted to the drink habit and it ought to become a law. It is a long step forward on the line of true, humanitarian reform. It treats the slave to the habit of liquor drinking more rationally than the laws now in vogue on the subject do, and recognizes the fact that the unfortunate victims are human beings even when intoxicated and are entitled to and should receive fair treatment from the laws.

Mr. L. Edwin Dudley of Boston, who is at the head of the Law and Order League of this State, gives the salient features of the proposed law in the following paragraph from an able letter written by him to the Chairman of the House Judiciary Committee of Legislature a few days ago in which he urges the enactment of the bill with zeal and power:

"In brief, the bill provides for abolishing the system of fines, which we believe does no good, and much harm, which makes an unjust discrimination between those who have money and those who are impecunious. The bill provides that the courts shall by investigation and a system of records ascertain the facts about all persons who arrested for drunkenness, to the end that the court shall be so informed that it can deal with each case intelligently; and, further, it is provided that those who are usually sober, industrious and good citizens, and who but infrequently yield to the temptation of strong drink, shall be allowed to go free, without being taken into court and recorded as criminals. The further provision all will agree is one that should be made. It is simply that those persons who are given up to the habit of intoxication shall be sent to correctional or reformatory institutions long enough to give them an opportunity to overcome their appetite and habits, and to give some hope that they may be reformed and made good citizens."

Another feature should be added and that is that no person quietly walking along the streets, annoying no one and making no disturbance, should be liable to arrest. "Disorderly" conduct should be actual instead of a legal fiction to justify the police in taking a person in charge and locking him up. Under the present practices and perhaps laws intoxication includes, or carries with it, "disorderly," whether the person is actually so or not. This ought not to be law.

But the bill is a long step in the right direction and we hope it will pass.

☞ Mayor Bean's veto of the order to increase the pay of the policemen in this city to $850 a year is printed in another place in this paper. Nobody will deny, whether they think the pay of the police ought to be increased or not, but that the message contains a deal of solid truth. The financial condition of this city forbids extravagance in its expenditures, and property owners who are groaning under the the burden of taxation demand a strictly economical administration of the city's affairs. Whether $850 a year is too much or too little to pay the policemen we are unable to say for the reason that we know nothing about it; but we know, or think we do, that the pay in no other city in the State should be adopted as a rule on which our own city government should act in this matter. What is it worth to do the work? and at what price will good men do it? ought to govern the action of the Mayor and City Council in determining the pay of the police rather than what other cities may or may not do.

☞ When the argument of Louis D. Brandeis before the Joint Committee on the Liquor Law of the Massachusetts Legislature came to the JOURNAL office the other morning it got into the wrong box entirely if the author expected a favorable review to be published of it. It was an argument against the anti-bar law of this State and in favor of open bars, free rum, and all that sort of miserable thing. As an argument it was a very weak affair indeed and the lad of a dozen years who couldn't answer it and put rum advocate Brandeis *hors de combat* in less than no time would deserve to be taken out behind the barn and cowhided.

☞ Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, M. C. from the Sixth District, advanced sound views on the subject of "Emigration" in a speech which he delivered in the House of Representatives on the 19th of last month. Of the kind of foreign emigrants which have been coming to our shores of late years we have had more than has been beneficial to the country, and it is high time that something was done by Congress to stop the inflow of such people as a large bulk of the weekly arrivals is composed of.

☞ A due regard for the public welfare ought to make the reappointment of Hon. A. B. Coffin to the position he has filled so acceptably for the last four years on the State Board of Gas etc. Commissioners a sure thing.

☞ Gov. Russell has gone as far as he can towards removing Commissioner Osborne (lately investigated) from the Board of Boston Police Commissioners. The Council will take their turn at it in about 3 weeks.

☞ Hon. A. B. Coffin, member of the State Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners, will please accept our thanks for a copy of the Board's report for 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Co-op. Bank—Meeting.
Post 161, G. A. R.—Fair.
C. D. Appleton—For Sale.
L. L. Whitney—Pro. Notice.
W. N. Blake et al.—Citation.
J. G. Magnire—Mortgage Sale.
Hump. Ad. Agency—Dog Show.
G. P. Rowell & Co.—H. West, L. Co.
Lock Box 1402—Young Men Wanted.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Mayor Bean has been on a trip to Virginia.

— Read the change in C. M. Munroe's card.

— There was quite a snow squall last Monday.

— It was disagreeably dusty on our streets early this week.

— Mr. J. R. Carter and wife are expected home by the first of May.

— There was more snow yesterday, but not enough to do any good or hurt.

— Mr. George W. Duren went to Worcester last week to visit friends there.

— Take particular notice of the change in Horton's advertisement this week.

— Thanks for Arizona papers received from Mrs. Jennie Greenleaf the other day.

— Some of W. H. Slater's oil paintings are on exhibition at Buss's drugstore.

— The JOURNAL was in error in stating that the City Reports for 1890 were published.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery delivered an address at Ballardvale last Monday evening.

— City Solicitor F. P. Curran, Esq., has been suffering from an attack of La Grippe (capitalized).

— On last Tuesday, March 17, St. Patrick's Day, the days and nights were of the same length.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammond are at St. Augustine, Florida, enjoying life and oranges to the brim.

— Next month the Friendly Aid Society will pay 160 certificates of $100 each held by people in this city.

— Organist Buck has made up a fine musical programme for next Sunday morning at the Unitarian church.

— The choice of pews in the new M. E. Church will be sold on Tuesday evening, March 24, at 7.30 P. M.

— The equinoctial gale is due in this latitude about these days. It will be well to be on the lookout for it.

— Particular attention is called to the advertisement of the N. E. Kennel Club's Dog Show to be held in Boston.

— According to current report the members of the W. H. S. G. A. do not manifest much interest in the organization.

— The arctic feeling in the atmosphere let up on Tuesday evening, since when the weather has been more moderate.

— Harry Knight got a bad cut in his hand at Mr. E. Rollins's shoe stock factory, where he is employed, last Tuesday morning.

— By general order Octavia E. Dorr of this city has been created Aid on Special Work by the Woman's Relief Corps of the State.

— April 2 has been fixed on for Fast Day. It looks now as though that date is going to be too early to open the baseball season.

— After paying the last bill due from the Pine Tree Club the Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Eames, had just 9 cents left of Club funds.

— Mark well the change in the advertisement of Copeland & Bowser. They are showing some fine spring styles in dry and dress goods.

— Mrs. M. A. Winn is slowly recovering from a severe attack of la grippe. For a time it was reported that she was a very sick lady.

— Rev. Dr. Daniel March of this city delivered an address at the Missionary Conference yesterday afternoon at Park Street Church in Boston.

— While chopping wood at the Jones blacksmith shop last Wednesday Geo. Dargie cut his left thumb nearly off. Dr. Murphy was called to dress it.

— Ada Cary-Sturges returned to her home in Maine last Friday after a very pleasant visit here in Woburn, Boston and elsewhere in this neighborhood.

— Next Sunday is Palm Sunday; a week from to-day is Good Friday; and Sunday 29, is Easter Sunday. Easter falls much earlier this year than usual.

— About the only thing in the way of an entertainment that was indulged in here on St. Patrick's Day was the minstrel show by the St. Charles boys.

— Mr. Charles Wood came up from Lynn last week to pay a visit to his son Henry B. Wood and family in this city. Hs has a plenty of good friends here.

— Mr. Thomas L. Cushman, tenor, of Boston, will sing at the Unitarian Church next Sunday evening. He sang last Sunday night and gave great satisfaction.

— Janitor John Connolly of the Municipal Building has had it too. He has been hauled up for repairs several days. The grip is no respecter of persons.

— Mr. William S. McGregor of the Dow hot houses furnished a large number of cut flowers and English violets for individual contributions to Mr. Blake's funeral.

— Mr. George E. Kimball formerly of this place has recently been elected Secretary of the Evangelical Congregational Society of Hingham Centre where he resides.

— "A Stocking" was the theme of Miss Brown's essay before the Fortnightly Club of Winchester last week. She is one of the bright lights of the Woman's Club of this city.

— Mr. Mathew J. Flood and Miss Adelaide McElroy have plighted their troth and now only wait for the coming out of the apple blossoms to consummate their earthly bliss.

— Rev. H. C. Parker conducted the religious services at the funeral of Miss Mary F. Parker at 708 Main street last week. She left many friends who sincerely mourn her departure to the Better Land.

— The annual meeting of the Woburn Co-operative Bank for the election of officers will be held in Board of Trade Rooms, Dow Block, at 7.30 Thursday evening, April 9.

— The grip, if such is the proper name by which to call the prevailing distemper with which so many persons have recently been suffering, is abating in severity and number of attacks.

— Mr. W R. McIntosh, Chief of Police, has also had a time with the grip and was quite sick. Last Sunday he was threatened with pneumonia, but he is now on the mending hand.

— Mr. Howard Carson, engineer of the Middlesex sewerage system, states that it will take more than four years to complete that system through its 130 square miles, and that the cost will be about $5,000,000.

— Harry L. Flanders, who formerly kept a drugstore in this city, and Miss Victoria Maxwell of Winchester, were united in wedlock at Atlanta, Ga., on the 11th of this month. The JOURNAL tenders congratulations.

— Mr. A. B. Barrett, the long time popular barber in the Joseph Kelley block, has been wrestling with something that very much resembles the grip this week, but is able to be about and attend to business.

— The alarm from box 27 last Tuesday was for a slight blaze in the residence of Mr. W. P. Sevrens on Ward street, No. Woburn, which was extinguished before the services of the hose companies were needed.

— City Clerk Moreland has returned to his post of duty in Municipal Building after a fortnights's outing in the low latitudes for recreation. Mr. Moreland has not been robust for some little time, but is now better.

— Mr. Cushman of Boston, who sang at the Unitarian church in this city last Sunday evening, has a magnificent tenor voice and makes music with it fit for the gods to listen to. He certainly is a splendid singer.

— The postmortem examination of Mr. E. N. Blake by Dr. John M. Harlow, his attending physician, disclosed the fact, as the Doctor supposed it would, that the cause of Mr. Blake's death was a cancer of the stomach.

— A big house greeted the St. Charles Minstrels at Lyceum Hall last Tuesday evening. An announcement that the boys are coming out in their burnt cork always fetches a crowd. The performance was excellent as usual.

— It is expected that a hearing by the Court in the case Boston *vs.* the Dows, tanners, of this city will take place on next Monday. Their tannery and currying shops are nearly or quite all cleared of workmen and indefinitely closed.

— One of the JOURNAL's most highly prized contributors, Miss J. Gertrude Menard of this city, has recently been elected a member of the New England Woman's Press Association, a position of honor which she is well calculated to adorn.

— The *City Press* says that Messrs. Stephen Dow & Co., among the largest tanners and curriers in this city, contemplate removing their business to Charlestown, which we have reason to believe is the report of a false rumor on the street.

— Clan MacKinnon, No. 45, O. S. C., will celebrate the third anniversary of their organization by a grand concert at Lyceum Hall on the evening of April 15. A feature of the affair will be the music by Lambette's renowned Scottish Choir and Scottish bagpipes.

— The entertainment to be given in Concert Hall, March 30, consisting of Reading's by Prof. O. T. Curtis, Piano solos by Miss Willard, and a Platter Drill under the supervision of Capt. H. N. Conn, promises to be of unusual interest. Don't fail to be present.

— On the 14, 15, 16 of April Mr. James E. Darmody of this city will give, by engagement, his lightning drill and exhibitions in swinging Indian clubs, at a Fair to be held by the Red Men at Portsmouth, N. H. In these exercises few men are equal to Darmody.

— The second annual convention of the Middlesex County Y. P. S. C. E. will be held in this city on Fast Day, April 2, afternoon and evening. An interesting programme has been laid out. Miss Clara M. Fox of Woburn is a member of the Executive Committee.

— Patrick McGowan has decided to enlarge his Conn street leather establishment by the addition of some 60 feet to its length in order to enable him to do his splitting at home instead of sending it away to be done. This will increase his force of hands quite considerably.

— Mrs. Mary A. Livermore will close the Methodist Church Course of Entertainments on the evening of March 26 with a lecture entitled "Twenty-five Years on the Lecture Platform," which lecture has never had a public delivery. It will be well worth hearing.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith lately returned from New York where he made large purchases of spring dry goods which are all shelved in his big store and open to inspection. All the new spring styles are to be seen in the stock, and as for prices please glance at them in his announcement in this issue of the JOURNAL.

— Two weeks ago the Westboro (Mass.) Board of Trade held their annual meeting and banquet at which the principal speech was made by Mr. C. J. H. Woodbury of Boston. It contained sound business doctrine for towns, and was cordially endorsed by the very large company of ladies and gentlemen present.

— The guitar and banjo concert given at Lyceum Hall last evening under the management of Miss Emma Fosdick, the well known and very successful guitar and banjo teacher, by many skilful performers, was a great success musically and financially. The performers and their work were highly meritorious viewed from the standpoint of musical art or their pleasure imparting power. Miss Fosdick must be given the credit of furnishing one of the very best concerts heard in this city this season. Want of time prevents giving a more extended notice of it.

— It is to be hoped that the Magee Furnace Company will get that Union street school house heating machinery fixed up all right this hitch. The thing has been a nuisance all winter, but our school authorities very properly say: "no heat no pay," and so the Company are making another trial to remedy the evil this week.

— It was about as cold a St. Patrick's Day last Tuesday as any common middle-aged person can easily call to mind. A keen N. W. wind prevailed all day which at times blew with considerable velocity and had it not been for the power of the rays of a mid-March sun the day would have seemed more like December than a spring one.

— The following are the prices paid the call men on Fire Departments of adjacent cities and towns: Woburn $65 per year; Winchester, $35; Medford, $50 and poll tax; Malden, $75 and poll tax; Melrose, $35 and poll tax; Wakefield, $25 and poll tax; Reading, $10 and poll tax, and 50 cents per hour; Stoneham, $35.

— Miss Recording Secretary Bryant makes out a very clean and readable report of the doings of the Woman's Club for 1890-91, which is to be found in this issue of the JOURNAL. While no essential fact is omitted from the report there is no waste of words about it. We are glad to learn from it that the Woman's Club is in a flourishing condition.

— Albert Thompson of Woburn has recently painted a large canvas showing a well-balanced landscape interspersed with cattle. It was a commission for a Western collector.—*Frank T. Robinson in Boston Traveller.* A full description of the very fine painting above mentioned appeared in the columns of the JOURNAL on its completion by Mr. Thompson.

— It was stated that Liberty Council, Order of United American Mechanics would dedicate their new hall last Wednesday evening but it will not be done until next Wednesday evening. It is reported that the dedication will be an affair of importance and the ceremonies of an interesting character. They have furnished their quarters in elegant style.

— At 6 A. M. last Tuesday morning the weather stood at only 14 above zero in this city which, with the exception of a few mornings, was as cold as any thing we have had since Christmas For St. Patrick's Day 14 above was a tolerably frigid figure, and yet 14 it was. On account of the high wind the night previous was almost as cold as anything experienced here this winter.

— Post 161, G. A. R., advertise to hold a grand Fair on Thursday and Friday evenings next, March 26. 27, by which to obtain funds for the benefit of the Post Relief Fund connected with the same. Emerson, the noted humorist, has been engaged for readings, and good musical entertainments will be given on both evenings. Read the notice of the Fair in another column.

— Judge Clarke of the New Hampshire, before whom the case was tried, has rendered a decision in the Middlesex Investment Company adverse to the holders of the six matured certificates and in favor of the Col. Hayes and his associates who procured the injunction. It is thought the decision will be a death blow to the myriads of "investment" companies here in New England.

— Possibly it was inferred from what the JOURNAL said last week about the Lawrence and Nashua mails that Mr. Postmaster Wyman had caused their discontinuance which inference would have been entirely erroneous. They were discontinued by the P. O. authorities at Washington last Oct., soon after they were established, so of course Mr. Wyman had nothing to do with the matter.

— John E. Gilcreast, son of Supt. Gilcreast of the Woburn Gas Light Co., is just getting over a very hard time he has had with one of his hands. Several weeks ago he burned it with a stove-lifter and getting cold in it he has had serious and critical trouble with it. Dr. Graves has looked after it carefully and skilfully and at last Johnnie has got over the worst of it and his hand will soon be all right again.

— James Skinner, Esq., testified last Tuesday before the Legislative Committee on Public Health in relation to the proposed legislation to change the authority to license the prosecution of offensive trades and took the ground that the present laws on the subject were all-sufficent for public protection. Besides Mr. Skinner quite a number of prominent manufacturers testified in favor of the remonstrance against the change.

— Last week Thursday evening members of Hose Co. 1, of which he was a member for several years and foreman, and other friends at a farewell gathering at the Central House, presented Mr. Charles A. Wood, who left for St. Louis last Monday, with an elegant gold chain and a nice meerschaum pipe in token of the high esteem in which he is held by them. There were no set speeches, but a fine collation was served after the presentation.

— Our esteemed fellow citizen Mr. Patrick E. Tennay was successfully raided for intoxicating liquors on the 12th inst. by Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott. We regret that our old friend should have fallen into the clutches of the law. At the same time we congratulate the temperance people in this city on their good fortune in having a Chief like McIntosh to wage war against the rumsellers and faithful officers to back him in his efforts to suppress illegal rumselling. Chief McIntosh is no respecter of persons: one violator of the law is no better or worse than another violator of the law, and all are bound to catch it so long as he is at the helm.

— There was a well attended meeting of the Board of Trade on last Tuesday evening whereat matters of public importance were discussed. The subject of the petition of the Postal Telegraph Co. to set poles for their wires in this city was canvassed and then laid on the table. Mr. Horton showed that the present service was all that was needed.——On motion of Secretary Lewis the following committee were chosen to present a list of candidates for next year's officers of the Board, namely: F. H. Lewis, B. F. Whittemore, Alexander Grant, Charles M. Strout, Winthrop Hammond.——Matters pertaining to the annual meeting and banquet were discussed.

— Miss L. M. Fogg (successor to Mrs. N. M. Maxwell), whose neat and attractive millinery parlors are in the Dodge Block corner of Main street and Montvale Ave., has returned from New York City where she has been attending the spring millinery openings this week in order to post herself thoroughly on all the latest fashions in millinery goods and styles in making and trimming preparatory to her own spring opening, the date of which will be announced in due time. Miss Fogg has no doubt as to the utility of visits to the metropolis in pursuit of prevailing fashions nor of the benefits which patrons of her establishment will reap from the same. At the proper date Miss Fogg will open a fine stock of goods.

— A large congregation assembled in the Unitarian church last Friday evening to hear the eloquent Rabbi Solomon Schindler of Boston tell why he is a Jew. To a Christian his reasons for being a Jew were not entirely conclusive, but if he is satisfied with them others ought to be. The Rabbi is something of a sensationalist and likes to make a stir in society and be prominent among his fellowmen; and he manages, through several channels for reaching the public, to keep things humming pretty lively most of the time. His rather unique sort of a lecture was given under the auspices of the Friday Night Club who have furnished the public with some fine entertainments this winter in the shape of lectures, music, etc.

— At 2 o'clock last Friday afternoon Mr. Alexander Brown died at his residence, No. 30 Mt. Pleasant St., in this city after an illness of not long duration. He was born in Scotland on May 21, 1807, which country he left with his parents about 1813 and settled with them in Nova Scotia, where so many intelligent and enterprising Scotchmen have made their homes. About 40 years ago Mr. Brown came to Woburn and has been a respected citizen of the town ever since. He carried on the trade of a carpenter and builder up to some 10 or 12 years ago when he retired. The deceased was an active and honored member of the First Baptist church in this city and an exemplary man in all his habits and modes of life. It was only a few months ago the writer met him on the streets and although almost 84 years old he was as bright as many a man much younger. His wife survives him and had he lived until the 28th of this month Mr. and Mrs. Brown would have celebrated the 58th anniversary of their wedding day. Besides the venerable widow seven of their 14 children remain to mourn the death of a kind and indulgent father. They are; John S., residing in San Francisco, California; William P. in Cambridge; James A., in this city; Charles S., in Boston; Helen L., a teacher in Allston, and two daughters living at home.

— The funeral of Mr. E. N. Blake took place at his late residence on Abbot street at half-past 2 o'clock last Saturday afternoon. The Messrs. Tripp, City Undertakers, had charge of it, and the religious services were conducted by Rev. Daniel D. Winn, pastor of First Baptist church in this city, and Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the First Parish church. Mrs. Morrill of Boston sweetly sang appropriate selections of music for the sorrowful occasion. A great many beautiful flowers—offerings of love and esteem for the deceased—adorned the rooms and the elegant casket in which peacefully rested the earthly remains of the cherished head of the late happy family and filled the air with their delicious fragrance. There were several floral memorial pieces of artistic design and exquisite finish, that from the Free Masons being among the largest and most beautiful. Many people gathered in the rooms to pay their respects to the memory of a good citizen, kind neighbor and true friend; to leave a last token of their appreciation of his worth and a to pay a fitting tribute to it. These were mostly his townspeople who knew and appreciated him best, but there were other relatives and friends from Boston and elsewhere in attendance on the solemn occasion. The remains were interred in the family lot in Woburn cemetery on Salem street.

— Last Friday evening Burbank Woman's Relief Corps, 84, celebrated the 4th anniversary of their organization by a supper and entertainment at G. A. R. Hall, 424 Main street, and made a very pleasant time of it. About half past 7 the large company sat down to an excellent supper provided by the good ladies of the Corps and ample justice was done it by those who surrounded the board. A feature of the monthly meetings of the Corps is the fine supper served by them to which Comrades of Post 33 and others are always invited. After the repast was finished an address of welcome to the invited guests was made by Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside, President of the Corps, who, after making a brief announcement of the cardinal principles of the organization, gave the following epitome of the Corps work during the 4 years of its existence: turned over to Post 33, $330.90; expended in relief, $129.84; given towards relief, besides money, $140.94; making a total for the time of $601.68, or an annual payment of $150.42. These figures are something to be proud of. After the report Mrs. Woodside said: "What is still more to our credit, from the day of our institution to the present time not one word of discord or unpleasantness has occurred among our members or the comrades of the Post. Perfect harmony and good feeling has prevailed." Then followed speeches by Mayor Bean, members of Post 33 and associate members; some excellent readings by Mrs. B. A. Stearns and Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, and fine piano solos by Miss Lucy Woodside. The evening closed with singing war songs and pipe talks. It was a real, genuine good time.

— The sacred concert given under the auspices of the Knights of Labor at Lyceum Hall last Sunday evening for the benefit of the Lynn Strikers was honored with a very large audience and yielded a handsome sum of money. Calnan's Orchestra furnished fine instrumental music, while the songs by Woburn talent and the Electric Male Quartet of Stoneham were excellent. We think it would be much more sensible for the laboring men of this city to keep what money they have and let outsiders take care of themselves. Hundreds of tanners and curriers here are idle because there is nothing for them to do; many have had no work for weeks and weeks; some—nearly all of them—will get no work for weeks and perhaps months to come; and the idea of contributing funds to the Lynn strikers, or anybody else, under these circumstances, is worse than folly. Before our laborers get work they will need every penny they can rake and scrape together; they need it now; many families are exceedingly destitute of food, fuel and clothing; they will be worse off before summer comes; and still the managers of the Knights call on them for money to help others elsewhere who are no poorer than themselves. The Lynn strike is not a voluntary affair on the part of the workmen. They were ordered out by the officers of the K. of L. and many of them are cursing the officers for it. Only a few days ago we read newspaper interviews with a large number of the Lynn workmen everyone of whom blamed their present troubles on the officers of the K. of L., who they roundly condemned for their meddling. In every interview the men were desirous to get back to their work, but the labor leaders and demagogues will not permit them to do so. If left to themselves the workmen at Lynn would soon settle their difficulties and everybody would be at work earning wages instead of calling on Woburn Knights to collect and send them money to live on. In reality, a large share of the money collected for them goes to buy luxuries for the labor leaders, the officers and bosses.

Woburn Co-operative Bank.

The above institution held its regular meeting on the evening of March 12, and nominated the following gentlemen to be its officers for the coming year. For President, James Skinner; Vice-President, George Buchanan; Treasurer and Secretary, Arthur W. Whitcher; Directors, Benjamin F. Whittemore, Joseph W. Hammond, William F. Davis, Otis Bacon, Lawrence Reade, Martin Hayward, Joseph B. McDonald, Squire B. Goddard, Thomas Salmon, Fred H. Lewis, Henry C. Hall, S. Franksford Trull, Fred J. Brown, Frederic A. Flint and H. Eustis Smith; for Auditors, Charles A. Burdett, Arthur E. Gage and Winthrop Hammond.

There was a lively demand for the money, $2,400 being sold at a premium of 5 cents on a share. Every dollar was taken and $50 over. During the the year past the Bank has disposed of something over $24,000, being an increase over former years by $3000.

A large share of the money bought goes into local improvements—considerable of it into building. Scores of young men in this city have found the Bank a blessing to them for through it they have been enabled to secure homes of their own and to pay for them in the easiest possible way. The institution has from the beginning been officered by careful, liberally disposed men, to which probably may be attributed a considerable share of its popularity and success.

As suggested by the JOURNAL last week as probable the corps of this year's officers, with one or two very slight changes, have been renominated and will no doubt be re-elected.

The fourth annual report of this institution shows 384 members, a gain of 24; and 2210 shares, a gain of 75 over last year. It has $65,875 in real-estate loans; $2020 in share loans, and cash on hand $3,178.55, sold to four members awaiting their pleasure. Last year it had $5,937.54 on hand, unsold, making the years business over $6000 better than last. The Bank has a capital of $70,445.98; a guarantee fund of $182.88; a forfeited share amount of $47.71, and a surplus, after paying all expenses, of six per cent each year for the past four years, and the guarantee fund of $692.88.

The Bank readily sells its money for building purposes and to take up mortgages with. The usual monthly amount sold is from $2,500 to $3,500 and at the April meeting $2,500 will probably be offered. The ninth series of shares, limited to 400, will be for sale on and after March 30, and from present indications it will all be sold before the regular meeting.—X.

The Ashley Hall Concert.

Miss Whittemore, its Preceptress, is making a brilliant success of the Ashley Hall School in this city and the JOURNAL congratulates her on it. Because the talented and accomplished young lady decided to establish her educational institution at Montvale rather than at Woburn Centre many predicted that the worthy scheme would prove abortive, but these people reckoned without their host, for the school is a complete success; it is doing the best of educational work; and it has bedrock for its foundation. Energy, pluck and good practical sense have won the day and Woburn has a young ladies school, or seminary, in the Ashley Hall institution of which it may well feel proud.

Music is a part of the curriculum at the school so a vocal and instrumental concert was given at the Hall on last Friday evening under the direction of Mr. F. H. Lewis, one of the best and best known organists and pianists in this part of Massachusetts. He is at the head of the Lewis Music School in this city, a member of the Faculty of the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, and a teacher of wide and enviable reputation. The talent who appeared in the concert were Mr. Lewis, Wulf Fries, the celebrated violoncelloist of Boston who is known the country over as without a rival anywhere on his favorite instrument; and Miss Helen Bullard, a superb soprano and a teacher of renown in Boston. A finer combination of musical talent could hardly be imagined, and the concert was in every respect worthy of the reputation of the eminent artists.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather there was a good attendance and the people present were highly pleased with the rare musical treat set before them.

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City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Board held a regular meeting on the evening of March 12. Councilman Simonds only was absent.——A communication was received from Mrs. Mary A. Page, wife of Mr. Albert G. Page, of Central Square, asking for compensation for injuries received by a fall while walking on the sidewalk in front of No. 642 Main street, on March 7.——The appropriations order as amended by the Board of Aldermen was concurred in and passed to adoption.

The following veto message was received from Mayor Bean on the salary of policeman:

To the Honorable, the City Council:—

Gentlemen:—I return herewith without my approval an order relating to the salaries of regular officers on the police force, which originated in your honorable body, was amended, and, as amended, adopted by the Board of Aldermen and the amendment concurred in by you on the 26th ultimo. The order reached me on the fifth instant. It increases the salary of each regular police officer $50 per annum.

I have considered this order and the subject to which it relates with much care, both before and since your action upon it, and have reached a decision which is contrary to the opinion of a majority of the members of each branch of the City Council.

I am opposed to the order because the state of the city's finances and the demands upon her resources, present and prospective, are not such, I think, as to now justify an increase of compensation to employes and officials. I have already had occasion to express this conviction and to base thereon an objection to an increase of salary which had been favorably acted upon by the City Council. The same consideration is conclusive with me in this case.

If I do not mistake greatly the sentiment of our citizens, they generally desire an economical administration of municipal affairs. There is no public demand or reason for any unnecessary expense. I think we are agreed that we should especially concern ourselves at present to lighten the burden of taxation. Any increase of salaries established by your passage, and my approval, of this and other similar orders, must be paid out of money raised by taxation or derived from licenses or other miscellaneous sources. If provided for in the latter way and therefore not affecting the rate of taxation for the current year, yet such additional expenditure will certainly leave a smaller balance of unexpended funds in the treasury at the end of the year, and thus ultimately become a tax. Regarding this as the result of incurring what I deem an unnecessary and unwise expense, I do not feel justified in approving this order.

But I am satisfied that the increase of pay contemplated is not one which on its merits should be allowed. There is no reason to think, as it seems to me, that the service required of the police force in any other city of the Commonwealth is less arduous than in Woburn. On the other hand it is evident that in many cities which are more populous than Woburn the police are exposed to much greater personal danger on many occasions than has hitherto come or is likely to come to them in this city, and that special emergencies more frequently involve greater exposure and more exhausting labors than are found here. If therefore in such cities the salary of regular police officers is greater than the amount which we now pay, it would not necessarily follow that the latter is not proportionately large, even though we make the salaries in other cities the basis on which we establish those to be paid here. Viewed from this standpoint it appears to me that the present salary of each officer is adequate.

Looking at the matter in another way I reach the same conclusion. I have informed myself as to the entire amount paid out in salaries for regular police officers in several cities of the Commonwealth and compared the same with the total amount of appropriations in such cities for all current expenses, aside from the public debt, interest thereon and sinking funds. I find that in some cities, which, comparatively speaking may be termed wealthy, the proportion which the amount of such salaries bears to the amount of appropriations above indicated is somewhat larger than in Woburn and indeed in such cities, salaries generally appear to be higher than here. But in other cities the reverse is true and the percentage is less than it is here on the basis of the present salary of $800. This I think a better basis of comparison than the mere statement of the sum paid to each officer in the several cities.

I, however, maintain that we are likely to reach wrong conclusions if we base them merely on any such comparison. The circumstances are different in different cities, the rate of taxation varies, the amount of money at the disposal of the various City Governments differs greatly and out of proportion to the actual demand. We should, I contend, decide such matters as this, according to the circumstances which encompass us, and guided in this case by the facts and circumstances which, in opinion relate to and surround it, the conclusion which I have reached is that the salary of the regular officers as now fixed at $800 is a reasonable compensation for the services they perform; that the aggregate salary list of regular officers is at least a just proportion of our total appropriations; that if comparison is desired, it is as large a proportion as prevails in many other cities of the Commonwealth; that in some cities where the salary is higher than in Woburn the labor performed and the hardship and personal danger involved is much greater, and that, besides these special considerations, it is not wise to now put any additional expense upon the city not imperatively required. I therefore veto the order.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE P. BEAN, Mayor.

Woburn, Mass., March 7, 1891.

The order vetoed failed to pass, the vote being: Yeas, Cutler, Kendrick, McAvoy, O'Donnell, Weafer and Waldron; Nays, Bowers, Hanson, Larkin and Littlefield; 6 yeas and 4 nays, as one more vote was required for the necessary two thirds the order was lost——James Dolan was elected Assistant Assessor in Ward 2.

Advance Sale.

The advance sale of tickets for the Winchester Wedgmere Tennis Club Negro Minstrels will take place at box office of the hall Saturday, March 28, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Orders for tickets may be left at Buss's drug store, Woburn, till noon of that day. Prices: 50 and 75 cents.

[Original.]

IN HARBOR.

A white sail almost listlessly droops o'er
A calm and placid sea,
And undulating hill and glittering shore
Rise on the quiet lea.
Slowly, with morn, the brown hills steal around,
And lo! the boat her anchorage hath found
Within the haven of eternity.
So passed the spirit of the one we love
Where no more shadows loom!
And hearts, but human, weep, as slow we move
Unto the waiting tomb:
And hearts, but human, break: and love and law
Are hard to reconcile; and truth can draw
Few hopeful lessons from the bitter gloom.
"There is no grief like mine!" Poor, burdened heart,
It is the wonted moan
Of thousands thronging life's bewild'ring mart:
And thou art not alone
In thy peculiar adversity:
The ear of God is open to thy cry.
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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor at 10 30 a. m. Subject: Palm Sunday as a parable of life. Lecture by Rev. F. B. Hornbrooke of Newton, Mass., at 7 p. m.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "America for Christ." At 6 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society; at 7 p. m. Short Sermon. Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST.—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by Rev. William J. Hamilton; at 6 p. m. Epworth League; at 7 p. m. prayer and praise meeting. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening class meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Prelude: "Hosanna Day." Sermon: "The Third Word of the Cross, Home." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Subject: "The Time of Visitation." The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Married.

At Atlanta, Ga., on March 11, 1891, Mr. Harry Lincoln Flanders, formerly of Woburn, Mass., and Miss Victoria Maxwell, daughter of Mr. John Maxwell of Winchester, Mass. The present home of the newly married couple is at the St. Charles Hotel, Pella City, Ala.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, March 12, Bernard Reddy, aged 62 years.

In this city, March 12, Ebenezer N. Blake, aged 70 years, 7 months.

In this city, March 13, Alexander Brown, aged 83 years, 9 months, 22 days.

In this city, March 13, Peter Clark, aged 78 years.

In this city, March 13, Mary E. Flynn, 3 months, 25 days.

In this city, March 17, Rebecca Holmes, aged 38 years.

In this city, March 19, Mary E. Brevier, aged 21 years, 10 months, 1 day.

In this city, March 19, Patrick Collins, aged 53 years.

In Burlington, March 12, Sarah Jane Paterson, aged 33 years, 7 months.

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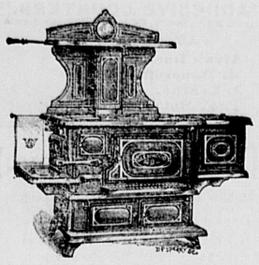

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The Annual Report of the W. W. C., 1890-1891.

Whe Woburn Woman's Club was organized in 1883 with a charter membership of 95, and to-day it has 155 members, a gain of 36 over last year. There have been held during this Club year 17 meetings—7 before the summer recess, and nine afterwards; also a lawn party on June 27. Two "home talent" meetings have been held—one in the form of a memorial service. The annual reception was given on the evening of Jan. 16, and a special meeting was called on Feb. 4, to meet Mrs. Helen Campbell. For fourteen meetings we have been indebted to lecturers from abroad for entertainment and instructions.

The annual meeting of 1890-'91 was held on the afternoon of Friday, March 7, in Concert Hall. Mrs. Lucy E. B. Converse, who had so ably filled the office of President during the previous Club year, yielded to the general and urgent wishes of the members to assume for a second term that honored role. Two new Vice-Presidents were elected, a new Recording Secretary, a new Treasurer, and two new Directors. After all business was disposed of, Mr. Clarke of North Woburn gave a talk on "Physical Culture," illustrating his remarks by taking the various exercises described.

This Club had only just entered on its year of 1890-91, which promised to be so bright, when it received a sudden shock in the death of its first President, EMMA PUTNAM KELLEY. That it might in some way express its deep love and respect for this noble woman and pay a loving tribute to one whose memory it held so sacred, the afternoon of March 20 was devoted to a service in memory of its founder. They who took part in this service were the friends and classmates of Mrs. Kelley and her co-workers. Mrs. J. K. Adams spoke of Mrs. Kelley's efforts in the formation of the W. W. C.; of her organization of the W. E. S. L.; of her interest in the W. H. A. W.; and of her many other generous works for the good of her town-folks. Mrs. C. G. Johnson drew a picture of Mrs. Kelley in her school-days. Mrs. F. W. Hill spoke of Mrs. Kelley in her home life and friendships, and in her final illness so patiently endured. An original poem of Mrs. Kelley's was read by Mrs. S. Adelaide Porter.

Resolutions on the death of Mrs. Kelley were submitted to the Club by Mrs. E. Maria Bean. It was voted they should be adopted, and that a copy should be sent to the bereaved family and friends.

On Friday, April 4, the Club listened for the first time to Prof. W. O. Crosby of the B. S. N. H whose subject, the "Geology of Woburn," proved of interest to all. Prof. Crosby illustrated his remarks by means of charts, and he exhibited geological specimens which he had collected in his many rambles about our city.

The Club passed an enjoyable afternoon on Friday, April 18, listening to Rev. H. Bernard Carpenter's paper on the "Poetry of Poverty"—that is, poverty as represented by the poets. Little did we think that this genial nature, this fine intellect, would never again delight us; that the summer would call from earth a man whose literary career promised so rich a fulfilment.

The Club was interested in hearing, on May 2, Mrs. Anna Garlin Spencer, whose lecture on "Organization" was able and eloquent.

On May 16, Miss Frost, who had kindly acted as our delegate to the convention held in N. Y. city in April by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, gave us an interesting account of the proceedings during the 3 days the Federation was in session. After the acceptance of this report, Mrs. Mary E Blake read a paper on "Juvenile Literature."

With the flowers and sunshine of June there came to us Mrs. Livermore who brightened by her presence the afternoon of June 6. Her answer to the question "Has the Night of Death no Morning?" was as full of faith in a better and truer life hereafter as was the day full of sunshine and beauty.

On the afternoon of June 27, the officers of the Club gave to the members and ex-officers and to other guests from the Malden, Melrose and Winchester Women's Clubs, a Lawn Party on the grounds of Mrs. Converse and Mrs. Hayward. The President and two Vice-President's received many guests from four to six. Simple refreshments of cake and lemonade were served. After the two hours had been pleasantly passed the Club separated for the summer vacation.

The literary exercises of the first fall meeting on Oct. 17, were conducted by members of the Club, this being the second home meeting of the year. Two excellent and original papers were read—one on "Housekeeping and Home-making" by Mrs. Alice M. Barker; the other on "Co-operative Housekeeping" by Mrs. Jennie Kelley Adams.

On Nov. 7, Miss O. M. E. Rowe lectured on the "Heredity of Character and Ability." The subject was treated from a scientific standpoint by one whose mind is well stored with a knowledge of the sciences that relate closely or remotely to the study of Heredity.

The meeting of Nov. 21, was held in the evening that others not members might listen to Mr. John Baker's recitals of Russia's cruelties toward her political prisoners and exiles with which sorry classes of sufferers the Baker family was closely associated.

On Dec. 5, the Club had the good fortune of welcoming for a second time Julia Ward Howe, who read a paper on "Marriage and Divorce." From her character and mental ability, from her knowledge of people and books, Mrs. Howe is peculiarly fitted to discuss such vital questions and her paper received our earnest consideration. By request Mrs. Howe recited her "Battle Hymn of the Republic," prefacing its recital by a sketch of its birth and subsequent history.

The Club warmly welcomed, on Dec. 20, the gifted daughter of Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, a graceful writer and pleasing speaker. Her paper on the "Art of Conversation" was carefully prepared from studies of society as well as from books and will be productive of the Club's improvement from a conversational standpoint. A delightful afternoon was passed on Jan. 2, in listening to Mrs. Erving Winslow read from Ibsen's "Doll's House."

The Club held its annual reception and a supper in Music Hall on the evening of Jan. 16. The President and Vice-President, assisted by those ladies from out of town who were invited to address the Club, received the members and their guests. After an hour or more had been agreeably spent in conversation the way was taken to the hall where supper was served for 240 guests. After the supper was finished the President gave a graceful address of welcome, which was followed by music and speeches successively. The speakers of the evening were Mrs. Kate Tannatt Woods, Mrs. Bernard Whitman, Rev. Ada C. Bowles and Dr. Alice G. Bryant. The Saint Cecilia's rendered many vocal selections in their own delightful way. Miss How of Boston sang several solos and Miss Bancroft played the accompaniments on the piano most pleasingly. The Club may be pardoned for feeling some pride in this pretty reception which went off so harmonious.

A special meeting was called on February 4, to meet Mrs. Helen Campbell. From 2.30 until 3 an informal reception was held. Mrs. Campbell's paper proper, began with the position of women in the home and in the business world fifty years ago. She traced women's growth in their efforts toward obtaining an independent living from 1840 to the present time, and she quoted freely from labor statistics to corroborate her statements.

We spent the afternoon of Feb. 6, most delightfully in Japan with Rev. E. G. Porter as our courier. The scenery, architecture and customs of Japan, its people, religion and its system of education, were all so graphically described that one felt as though one had in reality beheld the sights and heard the sounds so vividly depicted.

The meeting of Feb. 19, was one long and pleasantly to be remembered as the time we greeted one whom we have long wished to see and hear, Louise Chandler Moulton. Mrs. Moulton gave us in a bright, amusing way her Impressions of London Society. She graciously granted our wishes and recited three of her poems "The Dead Men's Holiday," "The Way to Arcady" and "The Name on a Door."

This last year has been a busy and prosperous one: we have become an incorporated body; our membership has increased; our treasury has the necessary funds for our existence; our meetings have been unusually interesting; we have listened to the best of speakers on a variety of subjects; and we have tried to become better acquainted with one another in our few social gatherings.

Some of the advantages of our joining the Federation of Women's Clubs have been: the sending of a delegate to the convention held by that body in New York last April, the many courtisies extended to our President, and the invitations sent to the Secretaries and Treasurer by other Women's Clubs, thus enabling the members of ours to become better acquainted with the members of others, and to study the different methods in use in other societies of women.

May we grow in numbers, in wealth, in sociableness, and attain a high standard of excellence that shall be worthy our first President, EMMA PUTNAM KELLEY.

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North Woburn.

Miss Carrie Parks is quite seriously ill.

The Good Will Club held a meeting and sociable in the vestry of the Congregational church on last Wednesday evening.

The shadow party in connection with the sociable which took place in the vestry of the Congregational church on last Friday evening was a charming success. The ladies produced some very affective shadows which sold very rapidly and netted a goodly sum. After the gentlemen had feasted to their hearts content upon the shadows and their well filled lunch baskets, a short entertainment was given, of which the most pleasant features were the readings by Mr. O. T. Curtis and the singing by the female quartet.

The alarm from box 27 was for a slight blaze in the rear part of Mr. William Sevrens house on Ward street. The fire is supposed to have caught among some rags, and would have resulted in quite a serious blaze had not Mrs. Sevrens worked with great zeal. But although the fire had got under considerable headway before she discovered it, she had it entirely extinguished by the time the firemen appeared on the scene. On account of the bell not ringing in the alarm the firemen of this Ward knew nothing about the fire until it was all out.

It is idle curiosity that prompts a boy to look upon the "true inwardness" of a gun, and immediately afterward throw both heels clear out of sight behind the clouds, but it is pure necessity that causes the prudent housewife to use the economical Brussels soap.

Y. M. C. A.

Boys meeting at 3 p. m. Sunday.

Prayer service at 3.30 p. m. Sunday for Christian men.

Men's meeting at 4 p. m. Sunday.

On the 30th the "Unique" entertainment will be given by the Woman's Auxiliary, and will consist of reading by Mr. Curtis, vocal and instrumental, music besides A PLATTER DRESS PARADE under the instruction of Capt. H. N. Conn.

Monday evening reception to members of Association and Auxiliary. President Mr. W. W. Hill of the Association and President Mrs. E. T. Dow of Auxiliary will receive the members and their guests in the parlor from 7 to 8. Mr. E. K. Hood, Elocutionist, of Lynn, Mass., and Miss May Bosby, soprano soloist of Boston, will be present to entertain the members after reception, in Concert Hall. The Reception Committee of the Auxiliary will serve refreshments during the evening.

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Burlington.

The Agricultural Society gave a successful dancing party in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening.

The annual town meeting was appointed to be held Monday but as the town clerk was prevented by sickness from attending and the town reports did not come from the printer's until that day, the meeting was adjourned for one week, until Monday, March 23.

The Republicans of this town will hold a meeting at 7.30 o'clock, Saturday evening, March 21, in the Selectmen's Room to elect delegates to attend a convention to be held in Tremont Temple in Boston on Wednesday, March 25, to elect delegates to the National Republican League Convention to be held at Cincinnati.—X.

The following items are taken from the printed town reports. The number of births for 1890 was 8—males 2, females, 6; marriages, 5; deaths, 9—males, 5, females, 4. The whole number of dogs registered for the year was 55—males, 53, females, 2.

The number of paupers at the almshouse for the year was 3; number of of tramps, 163.

The town library contains 2130 volumes. The circulation in 1890 was 1100. A very important part of the report this year is the Valuation List of the town. In the Assessors report we find the following items:

Total value of Real Estate,	$416,394 00
Total value of Personal Estate,	93,700 00
Number of Polls, 176.	
Tax rate per $1000,	11 90
Number of acres of land assessed, 7,328.	
Number of dwelling houses, 134 1-2.	
Number of horses, 245.	
Number of cows, 412.	
Number of swine, 384.	

The Superintendent of schools, Mr. G. M. Wadsworth, appends his first annual report to that of the school committee.

An Appeal to Editors.

EDITOR JOURNAL: The bill for municipal suffrage for women will soon come up for discussion in the Legislature. This bill is in behalf of the only class of adult citizens who are politically helpless. They have personal and public interests, just as men have. These interests have to be legislated for. But women have no Senators or Representatives elected by themselves, and they are never members of the Legislature. Hence they are comparatively powerless as regards all legislation for themselves. Any man can see how unjust it would be if he were treated in the same way. It is equally unjust to treat women so. The public will see this, and will sustain the passage of the municipal woman suffrage bill if editors of newspapers will state the case, and urge it as its justice demands. Please express yourself editorially in its favor, and oblige,

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Boston, March, 1891.

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WINCHESTER.

F. L. Ripley has gone to California.

Polls are to be opened next Monday at 12 o'clock meridian.

Major Winn has recovered from an attack of la grippe.

The Wedgemere Tennis will give a minstrel show on Fast Day evening, April 2.

Mrs. C. E. Swett will fill the office of Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society another term.

Rev. John J. Blair of Andover preached for Rev. Wm. Newton last Sunday, and he preached well too.

Last week's *Star* contained an excellent biographical sketch of Mr. Sumner Richardson from the pen of his relative Mr. N. A. Richardson.

Mrs. Editress Theo. P. Wilson of the *Star* read an interesting paper before our principal ladies literary club, the Fortnightly, which was highly spoken of by the critics.

Miss Emily G. Wetherbee, of the Lawrence High School, read an interesting paper on "Reading for the Young" before the Winchester Fortnightly Club on the afternoon of Monday, March 16.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ebenezer N. Blake, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument puporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Warren N. Blake, Harrison G. Blake, and Joseph B. Parker, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

WOBURN Co-operative Bank.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Dow's Block, on

Thursday, April 9,

at 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of electing Officers and Auditors for the ensuing fiscal year, and for any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

A. W. WHITCHER, Secretary.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Edwin Richardson, late of Woburn in the County of Middlesex, Massachus tts, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Woburn, Mass., March 19, 1891.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Ann Doherty to John W. Johnson of Woburn in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Trustee under the will of Adelaide A. Eaton, dated January 15, 1889, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Libro 1852, Folio 353, and by said John W. Johnson, Trustee, assigned to Hugh McCafferty by assignment dated May 10, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 2000, Page 42, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the eleventh day of April, A. D., 1891, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:—A certain lot of land situated in the westerly part of said Woburn, on the northerly side of Sheridan St., and bounded and described as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises on said Sheridan street, at land of Sewall Taylor; thence the line runs easterly, by and with said Sheridan street, one hundred and ninety-eight feet to land now, or formerly, of James Doherty; thence notherly, on and by said land of Doherty ninety nine and one-half feet to land now, or formerly, of Mrs. Hanley; thence westerly, by said land of Hanley and by land now, or formerly, of Bartholomew Hogan, one hundred and ninety-nine feet to said land of Taylor; thence southerly, by said land of Taylor, ninety-nine and one-half feet to the point of beginning: Being the same premises described in two deeds to said Ann Doherty; one from Philip Doherty, dated March 21, 1867, recorded with Middlesex (South District) Deeds, Book 1007, Page 318; the other from John Doherty, dated December 19, 1867, and recorded with Middlesex (So. District) Deeds, Book 1026, Page 526.

$100.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

HUGH McCAFFERTY, Assignee and present holder o said Mortgage.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, March 16, 1891.

Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

WOBURN, March 3, 1891.

Taken on execution and will be sold at public auction, at my office, No. 424 Main street, in said Woburn, on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, and interest, liable to be taken on execution, that Charles M. Wendall, of said Woburn, had on the 3d day of February, A. D. 1890, that being the time when the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate, with the building thereon, to wit:—A certain lot of land situated in Woburn, in said County, with the buildings thereon, on the northerly side of a private way leading out of Beach street and bounded as follows; namely:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at a stake and stones at said private way; thence the line runs easterly, on and by said private way, about ten rods to a wall at land formerly of John Nelson; thence northerly by land last named by the wall to land belonging to the City of Woburn; thence westerly by land last named about ten rods to another stake and stones at land supposed also to belong to one Woodland; thence southerly by land last named about twenty-seven rods to the bound first mentioned; containing about one and one-half acres, more or less.

Also, at the same time and place, all the right, title, and interest that the said Charles M. Wendall had on the said 3d day of February, liable to be taken on execution, in and to the following described real estate with the buildings thereon, to wit:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Charles street, and bounded as follows, namely:—Southerly by said Charles street; easterly by land of Simeon Weymouth; northerly by land of said Weymouth, and by land formerly of Alfred G. Carter; westerly by land formerly of one Thurston.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Bell Skinner, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jennie E. Skinner, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT,

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the Trusts under a deed of Oliver B. Coolidge of Woburn, in said County given to Ebenezer Lawrence, in trust, and recorded with said Middlesex (So. Dist.) deeds, Book 290, Page 212;

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, praying to be appointed Trustee under said deed;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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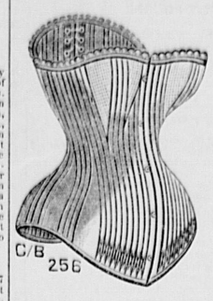

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LESSON XII, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 22.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings vi, 8-18. Commit Verses, 15-17—Golden Text, II Kings vi, 16—Commentary by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

8. "Then the king of Syria warred against Israel, and took counsel with his servants, saying, In such and such a place shall be my camp."

Between the story of Naaman and Gehazi and this lesson the Holy Spirit has written the record of a house building near Jordan by the sons of the prophets, and the miraculous recovery of a lost ax, from which we see the need, humanly speaking, of the money which Naaman offered Elisha; but the prophet prefers to rely wholly and only upon the God of Israel.

9. "And the man of God sent unto the king of Israel, saying, Beware that thou pass not such a place, for thither the Syrians are come down."

How often we are reminded that "All things are naked and opened unto the eyes of Him with whom we have to do," and that "The eyes of the Lord are in every place beholding the evil and the good" (Heb. iv, 13; Prov. xv, 3)! But here is wondrous grace and continued grace to a wicked man. The king of Israel was Jehoran, son of Ahab, and he wrought evil in the sight of the Lord, cleaving unto the sins of Jeroboam, the son of Nebat (chap. iii, 1-3), and yet this is not the first time that God has shown him kindness through Elisha.

10. "And the king of Israel sent to the place which the man of God told him and warned him of, and saved himself there, not once, nor twice."

"God hath spoken once; twice have I heard this, that power belongeth unto God," and this power is continually being put forth on behalf of sinful man to bring back his soul from the pit, but though God speaketh once—yea, twice—yet man perceiveth it not (Ps. lxii, 11; Job xxxiii, 14, 29).

11. "Therefore the heart of the king of Syria was sore troubled for this thing."

It was not his sins that troubled him, but the fact that he could not catch his prey, and that his enemy so successfully eluded him.

12. "Elisha, the prophet that is in Israel, telleth the king of Israel the words that thou speakest in thy bedchamber."

Like the servants of Naaman, these servants seem wiser than their master, for "Great men are not always wise" (Job xxxii, 9).

13. "And he said, Go and spy where he is, that I may send and fetch him."

The Lord so effectually hid Elijah that Ahab and all his searchers could not find him anywhere in all the land (I Kings xviii, 10). He also hid Baruch and Jeremiah so that their enemies could not find them (Jer. xxxvi, 26). Yet this unbeliever thinks to capture one who could say of God, "Thou art my hiding place; Thou shalt preserve me from trouble; Thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance" (Ps. xxxii, 7). "The wicked watcheth the righteous and seeketh to slay him, but the Lord will not leave him in his hand" (Ps. xxxvii, 32-33).

"And it was told him saying, Behold, he is in Dothan."

14. "Therefore sent he thither horses and chariots and a great host, and they came by night and compassed the city about."

Surely they had their man now, and escape was impossible. Thus it seemed to human eyes.

15. "And when the servant of the man of God was risen early, and gone forth, behold, an host compassed the city both with horses and chariots."

While Elisha slept the enemy encompassed him about, but Elisha's God neither slumbers nor sleeps, and Elisha rested in Him, and feared no evil. His servant, however, had not the faith of his master, and we may imagine his fears as this sight met his eyes. The host of Syrians was real and formidable, and there was evidently no way of deliverance.

"And his servant said unto him, Alas, my master! how shall we do?"

He probably felt something like Israel when they saw the hosts of Pharaoh pursuing them, the mountains on either side of them and the sea before them (Ex. xiv).

16. "And he answered, Fear not."

From Gen. xv, 1, to Rev. i, 17 how often that precious word "Fear not" has stilled the troubled soul! But before it can give peace it must be spoken by one who has some ground and authority for saying it.

"They that be with us are more than they that be with them."

What is it that Elisha sees that his servant cannot see? Is he giving utterance to a hope or to the assurance of a reality? We shall see that he means just what he says and is fully persuaded of every word of it.

17. "And Elisha prayed and said, Lord, I pray thee, open his eyes that he may see."

What a simple prayer, how short, how comprehensive! No preliminaries and no conclusion, not even an amen; just a single petition, asking as from a familiar friend for just what he wanted. My soul says, "Lord Jesus, ask the Father for me that my eyes may by the Holy Spirit be opened to behold wondrous things out of Thy word." And I expect He will. Thanking Him for what we have seen, let us expect more light every time we open His Word.

"And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man, and he saw; and behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha."

Now we know why Elisha said, Fear not, and why he said to his servant that their helpers were more numerous than the enemy. Let no one dare to explain away these unseen realities of God's love and care and power.

18. "And when they came down to him Elisha prayed unto the Lord and said, Smite this people, I pray thee, with blindness."

Another brief prayer; a single petition. Can this man ask and receive anything he desires? A river divided, a spring healed, oil multiplied, a Son given, life from the dead, food multiplied, a leper healed, a man made leprous, iron to swim, eyes opened to see angels, eyes dimmed to see not at all or to see wrongly? How has he obtained this power? With whom is he in partnership?

"And He smote them with blindness, according to the word of Elisha.

So did the angels to the men of Sodom (Gen. xix, 11). In Him we live and move and have our being. In His hand is our breath and all our ways (Acts xvii, 28; Dan. v, 23). He says: "I am the Lord, and there is none else. I form the light and create darkness. I make peace and create evil. I the Lord do all these things" (Isa. xlv, 6, 7). He changes not. He is no respecter of persons. Every redeemed soul is a member of His body; but where is the power of God that ought to be seen in every believer?

Herman is up to many tricks; but he will never take in as much, as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in its big raid on coughs and colds.

We indorse all the proprietors have said relative to the merits of Salvation Oil. It is nonpareil.

The well-known Australian writer, Marie von Ebner-Eschenbach, is to be honored on her sixtieth birthday by having her portrait painted at the expense of the Vienna Government, to be placed in the Town Hall.

Bright's Disease Lost Its Victim.

Mrs. Laura A. Kempton, of West Rutland, Vt., writes: "We are certain that only for Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., our little ten-year-old daughter would have been dead from Bright's Disease. We had tried in vain other means, but the Favorite Remedy came just in time to save her life."

Mrs. Massingberd, who is regarded in London as a radical and a philanthropist, is about to open a coffee palace and club to be known as the Massingberd Arms and intended for the working classes of Bournemouth.

POT-POURRI.

The blue jars in the window,
The big bowls in the hall,
Hold that sweet old time perfume
That we pot-pourri call.
We cannot tell who made it,
Nor where the flowers did grow,
For those who picked them left us
Full fifty years ago.

Yet, when at scented evening
I stand beside the bowl,
And watch my roses fading
As night mists upward roll,
I seem to see their spirits
Stand silent there below,
Who made pot-pourri for us
Full fifty years ago.

I watch them, youths and maidens,
About the garden glide;
I see them cull the flowers
There growing side by side;
I hear their soft love whispers,
I almost seem to know
The races dead and buried
Some fifty years ago!

—All the Year Round.

Magnetism, Heat and Iron.

It is now pretty widely known that iron suddenly ceases to be magnetic when heated to the critical point of its "recalescence" or "after glow," and that if alloyed with some 12 per cent. of manganese, as in manganese steel, it becomes almost completely non-magnetic. These facts show us that iron is not necessarily magnetic under all conditions, for admixture with a small quantity of another metal and even mere change of temperature render it non-magnetic. Stranger still, some observers report that iron again becomes magnetic when the temperature reaches whiteness, but this lacks confirmation.

The behavior of nickel steel is very remarkable. As usually received from the maker nickel steel with 25 per cent. of nickel is non-magnetic; and yet it is a mixture of two magnetic metals, iron and nickel. If now we cool this nickel steel to 20 degs. C. (4 degs. Fahr.) it becomes very decidedly magnetic, and remains so when it again returns to the normal temperature. If finally we heat it it remains magnetic till it reaches its critical temperature of 580 degs. C. (1,076 degs. Fahr.), when it again becomes non-magnetic, and remains so until again cooled to 20 degs. C.—Engineering and Building.

Absent Minded.

Not many things are absolutely indispensable. Most men would "feel lost," as the common expression is, without a watch, but after all the absence can be borne. A certain man who is now a member of the United States senate so decided on one occasion. Indeed, he may be said almost to have demonstrated that life can be lived with a good measure of comfort and success in the absence not only of a watch but even of a mind.

In company with a friend he was one morning hastening to overtake a train when he stopped suddenly and exclaimed:

"There! I've come away and left my watch under the pillow!"

"Let's go back and get it," said his friend.

"Hold on!" said the senator, "I don't believe we shall have time."

Upon this he drew the lost watch from his pocket, looked carefully at the face of it, counted the minutes and added, "No, we sha'n't have time." Then he pressed on toward the station, saying, "Oh, well I guess I can get along for one day without a watch."—Youth's Companion.

A Safe Hobby.

A hobby is apt to be an expensive palfrey. It sometimes costs piles of money to groom and run it, and it seldom wins purses and cups enough to pay for its keep and entrance fees. Nevertheless as a man, in the absence of some special object to engage his thoughts, is almost sure to get into mischief, it is better for him to push ahead on any sort of a hobby that is not vicious than to lounge through life in a slipshod, desultory way, without definite aim or purpose. No matter what other praiseworthy hobbies a man may have, he should make conscience the prime favorite of his moral stud. That is a hobby that is always safe. Give it the rein freely, never curb it or check it, go with it in whatsoever direction its divine instinct would guide you, and over every "hill of difficulty," through every "slough of despond," it shall take you safely to the "narrow house"—which shall seem to be as the "House Beautiful"—at your journey's end.—New York Ledger.

Noiseless Bucket.

A recent patent, which has many points in its favor, is on a noiseless bucket. This bucket is fitted with India rubber feet, eyelets and handle guards, and thus all noise in handling is obviated. The eyelets are made somewhat larger in the bucket arms than usual, so that the rubber can be easily put in, and the handle works freely in the rubber. The fitting up of the bucket can be done in two or three minutes. By this arrangement no ring marks are left on carpet or table, and the wear and tear of the bucket is reduced to a minimum. — Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

No Sign.

"I think Mary is in love."

"What makes you think so?"

"Why, she's always before the looking glass."

"Pshaw! that's no sign. The girl is simply studious; given to reflection, as it were."—Exchange.

Good Advice.

An article now going the rounds advises people to eat before going to bed. This is excellent advice, as there is nothing more disagreeable than to have crumbs between the sheets.—Detroit Free Press.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

From the *Chicago Herald*: "Cremation will become the universal mode of cleansing the bodies of the dead of impurities and perishable elements in the tissues, while it will preserve the part that may then be cherished according to noble sentiment and without doing violence to any creed or belief in resurrection or in a future existence of the same physical sheath in which the spirit has been incased."

A CITY'S WATER SUPPLY IN TANKS.

Novel Scheme to Convey Water from Lake Ontario to Rochester.

By far the most novel suggestion that has yet been offered for supplying Rochester with additional water is the following:

The proposal is, in brief, to bring the water from Lake Ontario by means of tank cars running on a railroad.

In explaining the proposal the projector said: "Since the idea first occurred to me I have looked at it from all points, and the more I think of it the better it pleases me. But whether it will be found practical or not remains to be seen. The engineers can no doubt easily calculate the cost, and that is the only feature that I am in fear about. As it is, after a rough calculation I estimate that this plan will give this city and other places pure water at low price and in unlimited quantity. The whole plan is to bring the water in a vessel made for the purpose from a point in the lake so far from shore that there will be no chance of it containing impurities.

"The vessel would be somewhat on the plan of the floats used in New York for carrying garbage out to sea and dropping it in the ocean through the bottom of the vessel. In the case of my ship the cargo, instead of being taken to sea, would be brought from sea to shore, and in place of entering the hold through the hatches would come in through a trap in the bottom. When we had our vessel full of the pure and sparkling water we would tow it to the harbor by a tug, and pump the water into tank cars specially made for the purpose and running like ordinary freight cars on the common track. The cars could be provided with trap doors or valves through which to discharge their liquid contents into a reservoir over which the train would run, just as a coal or wheat car runs and drops its load. This plan, of course, would only be adopted where the system was to be applied on a large scale. Where the idea was to be adopted as a temporary expedient the water could be pumped from the cars directly into the mains of the town.

"Now for some figures in regard to the scheme. The railroads carry freight at a profit for half a cent a ton per mile. A ton of water contains 285 gallons, so that, allowing 50 gallons of water to each person, the railroad would carry a supply for a family of five the distance of a mile for half a cent. It would cost 3 1-2 cents as freight from the lake to Rochester, assuming that the distance is seven miles. Thirty tons is an ordinary load of coals on a gondola car, and a locomotive would have no difficulty in drawing a train of twenty cars, or 600 tons, holding 171,000 gallons. If one train made twelve trips a day—a moderate estimate for a run of seven miles—we get 2,052,000 gallons of water. You see there is virtually no limit to the amount of water you can bring to town in that way, and the plant required is neither expensive nor difficult to make.

"Two or three steam pumps of a kind that can be found ready made, the ship for carrying the water and the tank cars are the principal novel features of the whole, and any good mechanic can rig them all up in a short time. The plan, I tell you, is entirely practical, and when I have had a chance to consult with some ship carpenter as to the cost of the vessel, and with the railroad managers as to the best rates they can give on freight, I may give you more in relation to it.

"Just fancy," continued the projector, "how easy it would be to establish a reservoir in the vicinity of Burke park, and keep it full of water by a train of tank cars running to and from Charlotte.

"If the cost of carrying the water by rail should prove too great," the projector added, as though he had caught another idea, "then I shall figure on the expediency of bringing the water from Lake Erie in canal boats. All we want in that case is a fleet of boats that we can run into the lake, fill with pure water, tow down here and pump the contents into the reservoir. I intend to call the attention of the Chicago people to the plan of bringing water in ships from beyond the sewage line."—Rochester Post Express.

Steno-telegraphy.

Under the name of steno-telegraphy a French electrician has devised a new telegraphic system founded on the combination of mechanical stenography with telegraphy. This system can be applied indifferently to any stenographic machine worked by a keyboard. As soon as spoken the words are, so to say, decomposed by the ear of the operator at the keyboard. The syllables are printed in small distinct lines on a tape of paper, and they are afterward read from left to right. It is said that with the Michela stenographic machine a skilled operator can print 200 words a minute by this system.—Exchange.

Artistic Criticism.

Clarisse (showing some photographs)—And this is a portrait of Raphael.

Mrs. Mushroom—Family portrait?

Clarisse—Oh, dear, no. One of the old masters, you know.

Mrs. Mushroom—One of the old masters? Why he don't look more'n twenty.—America.

Capt. Bridge, of the British navy, who is said to have visited more islands of the Southern Pacific than any other man, remarks that in all his travels he never saw a cannibal who was not ashamed of the practice except on the island of New Britain.

I have been a sufferer from catarrh for 20 years. I found immediate relief in the use of Ely's Cream Balm. Since using it I have not suffered a moment from headache, sore throat or loss of sleep, from which I previously suffered, caused by catarrh. I consider your Balm a valuable remedy.—R. G. Vassar, 56 Warren St., New York.

Ely's Cream Balm is worth its weight in gold as a cure for catarrh. One bottle cured me.—S. A. Lovell, Franklin, Pa.

The adoption of the free coinage policy by the Democrats, without qualification or reserve, might seem at first blush to expose the Republican party to one great peril, the return of the Mugwumps. But at the bottom the Mugwump is nothing but a free trader, and the Republican party is in no danger of his fatal support so long as it stands for protection. The Democrats can fight for bad money, or unlimited coinage, or outright repudiation, and still count upon the detrimental support of the fanatical free trader.—*New York Tribune.*

OLD MEXICAN MINES.

A Plucky Young American Has Become Rich Developing Them.

William Miller, a young American with a world of pluck and very little money, left here three years ago to explore some mines that had been located for him at the head of Yaqui river, 120 miles west of El Paso, Tex., and about the same distance from the Arizona line. He took with him three carpenters and a professional hunter, who was also a prospector. He has returned with a pocketful of money.

He says that his party, after wandering ten days in the Sierra Madre and enduring incredible hardships, reached the point for which they had been aiming. Miller, who claimed to have derived his information and a map from an old German who died here five years ago, says that they pitched their camp between the eastern and middle forks of the Yaqui. It is a country under the dominance of a tribe of Indians that even the Mexican military force has been unable to subdue, and has been hitherto barred to the entrance of any metal seekers.

They found an old Spanish mine that was especially rich in ore streaks and worked there for two years. One of the carpenters died before the place was reached, and the others built a bin, a furnace and some derricks. They worked two years and took out about $30,000 worth of silver, which they managed to smelt after a fashion, and which they stored in camp. Then another of the carpenters died. The third was drowned bathing in the river while a freshet was on.

Miller described the mine as something altogether wonderful. The seams of precious metal ran along the roofs and sides of corridors that were made by hands that had crumbled into dust before George Washington was born. Miller and his company found their way to the Mexican Central railroad and went to the capital. There they saw the official and claimed the mine, which was started by old Spanish explorers and settlers more than 200 years ago. They formed a company in which some Boston people were interested, and are now taking out $1,000 worth of metal a day. This stuff is shipped to smelting works in Colorado. Miller has married a Mexican wife since he left here, and is apparently very wealthy. His company is called the Yaqui Mining and Land company. He states that he has never seen finer farming territory than that which forms the banks of a stream that is almost altogether unknown to the whites, and that President Diaz is much interested in a scheme for colonizing it.—San Antonio, Tex., Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Starting Seeds by Electricity.

It appears from the results of a series of experiments recently undertaken in Russia by N. Specnew that electricity may eventually be made to play a prominent part in agriculture. These experiments, which extended over five years, showed that by submitting different seeds to the action of an electric current their development is rendered more rapid and complete. The seeds of haricot beans, sunflowers, winter and spring rye were used. A second series of experiments was made with pot herbs and flowering plants at Kief. The influence of the electrical treatment was shown by a larger crop and by the growth of vegetables of enormous dimensions. In a third series of experiments electricity on a large scale was applied, static electricity being used instead of current electricity.

The results were quickened ripening and larger growth. Barley ripened twelve days sooner with electro-culture. Potatoes treated in the same way seldom showed disease, only 0 to 5 per cent. being bad, instead of 10 to 40, which is the usual percentage. An important factor in this treatment is that vines which have been subjected to it possess immunity from phylloxera, and this points to a new means of combating the microscopic diseases which attack vegetable growth. It is suggested as a weapon with which to fight the potato bug and the army worm. The cost of the process is comparatively small.—Eugene Field in Chicago News.

How Screws Were Made.

It is not well known when screws were first made or by whom. The application of mechanical contrivances to make screws can be traced as far back as 1569, when they were made by a Frenchman whose name was Benson.

The bolts were forged and the thread was made by filing. In 1741 the watchmaker Hindley, of York, improved upon Benson's method. For a very long period his way of cutting screws by the screw plate was continued in England. The best patent for cutting screws was obtained by Job and William Wyatt in 1760. Up to 1840 about ten more patents were issued for the same branch of mechanism.

One of the patents, obtained Jan. 28, 1837, by Miles Verry, is worthy of mention. It was the art of making pointed screws—wood screws. Wyatt employed three separate machines, one for making the bolts, one for cutting the groove in the head and one for cutting the thread.—Jeweler's Weekly.

Do not use thick glue for joints or veneering. In all cases work it well into the wood in a similar manner to what painters do with paint. Glue both surfaces of your work, excepting in the case of veneering. Never glue upon hot wood or use hot cauls to veneer with as the hot wood will absorb all the water in the glue too suddenly and leave only a very small residue with no adhesive power in it.

The belligerent utterances of a Madrid newspaper with reference to Cuba illustrate the mischief which reckless newspapers do in disturbing international friendliness. The United States has not the slightest desire to appropriate Cuba, but it has suited the purpose of certain sensational Democratic newspapers to concoct a yarn crediting Mr. Blaine with that intention; and the Madrid paper, not being sufficiently familiar with the reckless character of American Democratic papers, takes them seriously.

If you decide, from what you have heard or read, that you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy any substitute instead.

A Cincinnatian bought a small house and engaged a laborer to tear part of it down so that alterations could be made. The man got his directions mixed and began operations on a building across the street. He had got the roof off before the blunder was discovered.

Execution by Gas.

"Hanging is played out" is true in a sense not meant by the notorious criminal who gave the expression currency. As a method of capital punishment it is obnoxious to the humane sense of modern times. By "humane sense" is not meant the sickly sentiment that condones crime and crowns the murderer with flowers, but that educated, civilized opinion which believes in a death penalty and favors its execution in the least barbarous way. Besides the possible accidents due to the bungling of officials, hanging has many accessories of an unnecessarily disagreeable and painful character. Electricity as a death agent is still more uncertain than the rope, and hideously revolting and cruel in its application. Paganism never contrived a torture worse than the deliberate seating, the tedious strapping, the painstaking adjustment, the buzzing and the creeping and the writhing of the death dealing current. The method has not a redeeming feature, and were it not for the glamor of novelty thrown around it by certain pseudo-scientists it would speedily drop out of consideration.

My medical friend, Dr. R. C. Stewart, suggests a method of penal death which is practicable, simple, cheap, certain and humane. It contemplates the construction in each prison of a death cell—a cell differing from others only in having properly contrived adjustments to make it relatively air tight when needed, into which shall run a number of gas pipes from the ordinary (bi-carburetted hydrogen) gas main, or better still, from a retort generating sufficient carbonic acid gas. This cell can be fitted up like other cells as a place of confinement. The condemned can occupy it weeks or months, uncertain of his day of doom. When the fatal hour arrives the sheriff enters and reads the solemn sentence, relatives and friends take their last farewell, the minister of spiritual comfort does his last sad offices, and suitable time is given the prisoner for reflection. Then the cell is closed tight, the cocks are turned, and unconscious of his approaching end the victim falls asleep to wake no more on earth. By this form of asphyxiation death is absolutely painless, while the majesty of the law, punitive and deterrent, is sustained.—Representative Wherry in Philadelphia Press.

A Gorgeous Snake.

One of the most brilliantly colored snakes that exist has been added to the collection in the reptile house in the zoological gardens. It has a black color with regularly arranged rings of yellow and red, the texture and colors together producing an effect much like that of a strip of freshly cleaned oil-cloth. This snake is one of the most venomous, and its bright hues may be regarded as a warning of its dangerous qualities.

Any snake eating bird or mammal would know from hereditary experience that it would be a risky affair to meddle with such a creature, so the danger signal benefits both alike, though we cannot suppose that the snake was influenced by any amiable intention in, so to speak, assuming this conspicuous dress.

The proof that this is really an example of "warning colors" is afforded by the existence also in South America of another snake colored like the Elaps, but perfectly harmless. The snake trades upon the deadly reputation of Elaps, and is let alone in consequence of its being mistaken for it. It is the ass in the lion's skin with a happier fate.—London News.

The Accommodating Yacht Agent.

Suppose a man is going in for yachting. He wants a certain sort of boat, but does not know just where he can get exactly what he wants. He goes to a yacht agent and tells him what he wants and about how much he is willing to pay. The available yachts of the two great yachting navies of the world are offered for his inspection. Finally he decides on a yacht, and then all he has to do is to give the agent his check. Now as to manning her. A list of all the available sailing masters in the country is spread before him, with their records, and a list of yacht sailors who have registered at the agency. In short, all he has to do is to say to the agent, "I want such and such a yacht, manned and ready for sea at such and such a time and place." On the appointed day he finds his yacht ready for him.—New York Tribune.

Remedy for a Stye.

That quite common trouble on the edge of the eyelid, a stye, is the result of inflammation of the small glands or follicles. A piece of ice is the best abortive remedy. If the stye is not checked at the start on the second or third day it would be well to draw out with a pair of tweezers two or three of the hairs in the center of the swelling. In this way it is often possible to evacuate the little abscess.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Faith in the Clergy.

A Newport youngster showed faith in the clergy of the old fashioned sort during a shower. When the wind began to smash in the windows, and the air was full of dust, pebbles and sticks, the boy looked up to his father and said, "Papa, I wish the minister was here."—Lewiston Journal.

The Right Thing to Do.

Mrs. Bingo—Do you notice, dear, how pale and delicate our Harry is getting to be? He needs more exercise, I think.

Mr. Bingo—Then we had better pack him off to college at once.—Epoch.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Russ druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* says, "The Southern cotton crop is expanding in remarkable manner. In the palmiest year of the old slavery times the yield was nothing compared to what it is now, and it is growing steadily year by year. The crop raised in 1890 was by far the largest on record, and dealers are increasing their estimates of it at the end of each month. According to conservative calculations it will amount at least 8,000,000 bales, an increase of a million bales over any other.

Breeding Fleet Dogs for Wolves.

Canadian farmers, having been troubled sorely for many years by wolves and coyotes, are taking determined steps toward ridding themselves of these pests. The Canadian wolves are not particularly ferocious, but they are sufficiently bold to be a constant menace to the flocks and herds. Dogs have been utilized for the protection of the sheep and cattle, but it remained for Sir John Lister-Kaye to import a number of Belgian, French and Scotch hounds for the special purpose of hunting and exterminating the wolves. The experiment has been attended with fair success, but it is discovered that more effectual service would be done if the dogs were capable of greater speed.

With a view, therefore, of insuring the desired fleetness Mr. Dan Gordon, of Ottawa, has bought two of the fastest and best bred greyhounds in England, and he expects to secure by means of judicious crossing of breeds splendid dogs for wolf hunting. The wolf nuisance in Canada is more serious than we suppose; in one day seventeen of the beasts were killed by a party of three men who scouted over the Cochrane ranch. To Russia, however, must we go to find wolves of singular ferocity and in large numbers. Seventy thousand were killed in the Vologda and Casan districts in 1889. It is officially estimated that 170,000 are still running at large in Russia, and they multiply exceedingly fast.—Eugene Field in Chicago News.

The Power of the Moonstone.

There is a perfect mania for moonstones, not always to be worn as ornaments, but to be carried about the person as a temptation to good fortune and success. To show how deep seated is this belief I will quote from a letter received by a dealer in gems from an unlucky artist: "Having heard of your wonderful fortune-compelling moonstones I send immediately for one, hoping that it may dissipate the ill luck that has followed me for some time. Though not a believer in necromancy I am inclined to accept this with my whole heart. If you can add an extra charm to it I will remain your debtor for life."

Once in a while one catches a glimpse of a humorous side to this superstition, as in the case of a well known newspaper man who, being in love with a young woman many years his junior, did not dare to try his fate until he had a moonstone which held a "magic mirror." One was easily found for him, and it must have brought him the coveted success, since he was married within six months to the "object" of his adoration.—Sally Joy White.

Proving the Earth's Shape.

It was not until 1663 that Picard, under the auspices of the French Academy of Sciences, reduced the degree to anything like a certainty. His plan was to connect two points by a series of triangles, thus ascertaining the length of the arc of a meridian intercepted between them, to compare it with the difference of latitudes found by making celestial observations. The stations used were Melvoisine, in the vicinity of Paris, and Sourdon, near Amiens. While these measurements were being made a discussion arose as to the interpretation of them, some affirming that they indicated a prolate, others an oblate spheroid.

The former figure may be popularly represented by a lemon, the latter by an orange. To prove which was right Picard's observations were extended far to the north and south, one expedition going to Peru, the other to Lapland. The Peruvian expedition worked nine years on the question, the Lapland about five. The results of the measures thus obtained confirmed the theoretical expectations of the oblate form.—St. Louis Republic.

In a London Drug Store.

There is a wide difference between the London drug stores and ours. There is no such craze for patent medicines there as here, and there is nothing like the American inclination for every man to be his own doctor. An English druggist sells face powder, cologne, soap, tooth brushes, patent pills and the like, but his main business is putting up prescriptions. He has no clientele of men who drop in for a little aromatic spirits of ammonia after a night of dissipation, or for acid phosphate after too much smoking, or for tincture of iron and so many grains of quinine, or a glass of Calisaya for a tonic, or a teaspoonful of bicarbonate of soda to offset a too hearty meal. All that which so enriches our druggists is unknown in England.—Julian Ralph in Harper's Weekly.

Among Camera Fiends.

There is no use in mixing much in the company of amateur photographers unless you share their enthusiasm. Get half a dozen of them together and they will begin about "pyro," and "iron developer," and "bromide prints," and "color values," and their language will depart so far from every day English that you speculate whether they are talking Sanskrit or Choctaw. This is how it happens with some of the women artists who use photography as an adjunct to sketching.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Congratulated.

"So you've got married, old man, while I have been away?"

"Yes."

"Well, I congratulate you on having shaken off that she dragon of a housekeeper of yours at last."

"Oh, don't make any mistake, dear boy, she's the woman I've married!"—Chatter.

Judge Simpson

Of the Superior Court writes: From mental exhaustion, my nervous system became shattered, and I was utterly unable to sleep nights. Sulphur Bitters cured me, and my sleep is now sound, sweet and refreshing.

A Russian doctor has discovered, it is said, that microbes are always present in great numbers in the fasting stomach of a healthy person. During the earlier part of digestion they are always quite numerous. The gastric juice, however, tends to destroy the microbes though no effect on digestion appears to be exerted by them. How the doctor discovered all this is not stated.

The man who devotes his time to cutting buttons from the coats of eminent men is the latest nuisance in Washington.

California regulators recently hanged the wrong man and then sent a letter of apology to his widow.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 3.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.05, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.36, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.55, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

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For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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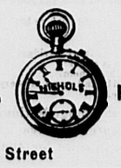

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MISS SOMEBODYELSE.

If you have ever been engaged to two girls at once you know exactly how Harry Pollard felt after the second Lenox club assembly.

"I'll cut and run," he said to himself the following morning as the full realization of his embarrassing position dawned on his mind. "It's a devil of a mess."

He pondered the situation for a time, and finally decided to accept an invitation he had from an old college chum to visit him at Cape Cod. Harry Pollard forthwith wired his friend Bob Hewitt and told him he was coming.

Fiancee No. 1 was a tall, stately girl of twenty-five. She had known Harry Pollard ever since they were children. He had always liked Carolyn Cannon, and that evening after they had waltzed together he thought he loved her, and told her so. She thought she loved him, and said so. It would have been very well, no doubt, if matters had paused here; but they didn't.

Fiancee No. 2 was Miss Aspinwall-Jones, and she wouldn't have captured Harry Pollard if it hadn't been for a very scheming mamma. When Pollard accepted a seat in Mrs. Aspinwall-Jones' carriage to drive to the assembly he did not dream the consequences of the rash act. For before the cotillion was half over the scheming mamma had a very bad headache—and would Mr. Pollard mind if she drove home at once? They might finish the dance, and very likely could get some one to chaperone them on their homeward drive.

"Very likely!"—nothing of the sort. When Harry Pollard and Miss Aspinwall-Jones got into the brougham before everybody, and brazenly started off for a two mile drive after midnight, significant glances were exchanged among the on-lookers.

"Too bad, you know," said one. "He's too good a fellow for her."

It was tacitly understood that she was hunting his money. She was an awfully pretty girl and all that, but frightfully poor.

Miss Aspinwall-Jones had passed through four seasons more or less, and was too old a hand to let such an opportunity pass. It was not every day that she could manage things to have Harry Pollard alone with her in a brougham.

It was an alleged fainting fit that did the business then; and when a girl sinks down on your shoulder, and when her lips look very red and tempting, what are you to do? Harry Pollard was but human, and forgot all about Carolyn Cannon. When he left Miss Aspinwall-Jones that night there was an understanding between them.

"But don't tell any one yet," he said.

Everything seemed to go wrong after he left Lenox. He missed his connections at Boston, and at last when he reached his Cape Cod retreat he found no one waiting for him at the station.

Rain was falling, and a hazy fog obscured everything. It was after six and growing dark rapidly. Harry Pollard stood on the platform in his gray mackintosh and looked about helplessly.

He questioned the station agent, and was directed to a cottage a half mile up the road. Then he resolutely tramped off, carrying a single hand bag.

"I'll find the place, never fear," he said.

Presently he came to a cottage answering to the description given him. He walked up the steps, but before he had time to pull the bell the door was opened suddenly, a pair of arms were around his neck and he was kissed heartily on the lips by an extremely pretty girl. He didn't seem to mind it, and stood stock still in abject confusion. Then the girl drew back, saying:

"Bob, dear, I'm so glad to see you."

"Er—why, really," he began.

The instant he spoke the girl looked frightened. A wave of color flooded her face. As the light from the hall streamed on him and she saw his face, her eyes—Harry Pollard retained his self possession enough to note they were blue and awfully pretty—looked very much troubled. Indeed she had something to be troubled about.

"Oh!" she exclaimed, and ran swiftly away.

Harry Pollard watched her, and stood blinking in the light.

"Deuced cordial reception," he said to himself. "Wonder who she is? Not Bob's wife, of course; I know her. His sister? He had none. And she called him 'Dear Bob'. I have it—his cousin, by Jove. Odd I didn't think of it before. Just returned from abroad. Wish I had known she was here and I wouldn't have come. I've had quite enough of women; and she begins like the rest—kissing and all that sort of thing. My luck follows me everywhere."

The door was open and Harry Pollard felt that he couldn't walk in, so he pulled the bell and waited.

Presently a woman came into the hall, and the moment she caught sight of Pollard she gave him her hand and greeted him cordially.

"Where did you drop from?" she asked. I am awfully glad to see you. So sorry Robert is not here."

It was Mrs. Hewitt, of course, and Pollard found that they had not received his telegram, as the wires were down; and as for Bob Hewitt he was in Boston, and expected home every moment.

"You'll find it awfully dull here," said Bob's wife; "but Cousin Lou is with us, and I want you to like her very much."

And he did like her very much. When she came down to tea her face was still burning, and she looked shyly at him.

"Mr. Pollard, this is Cousin Lou," said Mrs. Hewitt.

"We have already met," said Pollard, whereupon she blushed and looked angry, and he regretted his want of tact.

Pollard had been there but a short time when he felt that after all there were worse places in the world; and, as for Cousin Lou, there were worse girls—Miss Aspinwall-Jones, for instance. There were walks on the beach, drives and chats after tea every day, and he came to know Cousin Lou better in a week than if he had met her in society for a year.

There was a peculiar charm in her presence, a witchery in her manner that aided her physical charms.—Her mind was a treasure house that day by day yielded its store, and Pollard began to feel ashamed of his ignorance of many things this girl knew better than he.

The inevitable happened one day. They were returning from a walk on the beach. A sou'wester was blowing and a mist lay at sea: rain had begun to drizzle when they reached the house and a light streamed from the front windows.

"This is much like the first night I met you," he said.

"Yes," she said, with a rising inflection that was peculiar to her voice.

"And it seems so very long ago," he added.

"Yes?"

"And since then I have discovered something—shall I tell you what it is?"

Silence.

"I love you very much—may I hope? May I hope that some time you will tell me that you love me?"

"Yes"—this time without the rising inflection.

That was all there was to it, or nearly all, and the next day Harry Pollard went away.

"Now for the governor," he said to himself as the train neared Boston. He found him at his office and was met with a frown.

"What's this—hear from Lenox?" his father said.

"From Lenox?" and the younger Pollard looked as innocent as a lamb.

"A person by the name of Mrs. Aspinwall-Jones writes me that you have proposed to her daughter. Is it true?"

"Well, yes; I suppose it is," replied the younger man desperately.

"You won't marry her, sir—do you hear?"

"Eh?" replied Pollard the younger sadly bewildered.

"I have broken off the engagement, sir, wrote to her and told her you do not get a cent of my money unless you marry as I direct. She wrote back that it was very cruel, very wicked in me to wreck two young lives, but I wrecked them. There, sir, is a package the young woman sent me, containing a few jimcracks you sent her," and the elder man handed the astounded youngster a package. "Now, don't let me hear from any more such nonsense."

"It seems too good to be true," almost shouted the exultant youth. "Thank you, governor, awfully," and he grasped his father's hand enthusiastically.

"God bless my soul, what do you mean, I say? What do you mean?"

"I'll tell you some day," and out of the office rushed Harry Pollard.

He had scarcely gained the street when he remembered Carolyn Cannon, and he hadn't said a word to his father about Bob's cousin Lou. Perhaps he had better wait.

But what did his father mean by saying that he must marry as he should direct. If he went against his wishes he would not get a cent of money from his father, and money, you know, is an extremely necessary article, even if it is "love in a cottage." But Lou—his father must see her to agree with his son that she was the most glorious woman in the world.

And that Carolyn Cannon affair—how could he get out of that? He would go to Lenox, at all events, and face the music. Perhaps something would turn up. But how could he explain his sudden departure? Business?—yes, very important business took him away.

When he got to Lenox it was about eleven o'clock in the morning, and he felt very seedy, having had but little sleep the night before.

He went to the hotel and freshened up a bit, and then started to walk to Miss Cannon's cottage, which was but a short distance away.

On the way a buckboard drove by, and he saw Miss Aspinwall-Jones and her scheming mamma. The latter bowed coldly, the former effusively, as if to show she didn't care much, after all. Pollard returned her bow a little awkwardly. He felt sheepish, remembering what had passed in the brougham that night. As he neared Miss Cannon's cottage he nerved himself up as to what he should say. Should he deny the existence of their engagement, say she misunderstood him, or should he throw himself on her mercy and say they both made a mistake.

About a hundred yards ahead of him he saw her turn a corner—how well he remembered that tall, graceful figure and that languid, deliberate gait. He hastened his steps to overtake her, but she turned into her gateway before he could catch up with her. He would have called out to her, but some people were passing and he did not care to attract their attention. She turned her head carelessly, but evidently did not see him, for she did not bow. She passed on and entered the house.

An instant later he stood on the steps and touched the bell. A serving maid answered.

"Will you please ask Miss Cannon if she will see me?"

The maid went away and a moment afterward returned.

The answer dumbfounded him.

"Miss Cannon is not at home."

He said not a word and then went away. It was a little unpleasant to be thrown over that way, but perhaps it saved a good deal.

He wrote her a note the next day offering to explain if she see him. He said she was unjust and cruel; he could tell her everything. Would she not consent to see him?

The note he received in reply was very formal; she declined to see him.

That was all; but Harry Pollard felt relieved. She was a woman he had known for a long time, and without giving him an opportunity to reply to charges which were trivial in themselves she deliberately threw him over. But it was what he wanted—what he came to Lenox for, but withal very humiliating.

He went back to Boston and wrote to Carolyn Cannon a full confession, at the same time telling her of his engagement with Bob's cousin Lou. A short time afterward he received a note from her congratulating him. When they meet on Commonwealth avenue they bow civilly, of course that is all.

Something very important took Harry Pollard away from Lenox—a note from his father. When he read it he frowned, for he felt that his troubles were not yet over. The letter read:

MY SON—Come away from Lenox immediately. I do not care to hear of any more engagements. I shall expect to see you at the house to-morrow evening; I wish to introduce your future wife, Miss Madison. You know quite as well as I that if you marry as I direct you get a good part of my money, otherwise not a cent. Miss Madison is one of the most beautiful, intellectual women I ever knew; her family is irreproachable, and she is not a money hunter. If you go against my wishes and throw over this girl and my money you are an ungrateful cub. To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock I shall expect to see you in the drawing-room. JOHN D. POLLARD.

Should he go to the house, he thought as he walked aimlessly through the public gardens. Throw over Lou for this money and the accomanying inevitable girl? Never, by Jove! "Beautiful, intelligent—bah!" he muttered, as he walked up the steps of his father's house.

He met his father in the hall.

"I'm here, governor," he said, forcing a laugh. "I suppose I shall learn my fate, but I suppose—suppose this Miss Madison doesn't like me?"

"No danger of that," replied the old man, rubbing his hands and laughing heartily. "She is in the drawing-room." He pulled open the portiere and Pollard at once stepped in.

"I'll leave you," said Pollard the elder.

Harry Pollard stepped into the room and saw smiling, happy radiant, Bob's cousin, Lou.

He stepped forward, and then paused and looked at her blankly.

"Lou, Lou," he said, "is it you? I expected to find Miss—Miss"——

"Somebody else," she said quickly. "I am she."—*Elmira Telegram.*

A Safe Investment.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflamation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

The Christian Bible.

The revision of the early Protestant versions of the Bible in different countries, and the wide-spread interest felt in the work among all classes, are among the many signs that the Scriptures are not losing their hold upon the minds of men. The study of comparative religion does not operate to weaken, it rather tends to increase the influence and authority of the Christian Bible. Let any one attempt to read the Koran, and he will rise from the effort with a profounder sense of the depth of power that belongs to the writings of the Prophets and Apostles. Editions of heathen scriptures and excerpts from heathen sages which have been sometimes put forth as rivals of the Bible bring no very large profit to editors or publishers. The Bible remains a well-spring of spiritual life. The conviction is not likely to be dislodged that within its hallowed pages life and immortality are in truth brought to light. The progress of culture and civilization in the lapse of ages does not lessen the worth of the treasure which they contain.—*From an article on the Revised Version: The Century for August.*

Failures in Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and in health. A weak heart is often an unsuspected cause of failure in life. If the blood does not circulate properly in the lungs, there is shortness of breath, asthma, etc.; in the brain, dizziness, headache, etc.; in the stomach, wind, pain, indigestion, faint spells, etc.; in the liver, torpidity, congestion, etc. Paine in the left side, shoulder and stomach is caused by heart strain. For all these maladies Dr. Miles' New Cure for the heart and lungs is the best remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Experience of Massachusetts Cities.

The cities of Malden, Quincy, Worcester and Woburn, Massachusetts, give some facts concerning the effects of no-license that are suggestive. In Malden the increase in population during the past five years is sixty per cent. while the increase in the cost of providing for its poor is only twenty-five per cent. The increase in the deposits in savings banks is over seventy-eight per cent. while a co-operative bank has been established with a paid-up capital of $78,000. The population is 24,466, and requires only twelve patrolmen to keep order. In Quincy the deposits in safety banks during its three years' prohibition were, in 1888, $1,385,534; in 1889, $1,494,542; in 1890, $1,623,202, a large portion of which comes from the laboring classes. The valuation of property has increased eighty-two per cent. since the forty-two saloons were closed. Worcester has had no license since May 1, 1890. The same city marshal and same police force as now served in 1889. The arrests for drunkenness in six months of 1889, numbered 1,571, in the same six months of 1890, under prohibition, the number was 763. There is not a liquor sign in the city, nor a public place where liquor can be obtained. The streets have been quiet, and the liquor business driven to kitchen dives and obscure places. Similar good effects are seen in Woburn.—*Union Signal.*

What It Costs

Must be carefully considered by the great majority of people, in buying even necessities of life. Hood's Sarsaparilla commends itselves with special force to the great middle classes, because it combines positive economy with great medicinal power. It is the only medicine of which can truly be said "100 Doses One Dollar," and a bottle taken according to directions will average to last a month.

At Portland, Oregon, the grand jury which adjourned January 17, made the following recommendation: "It having been found impossible to suppress, we recommend the licensing of houses of illfame." This is the legitimate fruit of the "high license" liquor ordinance of the above named city. The arguments in favor of licensing the liquor crime are applicable to any other criminal act: the efforts of our "Christian statesmen" to legalize "the sum of all villainies" must rejoice the heart of every panderer to men's evil appetites and desires.—*Toledo Good Templar.*

Boils—Blood Disorder.

I had been troubled with boils which came out on my ears, neck, and in fact all over my body. I tried everything and could get no relief until I was advised by my neighbor, T. N. Arnold, to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, N. Y. After using it less than three months, I can say I am fully cured.—Sam'l Grady, No. 20 Caledonian ave., Rochester, N. Y.

It is said that a crick in the back is sometimes relieved as quickly as produced by stretching the back by bending backward across a log or fence. Hot fomentations, with a vigorous rubbing, usually give relief quite readily.

Cashier

Wm. E. Durgin of the Boston Loan Co., 275 Washington Street, says: I recommend Sulphur Bitters as the very best medicine I have ever used. There is nothing like them to give an appetite, tone up the system, and do away with that languid feeling which is so frequent among those confined indoors.

SOMETHING NEW.

The Creely Pants Stretcher.

The best and simplest in use.

PRICE ONLY 25 CTS.

Munroe's Clothing House.

423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

The strange case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde has been generally allowed to "take the cake" as regards improbability, but an inspector of the French sanitary service notes a case of dual existence which, if it does not throw Mr. Stevenson's creation into the shade, at least is equally incredible.

According to M. Proust, a certain Emile X——, an avocat, is afflicted with hysteria, manifested in him by unconsciousness and loss of sensibility. He goes into trances in court and cannot proceed with his pleadings. He loses his memory and forgets his previous existence. He starts out on a new life, becomes a different person, and as such walks about, travels by railway, stays at hotels, sleeps, pays visits, buys, etc., and when restored to his first condition is entirely ignorant of what took place when in his second condition. He has quarreled with his father-in-law, smashed valuables, torn up manuscripts, contracted debts, left restaurants without paying his bills, been charged with swindling and condemned in default, and when in his normal condition has known nothing whatever of any of these escapades.—London Tit-Bits.

Neighbors in a Big City.

An instance of the entire indifference which New Yorkers feel for people who live next door to them occurred when a gentleman attempted to find a man whose address had been given as 259 West Twenty-third street. The address proved erroneous. The gentleman in question lived and had lived for many years at 251 in that street. He is an ex-senator, a man of great local prominence, and is known pretty well from one end of the city to the other, yet inquiries at five or six houses in the immediate vicinity of 251 failed to discover anybody who knew where the ex-senator lived. The inquirer even asked at 249 and 253, missing 251 by an accident, and even then he was unable to find the house.

It is said that one of the most vexing questions in English social life is embraced in the phrase, "Ought we to call on her?" Apparently New Yorkers never have any trouble in deciding whether to call or not upon people who live near them. They not only do not call, but apparently make the strictest efforts to keep from acquiring information of any nature about their neighbors.—New York Sun.

Women as Employes.

A business man of the city giving employment to both men and women, upon being asked why he did not employ more women than he did, said: "I have employed women very often, and I wish I could feel more encouraged. But the truth is that when a young man comes to me and begins his work he feels that it is his life's business. A wife, home and happiness are to be earned, and he settles steadily and earnestly to his labor, determined to master it, and with every incitement spurring him on. He cannot marry until he knows his trade. It is exactly the other way with the girl. She may be as poor as the boy, and wholly dependent upon herself for her living, but she feels that she will probably be married by and by, and then she must give up the work. So she goes on listlessly. She has no ambition to excel; she does not feel that her happiness depends on it. She will marry, and then her husband's wages will support her. She may not say so, but she thinks so, and it spoils her work."—Columbus State Journal.

Saltpeter in the Soil.

Capt. Douglas Galton, one of the first living authorities on sanitary subjects, lecturing before the Royal engineers, says: "The soil in many cities and villages is loaded with nitre and salt, the chemical results of animal and vegetable refuse left to decay, from the presence of which the well water is impure. There are many factories of saltpeter in India derived from this source, and during the great French wars, when England blockaded all the seaports of Europe, the first Napoleon obtained saltpeter for gunpowder from the cesspits of Paris." The almost universal modes of village life mean the presence of large and increasing masses of putrifying matter in the soil, a condition which in India is the origin of cholera or the terrible Delhi ulcer, and in our own climate is responsible for at least one-third of the death rate.—New York Herald.

A TALE WITH A MORAL.

Busy Men Should Keep Themselves Posted Concerning Prominent Men.

George B—— is an extremely busy young Wall street man. He is ambitious, and for several years he has been devoting all of his time to business in the hope of finally attaining an independence. Prosperity in his case has not been of rank growth, but he is still confident. He was called to a small Connecticut town some time ago. He finished what he had to do and found that he must wait an hour for the return train. Glancing over the register of the little hotel he saw a familiar name. It was that of a man who has attained great eminence as a traveler, a writer and a lecturer.

Some years ago B. had known him slightly, and had admired him

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 193 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 106 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WELL DONE, SENATOR WYER!

At no General Court for years has the fight over temperance legislation been sharper or more determined than in the present one. The principal bone of contention has been the repeal of the present law prohibiting public bars and the substitution of a power to license proprietors to sell rum over them wherever the business is carried on.

Under the leadership of Representative Wardwell of Haverhill the House has successfully opposed the change in the law demanded by the rumsellers, but in the Senate the action has been against to the present method of furnishing customers with intoxicating liquors and in favor of a return to the saloon bar. The report of the Senate committee to whom the matter was referred was in favor of the law as it now stands.

Last Tuesday a substitute for the Committee's report adverse to a change was offered which, if carried, would reinstate the public bar in the saloons and give the temperance cause a serious setback. After a thorough discussion of its merits the substitute was adopted by a large majority. The negative vote of 14 was composed entirely of Republicans and among them was the name of EDWIN F. WYER, Senator from this District and resident of this city. Enough rum Republicans however joined hands with the entire Democratic force in the Senate to cast a vote of 23 in favor of the saloon and its interests. This vote in the Senate will not affect the question of a repeal of the present law at all for the House had already voted strongly the other way, and the rum men have now nothing to do but retire a badly whipped party.

In common with the temperance people of this Senatorial District we feel grateful to Senator Wyer for his vote on this important matter. He certainly would not have voted as he did unless he had believed it right and for the best interests of the people, which fact adds materially to the credit due him for the wise and manly course he pursued.

WHEELED INTO LINE.

Last Tuesday the House of Representatives of the Legislature of the State of Maine voted to adopt the Australian Ballot System of voting by 76 yeas to 60 nays, and the same has become a law, the Senate having previously voted in its favor.

The bill finally passed was almost precisely like the Massachusetts law which has worked so admirably and is so warmly endorsed by all parties. Great opposition was brought to bear against the Australian System in Maine from the time of its introduction into the Legislature two years ago, and it came chiefly from Republicans; but more light on the subject and a better understanding of the new method of voting have worked a favorable change, and the system has become a law.

☞ The Governor's Council vetoed Gov. Russell's order for the removal of Police Commissioner Osborne most emphatically last Wednesday. Every sensible person knew they would.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Canal street—To Let.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Mrs. Jennings—Baseballs.
Five Cents Sav. Bank—Notice.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— See Smith's "Fire" ad. in this paper.

— There was a powerful rain last Saturday.

— Mr. Fred Roby has come back to Woburn to live.

— Mrs. M. B. Cummings and family are at Mattapan.

— George Bullock, currier, has gone to Pennsylvania to live.

— Read the notice to King's Daughters in another column.

— Robins and blue birds made their appearance here several days ago.

— Winter still lingers in the lap of Spring—the hoary-headed old trifler!

— Mrs. Mary Shaw and her son J. Warner have returned from California.

— Moving-day is close at hand and heaps of people are getting ready for it.

— Grant has got in a fine stock of the latest styles in suitings, etc. for men.

— Rumor says that Mr. George M. Irving contemplates a change in business.

— It is now said that the City Reports will be ready for delivery next week.

— Supt. Fish's men are putting electric lights into Music Hall, Dow Block.

— Read "To Let" and then call on J. W. Johnson Esq., and rent a fine cottage.

— Mr. J. H. Hammond and wife were at St. Augustine, Fla., at last accounts.

— The Sheridan Light Infantry will give a ball at Hibernian Hall on Fast Day night.

— It is said that Mr. C. B. Bryant is going to occupy the Theodore Boutelle shop.

— Thomas Robertson has had an offer of an actor's situation at Austen's Nickelodeon.

— Mrs. Michael McKay of Chestnut street has been very ill lately, but is now much better.

— Delegations of Relief Corps 83 and 84 visited the Dorchester Relief Corps last Tuesday.

— Fire! Fire! Don't fail to read C. Willard Smith's Fire Sale which begins to-morrow morning.

— Union Fast Day services will be held at the Unitarian Church. Mayor Bean will an address.

— Mr. Samuel Smith, lately with Mr. E. G. Clough, has accepted employment at Waltham.

— Copeland's last week's change of advertisement should have read 10 cents instead of 12 1-2.

— Col. W. T. Grammer has about fully recovered from a severe attack of the prevailing distemper.

— A good many cellars in this city were more or less flooded after the great rain of last Saturday.

— The alarm Saturday morning was for a little fire in a house near the Stoneham line. No damage.

— Capt. J. P. Crane had a very pleasant time during his Southern trip. He returned several days ago.

— Principal Soule of the Arlington Cutter school visited the Cummings school in this city last Monday.

— Our people ought to step into the Boston Branch about next Thursday and see how cheap sugar can be sold.

— Mr. Waterman Brown is preparing for the best flower garden that he has ever produced on Church Ave.

— Tickets for "Trovatore" will be placed on sale at 7.30 p. m., April 4, at the store of J. W. Hammond & Son.

— Legg has some fine samples of his photographic work on exhibition in the windows of Copeland & Bowser's store.

— Mrs. C. Packard has sold her millinery store in this city and will attend wholly to her Stoneham store and trade.

— There is a good deal of "hoss talk" indulged in now days in connection with some contests of speed on the road and turf.

— The cars make half hour trips between here and Stoneham. Supt. Wentworth is bound to accommodate the public and does so.

— For the first time in nearly a week the sun made his appearance last Wednesday and everyone rejoiced to see his face once more.

— The sale of pews at the M. E. Church last Tuesday evening was a highly satisfactory one. A neat sum was netted by premiums.

— The spring vacation of our schools will begin next Monday and last a week. Won't marbles and baseball have to take up, though!

— Mr. Charles T. Gay, for a long time Mr. N. J. Simonds's competent bookkeeper, has moved to Everett. He will be missed here.

— Mr. Supt. Sewell of the N. W. St. Railroad will please accept our thanks for favors cheerfully rendered in the way of office supplies.

— Last Friday evening Major Irving R. Bancroft, Capt. James H. Hanson, and Sergt. Chester L. Fish attended the Boston Latin School drill.

— The St. Charles C. T. A. contemplate quite seriously the organization of Womens Auxiliary in connection with their excellent society.

— The W. H. S. B. will give a public drill on April 10 in order to raise funds to defray expenses of attending the annual muster at Lynn.

— Several parties have been made up to go down to Winchester on Fast Day night to the Wedgemere Tennis Club's Negro Minstrels entertainment.

— This is the closing evening of the Post 161, G. A. R. Fair, and if nothing happens there will be a big crowd present. It has been a success so far.

— An old Woburn weatherwise says when Spring fairly gets here, which will be very soon now, it will have come to stay, with Summer just ahead.

— About the best thing in the market in the shape of a spring medicine is "Our Own" sarsaparilla which Lovell offers to the public at a fair price.

— Hon. E. D. Hayden has been elected President of the A. & M. Association to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. E. N. Blake.

— A funny sort of an assault and battery case will be tried in the District Court to-morrow morning. The parties are members of the cream of Stoneham society.

— *The N. Y. Observer* of last week said that Rev. Mr. Munhall, the great evangelist, "expects to be in Woburn soon." He will go from here to Everett.

— The Dow will case was resumed before the Probate Court at East Cambridge last Monday and after hearing some testimony it was continued to April 18.

— On next Friday, April 3, the 6th and 7th grades of the Cummings school will give a physical drill in the Cummings school hall under the direction of Mrs. Livingstone.

— E. E. Thompson, Esq., was laid up in the early part of this week at his home on Montvale Ave. by something that possessed many of the characteristics of the grip.

— Mr. George E. Kimball, of the firm of Wilder & Kimball, lumber dealers at Hingham, thinks life would be rather a dreary affair without the Woburn JOURNAL.

— The funeral of Mrs. Frank Taylor, who died at her home on Main street, Central Square, last Saturday, was held on Monday and many relatives and friends attended it.

— The Woburn Workers will hold an adjourned meeting in the vestry of the Congregational church to-morrow, Saturday, afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

— Brewster Colony, No. 19, U. O. P. F., will give a "mum" supper on Fast Day evening with an entertainment accompaniment. The supper will be announced at half past 6.

— Mr. Gregory will sell at auction to-morrow afternoon a lot of personal property at the Cummings place corner of Maine and Richardson street. Some good bargains will be offered.

— A prominent and intelligent manufacturer in that village said the other day that there are 2,000 people out of employment in Stoneham at the present time. It is terribly dull over there.

— Arthur E. Gage, Esq., Secretary of the Woburn Tariff Reform Club, will please accept the thanks of the JOURNAL for courtesies anent the Club's banquet last Wednesday evening.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hackett, who have been visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thompson in this city, expect to return to their home at St. Paul, Minn., at an early day.

— City Clerk Moreland if feeling all right again. His nervous system had got a little off color, but rest from official duties and outdoor exercise restored it to its normal condition.

— The last sunlight hop for the season at Stoneham will be given on Fast Day, April 2, for which a fine order of dances has been made out. It will take place in Armory Hall.

— The opening game of B B in this city will be played on Fast Day between the Brown & Durrell Club of Boston and a select nine from Woburn's best players. It will be interesting.

— A fine course of Sunday evening lectures at the Unitarian church closed last Sunday. Eminent men have filled numbers in the programme with much acceptance to their audiences and, it is hoped, to their profit.

— Mr. William H. Gould has one of his thumbs split open by a circular saw last Saturday at the Johnston Electric Signal Company's factory on Main street where he is an employee. Dr. Chalmer's was called and dressed the wound.

— The Peoples Dry Goods Company of Maynard, this State, whose advertisement appears in this paper, is one of the most flourishing establishments in this part of the country. It is perfectly reliable and enjoys public confidence.

— One of the most attractive features of the concert to be given by Clan McKinnon on the evening of April 15 will be Lambett's celebrated Scottish Choir. It is worth going a good ways to hear. There will be other fine musical attractions.

— Frank Menchin kindly forwarded "comps" to a Social Assembly to be held by Nahmeokee Council, D. of P., on Thursday evening, April 2, next at Red Men's Hall, for which thanks are returned. The best of music will be provided for the dance.

— After a 3-weeks serious but triumphant conflict with the grip Mr. James Leonard Fowle, the old standby at Gage & Co's., got back to his post of duty last Monday morning And so did Mr. Alvah Buckman get to work after a severe pull with it.

— When he returns from his California visit about May 1 it is expected that Mr. John R. Carter will take the residence on Winn street now occupied by Mr. Gilman F. Jones. Mr. Jones has rented one of Mrs. Timothy Winn's fine houses on Main street above Kilby.

— A large meeting was held by members of Painters Union, 193, at Fraternity Hall last Monday evening at which the minimum price per day was established at $2 50. Only a few if any of the bosses have been heard from. The Union have the support of the Trades Council.

— The "Line Gale" set in just a week ago to-day and continued until it played itself out about the middle of this week. A change of the moon from first quarter to full was rather too many guns for the equinoctial and it yielded to better weather, although not in the most graceful manner.

— The Massachusetts Horticultural Society will hold its Spring exhibition at Horticultural Hall, Boston, on April 1, 2, 3, for which great preparations are being made. If nothing unforseen turns up to interfere with the arrangements it will be one of the best exhibitions the Society have ever given.

— Rev. L. Thompson's first vernal visit to the JOURNAL office is ordinarily simultaneous with the first song of the robbin—a little before the annual Fast Day—and is as welcome. He came yesterday morning. He was looking well and appeared to be as upright in form and as elastic in step as men a good deal younger.

— Mr. Schwartz, whose rooms are those formerly occupied by Frye in Wade Block, is one of the best upholsterers in the country. He was born and bred to the business and understands every part of it. The public ought to patronize him in good shape for he is a firstclass workman and charges reasonable prices.

— Chairman W. F. Kenney of the Woburn School Board feels a good deal elated over the fact that many High Schools are adopting the reform in graduation exercises which he suggested when first called to the Board and which, after persistent efforts, he succeeded in having adopted for Class '91 of the High School in this city.

— Garry Barker is able to get around once more with the aid of crutches. He was badly injured some time ago by being caught between two moving sleighs, but his father, Mr. E. G. Barker, the extensive and successful lumber dealer in this city, says the lad will, he hopes, soon be able to cast aside his crutches and appear out as good as new once more.

— On the 22d of April grand Opera *Il Trovatore* is to be given in this city by Charles Adams and other distinguished Boston artists, with Miss Mabel Davis, the popular contralto of Woburn, and a full chorus of firstclass vocalists, which will be something worthy of a generous patronage. The entertainment is to be given for the benefit of Miss Davis, which fact will surely bring out a full house.

— The Lynn teachers have remonstrated against the conventional graduation exercises. There are many who will agree with them when they say that "the present method of conducting the exercises of graduation in the high schools of Lynn is productive of serious dissipation of time and energy on the part of both pupils and teachers." The young ladies and gentlemen of Class '91 of the Woburn High School set the ball of reform in motion a few months ago and now Lynn has caught the spirit of it and there is no sort of doubt but that High Schools all over the State will soon fall into line and adopt Woburn's new style of graduation exercises. The school authorities of this city are fairly entitled to the motto: "Dirigo."

— On Monday, March 30th, Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Conn will recognize the 25th anniversary of their wedding in (it is said) a small way. But if their host of friends have their say about it, it will not be in a very small way, either.

— The following are the newly elected officers of the Merrimac Club, one of the livest and most prosperous literary and social organizations in this city. It is composed chiefly of employees of the Merrimac Chemical Co. at North Woburn, which Co. furnish a fine hall for the Club: President, Joseph S. Robinson; Vice President, Frank Graham; Secretary, William Ward; Janitor, Edward Montgomery.

— The Boston dailies of last Wednesday contained startling yarns concerning the disappearance of a couple of Woburn young women—Miss Burke and Miss Kelley. They'll turn up—never fear about that. They know where they are and what they are doing, and have probably been there before. The worst part of the story is the fears of the other young woman who lent her best gown and things to the Kelley girl to go to Boston in. "Great cry and little wool."

— The Boston *Traveller* of last Tuesday contained the following item: "In the Supreme Court this forenoon, Judge William Allen granted an injunction restraining the Odd Fellows Association of Stoneham from emptying sewerage into Sweetwater brook in Stoneham, and also enjoined John P. Marshall of Brookline and Burt C. Golden of Woburn from entering sewerage into Abijonah river. Both streams constitute a part of the water supply of Boston."

— Mrs. Jennings has got in a stock of baseballs which will do the hearts of the boys good to look at. They are the best article of a ball for the price that has ever been offered for sale in this city—indeed, they are worth and have always sold for a larger price than she has put on them. They are thoroughly made of the best of material, and the lads who buy their baseballs of Mrs. Jennings won't miss it a bit. She has also other desirable spring goods, some of which are enumerated in her card in this paper.

— The time approaches when the Managers of the Home for Aged Women will hold their Annual Reception and Sale, and it is hoped that all who have hitherto helped to make their sales a success will generously contribute to this year's call, and if any one who has the welfare of this noble charity at heart has been overlooked by the solicitors they are invited to consider this a personal appeal to send any donations not otherwise promised to Music Hall on the days of the Bazaar, April 15 and 16.

— We are the grateful recipients of a most excellent epistle from our esteemed friend and late fellow citizen, W. E. Blodgett, Esq., from which we select for publication the following paragraphs which have the ring of true metal in them: "While I am temporarily forced to ostracize myself from the delights of Woburn society and politics, yet I feel that I am not totally miserable, for have I not the weekly visits of the JOURNAL to tell me what is what in my own town? I shall be very glad if the time will soon again come when I may once more have the honor of contributing to the tennis column of your paper, or consult with you as to what shall be done to keep the Democrats out in the cold."

— There was a very pleasant party at the residence of Mrs. Jennie Upton, No. 6 Myrtle street, last Friday evening. A large company joined in the dance and "tripped," etc., to the best of music to well towards morning. A fine collation wrs provided and greatly enjoyed. Among those present were: Mrs. Sarah Kyle, Maggie Hammond, Frank Bowers, John Hennessy, John Bradley, Edgar Christie, James Livingston, George Livingston, John Livingston, John McKane, Lizzie Elliot, Lizzie Nagle, Polly Upton, Mr. Osbourne, Maggie Kyle, John Graham, Owen McDevitt, Julia Murphy, Miss Davis, Miss Brittan, Miss Smith, Miss Close, Miss McHugh, Miss Burke, John R. Hammond, Wm. Fountain, Hugh McDonald, Alex. McIsaac, John Ferguson, Fred Kyle, John Scally, Robert Hammond, James Sweden, Bartly Mullen, Miss Roach, Miss Kate Murphy, Miss Nichols, Marian Torry, Wm. Hammond, Mrs. J. R. Hammond and Harry Kyle.

— Miss Emma Fosdick's Banjo, Guitar and Mandolin concert at Lyceum Hall on Last Thursday evening, March 19, deserved more of a notice than we were able to give it in our last issue therefore we will devote a small bit of space to-day to touching on a few of its chief points of excellence. The energy, enterprise and business push displayed by Miss Fosdick in giving the public such an admirable musical treat were worthy of all commendation, and to these also were largely due the most numerous audience that has been seen here at a concert this season, although we would by no means attempt to disparage the drawing power of the talent engaged in it and the very fine programme arranged for the delectation of the public ear. There was an immense audience and it was composed of people who know how to appreciate a good thing in music when they meet it. It is needless to say that there was no fault found with the concert, but rather that it was enjoyed immensely from beginning to end. The assisting artists were Miss Annabelle Clarke of Medford, Soprano Soloist; Mr. W. S. Battis of Waterville, Maine, Reader; Mr. W. L. Rice of Winchester, Violinist; Royal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club of Lowell; with Miss Mertena L. Bancroft as Accompanist. These people are all well known in music and literary society and occupy enviable positions in the same. The Royal Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Club of Lowell gave the audience a deal of genuine pleasure by their performances on the several instruments employed and the verdict of competent judges was that the Club's productions were of the highest order of merit and richly deserved the rounds of enthusiastic applause which they received from a whole houseful of appreciative listeners. Truly, the Lowell performers added very much to the pleasure of the musical entertainment. Other performers acquitted themselves handsomely and everyone warmly praised Miss Fosdick for collecting such an array of rare talent to aid in the annual concert of her pupils. The opinion of the JOURNAL'S musical critic concerning Miss Mertena Bancroft as a pianist and accompanist is too well known to require of him an elaborate setting forth of her most excellent work at this concert. Suffice it to say she did her best and everyone was delighted with her. Miss Fosdick's pupils acquitted themselves finely. They did credit to themselves and their highly cultivated teacher. The solo by Angie M. Tripp, only 6 years old, was as pretty as anything could be, besides being a really marvellous performance for a child so young. She was cheered to the echo. The reading and impersonations by Mr. Battis afforded great pleasure to the audience whose work was received with hearty applause. He is a natural elocutionist, thoroughly cultivated, with a fine voice, handsome presence on the stage, a face the expression of which changes with every succeeding emotion, and his selections were of the best, most judicious and appropriate. Miss Fosdick made no mistake when she secured Mr. Battis for the reader for her concert. His part added greatly to the pleasures of the occasion. Miss Clarke was of course a favorite with the audience, as she always is, and Mr. Rice gave pleasure every time the horsehair and catgut met in his hands. On the whole Miss Fosdick has the best of reasons for feeling very proud of the success of her concert both musically and financially.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a meeting on Thursday evening of last week at which all the members were present and over which Mayor Bean presided.

The resignation of policeman James H. Connolly was received.——Communications from the Mayor were read and tabled appointing Arthur E Gage Registrar of Voters in place of Thomas D. Hevey, resigned; Elisha Hayward Registrar of Voters for three years; John P. Delaney, Park Commissioner.——The appointment of Clarence E. Littlefield as Surveyor of Lumber and Measurer of Wood and Bark was confirmed.

The following were granted licenses as common victuallers: John Maloney, John F. Scalley, Thomas H. McGovern, Thomas G. Merriam, James H. Connolly, Anthony A. Doherty, Rafferty & Martin, Michael Reddy, Thomas Moore, Patrick O'Rourke, Patrick H. Greaney, Peter Kenney, John Shinkwin, Michael Clancy, Patrick Kerrigan, McNulty & McLaughlin, Silas W. Gordon.

Mr. Patrick E. Tenney was granted an Innholder's license.——Charles W. Ames was chosen Assistant Engineer of Fire Department.——Francis P. Curran was elected City Solicitor in non-concurrence.

The order from the Common Council in relation to securing an amendment to the City Charter that would provide for the appointment of Sewer Commissioners was taken up and concurred in by the Board.——The order for electric lights at North Woburn failed to pass over the Mayor's veto. The vote stood: Aldermen Fowle, Finn, Walsh and Dearborn voted in the affirmative, and Aldermen Davis, Ham and Pushee in the negative. The necessary two-thirds vote to secure passage was not obtained.

A hearing on Ald. Dearborn's motion for a police officer at North Woburn was voted for March 24.

How Her Hubby Put It.

"I am willing to work and work hard for my husband and children, but oh! I do so hate needless work which does not show the time and strength put into it. How I have washed and wrung out, and then washed again, all because the soap was one of those cheap resin affairs and did not cleanse. Now I use Brussels soap, and as hubby would put it, I save a hundred per cent in time and labor." Thus said Mrs. B. a firm friend of Brussels soap.

A Big Meeting.

Not so very big in numbers was the meeting of the Woburn Tariff Reform Club in Dow Block last Wednesday night, but big in big Mugwump and Democratic "big guns." There was a knot of them from Boston, Cambridge, etc., and they were eloquently welcomed, as indeed was everybody else, by President William F. Davis of the Club. Mr. Samuel Mendum, the gigantic Interrogation Point, was a conspicuous figure at the gathering.

Mayor George F. Bean's speech was cheered until the rafters trembled, and a letter from the great "Industrious Penman," as the *Record* calls Grover Cleveland, was received with thunders of applause. George Freddie Williams was warmly greeted, and he was the main spokesman of the evening.

Gov. Russell sent the following letter, which was read amid deafening shouts of applause:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
BOSTON, March 24, 1891.

Mr. William F. Kenney, Boston Daily Globe:

MY DEAR MR. KENNEY—It is a great disappointment to me to be unable to attend the Woburn Tariff Reform Association dinner on Wednesday. I should enjoy exceedingly meeting its members and discussing with them the principles and questions for which they have gallantly fought, and helped in the achievement of great and glorious victories.

The fight for tariff reform calls for our most earnest efforts. Its victory is not won until taxes on the necessaries of life, selfishly laid for the benefit of the few, have been reduced or removed, and the raw material of our great industries is made free. Then will the people rejoice to find that they are free from some of the burdens of taxation, and our industries will prosper as never before.

Kindly express to the members of the association my appreciation of their kindness in inviting me, my regrets that I cannot be with them, and my best wishes for their successful and happy reunion.

Yours very truly,
WILLIAM E. RUSSELL.

A good many distinguished Mugwumps and Democratic Tariff Reform orators and statesmen were conspicuous by their absence, and some faces were wanting and some tongues silent at the grand affair which (I. P.) Mr. Mendum and President Davis had fondly hoped to see and hear.

The supper was all that the heart could desire, but the speeches on the whole, were "stale and unprofitable," and some of them wishy-washy.

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Aldermanic Hearing.

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held last Tuesday evening, in order to give a hearing to citizens of Ward 6, upon the petition of Fred E. Perkins and others, for a regular officer in that locality.

Previous to going into Committee, the application of Timothy C. Keating for a junk license was referred to the Police Committee, and the following licenses were granted: Common Victualler, John B. Dever, Bernard McHugh, John J. Beatty, John H. Garvey, Thomas G. Meriam, William E. Mooney, Richard Reynolds, John C. Meehan.

Innholders, James Meehan and Hugh Maguire as partners, and Samuel D. Thompson.

The following was read: We, the undersigned, citizens of Woburn, Ward 6, are of the opinion that there is no occasion for the employment of a regular officer in said Ward, and we are opposed to the appointment of such officer. This was signed by William McGrath, James Murray, Richard Morgan, Henry Rooney, John J. Queenan, John Rooney, Thomas J. McFeeley, Edward Duffy, John McGrath, Andrew Dorrington, Frank J. Collins, Daniel P. O'Brien, Edward Doherty, Enoch H. Curtis, Joseph Mosher, Patrick O'Brien, P. Morgan. Referred to Committee of the Whole.

A petition was received for a crossing on Warren street, near Lawrence street; sent to the Highway Committee.

The Board then went into Committee of the whole, when Alderman Dearborn of Ward 6 said he had taken Alderman Davis at his word and brought citizens of that Ward to be heard in the matter of a regular night officer in Ward 6. There had appeared both those who signed the petition and others. He introduced Rev. W. J. Murphy, who addressed the Board at length. He said all parts of the city should be treated alike. He had no personal ends to serve. It was not right to deprive the Ward of what other sections had been granted. He said a necessity existed for an officer on account of the hoodlums, and also because property was not secure. There was trouble upon the arrival of the late steam and street cars. He said what the Ward got by the fire, water, school and other departments was a small proportion compared with what it contributed in taxes. Regarding the remonstrants, he said some of them had been convicted of crime and were the worst class in the city, and want to cover up crime. They do not own real estate.

William McGrath said he was a signer of the remonstrance and was not a criminal. The Ward was in a deplorable condition and growing smaller every day. Four of the remonstrants were real estate owners. He thought he knew what Ward 6 needed as well as a man who had just come to it; he had lived there twenty years. There was no necessity for a regular officer to get some friend a fat office and pay him $800 a year. Mr. Murphy had said there were no sidewalks in the Ward, and the speaker thought they were more needed than an officer. There had been breaks in buildings years ago when there was more loss than the recent one. The Ward was as quiet as a cemetery and after 7.30 P. M. few people could be found out.

Dr. Josiah P. Bixby said he was about the streets of the Ward a good deal and thought better public protection was needed. There were a good man persons on the streets evenings. In reply to Alderman Davis he said he had seen a good deal of disorder.

Alderman Davis said he had never seen an officer in the locality where he resided and that was Ward 1. The Chief of Police says officer Tarr, who has been on duty three or four hours three nights in the week, made but three arrests last year, and one of these was on a warrant. He liked to see spirit manifested by citizens as had been in Ward 6. It was not what we liked to do, but could the city afford this? The arrests in the Ward had costs $200 each.

Alderman Dearborn said that those arrests did not cover all work done by the special officer.

E. H. Perley said he lived in the new section which wasn't very well lighted. There was more or less trouble on the arrival of the late trains from Boston.

Walter A. Hanson was in favor of an officer.

Moses W. True said he had lived in Ward 6 for many years and was well disposed to the place. He now lived in the lower part of the Ward. He was not asked to sign the petition and had he been he would have refused. He did not think a regular officer necessary. He knew of no village where the people were more orderly, and he had had good opportunities to see what was going on. He was frequently on the late cars and could speak a good word for conduct in them.

James Murray had lived in Ward 6 for 44 years and never saw a disturbance to amount to anything. He said there nothing to protect, except a church and a small store.

This closed the hearing.

A reader asks: "What is the meaning of "E Pluribus Unum?" The modern definition is, "Use Brussels soap. It's economical."

Dedication of Mechanic Hall.

Liberty Council 38, Order United American Mechanics, dedicated their fine, large Hall in Mechanics' building, Woburn, Wednesday evening.

After an inspection of it, the company assembled to listen to the exercises.

The Order of Mechanics and Liberty Council, Daughters of Pocahontas, an Auxiliary body, numbering nearly 600 persons, and with about 200 relatives and friends, were present.

The exercises consisted of the singing of "America," followed by Councillor James E. Furlong, who made a nice address of welcome. John M. Portell, Prof. Elmore A. Pierce, Capt. Horace N. Conn and William A. Mullett spoke for the good of the Order.

Joseph N. Simonds of Boston congratulated the Council on its success in securing their valuable property.

The committee in charge of the affair were William A. Mullett, Irving H. Jackman and Horace N. Conn.

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Easter Sunday.

Day after to-morrow is Easter Sunday, a religious holiday which of late years, more than formerly, has come to be observed quite generally by churches of nearly all denominations, and especially by the Sunday Schools connected with them. It is within the memory of middle aged people when such was not the practice, the observance of the day being almost entirely confined to Catholic and Episcopalian churches, but of late years things have grown to be different.

Flowers and music are for Easter and are employed abundantly in celebrating the day. Easter lilies hold the post of honor in the floral decorations of churches, but other flowers, ferns, palms and the like are employed with much advantage in them. Special music is looked for from the organist and choir as a part of the proper religious observance of the day, and the Easter Sunday School concert fails of complete success unless the exercises are well interspersed with sweet Easter songs, and hymns of Easter praise. Without the flowers and the music an Easter celebration could hardly be made to afford the pleasure to old and young that it now does.

And so the choir, the Sunday School, and the friends of each and all join heartily in striving to make Easter Sunday a day of innocent, rational pleasure, a profitable season for old and young, and a religious holiday whose annual return will always be hailed with delight.

The churches in this city, as a general thing, will observe Easter with appropriate sermons by their pastors and music in the morning and Easter Sunday School concerts in the afternoon and evening. At the Unitarian church Organist Buck will offer a fine musical programme, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon a Sunday School concert will be given for which special music will be provided.

Director P. E. Bancroft has arranged something unusually fine for the Easter morning services at the First Baptist church next Sabbath, March 29, as will be seen by the following

PROGRAMME.

Organ Voluntary. Whiting.
Easter Anthem. "Christ the Lord is risen." Shelley.
Solo and Chorus. "Shout ye high Heavens." Dow.
Song. Easter Day. Mrs. Partridge.
Anthem. "He is risen." Clare.
Easter Triumph Anthem.
"Behold! I tell you a mystery." Holden.
Organ Postlude.

The First Congregational and St. Charles Churches have musical and floral treats in store for the attendants at each.

Y. M. C. A.

Prayer service at 3.30 for men.

The Woman's Auxiliary's regular meeting next Tuesday.

Rev. J. L. Munhall will commence his services here either the 12th or 19th of April.

To-morrow afternoon at 4, Rev. J. W. Murphy will give an exposition of the S. S. Lesson in Concert Hall. All invited.

Rev. John A. McElwain, Dr. A. J. Gordon's assistant at Clarindon street Baptist Church, Boston, will speak to the men, Sunday, at 4 o'clock, P. M. Don't fail to hear him.

Boys, do you want an Easter Card? Those who are present during the Boys' meeting Sunday at 3 P. M. will receive one. They will be addressed by one who they never saw or heard of before. Be sure you are present.

Are you planing to be present next Monday evening at the entertainment by the Woman's Auxiliary, consisting of reading by Prof. Curtis, vocal and instrumental solos, Platter Drill under direction of Capt. H. N. Conn, with other entertaining selections? Admission 25 cents.

Tuesday evening, April 31, the Junior Branch are to give an entertainment, to which all are invited. Members of the Junior Department admitted on their membership ticket, others will be charged 10 cents. The boys have invited the Junior Department of Winchester and Stoneham to be present. The entertainment will consist of Views of the late War, Magician's work by Master Sam Bailey of Cambridge, who is only 15 years old, beside other amusing selections.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, March 21, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Miss Dorcas Barrey, Mrs. P. Devenny, in care of Mrs. Murry, Baby Hill, Mrs. Geo. Kline, 11 Highland St., Mrs. L. E. Walton, Mr. Wm. Young.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

Woman's Club.

Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis lectured before the Woburn Woman's Club on Friday, March 20, the subject of her discourse being "Woman in the next Century." Mrs. Curtis is a valued member of the Club, and many people assembled to listen to the speaker's eloquent words, and to learn her opinions concerning the ideal woman of the fast approaching twentieth century. We were glad to be told that the ideal coming woman is to lose none of her truly noble womanly qualities, but that her physical, mental and moral nature is to reach a full development. There will be business women, professional women, women devoted to the Arts and Sciences, women of culture interested in society in its best and truest sense.

Mrs. Curtis does not desire the coming woman to disregard home life, its duties and pleasures; she knows it is utterly impossible for a womanly woman to regard slightingly her home and family—these must ever hold the dearest place in affection. Simple ways of living, a regard for sanitary laws, a broadening education for both men and women, a better development of their spiritual nature, will enable men and women each to live noble lives of mutual co-operation and equal value.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Music Hall on Friday, April 3, at 3 P. M., when Miss Sybella Bailey of Boston will give "The History of Music."

G. M. B.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Show us the Father and sufficeth us. Easter Sunday School Concert at 4 p. m.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m preaching by pastor. Subject: "Resurrection." Epworth League Meeting at 6 p. m. Easter Concert at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Easter Morning" Sunday School Easter Concert at 6 p. m. Wednesday evening the usual prayer meeting. Friday evening, Christian Endeavor Convention.

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: The great Easter Message. Easter Concert by the Sunday School at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Church Covenant meeting Friday evening.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, March 21, Mrs. Abby Taylor, aged 69 years, 10 months.

In this city, March 23, Isabella Kyle, aged 26 years, 7 months.

In this city, March 24, William S. Adlington, aged 72 years, 11 months.

In Burlington, March 21, George Skelton, aged 65 years, 7 months, 28 days.

In Millbury, Mass., March 23, 1891, Mrs. William Bryson, formerly of Woburn.

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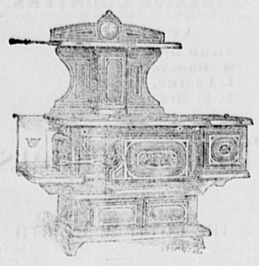

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Y. M. C. A. Reception.

So far as ceremony was concerned it was quite an informal affair and for that reason all the pleasanter for the 200 people who came there to enjoy the generous hospitality and excellent entertainment tendered by the W. Y. M. C. A. at their hall and rooms in Bank block on last Monday evening to as many as they could accommodate of the good friends and well-wishers of the Y. M. C. A. everywhere and of the great work it is doing for humanity —epecially, the humanity who are down in the ditch and need help to rise up again—the poor, unfortunate, friendless souls who are two often passed by and left to perish by the careless and indifferent—the victims of appetite, slaves to habit, and what is left of sinful lives.

The 200 guests of the Association were about equally divided as to sex and that they were ladies and gentlemen of importance in the community was plain enough to be seen without artificial aid. The fact was that they were among the foremost people in community and generally from the upper walks of social life.

President William W. Hill of the Association and Mrs. Emma T. Dow of the Woman's Auxiliary received and welcomed the guests in a graceful, hearty manner which made everyone feel entirely at home at once and had much to do with the subsequent pleasures of the very enjoyable occasion. By the kind attentions of these officers the visitors were made to feel that their presence was desired and their welcome sincere.

At a seasonable hour a dainty repast was laid on the tables to which the company, without any ceremony whatever, helped themselves as desire dictated. It consisted of many palatable delicacies which were keenly enjoyed.

The literary and musical entertainment given during the evening was of the most pleasing and satisfactory character. Capt. E. K. Hood of Lynn was the reader, and the selection of him was a happy one. He added greatly to the pleasure of the reception by his masterly recital of several choice selections and made many admirers by the exercise of his fine talents as an elocutionist. When he finished "Light on the Range" there was scarsely a dry eye in the audience.

The company were spellbound every time Miss May Bosley of Boston sang, and her fair accompanist on the pianoforte, the beautiful Miss Williams also of Boston, was a recipient of a generous share of the applause which greeted the delightful musical essays of the enchanting duet. The voice of the former was full, sweet and melodious, showing perfect cultivation, thorough knowledge, and natural qualities of a high order, and her splendid efforts were charming to the last degree. Beauty of face and person coupled with such rare musical gifts could not fail to impart great pleasure to a cultivated and appreciative audience.

The execution of Miss Williams's piano solos were exhibitions of high art in instrumental music, and they were enthusiastically received by the delighted company. The lady was captivating in manners and style as well as beautiful in face and form, and her playing has never been excelled, if equalled, in Concert Hall. Both ladies made many warm friends here.

Everything passed off in fine style and Presidents Hill and Dow had reason to congratulate themselves on the marked success of their reception.

Buckle's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

The wool hat manufacturers of the United States, with one exception, have entered into a combination.

Fire Sale!

Fire Sale!

COMMENCING

Saturday Morning

AT 8 O'CLOCK.

The Great House of H. B. Claflin & Co. of New York had a fire in their Storehouse last Wednesday.

$350,000 worth of Goods

WERE DAMAGED BY WATER.

These goods were placed on sale Monday morning in New York.

I was there and bought.

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Dry Goods and Carpets, 399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

"For Christ and the Church."

Middlesex County Y. P. S. C. E.

The Second Annual Convention of the Christian Endeavor Societies of Middlesex County will be held at Woburn, Fast Day, April 2, 1891, afternoon and evening. The afternoon session will be held in the Baptist church, Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor, at 2 30 P. M., and the evening session in the Congregational church, Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor, at 7 30.

An interesting and helpful programme is being arranged, and well known Christian Endeavor workers will be in attendance. Among those who will speak are

Rev. Lawrence Phelps, President Mass. State Union, Y. P. S. C. E.

Rev. A. E. Dunning, D. D., Editor of the *Congregationalist*

Rev. E. P. Farnham, Vice President Mass. State Union, Y. P. S. C. E.

Mr. J. W. Baer, Secretary United Society, Y. P. S. C. E.

Rev. S. C. Bushnell of Arlington.

Miss Elizabeth P. Gordon, Cor. Secretary, Mass. W. C. T. U.

Mr. W. L. Colby of Newton.

Miss L. Adelaide Wallingford of Lowell.

Mrs. Philip Emerson of Waltham, and others.

Active preparations are being made by the Woburn societies to make the Convention a success, the four societies in that city uniting heartily and cordially to that end.

Supper will be furnished by them to all delegates between the afternoon and evening sessions. All members of societies will be considered as delegates, but in order that preparation may be made, those intending to be present are requested to register, and wear their society badges.

A general invitation is extended to all pastors, church officers and all others interested in Christian Endeavor, to attend this Convention. Presidents and secretaries of societies are earnestly requested to call the attention of the members of their societies to this meeting, and to urge as many as possible to attend.

The singing will be aided by a large chorus, and will be under the general direction of Mr. T. Wallace Travis, of Wellesley Hills.

The churches in Woburn are near each other and the station, and can be quickly and easily reached.

Trains for Woburn leave Boston at 11 A. M., 12 10, 1 07, 2, 3 10, 4 05, 4 45, 5 35, 5 55, and 6 15 P. M. Trains leave Woburn for Boston at 5 12, 6 05, 8 59, 9 15 and 10 10 P. M. For Lowell at 6 42 and 10 28 P. M.

HENRY A. KIDDER, Arlington, District Secretary.

North Woburn.

Mr. Charles Eaton has placed a whistle on his factory on Pearl street. Blow it long and loud, Mr. Eaton, and wake the people up.

The Chocolate party given in the vestry of the Congregational church on Thursday evening, March 26, was a very enjoyable affair and also a financial success.

On Thursday, March 26, Mrs. A. R. Linscott started for New York, from which place she will sail for Europe where she intends to spend a few months in travelling.

Mr. Hart Tarr has improved the appearance of his estate on School St. a great deal by cutting down some old apple trees. Others should profit by the example as some of the trees on that street stand almost directly in the sidewalk.

The following is the programme for the Easter Concert by the Sunday School of the North Congregational church at No. Woburn on Sunday evening, March 29:

Anthem by Choir.
Scripture Reading by Superintendent.
Prayer by Pastor.
Response by Choir.
Responsive Reading.
Singing by School and Choir.
Exercises by Primary Department.
Responsive Reading.
Recitation by Lena French.
Singing by Choir.
Reading by Mr. O. T. Curtis.
Recitations by Mrs. Dearborn's Class.
Singing by School and Choir.
Reading by Mr. J. W. Clark.
Responsive Reading.
Singing by Choir.
Recitations by Homer Danforth, Fred Bixby.
Address by Pastor.

The School will be assisted in the music by Mr. Fred Rogers on the cornet.

King's Daughters.

To the Order of King's Daughters and Sons in Middlesex County: All Circles not already reported to the State Secretary, Mrs. Charlotte S. Doolittle, please send your names at once to your County Secretary, Letitia F. Phelps, 16 Lrimmean Street, Cambridge, Mass. Henceforth all reports and fees are to be sent to your County Secretary, and crosses, literature and information can be obtained of her. Mrs. Charlotte S. Doolittle, State Secretary.

March 23, 1891.

Burlington.

There was a social party in the Town Hall Wednesday evening.

Many people in town are suffering from severe colds and coughs.

Mr. Henry S. Marion cut his foot quite badly with an axe while chopping some wood last week.

We were pleased to see our old friend Mr. Nathan Simonds at the Town Meeting Monday.

The Sunday school will give an Easter concert in the church next Sunday evening at seven o'clock.

Rev. F. Hersey of Andover preached at the church last Sunday. The people appeared to be very much interested in his sermons both in the morning and evening.

We recently had a pleasant call from Mr. Harry Reed who has returned to Lexington from his sojourn in the South and will soon occupy his summer residence here.

The friends of Mr. James Patterson sympathize with him in the severe affliction he has experienced in the death of his wife which occurred last week. She leaves a family of four children.

Mr. Samuel Gowing who died March 16 at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Silas Cutler, was the oldest person in this town, being ninety-two years old at the time of his death. Although quite deaf he retained his faculties in a goodly degree until a short time before his death. His funeral was held in Wilmington where the greater part of his long life was spent. He was a man who was highly respected by all who knew him.

The Town Meeting was held Monday afternoon. As the warrant contained an unusually large number of articles it was hardly expected that the Meeting would be finished that day, but, by promptness and expedition the the feat was accomplished. The following officers were chosen: Samuel Sewall, Town Clerk and Treasurer; Samuel Sewall, G. L. Tebbetts, William E. Carter, Selectmen, Assessors, Highway Surveyors and Overseers of the Poor; J. F. Rice, Charles E. O'Brien, Constables; Charles G. Foster, School Committee for three years; Samuel Sewall, Collector of Taxes; Walter W. Skelton, Otis C. Haven, Charles E. Marion, Cemetery Committee; Charles G. Foster, Marshall Wood, J. F. Rice, Library Committee. The sum of $1200 was appropriated for the schools, $1500 for the highways, and $2000 for the support of the poor and incidental expenses. The vote on the license question was Yes, 23; No, 28.

The washboard is a piano upon which women can play a tune of happiness with a cake of Brussels soap.

Literary Notices.

PETERSON for April opens with two large fashion sheets, giving all the most novel and graceful designs for spring costumes. The Tree of the Desert is a beautiful illustrated article on palmtrees and gives much interesting and out-of-the-way information in regard to the numerous varieties. Hannah—A Friend, by Robert C. V. Meyers is a charming story written with an exquisite delicacy of touch. Twixt His Coming and Going by Anna M. Dwight is illustrated by some lovely photogravures and is a story of unusual merit. In a Glass Manufactory is another illustrated article which gives a capital account of the different stages of glass-making. Some Curious Easter Customs by Martha Craig will be found full of interest. Miss Alice Bowman's serial, "Dulce Domum," grows more interesting with each installment, and the first chapters of At the Star, by Agnes James, makes one eager for the continuation. The fashion and household departments are as always—simply invaluable. Terms, two dollars a year. Send 5 cents for a sample copy. Address, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, Philadelphia, Pa.

To the Milk Diet so often recommended for invalids, should be added Mellin's Food. By its aid, the difficulty which patients generally find in digesting milk alone is entirely overcome; it also adds greatly to the food value of the milk.

WINCHESTER.

The Y. M. C. A. has formed a gymnasium class.

Daniel Cadigan is at present stopping in East Cambridge.

The Water in the several ponds rose about five inches last week.

Mrs. Dunbar, who resides at Symmes's Corner, died on Sunday last.

The Winchester Furniture Company have been shut down for repairs on the shop.

Mr. Lawrence Hall, who has been confined to the house with la grippe, is around again.

Beggs & Cobb will not run a team between here and Boston, as Loring & Avery have been doing.

Miss Hanson has resumed her duties at the Wadleigh Grammar School after a two week's illness.

There was quite a number of ladies present at the town election. They occupied positions in the gallery.

The Wedgemere Tennis Club will give a minstrel entertainment in the Town Hall on the evening of Fast Day.

The returns showed that that Molly Connors received votes for four or five different offices, one of them being for constable.

While George Nichols and Charles Lund were out riding yesterday the wheel of the buggy broke throwing Mr. Nichols out. He escaped with slight injuries.

Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Thomas Cochrane, of St. Paul, Minn., gave a very interesting lecture at the new rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Beggs & Cobb will finish up at their North Winchester factory next Wednesday as also will Loring & Avery and the change of plants will take place immediately.

Everybody should bear in mind the Minstrel Show by the Wedgemere Tennis Club at the Town Hall on Fast Day evening. It is going to be a big thing, else all signs fail in a drouth.

Judge Littlefield found out on Town Meeting day that "sass for the goose is sass for the gander" and under that rule he was elected Fence Viewer. He will hardly undertake a practical joke on the same party again very soon.

The whole gypsy moth business is a snare and a delusion from the drop of the hat. It is a humbug from a to ampersand and the Governor ought to abolish the Gypsy Moth Commission and every body who thinks the Commission isn't a fraud. The humbug is the one who wrote this article.

Appropriate Easter services will be held at the churches here. Preparations on quite an elaborate scale are under way for the Congregational Church. The committee in charge of them are are C. W. Currier, E. B. Holt, Mrs. Henry L. Dunham, Miss C. L. Pond and Mrs. W. M. Belcher.

"Chipman's Liver Pills
the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

When the Mosque of St. Sophia in Constantinople was built, more than a thousand years ago, the stones and brick were laid in mortar mixed with a solution of musk, and the building has been fragrant with the oder ever since.

The Manhattan Club of New York finds its new quarters in Stewart's marble palace so expensive that it has doubled the membership in order to enlarge the resources.

DOG SHOW.

MECHANICS' HALL, HUNTINGTON AVENUE,
March 31, April 1, 3 and 4.
1500 NOTED PRIZE DOGS,
The largest show ever held in America. 20 CELEBRATED TRICK DOGS perform every day and evening. Admission 50 cents; Children half price.
N. B. Special attractions FAST DAY, April 2.

Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

NOTICE.

The Regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held on **Friday, April 3, 1891,** at 7.30 P. M., to hear the report of the Treasurer and Auditors, and transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Money deposited on or before **Saturday, April 11, 1891,** will draw interest from April 1, 1891.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, March 25 1891.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICE.

Persons wanting Help or Situations, or Nurses, can be furnished with the best by calling on **Mrs. M. JENNINGS,** 408 Main street, Woburn, Mass. Also, keeps on hand all kinds of fresh CONFECTIONERY, FRUITS, TOYS, STATIONERY, and other goods. PRICES LOW.

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FOR SALE—A desirable estate on line of B. & L. R. R., 2 minutes' walk from station, containing 21,000 feet of land, house and stable; both have all modern conveniences, house of 12 rooms and bath; stable accommodates 3 horses; large lawns, fruit and shade trees. Apply to CHAS. D. APPLETON, 153 Blackstone street, Boston.

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Over from our stock of fine Bedroom Sets, in the 1890 patterns, WILL NOW be closed out at a reduction of 25 per cent from Market Prices.

The assortment includes many artistic designes in Quartered Oak, Cherry, &c., the only reason for this unusual sacrifice being that we must make room for new stock.

If your eyes should chance to catch this announcement, the opportunity may enable you to furnish a room or two in "An Ideal Manner" and at an ideal price.

Perhaps it is well for you that you have waited till now.

Keeler & Co.

Washington Street, cor. Elm, just beyond Adam's Square, BOSTON.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Ann Doherty to John W. Johnson of Woburn in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Trustee under the will of Adelaide A. Eaton, dated January 15, 1889, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, libro 1889, folio 533, and by said John W. Johnson, Trustee, assigned to Hugh McCafferty by assignment dated May 10, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 2000, Page 43, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the eleventh day of April, A. D., 1891, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:—A certain lot of land situated in the westerly part of said Woburn, on the northerly side of Sheridan St., and bounded and described as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises on said Sheridan street, at land of Sewall Taylor; thence the line runs easterly, by and with said Sheridan street one hundred and ninety-eight feet to land now, or formerly, of James Doherty; thence northerly, on and by said land of Doherty ninety nine and one-half feet to land now, or formerly, of Mrs. Hanley; thence westerly, by said land of Hanley and by land now, or formerly, of Bartholomew Hogan, one hundred and ninety-nine feet to said land of Taylor; thence southerly, by said land of Taylor, ninety-nine and one-half feet to the point of beginning: Being the same premises described in two deeds to said Ann Doherty: one from Philip Doherty, dated March 21, 1867, recorded with Middlesex (South District) Deeds, Book 1007, Page 318; the other from John Doherty, dated December 10, 1867, and recorded with Middlesex So. District) Deeds, Book 1026, Page 326.

$10.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

HUGH McCAFFERTY, Assignee
and present holder of said Mortgage.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, March 16, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ebenezer N. Blake, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Warren N. Blake, Harrison G. Blake, and Joseph B. Parker, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

New Bargains At BONELLI'S

22 Franklin St., Woburn.

Peacock Blue Henrietta, Silk Warp, 85c., sells in Boston for $1.00.

Black India Twill, 46 inches wide, 65c., sells in Boston for 75c.

Wine Color Henrietta, 46 in. wide, 75c., sells in Boston for $1.00.

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We will give anyone a Dress Pattern of the above goods if they can match them in Boston Retail Stores for less than the prices quoted as Boston prices.

We would be pleased to have you take up this offer.

WOBURN Co-operative Bank.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Dow's Block, on

Thursday, April 9,

at 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of electing Officers and Auditors for the ensuing fiscal year, and for any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

A. W. WHITCHER, Secretary.

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Fine double dwelling house 12 rooms, Bay Windows, about 20,000 feet of land. This property is in first-class repair. Call and get full particulars. Terms easy.

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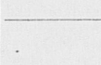

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I expect to build up my business by pleasing my patrons. Send me a trial order, and you will not need to go to Boston for such work afterwards.

F. SCHWARTZ.

Don't forget the address.

404 MAIN ST., WOBURN.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ann Bell Skinner, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Jennie E. Skinner, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the Trusts under a deed of Oliver B. Coolidge of Woburn, in said County given to Ebenezer Lawrence, in trust, and recorded with said Middlesex (so. Dist.) deeds, Book 280, Page 212,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court by Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, praying to be appointed Trustee under said deed;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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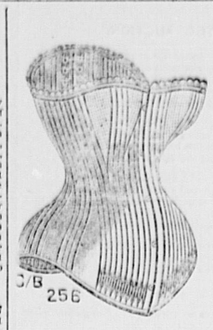

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Edwin H. Richardson, late of Woburn in the County of Middlesex, Massachusetts, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LEWIS L. WHITNEY, Adm.

Woburn, Mass., March 19, 1891.

REVIEW OF THE QUARTER

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The Unity of the Israelitish Nation Destroyed—Rapid Decline and Demoralization of the Two Sections Despite the Labors of Elijah, Elisha and Others.

The quarter just completed and the next together cover one of the saddest passages in history. Borrowing a term from profane history, it might be called the "Decline and Fall" of the divinely established nation. Every gracious promise to Israel had been coupled with a condition, expressed or clearly implied. Again and again had the people been warned; again and again had they disregarded the warning, violated the laws against idolatry and entangled themselves with neighboring nations, until their measure of iniquity was complete and the judgment came.

For convenience it is customary to divide the history of the kingdom into three stages. Samuel may be said to have organized the nation, but with so poor an instrument as Saul he could not organize the kingdom. That was the work of David, who was, in the broadest sense, a man of war. He brought the national spirit to its highest development. He repelled all the attacks of his neighbors and compelled them to respect Israel. To his son and successor he left a united people, whom no other nation dared to attack, and a fair field for the arts of peace. Solomon brought the kingdom to its highest point of glory. Education, agriculture and commerce were brought to a flourishing condition. This was the golden age of Israel. The fame of Solomon filled the earth. He is still the theme of a thousand legends among the nations of southern Asia, and the Jews through all the twenty-nine centuries since his day have pointed with mingled pride and sadness to the glory of Solomon.

The third stage—the four centuries of almost continuous decay and demoralization—began with Rehoboam, though the seeds of decay were thickly sown before. For some reasons not well understood there had long been a division in feeling, the tribe of Judah and some fractions of other tribes standing together, and the rest of the nation occasionally breaking away. Again and again during the life of David did this spirit produce dangerous or bloody results, nor did David succeed in uniting the tribes till the heir of Saul, Ishbosheth, had been assassinated. Twice during that reign there were bloody insurrections. It is but reasonable to conclude that the men of Judah were greatly favored at the court of Solomon, and that the jealousy of other tribes smoldered all through the forty years of his glorious reign.

Nevertheless the kingdom left by Solomon extended northeast to the Euphrates and south as far as the Red sea. His death was the signal for the old jealousy to revive, and the folly of Rehoboam completed the division. There were thenceforth two kingdoms and internecine strife, and the hatred on both sides was so intense that even the prophets were affected by it, as we see in many of their utterances. Against the dark background of war and apostacy stand out the mighty figures of Elijah and Elisha, heroes and patriots, almost martyrs, yet miraculously sustained and preserved, struggling mightily but in vain to bring back a deluded people to their duty to God and their native land.

As the northern kingdom began its career under Jeroboam by systematically excluding the Mosaic institutions, so its downward career was most rapid. Idolatry, despotism and corruption were its methods; conspiracy, revolt and regicide determined the choice of rulers through most of the 250 years of its troubled existence. Once Elisha succeeded in restoring a faint spirit of piety and patriotism, and under the dynasty of Jehu (who was anointed by Elisha) there was a show of order during the reigns of Jehoahaz, Joash, Jeroboam II and Zachariah; but the latter was murdered by Shallum (773 B. C.), who was murdered a month later by Menahem, whose son Pekahiah was slain by Pekah, who was in turn assassinated by Hoshea, with whom the kingdom was destroyed amid unspeakable miseries. The ten tribes were taken into captivity, and so disappeared from history. Many fanciful accounts of them have appeared, and many learned men, whose learning was not tempered with judgment, have maintained extravagant theories concerning "The Lost Tribes," but there is every reason to believe that they were never reunited. Their idolatry and neglect of the Mosaic law would naturally cause them to be absorbed and lost as a race in the nations among whom they settled.

The history of the other kingdom, commonly called Judah, is far more important and interesting; for it continued a kingdom till 588 B. C., was partially restored after the captivity, and maintained a desperate struggle for nationality for nearly five centuries longer. Nor was the Jewish community completely broken up and the people scattered till the reign of the Roman emperor, Hadrian, about 131 A. D., when the last insurrection under Bar-Cokheba was suppressed in frightful massacres, after which the Jews were forbidden to enter Jerusalem under penalty of death, and the dispersion was complete. Nevertheless it is Judah that has preserved the national name and blood, and the Jews remain a people apart among all nations to this day.

It is fitting to cite here a few facts as to that portion of Jewish history between the close of the Old Testament and opening of the New. Cyrus decreed the return of the Jews, but of the whole dispersion certainly not more than a third, and some think no more than a fifth, came back, and these completed the new temple about 516 B. C. Ezra somewhat later brought a colony from beyond the Euphrates, and Nehemiah another in 445 B. C. There was a long peace, during which the sacred books were completed, and the canon of the Hebrew Scriptures made up. Nor was this peace broken till Alexander the Great conquered the Persian empire (334 to 331 B. C.).

Palestine remained a Greek province, though under various rulers, for a century and a half; all the educated people read and to some extent spoke Greek, and the Scriptures were translated into that tongue (the Septuagint). In 170-160 B. C. the land became again independent under the Maccabees, but a century later a horrible civil war resulted in an appeal to the Romans, who took the country.

The lessons just closed, the careers of Elijah and Elisha, cover the first stages of this dreadful history, and it may with reverence be said that they deserve the study of those who would be statesmen almost as much as that of those who would be enlightened Christians. In these chapters is portrayed God's method in dealing with an apostate and decaying nation. The moral is set forth in Scripture language, which cannot be improved, "The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God."

To enjoy good health aim to always have abundant sleep; this can generally be secured by management, unless you have a crying baby, in which case Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will greatly assist.

A very good recommendation:—I used Old Sauls Catarrh Cure for influenza and was cured.

Every housekeeper knows how important it is to keep the refrigerator clean. Wash the shelves and ice racks in soap, ammonia and water. Vinegar and water will remove every stain from the zinc.

Bright's Disease Lost Its Victim.

Mrs. Laura A. Kempton, of West Rutland, Vt., writes: "We are certain that only for Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., our little ten-year-old daughter would have been dead from Bright's Disease. We had tried in vain other means, but the Favorite Remedy came just in time to save her life."

Soak clothes that fade over night in water in which has been dissolved one ounce of sugar of lead to a pailful of rain water.

THE AUCTION.

At an auction of goods the gruff auctioneer
On high a hammer doth hold.
And he cries for each piece, "Going once, twice and thrice,"
And the hammer comes down and it's sold.

Going once, going twice,
Going, going, gone;
Falls the hammer in a trice
And the sale is done.

You ardently covet a fine piece of goods,
But you linger, and do not bid bold;
The auctioneer shouts, "Going once, twice and thrice,"
And the hammer comes down and 'tis sold.

Our life is an auction, and larger by far
Than any of which we are told;
A hammer waits over life's goods, once, twice, thrice,
And at last it comes down and they're sold.

There's a mine to be worked, and you gather your tools
To bring forth the glittering gold;
You tarry a moment, only once, twice or thrice,
And the hammer comes down and you're sold.

A battle's to be fought, and you marshal your troops
To vanquish the enemy bold;
You pause at the crisis, only once, twice or thrice,
The hammer comes down, glory's sold.

And so at the finish, as well as the start,
You want the crown promised of old;
You tarry at midday and at night, once, twice, thrice,
And God's hammer comes down, heaven is sold.

Going once, going twice,
Going, going, gone;
Falls the hammer in a trice,
And life's bargain's done.
—W. A. Buxton in Yankee Blade

The Star Mizar.

Every observer of the heavens who knows by name some of the brightest stars is familiar with the constellation called the Great Dipper, visible in the northern sky through the whole night and throughout the year. It consists of seven stars, four in the bowl and three in the handle. An interesting discovery has been made by Professor Pickering, of the Harvard university observatory, concerning one of the stars of this beautiful group.

Mizar is the name of the star. It is the middle star in the handle, is of the second magnitude, and has attracted much attention ever since men began to study the stars, because even to the naked eye it is double. It has a companion, Alcor, plainly visible to observers endowed with good visual power. Alcor is of the fifth magnitude, and is about 11 minutes distant from Mizar. The tiny star seems to be growing brighter, for the Arabians considered it a severe naked eye test, and it is now comparatively easy to detect.

The telescope shows plainly that Mizar is a double star, its components being of the third and fifth magnitudes, the one a brilliant white, the other a pale emerald. The marvelous discovery is now made that the larger star of the pair is also double, the two stars that compose it being so close together that the telescope cannot separate them.—Youth's Companion.

A Gentleman Farmer Defined.

Old Col. Maynadier, of Anne Arundel county, Md., was a large slaveowner. The colonel spent a good deal of his time away from home. One time upon his return he took a drive over his property, and on his way he met a small colored boy.

"Whom do you belong to, boy?" the colonel asked.

"Why, sah, I—I—'longs to Col. Maynadier, sah."

"Who's he?" inquired the colonel, to see what the chap would say.

"H—h—e's a farmer, sah."

"What sort of a farmer?"

"Ge—gentleman farmer, sah."

"Gentleman farmer!" repeated the colonel. "What kind of a farmer's a gentleman farmer?"

"W—well, sah," spoke up the colored boy, "h—he's a farmer dat don't raise no 'bacco, sah, a—and has to buy his co'n, sah!"

The colonel enjoyed the joke, it is said, and afterward told it upon himself with much amusement.—Baltimore Herald.

Bacteria in Hailstones.

Bacteria of various kinds have been found in ice and snow, and Dr. Fontin, a Russian observer, has now proved that hailstones are not free from them. He has found that the water produced by the melting of hailstones contains on an average 720 bacteria per cubic centimeter. Neither yeast fungus nor mold was present, but nine different kinds of bacteria were found, five of which (B. mycoides, liquefaciens, lutens, sarcina lutea and aurantiaca) are already known. As the ordinary dwelling place of the bacillus mycoides is the earth, we are confronted with the fact that microbes of terrestrial origin may be carried up into the air, and thus rain, snow and hail may be the direct means of conveying infection.—Chicago Herald.

He Fished and Slept.

At Hannibal, Mo., a colored man named Wilson fished from a bridge. As he fished he slept, and as he slept he pitched forward into the stream and never rose to the surface. When they recovered his pole and line there was a twenty-five pound catfish on the hook. Some men are always too late for good luck.—Detroit Free Press.

How to Obtain Information.

"There is a family living at 110, and I want to know something about them."

"Why don't you go there and make your inquiries?"

"That would be a little indelicate."

"That's true. Well, then, go to the next door neighbor and you will find out all about them."—Boston Courier.

An Impossible Animal.

"I have an idea that Bagsby is something of a liar himself."

"What makes you think that?"

"Well, he says he has a trick dog that will perform his tricks when they have company."—New York Ledger.

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and medicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of others state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

Boiling-hot liquid may be safely poured into a glass jar or tumbler by first putting a silver spoon in the dish. Be careful, however, that a draft of cold air does not strike the vessel while hot.

Dyspepsia's victims are numbered by thousands. So are the people who have been restored to health by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

RATTLERS ON BLUE TOP.

A Farmer Who Catches Them and Keeps Them in Hollow Logs.

The Susquehanna river rises in central New York, and flowing southward enters the northwestern corner of Pennsylvania, near Great Bend, Susquehanna county, and taking a westerly course follows closely the boundary line of the two states. Ranges of hills, rising almost to the dignity of mountains, skirt its banks on either side and present a rough, ragged and rocky surface, so that cultivation is almost out of the question; but wild and hilly and barren as it was in many parts, the pioneers of the country, intent on securing homes and farms and a living somewhere in that region, found here and there a valley and a running stream and a flat place where they could plant a house and clear up a few acres of land for farming.

Among those streams is one named Snake creek, which, rising in a beautiful lake near Montrose, meanders through a valley and finds its way into the Susquehanna about twelve miles from the lake in which it rises. This creek was so named by the early settlers because of the fact that, while bears and wolves and other ferocious beasts were very numerous in all that region, snakes were conspicuously more numerous. One of the highest hills, whose head rises well up into the sky, was named Blue Top, because the large and luscious blue whortleberries were found on it in large quantities. The large rattlesnake was found there, as he is today, nearly as plentiful as the berries, and in the season of ripe berries he is exceedingly restive and hostile to all intruders.

On Snake creek, a few miles above its mouth, an old man of the name of Chalker lives all alone, who is so familiar with the snakes that by common consent he is called Snake Chalker. His large farm lies along the creek, extending up either side to the very top of the hills. On one occasion, while passing that way, the writer hitched his horse at his gate and went in to see him. Hanging up all around the old fashioned fireplace I observed what appeared to be dressed eels preparing for the table. They were exceptionally large of the kind, and I asked where he caught such large eels.

"Eels?" said he. "Those are my rattlesnakes."

"And what are you going to do with them?"

"Eat them. They are much finer than eels."

Passing toward his back door he said:

"Come out and see what I have in the yard."

In the yard were snakes by the score—all kinds, but blacksnakes and rattlesnakes in great numbers. How he caught them, how he put them where they were, he explained as follows:

"You see these tubs, as I call them, in which I keep them? These are hollow logs sawed off about ten feet, burned out and made smooth inside, so the snakes can't get out. I place one end of the log or tub about five feet in the ground. I then put the snakes down, about twenty or thirty in each tub, and keep them, feeding them every day until I want to use them. Snakes, you know, come out of their dens on warm, pleasant days and lie on the rocks to sun themselves. I cut a small stick with a short crotch at one end. I approach them quietly, and placing the crotch on the snake's neck hold it firmly down until I put a stout pin through his lips. Then twisting it about so he can't open his mouth or bite I fill my pockets or a basket and take them home and replenish my tubs. When I want a snake to eat or sell I slip a noose over his head and bring him up."—New York Sun.

The World's Richest Heiress.

The little daughter of the king and queen of Holland will be the richest heiress in the world. She is a simple minded, intelligent child, and talks four languages fluently. Her chief delight when she was 5 or 6 was making mud pies, but this pleasure she was not often allowed to indulge in. The little princess has an enormous number of white frocks, as she is dressed in nothing but white in the summer and has a clean dress every day. When driving out her English governess has great difficulty in keeping the poor little princess perpetually acknowledging the public salute. "Why do all the people want to look at me?" asked the little mite one day. "Not for your own sake, dear, but because you are your father's little girl," was her governess' wise reply.—New York Telegram.

The Woman Who Stays Too Long.

If the reckless waster of time were the only sufferer for her thoughtlessness there would be a certain sense of satisfaction in contemplating the retribution. But when she lingers at her friend's threshold to make a few closing remarks on an already exhausted or a fruitless theme while the busy housewife sniffs the odor of burning cake, or hears the clock striking the hour of a now impossible engagement, her action becomes to a degree criminal.—Harper's Bazar.

A "Wind Flower."

A flower has been discovered in South America which is only visible when the wind blows. The shrub belongs to the cactus family and is about three feet high. The stem is covered with dead, warty looking lumps in calm weather. These lumps, however, need but a slight breeze to make them unfold large flowers of a creamy white, which close and appear as dead as soon as the wind subsides.—St. Louis Republic.

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. F. E. Lovell, Druggist.

Reason is no match for passion. It is the most thoughtful men who sin most wilfully. You reason about the folly of your sin, and the next minute you commit it.

If Your Skin

Is rough, and pimply or covered with blotches and sores, and you want a clean, smooth skin and fair complexion, use Sulphur Bitters. The best medicine in such cases I ever sold.—C. E. Schefflee & Co., Druggists, Lawrence, Mass.

MEN WHO SUPPLY FAKIRS.

They Are Willing to Buy Anything, Providing the Price Is Low.

There are three or four men in this city who, if they can buy cheap enough, will take up any sized stock of goods and pay cash for it. These are the men who supply the street fakirs with the articles which seem to fairly break out on the street like some queer disease. One day you will see thousands of Japanese teapots or Malacca canes, while the next an amazing number of shoe brushes form the attraction. The rule of this business is that nothing can be easily sold on the street which costs more than ten cents, although, of course, this, like other rules, has its exceptions. Of this ten cents the peddlers must make at least four. It matters little to the men who buy the bankrupt stocks, then, what the articles may be, provided on their purchase they can make a profit, selling at seven cents.

There is, however, one point which must be borne in mind. The articles, whatever they may be, must be really good of their kind, for the whole theory of the business is dealing in real bargains. The purchasers are generally shrewd buyers, not only knowing when the things offered are good, but as a rule buying them, not because they are wanted, but because they are cheap, and the number of bargains which may be secured from these men by any one who will watch for them is amazing. I remember buying a Malacca cane for ten cents many years ago which did good service.

In a city where as many business failures take place as are chronicled in New York the existence of men who can dispose of any stock and get rid of it is a prime necessity. The houses which place their wares through the street peddlers have the command of large capital, and do business on the "quick sales and small profits" principle. They rarely carry a stock, unless it be very large, over three or four days, for in that time the push cart men, if the articles go at all, will clean them out. They are always on the loookout for bankruptcies, forced sales and the like, and their stores are curiosity shops, littered up with the flotsam and jetsam which have remained over from many commercial wrecks. But they deal in toys, fruit, vegetables, game—anything that is cheap and can go quickly. "The Pigs in the Pen," which sent the city wild, were placed by them, and it is not uncommon to see editions of books forced into circulation through their offices.

As may be imagined the men in this business must not alone possess a widespread knowledge of goods, but they must have a keen appreciation of the public taste and know exactly what will take. It has been believed that pawnbrokers know more of the values of diverse articles than any other men in a city like New York, but it is a question whether those who deal through peddlers are not the equal of "Our Uncles" in this. Anyway, theirs is a business which can only be made to pay while this species of sagacity is displayed, for should they make a mistake it is tolerably certain the fakirs will not and that the stock will then be left unsold.

The ability of the average fakir to determine beforehand whether a given line of articles will take savors of the supernatural. I am told that a successful man in this business will not only determine instantly whether he wants to push a sale, but that in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred he will be absolutely right. If the jobber makes a mistake his only chance of saving himself is to get the men to take out the goods on speculation; in other words, on credit. As the business all through is or should be cash, this policy is not looked upon with much favor.

The need of judgment on the part of the jobber is, however, most felt when he is selling to the peddlers. The amount of profit allowed to them is in inverse ratio to the rapidity with which they can sell, and it is therefore to their interest to make the jobber believe he has a "slow lot" on hand. Their volubility in crying the excellence of their wares on the street is as nothing to that which expresses their contempt for the goods when they are themselves asked to buy. The jobber then must know just how the things will go or he will find himself left with a profit which shall make him mourn.

It is a curious business which has grown out of the failures of commercial life, but it is not without its interesting points.—New York Telegram.

Antiquity of the Horse.

One of the facts which the philological theorists were surest of was that the horse was brought with them into Europe by the first Aryan immigrants from Asia. But, as Mr. Taylor shows that the Aryans did not come from Asia, it is easy to suppose that they did not bring the horse with them from Asia. "The Latin name equus is common to all the Aryan languages. But recent archæological discoveries have shown that the common name must have referred to the wild horse which roamed in immense herds over Europe, and formed the chief food of the palæolithic hunters." In view of this fact the movement among a branch of the palæoelectric Gauls to return to the horse as a food is one of the most striking cases of reversion known in the life of the race.—William Dean Howells in Harper's.

Thoughts of Home and Wife.

Wife—John, you often think of your birdie during business hours, don't you?

Husband—I did today. A button came off my vest.—Munsey's Weekly.

We spoil everything by hurry. We are wearing ourselves out as a nation by our hurry and intensity—too eager to get a living to be willing to stop to live.

There are men who no more grasp the truth they seem to hold than a sparrow grasps the message passing through the electric wire on which it perches.

A man takes contradiction and advice much more easily than people think, only he will not bear it when violently given, even though it be well founded.

He who chooses the right and shuns the base, has the eternal for his friend, brother and father.

The inhabitants of cities suppose that the country landscape is pleasant only half the year.

Likes the Sting of the Bee.

Some obstinate men will say "No, thank you," to the most disinterested propositions for their welfare. Dr. O'Neill, of Lincoln, has a friend who endures the sting of the honey bee without flinching. In fact he rather likes it. He keeps bees for pleasure, and the bees, for their pleasure or otherwise, often sting him. He now, however, believes himself sting proof. The tiny wound that used to produce severe pain in former days causes now "only a little pleasurable sensation." He is still unfortified against the wasp. Stung by one of those formidable insects a short time ago, Dr. O'Neill's friend had sufferings acute and prolonged.

But it might be that after a few repetitions the sting of the wasp might cease in him to produce its stinging effects. So he has suggested to his friend that "for the sake of science" he should take the matter up and thoroughly investigate it, in order that he might discover whether he could not also fortify himself against the pain caused by the sting of the wasp. This, says the doctor, with whose disappointment the public will no doubt sympathize, the friend "declined to do, his thirst for science not being sufficiently great to induce him to have any further intercourse with the wasp if he could help it."

Prof. Brewer's Snake Story.

Prof. Brewer tells a snake story. Years ago he was in California and had his tripod and other surveyors' instruments in the field. Stepping along in the bushes he felt a movement under his feet, and found that he was standing on a four-and-a-half-foot rattlesnake—a large, vicious and a fighting fellow. But the snake was so completely pinioned that he could not strike the thick boot that held him fast. Prof. Brewer held the rattler's head down with the tripod and cut it off. Then he cut off his rattles. Stepping aside, he saw the body of the snake, partly coiled, lying very still. Taking out his rule to measure its length, the professor took hold of the snake to straighten him out. "Quick as an electric shock," said Prof. Brewer, "that headless snake brought the bloody stump over and struck a hard blow upon the back of my hand." He added, "I knew that his head was off and that he could not poison me, but that quick and hard blow of the rattler fairly made my hair stand on end."—New Haven Palladium.

Oh, Woman, Lovely Woman!

There are some queer couples in the world, remarked a real estate agent. The other day a man and a woman called to see me about renting a flat. The woman did all the talking, and turned to the man for confirmation or corroboration. He always agreed with her, and did it very meekly.

"Well," said the woman, "I'll give you $25 for this flat; won't we, John?"

"Yes'm."

"And I'll pay my rent promptly, too; won't we, John?"

"Yes'm."

"And take good care of the house; won't I, John?"

"Yes'm."

"But," I inquired, as is usual in such cases, "are you man and wife?"

"Man and wife!" exclaimed the woman sharply; "indeed we are not; are we, John?"

"No'm."

"What!" says I, "not man and wife?"

"Not much! I'd have you know that in this family we are wife and man; ain't we, John?"

"Yes'm."—Texas Siftings.

Horse with a Mustache.

A horse with a mustache is something of a novelty, and such a curiosity attracted quite a large crowd on Front street one afternoon. The animal is jet black, and from his upper lip grows a bunch of hair of a light color and as thick as the hair on his body, but measuring over two inches in length and as stiff as bristles. This hair parts in the middle and curls to the side, as does a mustache on the lip of a man, showing that it has been quite as carefully trained. The animal is the property of Thomas Jones, of Paxon, and is 16 years old.—Worcester (Mass.) Times.

Avoidance of Danger from Fire.

A new departure has been taken in the plans for the new building for the congressional library in that the whole of that immense structure will contain no fire. The building will of course be heated, but the heat will be located outside the building. Vaults will be constructed in the grounds, where the fires and boilers will be placed, and the hot air will be carried into the library building by means of pipes. By this means complete protection against fire is secured.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Public Botanical Instruction.

An admirable provision has been made by the magistracy of Breslau, which will tend in more ways than one to the improvement of the pupils in the public schools. A botanical school garden has been instituted for the regular supply of plants to the schools of the place and for enabling teachers to make observations on the spot with their pupils.—New York Telegram.

Business Is Business.

He—I love you, Jeannette, and now wish you to consider a proposal of——

She—That will do, James. There is only one honest course to pursue in a business matter like this. Submit a sealed proposal to me by the 15th, and your bid shall receive the attention it deserves.—New York Ledger.

A Tender Hearted Boy.

A rather affecting sight was seen on Main street lately. A small boy was leading a blind dog down the street, stopping every few moments to pat the dog, which wagged its tail affectionately. On approaching a hydrant the boy lifted the dog up to let him drink. As they passed down the street again the dog wandered in front of a passerby, who promptly kicked him, but he made no move to get out of the way. The small boy lost no time in yelling after him: "Get out, you ugly brute. What yer kicking a poor, blind dog for?"—Buffalo Express.

Costly Raiment.

Grandma (at her paper)—Law sakes! Here's a notice of my dear Jennie's weddin'. Frankie, what does t-r-o-u-s-s-e-a-u spell?

Frankie (promptly)—Trousers!

Grandma—Land of Goshen! Ef they cost $500 it's a shame and a disgrace. What's this world a-comin' to, anyhow!—Pittsburg Bulletin.

A Homecoming.

Mr. John Drew, the owner of a milk route, was an elderly widower who lived in Somerville, just out of Boston. His house was kept for him by his sister Betsey, a capable spinster whose gray hairs left her age no longer uncertain. One day Miss Betsey Drew saw the milk wagon which her brother himself drove return from Boston an hour earlier than usual in the forenoon, and by his side was a woman.

He drove up to the side door, unhitched the horse, put him into the stable and came into the house by means of the back door and through the kitchen into the sitting room where Miss Betsey was.

"Well, John Drew," she said severely, looking up from her knitting; "this is queer business! You, a man in good standing, a-driving home with your wagon so early and leaving it standing by the door, and girls a-sitting there like stoughton bottles!"

"Girls!" echoed John Drew. He had been plunged deep in thought, and had entered mechanically by the usual door. But that word roused him. He smiled a jovial smile. He seized his sister's wrist.

"Come, Betsey," said he, "come and see her! I declare I forgot all about her!"

They were at the side door by this time and he pushed it open.

"Jump out, Lucy!" he called cheerily to the girl in the milk wagon; and as she obediently climbed over the wheel John Drew stood beaming on the doorstep, performing an introduction:

"Betsey, this is my wife. Lucy, this is my sister that keeps house for us.

"You see, Betsey," he explained, as the girl drew near, "I got done going round in town a little earlier than usual this morning, so, as I had a little time on my hands, I went and got married. That's right, salute the bride!"—Youth's Companion.

Didn't Know the Prince.

While on a private visit some time ago to Lord Brooke at Easton Lodge, Dunmow, Essex, the Prince of Wales met with an amusing incident. The railway station usually used by visitors to the lodge is at the little village of Takeley. No notice whatever of the prince's expected arrival was given to the station master, who, it so happened, had only been recently appointed to the office. His royal highness was met by Lady Brooke, who preceded her royal guest to the phaeton waiting to convey them to the lodge.

Upon arriving at the barrier the prince was brought up all standing by the station master peremptorily demanding of him his ticket. Amused evidently at the official's behavior, and wishing to have a little fun at his expense, the prince said that he had lost it.

"Then you will have to pay the fare," said the station master determinedly.

At this point Lady Brooke returned, and taking in the situation said to the astounded official:

"The prince's ticket is all right."

The incident is a standing joke with Lord Brooke and his guests, and his royal highness never visits the estate without being asked:

"Where's your ticket?"

He mightily enjoys the fun, and thinks that the station master is a very faithful servant of the railway company.—London Tit-Bits.

Disraeli's Curious Episode.

The most curious episode in Mr. Disraeli's life occurred in the year of the great exhibition, when Mrs. Bridges Willyams, then living widowed at Torquay, wrote to him professing admiration and asking advice. He did not answer and she wrote again. Meeting a Devonshire man at Monckton Milnes, he asked him if he knew a mad woman at Torquay named Willyams, and was assured that Mrs. Willyams was not mad. Still he did not reply, and she wrote asking him to meet her near the fountain in the exhibition. He did not go, and she wrote again, naming another hour.

His friends advised him to keep the appointment and he did so. He found an old lady who might have sat for the figure of a fairy godmother. She told him a long story and gave him an envelope containing a statement on which she wanted an opinion. Disraeli put it in his pocket and forgot it. Weeks afterward he put on the same coat, and there was the envelope containing a bank note for a thousand pounds for his election expenses and the legal case, which was not absurd. He got a lawyer's opinion for her and sent it. That was the beginning of a long correspondence. When she died she left him her fortune and was buried at Hughenden.—London News.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.0?, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P. M.

FOR LOWELL, at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.4 , 10.25, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.0 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.23 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

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The Woburn Journal

Bound to Have a Divorce.

"Judge, I just can't live with my wife any longer, and I must have a divorce if it takes every cent I've got."

"What do you want a divorce for?"

"So she can't sue me nor nothing. They tell me she can get board wages if I leave her without writings."

"Oh, fudge! How long have you been wanting to get a divorce?"

"Most two weeks."

"About two weeks."

"Well, that beats the Dutch. What's the cause of the trouble?"

"Judge, she does snore just awful, if I must say it, but I didn't want to, and thought maybe I wouldn't have to. There's no such a thing as getting a wink of sleep in the same house with her, and as I have to work for a living I've got to do my slumbering at night."

"But that won't give you a divorce."

"Not if I pay for it?"

"Why, no; you'd be kicked out of court."

"But along with her snoring she whistles through her nose like a tugboat. She's a little woman, but good heavens, Judge, she'd raise the dead!"

"That don't make any difference. The law says you must put up with it and make the best of it. To get a divorce you must have a reasonable cause to begin with."

"Well, great Cæsar, Judge! Ain't having to sleep in the coal shed enough to begin with. I'd like to know? I thought the law was made to help a body along. Don't it take no pity on a man at all?"

"Not in a case like that. It presumes that you married this woman with your eyes open."

"So I did, Judge, and they've been open ever since. Does the law say I've got to go without sleep till I drop, or bunk in the barn? Does the law give that woman the right to make a fog-horn of herself, and shake the whole house with her nose as she shuts her eyes? Does the law uphold her in robbing me of sleep that's the same thing as bone and muscle to me? Does the law give her the right to whistle through her nose and snore fit to make a cow bawl the livelong night, and at the same time give her a whack at my property, if I leave her and take to the timber to save my life? Does it do all that, judge?"

"Well, yes; it simmers down to about that."

"Well, then, I'll never vote again as long as I live, and I won't pay a cent of taxes if I hang for it. If the law tries to bulldoze me that way, it'll have to paddle it's own canoe after this, that's all. I fit for the government once, but I'll be blamed if I'll ever do it again."

The peach growers of Delaware, who some time ago gloomily announced that all was up for the season, and that the pestiferous disease called the "yellows" had attacked every tree, now contradict this statement. They say there is little doubt of a successful crop. Last year the whole yield of Delaware was swept away by the early frost.

An apartment house to accommodate five hundred families will be erected in Dresden, Germany.

The Age of Authors—1889.

Mr. M. J. Bok has been engaged on a statistical inquiry of a more specific character in gathering the ages of prominent American authors. Some of these figures are easily accessible through the biographical dictionaries, but the majority of those relating to the ladies included are more difficult to discover. The following is a condensation of the results of Mr. Bok's investigations printed in the New York *Graphic*, without revision.

Dr. Holmes will be eighty sometime during the present month. Whittier is eighty-one, and Lowell has reached his three score and ten, Richard Henry Stoddard is sixty-four, George H. Boker is sixty-five, George Bancroft will end his eighty-ninth year next October, George Ticknor Curtis is seventy-six, Joel T. Headley is seventy-six, Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson is sixty-five, Edmund Clarence Stedman is fifty-six, John Bigelow is seventy-one, Mrs. Stowe is seventy-seven, Donald G. Mitchel is sixty-seven, Francis Parkman is sixty-six, Charles Dudley Warner is sixty, George William Curtis is sixty-five, Moncure D. Conway is fifty-seven, and Edward Everett Hale is sixty-seven.

Sarah Orne Jewett will be forty next September, Mrs. Humphrey Ward is thirty-eight, Lucy Larcom is sixty-three, Harriet Prescott Spofford is fifty-four, Edith M. Thomas is thirty-five, Marion Harland (Mrs. Terhune) is fifty-nine, Amelie Rives-Chandler will be twenty-six in August, Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett is thirty-nine, and she published her first story when only eighteen; Celia Thaxter is fifty-three, Mrs. Croly (Jenny June) is fifty-seven, Miss Braddon is fifty-two, Blanche Willis Howard is forty-two, Rose Terry Cooke is sixty-two, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps-Ward will be forty-five in August, Miss Louise Imogen Guiney is twenty-seven, Constance Fenimore Woolson is forty-one; nobody ever found out exactly the age of Miss Woolsey (Susan Coolidge), but it is believed that she was born in 1845, which would make her age forty-four; Mrs. Margaret Wade Deland, author of "John Ward Preacher," is thirty-one, and Mary Abigail Dodge (Gail Hamilton) is at least twenty-eight years older. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe is seventy.

F. Marion Crawford will be thirty-five in August, and he wrote "Mr. Isaacs" when only twenty-seven; Robert Louis Stevenson is thirty-nine, W. D. Howells is fifty-two, E. W. Howe is thirty-five, Bret Harte is forty-nine, Julian Hawthorne is forty-three Richard Malcolm Johnson is sixty-seven, and Ressiter Johnson is forty-nine; Arlo Bates is thirty-nine, Walter Besant is fifty-one, Thomas Bailey Aldrich will be fifty-three next November, and in his picture looks twenty-five; William Black is forty-eight, William H. Bishop is forty-two, General Lew Wallace is sixty-two, and he wrote "Ben Hur" when fifty-one; John Habberton, author of "Helen's Babies," is forty-seven; Joel Chandler Harris is forty-one, George W. Cable is forty-four, Edward Eggleston is fifty-one, and looks fifteen years older; H. H. Boyesen is forty. H. C. Bunner is about thirty-eight; James Anthony Froude has begun now to write novels at the age of seventy-one; Frank R. Stockton is fifty-five, William Hamilton Gibson is forty-eight, Thomas Nelson Page is thirty-six, James Whitcomb Riley was born in 1852, James Payn is fifty-nine, Brander Matthews is thirty-seven, J. T. Trowbridge is sixty-one, and Jules Verne is the same age, while Edgar Fawcett is forty-two.

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

Gilhooly (indignantly)—"Look here, Mr. Schaumburg, this umbrella which I bought from you yesterday won't shut up." Mose Schamburg—"Vat have I got to do mit all dose? Ven I sold you dot umprella it vas shut up all ridght. Maype you have made it open already since I done sold it to you. Vat ish der matter mit you dese mornings, anyvay?"

La Grippe Again.

During the epidemic of La Grippe last season Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, proved to be the best remedy. Reports from the many who used it confirm this statement. They were not only quickly relieved, but the disease left no bad after results. We ask you to give this remedy a trial and we guarantee that you will be satisfied with results, or the purchase price will be refunded. It has no equal in La Grippe, or any Throat, Chest or Lung Trouble. Trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and $1.00.

Law to Suppress Drunkenness.

It is expected that a general law for the suppression of drunkenness will be enacted, and put in force in all the states of the German confederation before the year is ended. A bill on the subject has been prepared by the Prussian Government and has received the approval of the Emperor, who from the day he succeeded to the throne has persistently demanded some restriction upon the sale of intoxicating liquors. For nearly three years his ministers have been engaged in collecting statistics and evidence on the points concerned, and the decisions at last arrived at have already been sanctioned by the bundesrath. The bill decrees the withdrawal of saloon licenses and the imposition of fines upon saloonkeepers who encourage persons of intemperate habits. The drunkards themselves will be fined if they are poor so as to prevent them from indulging in the vice of intemperance, and terms of imprisonment are to be imposed in cases where a monestary fine would probably not have the desired effect.

Don't Feel Well,

And yet you are not sick enough to consult a doctor, or you refrain from so doing for fear you will alarm yourself and friends—we will tell you just what you need. It is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will lift you out of that uncertain, uncomfortable, dangerous condition, into a state of good health, confidence and cheerfulness. You've no idea how potent this peculiar medicine is in cases like yours.

The Eskimo's Time of Sorrow.

So long as the hunters bring in seals the smiles of the Eskimos do not fail. Day in and night out they patiently hunt the seal and feast and revel in simple delight. They rarely quarrel; they are without envy and well nigh devoid of guile and malice. But when the gales of their black winter come to hurl the ice cakes crashing on the rocks, and the snow drives down the mountain gorges to beat on the tiny windows of their huts, while the drifts rise so high and the cold becomes so intense that no one can venture forth to hunt, starvation comes to stare them in the face. No games, no dances, no songs are thought of then, but cowering over the low flames of their seal oil lamps they hear in the howling of the wind and the roar of the ice-laden sea voices calling from the unseen world, and tell in whispers the tradition of a land where there is neither ice nor snow storm, the road to which lies through the rude heaps of rock that serve for Arctic graves.

Cashier

Wm E Durgin of the Boston Loan Co. 275 Washington Street, says: I recommend Sulphur Bitters as the very best medicine I have ever used. There is nothing like them to give an appetite, tone up the system, and do away with that languid feeling which is so frequent among those confined indoors

Alcoholic Confectionery.

Those people who have been in the habit of becoming intoxicated by consuming brandy chocolates may be compelled to change their methods of dissipation. A petition has recently been sent to the Legislature by L. Edwin Dudley, Secretary of the Law and Order League, in which a request is made for the enactment of a law prohibiting the manufacture and sale of any kinds of confectionery containing alcohol or intoxicating liquors, and this has been referred to the Committee on Public Health. Although this petition was circulated by Mr. Dudley, the inspection came from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, which had received complaints of instances of inebriation and the acquisition of a taste for alcohol in children through this means.—*Boston Transcript.*

The children's health must not be neglected. Cold in the head causes catarrh. Ely's Cream Balm cures at once. It is perfectly safe and is easily applied into the nostrils. The worst cases yielding to it. Price 50c.

One of my children had a very bad discharge from her nose. Two physicians prescribed, but without benefit. We tried Ely's Cream Balm, and, much to our surprise, there was a marked improvement. We continued using the Balm and in a short time the discharge was cured.—O. A. Cary, Corning, N. Y.

The Apples He "Used to Hook."

The millionaire, John H. Starin, was a poor boy. The first pair of boots he ever owned, he wore only in the village, carrying them on his shoulders while going to and fro so as not to wear them out. He now owns a fine estate of 1400 acres in Montgomery County, New York, near his birthplace. "I bought that place," he writes, "because of the fine flavor of the apple that grew in a certain orchard where I used to hook them, when I was a bareheaded, barefooted boy in a pair of cut down trousers held on by one suspender strap. I used to say that if I ever got rich, I'd own that orchard, and now I do own it."

No one can complain at the price of Old Saul's Catarrh Cure, it is within the reach of all. Sold everywhere at 25 cents.

Parents cannot always carry the baby on a trip, for the recovery of its health. But they can keep Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup in the house, and it will compensate for the trip by its prompt relief.

Undesirable.

Mrs. Tiptop—Who is that gentleman who has been so attentive to you this evening?

Miss Tiptop—He belongs to one of the oldest families in this country, and is descended from the English nobility.

Mrs. Tiptop—Avoid him. He is probably poor.

The people of the United States consume about 200,000,000 bottles of pickles annually.

Literary Notices.

HARPERS MAGAZINE for April contains The Behring Sea Controversy, The French Army, The State of Wisconsin, The Court Theatre of Meiningen, Argentine Provincial Sketches, Wessex Folk, In the Strange Country, short stories, poems, etc., many of them splendidly illustrated.

*** HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Company of Boston, and at Horton's Old Woburn Bookstore.

The contents of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for April, are: From Freedom to Bondage, A Brief History of the Ohio River, Street-Cleaning in Large Cities, Training for Character, What Keeps the Bicycler Upright? Professor Huxley on the War-Path, Social Changes in California, Notice of Dr. Henry T. Schliemann, The Badger and the Fox, Race Influence and Disease, Scientific Jottings in Egypt, Whale-Catching at Point Barrow, Sketch of Daniel G. Brinton, Editor's Table, Literary Notices, Popular Miscellany.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for March 14th and 21st contain The Paintings of Pompeii, Wit and Pathos in Suetonius, Three Finnish Scholars, Turnerian Landscape—an Arrested Art, A Ride in Kaffirland, and Alexander William Kinglake, Illustrations of Animal Life in Tennyson, and Ischia and its Earthquake, Life in the London Slums, Statesmen of Europe, Social Bath in the Last Century, Our Wittiest Judge, Wild Beasts and Their Ways, Our First-Cousins, and Some Savage Contributions to Civilization, At the Regent Street Tussand's, The South African Doctrine of Souls, Robert Louis Stevenson on Realism and Idealism.

Tame Rats.

Five large rats are the peculiar pets of Charles Perkins, who lives on Noble street, says the Philadelphia *Press*. The rodents evince great affection for him, following him about the house, like dogs, run up his sleeve and come out at the breast, nestle around the rim of his hat and perform a variety of tricks such as leaping through a wire hoop and drawing a coach, four of them acting as horses and one as driver.

Asked how he tamed the rats, Perkins answered:

"It is very easy when you know how."

"Well, what is the how?"

"Simply, I trap a rat in a cage and then examine him carefully to see if he is young and not too vicious. Having selected a proper specimen, I take him to the yard and drop him in a barrel half filled with water. If he tries to clamber up the sides, I throw him back and keep him in the water until he is completely exhausted. When he is just about to go under I take him out, pour a little brandy down his throat with a syringe and take him to the stove where I wrap him in a piece of blanket, coddle him and nurse him back to life. So grateful is he that he remains my slave forever after, fawns on me and becomes quite a pet."

Fortunate Father and Son.

"I am as certain as I now live," says C. E. Bartholomew, of Kalkaska, Mich., "that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy saved my life when I was a victim of Bright's Disease. My son had a fever sore on his leg. He, too, used Favorite Remedy and is now well. But for this medicine I am sure both father and son would have been six feet under the sod."

Draw the Cold Water First.

A writer in Babyhood gives "one homely rule for baths," namely: "In preparing a warm bath always draw the cold water first." A frightful accident in a Paris hospital furnishes the text for this advice. The nurse had taken a little child to the lavatory for her bath, and the tub was drawn full of scalding water, when the nurse was called away, and two older children coming in supposed everything was ready and plunged the poor little girl into the bath, with "speedily fatal results." "Careless children!" Yes, and careless elders who make such accidents possible.

The French say when there is an evident omission of something from a sentence that "a word has clung to the pen."

Of all the kings of European countries the steadiest opponent to capital punishment has been the King of the Belgians.

It is estimated that only about one-tenth of the corn raised in Iowa leaves the State. The other nine tenths are fed to Iowa hogs and cattle.

It has been prophesied that in ten years' time there will be more camphor trees than orange trees in Florida, and that the camphor-producing industry in that State will become of great importance.

There must be an inexhaustible supply of dogs somewhere in Burmah. The municipality of Mandalay has been killing them at the rate of 2000 in a month, and yet there is said to be no diminution of the numbers.

Governor Jones, of Alabama, has arranged with the state Commissioner of Agriculture to procure for him trees from all the most notable battlefields of Virginia, to be transplanted to the Capitol grounds at Montgomery.

No flat cars loaded with lumber will be accepted by the Pennsylvania Railroad unless there is left a space of at least 18 inches for the brake. Several connecting roads, ignorant of this order, have had to have their cars reloaded before they would be accepted.

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Woman's Column.

A Gettysburg Heroine.

Gen. Slocum, in the *North American Review* for February, 1891, gives the following interesting anecdote of Josephine Rogers, a brave Pennsylvania girl, on the battlefield of Gettysburg:

"Near the line occupied by the brigade under command of Gen. J. B. Carr, of Troy, N. Y., stands a little one-story house, which at the time of the battle was occupied by a Mrs. Rogers and her daughter. On the morning of July 2, Gen. Carr stopped at the house, and found the daughter, a girl about eighteen years of age alone, busily engaged in baking bread. He informed her that a great battle was inevitable, and advised her to seek a place of safety at once. She said she had a batch of bread baking in the oven, and she would remain until it was baked, and then leave. When her bread was baked, it was given to our soldiers, and was devoured so eagerly that she concluded to remain and bake another batch. And so she continued to the end of the battle, baking, and giving her bread to all who came. The great artillery duel which shook the earth for miles around did not drive her from her oven. Pickett's men, who charged past her house, found her quietly baking her bread and distributing it to the hungry. When the battle was over, the house was found to be riddled with shot and shell, and seventeen dead bodies were taken from the house and cellar; the bodies of wounded men who had crawled to the little dwelling for shelter.

Twenty years after the close of the war, Gen. Carr's men and others held a grand reunion at Gettysburg; and learning that Josephine Rogers was still living, but had married and taken up her residence in Ohio, they sent for her, paid her passage from her home to Gettysburg and back, and had her go to her old home and tell them the story which they all knew so well. They decorated her with a score of army badges, and sent her back a happy woman. Why did not the poet immortalize Josephine Rogers as he did Barbara Frietchie?

This charming anecdote is characteristic of the peculiar heroism of woman. Men risk their lives to coerce, to slay, to conquer. Women risk theirs to persuade, to save, to ameliorate. When women vote the nation will recognize its benefactors. If the soldier deserves a pension, how much more the mother who risked her life to give him birth and gave her best years to rear him to manhood! Who deserves a pension more than the soldier's mother?—*H. B. B. in Woman's Journal.*

An Important Personage.

Tom—You are extremely polite to that old fellow. Who is he, anyway? Jack—Sh! That's her father.

The New York *Evening Post* and sundry other Democratic papers of that description do not like ex-Minister Phelps's paper on the Alaskan controversy. That is not surprising. Mr. Phelps addressed himself in his acticle to Americans.

A young woman at Hammonton, N. J., was married last week to a man from California whom she had never seen till the day of the wedding. The courtship, based on an advertisement, was carried on by letter.

At Danbury, Conn., is 1880, 6,000,000 hats were made.

COL. JONES IN LUCK.

He Captures a Genuine Porpoise Snake, Such as Few Others Have Seen.

Col. J. B. Jones was fishing on the banks of Redfoot creek, Tennessee, having left his boat to escape the hot sun, and had hardly thrown his line out into the water when he saw a dark object rapidly approaching the surface. At first the genial colonel thought it an alligator of unusual size, but on closer observation discovered it to be an enormous creeping serpent. When this huge monster was within a few yards of him Col. Jones gathered some stones about the size of goose eggs and struck it several times in succession, and, strange to say, the blows did not appear to worry his snakeship to any great degree, as it never once left the surface of the water, but continued unconcerned at a slow pace up stream.

Col. Jones immediately seized his rod and line and scampered hastily to his boat. It was only a question of a few minutes before he was in midwater and in hot pursuit of the object, which was soon overtaken. When within close proximity he noticed the huge reptile seemed to be blind and appar

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FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 5d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Board of Trade was held on an evening early this week at which several new members were present and participated in the discussion of matters of importance to the city's welfare.

There is a marked revival in the interest taken by the public in the prosperity of the Board and it does not manifest itself in language alone. Within a week a committee, of which Secretary F. H. Lewis is the head, have succeeded in securing nearly 50 new members, and that too without extra efforts. Those whose names appear on the new list are chiefly prominent business men and leaders in community, so that the quality as well the quantity of the additions is something which carries with it an assurance of permanent success and great benefit to the business of the city.

The Board is now settled on a solid foundation. It has survived the "sweating period" and its permanence is a perfectly sure thing. At no time since the beginning of the third year of its existence have its prospects for growth and utility been so flattering as they are now, because at no time this side of that date has interest in its success been so lively or shared by so many men of high business standing and character as now.

There were times when the Board appeared to be in a comatose state and about ready to breathe its last. It was a hard struggle for existence. Nearly all of the old friends seemed to have deserted the now lonesome rooms. But Buchanan, and Skinner, and Hammond, and its efficient Secretary Lewis —they still clung to it and stood by it and kept pegging away, and the reward of their faithfulness has appeared.

For the Board is a live, wideawake, vigorous body of men to-day, with a capacity for doing more and better work than its hands have turned off at any time during the half dozen or more years of its life.

The annual meeting for the election of officers will be held on the evening of the third Tuesday of April. At that date also the grand banquet will be served. Great preparations are underway for this occasion, and if no obstacles are thrown in the way of the very efficient committee who have the business in charge, the annual meeting, banquet, reunion and entertainment for 1891 will surpass in elaborateness any of its brilliant predecessors.

The rumor is quite general that Mr. Alexander Grant is to be chosen next President of the Board. We do not believe the choice could fall on a better man for the place. His business and social standing will redound to the honor of the Board, and in the JOURNAL'S opinion the nominating committee have done admirably in resolving to recommend Mr. Grant for Presidency of the Board, as we understand their purpose to be. Of course Mr. F. H. Lewis will be retained to fill the office of Secretary next year and as long thereafter as he may consent to serve.

The next meeting of the Board, notice of which will be given by the Secretary, will be an important one. It should be attended by all the merchants in the city for the purpose is to arrange, if possible, for a general mercantile "opening" some time in April in order to attract outside people and induce them to become patrons of the business houses of our city. Such an "opening" would be a grand good advertisement for our live and thrifty place, therefore our traders, etc., ought to attend the next meeting of the Board and make a success of this new move.

☞ To-morrow, April 4, Mr. Ed. A. Perry, a well known newspaper man and literature of Boston who served on the *Herald*, with great acceptance to the public and credit to himself, 10 years as dramatic critic, 2 years as Sporting Editor, and 3 years as London (Eng.) correspondent, will launch from No. 611 Washington street, Boston, THE REFEREE, a firstclass weekly paper to be devoted to sports of all kinds and the stage, which will include reports of the turf, baseball, yachting, rowing, canoeing, cycling, football, polo, cricket, tennis, billiards, bowling, the kennel, the shooting range, and everything else in the line of sports and athletics, besides all the latest and best things that transpire on the dramatic and lyric stage. The paper will be published by the Referee Publishing Co., 611 Washington street, Boston, at $2.50 a year. And here's success to it.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Cahill—Vase.
Horton—Wall Paper.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Doods Ad. Ag.—Pray.
L. F. Hurd—Clothing.
Judge Adams—Citation.
P. L. Converse—Citation.
Clan MacKennon—Concert.
Mrs. L. A. Berry—For Sale.
Woburn Fur. Co.—Furniture.
N. W. Ayer & Son—Consumption.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Do not miss hearing "Anvil Chorus."

— Don't fail to read "For Sale" in this paper. Big Bargain.

— Druggist Kelley is fixing up his store in fine shape.

— Ashley Hall school is closed for its Easter vacation.

— A requisition was made on the water cart last Tuesday.

— March came in like a lion and went out in the some way.

— It is thought that other tanners will soon locate in this city.

— Mr. Hayden is building a stable on his Warren street estate.

— Mr. Curtis Greenwood, who has been sick for some time, is now able to be out.

— GRAND OPERA. Charles R. Adams will assist at Miss Mabel Davis's benefit.

— There was no horse-racing on the Lexington course on Fast Day, as at one time announced.

— Post 161 Fair was a rouser. Nothing better or more profitable has been held in this city.

— The Board of Trade is reviving, and already nearly forty new members have been admitted.—X.

— George W. Nichols, the watchmaker, has taken one of the offices in the new Mechanics Building.

— Editor O'Neil of the *City Press* is suffering from an attack of "la grippe" or else it is a terrible severe cold.

— Master Black gave selections on the banjo and guitar at a concert in Concert Hall last Tuesday evening.

— The selectmen of Stoneham are at logger-heads over the appointment of a Superintendent of the Streets.

— Gen. Sec. Bailey will please accept thanks for favors in connection with the Y. M. C. A. entertainment.

— Gage & Co. have just opened a large stock of very fine suitings for gentlemen's wear. All of the latest styles.

— Munroe's Easter window was a beauty. Elegant flowers and plants, ferns, palms, etc., set it out in fine shape.

— Dr. Alice G. Bryant, having accepted a position in the New England Hospital for Women and Children, will be absent from Woburn for several months.

— "They say" that Mr. Alex. Grant is sure to be the next President of the Board of Trade. He will make a good one.

— The Equal Suffrage League will hold its next regular meeting, Monday evening, April 6, at 7.30 in the Y. M. C. A. parlor.

— Sale of seats for "Il Trovatore" will commence at 7.30 to-morrow, Saturday, evening at J. W. Hammond & Son's store.

— Music lovers should not lose the opportunity of hearing Mr. Charles R. Adams who stands at the head of operatic singing.

— From the number of common victualler's licenses granted here one would suppose meals would be cheap the coming season.

— Miss Ina V. Austin and Miss Amanda Sevrens, both teachers in the public schools of this city are on a visit to Washington.

— The case Lovell *vs.* Flanders, on trial at Lowell this week, was compromised on Wednesday to the plaintiff's great advantage.

— Don't forget that "Shaughraun" is to be repeated this evening at Lyceum Hall. Go early and secure seats for there will be a big house.

— Supt. Sewell will begin running No. Woburn street cars regularly to Medford on next Monday, April 6. Winchester folks will rejoice.

— Wedgemere Club will give a minstrel entertainment at Town Hall, Winchester, on Fast Day night. The talk is that it is to be a fine affair.

— Librarian Cutter has received the diplomas awarded by the Paris Exposition to the Woburn Public Library, and expects the silver medal any day.

— The Cummings Associates have arranged for a fine ball in the John Cummings Hall on the evening of April 10. Everything will be in applepie shape.

— Singer & Brown, the contractors, have completed the Boutelle factory on Eastern Avenue and the Highland School and both are ready for occupancy.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe exhibits one of the best assortments of spring hats ever opened in this city. In it may be found every style in vogue and prices to suit customers.

— Mr. Ralston who has been visiting his wife and children this week at Mr. James Walker's on Church Ave. left for his home in Canada last Wednesday noon.

— Auctioneer Gregory had a successful sale last Saturday of the personal property of Mrs. Cummings, at her residence on Main street, at the corner of Richardson street.

— Mrs. Fogg, the fashionable milliner in Dodge's block, left here last Wednesday evening for Kennebunkport, Maine, from whence she will return in a few days.

— Dr. Bowmen has bought quite a body of land in the edge of Burlington on which he proposes to build a hospitals for the sick. It is an enterprise of a good deal of magnitude.

— Supt. Jones of the Highway Department is keeping big gangs of men as buys as bees on the streets. Those who watch will see big improvements on our highways this season.

— All boys and girls desirous of selling tickets for the Fair in aid of the H. A. W. can obtain them at the store of J. W. Hammond & Son, Lyceum Building, on and after Friday, Apr. 10.

— Rev. George H. Young, formerly pastor of the Unitarian church in this city and for the last seven years pastor of the New South Church in Boston, has resigned the pastorate of that charge.

— The M. E. general conference in which is located this city will be held in Boston next Thursday, April 9. Rev. Hugh Montgomery will be appointed for the third time for the Woburn church.

— Mrs. J. H. Parker is in New York City looking up Spring styles for her many customers and making purchases of Spring costumes. She will be at home for business next Monday, April 6.

— Last Monday morning Henry Young dropped dead in the B. & M. station, Haymarket Square, Boston, of heart disease. He was thought to be about 50 years old, and said to have relatives in Woburn.

— There have been a large number of grip cases here in the last two months but they have been of a milder type than last year and no deaths have resulted from attacks of it. It has nearly all disappeared.

— Lawyers J. W. Johnson and Francis P. Curran, Doctors S. W. Kelley and J. M. Harlow, besides several other Woburn people were attend-Court at Lowell last Tuesday. The case was Lovell vs. Flanders.

— We knew it would turn out so: the New York doctors say the fatal effects of arsenical poison in wall paper, etc. is a "Boston fad"—all in your eye, as it were. The JOURNAL said it was all bosh, and bosh it is.

— The concert to be given under the auspices of Clan MacKinnon on the evening of April 15 is going to be one of the finest musical feasts ever enjoyed in this city. Tickets are selling rapidly for everyone wants to hear the fine music.

— If there is a person in this city who will not want to see the drill of the H. S. B. on April 9, it will be safe to set that man down as entirely destitute of the genuine military spirit. The boys will look for a crowd and ought to have one.

— About $3000 will be offered for sale by the Co-operative Bank at its meeting next week, the 9th instant. Already, so Secretary Whitcher informs the JOURNAL, 300 out of the 400 shares of the 9th series have been sold. The Bank is flourishing.

— Mr. A. L. Holdridge, the popular and successful stove and hardware dealer at 427 Main street, has the largest and best variety of oil stoves for summer cooking that can be found anywhere about here. He will sell them at very low prices.

— Mr. John S. Wheeler who recently came into possession of certain property on Scott street, has moved the stable across the street and is fitting it into a dwelling. On the site of the stable he has commenced the foundation for a new dwelling.

— It has become well known that until the trouble in the Phalanx has been settled no movement will be made towards building an Armory, as in certain events, the company might be disbanded and the city would be left with an unused Armory on its hands.

— The residence of Mr. Edward B. Simonds, 40 Beacon street, was burglarized last Sunday and the theives got away with a fine gold watch and chain and $175 in cash. Entrance was made through a window. There are many theives in the city—look out for them.

— Hon John Cummings of this city, President of the Shawmut National Bank, Boston, was one of the pallbearers at the funeral of the late Silas Potter which took place in the Boston Highlands last Sunday. It was largely attended by prominent people of Boston and vicinity.

— Mr. James H. Carton and his son are visiting friends at Swansea, New Hampshire, where they lived years ago, and where the latter was born. On account of the change in the Loring & Avery business, Mr. Carton is having an enforced vacation after many of steady work.

— The following have been licensed as common victuallers: John B. Dever, Bernard McHugh, John J. Beatty, John H. Garvey, Thomas G. Merriam, William G. Mooney, Richard Reynolds, John C. Meehan, James Meehan & Hugh McGuire, and Samuel G. Thompson, Innholders license.

— Pat Lynch is something of a sprinter but Chief McIntosh can discount him 100 points, tie both hands behind him, and beat him at a New Hampshire trot just as easy as rolling off a log. Patrick found it so last Friday when he quit the lockup without leave and made a break for liberty.

— The following are the officers of the newly organized Lodge of "The Mystic Seven" in this city: President, Austin A. Fish; Secretary, John M. Wallace; Treasurer, Lawrence Reade; Trustees, David Ronco, Wm. H. McManus, Edward H. Callahan. It bids fair to meet with much prosperity.

— Read the card of L. F. Hurd in this paper. She has done the business advertised by her in this place for several years and so well and satisfactory does she do her work that the patronage of her establishment increases each year. Every job is finished off in the finest style and at very reasonable prices.

— McGregor and his assistant florists at Dow's green houses had their hands full of business for a few days before and on Easter Sunday filling orders for Easter church decorations. On Saturday we saw there a magnificent collection of calla and other lilies, roses in bloom and bud, pinks, English violets, ferns of every imaginable leaf and fold, and scores of other beautiful flowers and plants. Indeed, they were busy!

— A neatly printed pamphlet was the one which fell into our hands a day or two since entitled "Desirable Young Men: A Talk given by the Principal of the Michigan Female Seminary [at Kalamazoo] to the students, Feb. 21, 1891." The Principal was Miss Isabella G. French, a former pupil in the Woburn public schools whose family still reside here, one of the brightest and best educated among the bright and cultivated young ladies of this old burgh.

— The drama given at Lyceum Hall last evening under the auspices of the Celtic Association drew an overflowing house. The tickets were in such demand that the sales had to be closed several days before the event took place and when the night came for the play to be acted every available inch of "standing room" had been appropriated. The well known "Shaughran" was the piece, and it was never more satisfactorily performed by an amateur company.

— Great interest is manifested in the approaching Fair in aid of the Home for Aged Women, and efficient committees are actively at work. One of the attractions will be a Cafe, where food will be served at all hours. The committee in charge of this department are a sufficient guarantee for the quality of the refreshments. Each of the different churches will be represented in tables of useful and fancy articles, and many and varied attractions will be presented, among which will be good music. Provision will also be made for the entertainment of the children on Thursday afternoon.

— Rev. Dr. March will give an interesting lecture on "Temples" etc. of India at the vestry of the Congregational church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, which will be illustrated by 60 stereopticon pictures.

— The instruction given to the Sunday School Teacher's Class by Rev. Mr. Murphy of the North Congregational Church last Saturday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. parlor was most helpful to those who were fortunate enough to hear it. The Sunday School lessons for the Quarter were reviewed and many practical thoughts were brought out. Mr. Murphy proved himself to be an apt teacher and thorough Bible student. Come and fill the rooms next Saturday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock.

— Nothing has yet been done towards a settlement of the affairs of the Middlesex Invesiment Company, as Mr. Tripp, who will act as assignee, has not received his papers from the Court. A question has arisen as to what constitutes the expenses to be paid from the funds of the Company. It is thought if the expense of lawyers on both sides, and that for travel comes out of it, there will be a small dividend indeed left for the three hundred or more certificate holders. Probably an appeal will be made to Judge Clarke.

— In another column of this paper we give an article from the *St. Augustine* (Fla.) *News*, entitled "A New Motor" which is well worth reading and pondering over. We are indebted to Mr. J. W. Hammond, by hand of Mr. Winthrop Hammond, for a copy of the paper and a note suggesting its publication in the JOURNAL. From a perusal of the article it looks as though the "new motor" is a great invention, and it is quite clear from what he writes that Mr. Hammond considers it a matter worthy of a careful investigation.

— There will be held a Republican meeting in Concert Hall to-morrow, Saturday, evening which ought to be fully attended. Matters of great importance to the party will be canvassed and the advice and counsel of all good and true Republicans is earnestly desired. The meeting and its objects are heartily endorsed by Hon. E. D. Hayden, Hon. E. F. Wyer, Col. W. T. Grammer, Judge E. F. Johnson, Ex-Councilman Grant, Sec'y Fred Brown, E. E. Thompson, Esq., and indeed by all the leading Republicans in the city, all of whom will be present and address the meeting.

— And now comes our old friend, Mr. Harrison Bates of Winchester, and makes his annual call and lays his annual offering on the altar of journalistic worth. He is a Maine boy, a member of the Pine Tree Club, and takes great interest in his native State although a resident of many years here. He entered the employ of the piano case manufactory at Winchester in 1850 and remained until 1861; returned in 1865 and remained until 1890 —an aggregate period of 36 years, which is a record of employment with one concern hard to beat. Although getting along in life Mr. Bates is in the enjoyment of very good health this spring.

— The Woburn Furniture Company is a new business enterprise which will open its doors in this city on next Thursday morning, April 9, as the public may learn by reference to the business columns of this week's JOURNAL. A couple of enterprising young gentlemen from Boston who thoroughly understand the furniture trade have bought the Thomas Morris establishment at 418 Main street and propose to carry it on in genuine metropolitan style and for the benefit of this community as well as themselves. They bring good credentials along with them for ability and integrity and our notion is that their coming here will be a good thing for the city. Please read carefully the Company's announcement to the public.

— The big contract of excavating rock at Lowell by Mr. Jacob M. Ellis for the Boston & Maine Railroad Company is nearly completed. Work has been going on ever since last fall and during all that time some 75 men, a full complement of horses, five immense derricks, steam drills, engines, and other machinery, and tons of dynamite, have been employed in blasting, removing and disposing of the rock and earth, and the whole tract on which the work has been done has undergone a wonderful transformation in appearances. It was a heavy contract and the job has been thoroughly done. Mr. Ellis has in the last few years done a great deal of work for the Railroad Company and there is probably a good deal more to follow.

— The name of PRAY has long been identified with the carpet trade in Boston and for many years it has been the leading house in New England and second to no other in the country. Not only have the Prays long led as to volume of business, variety and quality of goods and reasonable prices for the same, but the name stands for honest deal with customers and strict integrity all along the line. There is an advertisement in this paper of the mammoth carpet establishment of John H. Pray, Sons & Co., No 560 Washington St., Boston to which we call particular attention especially as the date for the vernal housecleaning, revamping of the family domicile, and buying new carpets is close at hand. Read the announcement carefully.

— Last Friday Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott paid an official visit to the domicile of Michael Lynch, 314 Montvale Ave.; Luke McGrath, 20 Centre St.; Mary Lain, 7 Cummings St.; and seized liquors at each of them. Kitchen bars are as thick in this city as flies in August, but there will be less of them before there are more if Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott's efforts to put them down go for anything. It is not an easy matter to secure evidence of illegal sale of liquors in these kitchen barrooms and officers are compelled to "play it fine" to catch the violators of the law; but the Chief and his Lieutenant keep pulling them in and pulling them in and it seems as though bye and bye the proprietors must get sick and tired of the nefarious business.

— The assembly given by Miss Ruggles to her dancing class one evening last week was a high-toned and very happy affair. The lady is a prime teacher as is shown in the proficiency of her pupils, who were present in force at the assembly and enjoyed it very much. The Matrons were: Mrs. E. Gerry Barker and Mrs. James Skinner, and the ushers and aids: Messrs. George G. Barker, J. Lampton Skinner, Walter L. Dodge, Eliot F. Trull and Oliver W. Wade. Among the assemblage of bright, gay and beautifully dressed young people were George R. Ferguson, Mabel Ferguson, Fanny Ruggles, Alice Ruggles, Mabel Ruggles, Edie Davis, Mabel Skinner, Clara Ryder, Gertie Bickford, Edie Ramsdell, Sibyl Shaw, Carrie Crane, Edith Bolston, Ada Richards, Flossie York, and Miss Cummings; Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Trull and Messrs. Walter Ruggles, Edward Brackett, Charles Lund, George Taylor, Frank Sawyer, James Ordway, George Barker, Oliver Wade, Frea Hovey, Harry Dane, Clarence Littlefield, Warren Menchin, Leon Brackett, John C. Andrews, John Buck, James I. Hanson, and J. B. Bancroft.

— The condition of the lumber business generally indicates about as accurately as anything else that of other employments in a place for it shows what the trades of the carpenters and builders are doing, while on these, in turn, depends the prosperity of other mechanical and mercantile pursuits. If this is a correct view of the case then business in this city is not so dull as it might be. Mr. Clarence Littlefield, Superintendent of the Woburn Lumber Company, of which Mr. Barker is the head, informed a JOURNAL reporter last Saturday that sales of all kinds of lumber had already this early in the spring opened up in an incouraging manner; that orders were coming in briskly every day, and the demand was constantly increasing. The Woburn Lumber Co. are a large concern. They keep constantly on hand big stocks of all kinds of lumber with which they supply not only the Woburn demand but that of Winchester, Burlington, Wilmington and considerable share of Stoneham, and from each of these localities Supt. Littlefield says orders are coming in, although as yet the major part of the heaviest ones are from home parties. This leads Supt. Littlefield to conclude that business is picking up and that the prospects for a good deal of building this season are bright.

— The Y. M. C. A. entertainment at their hall in Bank block on Pleasant street on last Monday evening, which had been well advertised by the JOURNAL, was a thoroughly enjoyable occasion to all present. There was a large audience of people interested in the work of the Association besides not a few who went for the entertainment alone and among them all not a dissatisfied murmur was heard. The chief feature of the affair was the "Platter Drill," a neat and unique performance by the following young ladies of the Physical Class of the High School under command of Capt. H. N. Conn, namely: Louise Richardson, Florence Nichols, Mabel Newton, Minnie Dow, Florence Hartwell, Alice Huse, Beatrice Grant, Ella Kennedy, Winnie Russell, Bertha W. Tidd, Mabel E. Owen, Marion E. Conn. The drill was perfectly performed and gave the spectators much pleasure. Mrs. Charles M. Strout gave some fine piano solos as did also Miss Willard. Both ladies are trained instrumentalists and their excellent playing was listened to with delight. Mr. John Brauer on his clarinet; N. Godder on the violin; and Miss Angie M. Tripp on the banjo; contributed not a little to the pleasures of the evening. Mr. A. T. Curtis, the Reader, gave several pieces which met with generous applause. It was a good time.

This May Mean You.

Are you up with the times and do you get the best the market affords for the money you pay out? How is it out in the kitchen? Have you the modern improvements there? If you have, then this is not written for you, because you are buying and using Brussels soap. If otherwise, be wise, and when next you order soap, try Brussels and you will gain a point over hard work. It's economical.

Y. M. C. A.

Boys meeting next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Sunday afternoon at 3.30 Prayer service for men.

Don't forget the Bible Class on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Rev. O. J. Murphy will speak on "How to be a man" next Sunday.

Sixty men were present to hear Rev. J. H. McElwain and were well pleased. "If you will get such men to speak you can fill this hall" was the remark of a man who seldom comes.

Tuesday afternoon the regular meeting of the Auxiliary was held at Concert Hall as the parlor was too small. The occasion which drew so many was an address by Mr. O. H. Durrell, President of the Cambridge Auxiliary. A vote of thanks was tendered to the young ladies who took part in the public drill. Nine members were voted in, making a membership of 130.

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Silver Wedding.

Captain Charles K. Conn rejoices in as many friends and as staunch ones as any man in Woburn or out of it. He is popular with everybody and has a "chalked hat" for the best society that there is going. Everyone likes him because he is square, honest, jolly and a right down good fellow.

Capt. Conn got his title while serving his country in Co. K, 39th Mass. Regt. in the great Rebellion. He was a brave, willing soldier, and carries quite a quantity of Southern lead in his body now to prove his loyalty and courage. He was severely wounded and reported dead; but he came out all right, only badly pierced.

As Chief of Police he was efficient and prompt and nobody spoke ill of him except perhaps those whose liberties were temporarily abridged by him. He gave great satisfaction as a public officer.

For some years Capt. Conn has been local reporter for the *Boston Globe* and as such has made himself solid with all classes of people who read. In fact, he has always been popular in all situations.

Capt. Conn got married to the young lady of his heart just 25 years ago last Monday, but he wasn't going to let on about it and didn't. But a few of his hosts of good, warm friends and the good warm friends of Madam Conn got wind of it, and the result was one of the pleasantest little parties that has taken place in Woburn for many a long year. It was a delightful affair and a jolly crowd of newspaper men and others made the most of it.

But we will let one of the bright and talented Editors of the *Globe* finish the story:

Charles K. Conn of the *Boston Globe* and wife celebrated the 25th. anniversary of their marriage last evening. That is, a few of their friends celebrated it for them. Mr. Conn is naturally a modest man. He didn't tell his friends that his 25th anniversary was approaching. Nevertheless, a few of them became aware of the fact and called on him last Monday evening. They left behind them as as a souvenir of the occasion a costly piano lamp. As Mr. Elmore A. Pierce of the Associated Press, who presented the gift, expressed it, "The house would have been filled with presents had Mr. Conn's friends knew of the anniversary." Mr. and Mrs. Bullard and Master Bullard presented some beautiful silverware and elegant dishes with appropriate remarks.

"Charlie" responded in his usually modest way, and Mrs. Conn directed the company to the dining room, where her generous hospitality manifested itself. Post 33, G. A. R., Company K, 39th Regimen, Massachusetts Volunteers, the Mutual Benefit Association Odd Fellows the Woburn Police and Mr. Conn's associates among the Woburn reportorial corps were represented. Among those present were the following: Elmore A. Pierce, George S. Hudson, Messrs. Wetherell, Cutler and Wallace, Charles S. O'Neill, C. Vey Holman, Henry L. Andrews, Marcellus Littlefield, Thomas Mulkeen, Sumner Y. Pierce, Charles R. Brown, John G. Maguire, Edward J. Gregory, Gilman F. Joyes, John I. Munroe, Alexander Grant, Francis P. Curran, Albert P. Barrett, Andrew R. Linscott, William R. McIntosh, John F. Larkin, William T. Kendall, William P. Warren, James H. Carton, William H. Matthews, W. F. Kenney.

Bishop Vincent's Reception.

That was a characteristic gathering in the spacious and beautiful parlors of the Boston Y. M. C. A. last Tuesday evening. A good number of Woburn Chautauquans and friends were in attendance.

The heartiness of the C. L. S. C. salute, as the beloved Chancellor—that used to be—made his appearance, brought back memories of Chautauqua and Lakeview.

Words of cheer and progress were reported from all sections, and the Classes formed this year outnumber by thousands, those of the past.

Bishop Vincent's lecture, under the auspices of "The American Institute of Biblical Literature," followed the reception. The depth of thought, clothed in beauty of expression, convinced the audience anew of that which has been so often claimed for him by those who know most about his work, namely, "Bishop Vincent is one of the greatest of living men."

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, March 28, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. John Currie, Miss Katie Corley, Box 944, Mrs. W. J. Goodwin, Mr. John Hayes, Mr. Albert E. Long, Mrs. Kate Murphy, 34 Hancock St.

Bridget: "I am going to lave yez, mum." Mistress: "What for?" Bridget: "Because the washin' is too hard to do, mum, widout yez buy me some Brussels soap to do it wid, mum."

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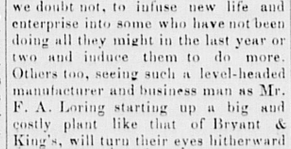

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Mr. Charles L. Smith will remain in charge of our Upholstery Department, where strict and careful attention will be paid to making and repairing all kinds of furniture.

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More Industries for Woburn.

Great satisfaction is expressed in Woburn this at the announcement that F. A. Loring of the firm of Loring & Avery, the leather manufacturers, who have for many years done business in Winchester, has purchased the Bryant & King factory in Woburn, and will manufacture buff leather there. The firm of Loring & Avery dissolved on Jan. 1, and for a number of weeks past Mr. Loring has been doing business in the Maxwell tannery and currying shoe at North Winchester. Loring & Avery were the largest manufacturers of buff leather in this section, if not in the world, and the new firm of F. A. Loring & Co. will also do a large business. The Maxwell factory will also be kept running. The Bryant & King plant is one of the largest in Woburn and there is a large amount of land which will allow of increase of facilities if desired. There are other sources of gratification to Woburn in the facts that Theodore Boutelle has just established his leather business in a new factory on Eastern Avenue. C. B. Bryant, formerly of Bryant & King, will soon begin manufacturing in the Pollard factory, which he has thoroughly refitted, and Patrick McGowan will build an addition to his factory on Conn street.—*Boston Record, Mar. 27.*

This transaction will not only add considerably to the volume of leather making here and give an increase of men engaged in it but its effect will be, we doubt not, to infuse new life and enterprise into some who have not been doing all they might in the last year or two and induce them to do more. Others too, seeing such a level-headed manufacturer and business man as Mr. F. A. Loring starting up a big and costly plant like that of Bryant & King's, will turn their eyes hitherward and it will be strange if the number of tanneries and currying shops and the total output of leather do not greatly increase in the near future. Woburn is a great leather manufacturing centre and in strict conformity to a law of nature it must of necessity grow. Woburn stands at the front now, but not so far in front as she bids fair to in the course of a few more years.

Mr. C. B. Bryant at the Pollard factory cannot but do a large and profitable business, for no one understands the trade better than he does and no one enjoys a more flattering share of public confidence and respect, as a business man and citizen.

In good time the Dow tannery will resume operations, and other plants are being enlarged, so that on the whole the outlook for Woburn's future as a leather-making centre is fair and bright.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The Board held their regular meeting on Thursday evening, March 26, with a full complement of members present and President Waldron in the Chair.

A communication was received from Thomas Granville, Lake Avenue, complaining of the water running into his cellar. This was referred to Highway Committee.——The monthly report of the City Auditor was received and placed on file.——The Council then proceeded to the election of City Solicitor. Ten ballots were taken before an election was secured. John Warren Johnson was declared in non-concurrence.——The next thing in order was the election of Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department. The members of the Council proceeded to ballot with the following result: Frank E. Tracy 6, Charles W. Ames 4, Blank 1. Mr. Tracy was declared elected in non-concurrence.

This closing the business of the meeting, on motion of Councilman Larkin, the Council adjourned.

A policeman at Shenandoah, Pa., has been obliged to resign because he could not sign for his salary.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Advancing the Kingdom of God.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. Baptism of children and adults followed by Holy Communion. At 6 p. m. Epworth League prayer meeting; at 7 p. m. Revival services conducted by the Pastor. Regular prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meetings Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Asking and Receiving." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Missionary Lecture in the church at 7 p. m. Subject: "Temples and Tombs, Rivers and People in India." Sixty Stereopticon Illustrations, Lantern operated by Mr. Sidney Herbert of Boston. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

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In Reading, March 29, instant, Mr. Edwin P. Nichols, aged 68 years, 5 months.

The deceased passed away very suddenly and without any warning illness. He was an uncle of Mr. Frederic A. Flint, senior member of the firm of G. R. Gage & Co. of this city.

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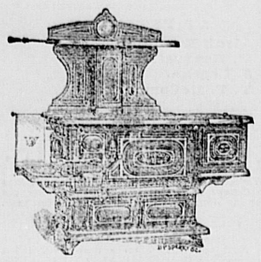

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The Dog Fight.

It was a novel case which Judge Converse had to deal with last Monday forenoon.

Mr. John I. Munroe appeared in Court in response to a summons upon complaint of the Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and charging him with cruelty to a New Foundland dog, the property of Albert M. Colby, of 219 Montvale Avenue.

The trouble between the dogs of these gentlemen took place near Mr. Colby's house, Friday afternoon, March 20.

Mr Lanham of Boston, represented the government, and M. T. Allen looked after Mr. Munroe's interests.

The first witness was Fred, the thirteen year old son of Mr. Colby.

Knew Munroe. Father owns a New Foundland dog, and on Friday, March 20, Mr. Munroe was driving along in front of the house and had his setter dog. The New Foundland grabbed the other one, and there was a fight. Munroe hit them with a whip but could not get the dogs apart. Finally our dog laid down, and then Munroe's attacked him and got him by the leg. They fought again and ours got the best of the other. My dog started the fight. Munroe took out a pocket knife and stabbed my dog in the side, so that the entrails came out.

Our dog let go of the other, but not directly.

Mr. Munroe then got into his team and drove off, his dog following. Mr. Munroe did not try to separate them—he did not touch his dog except to whip him.

Dog was killed in the night. Our dog was not a fighting one.

In cross-examination by Mr. Allen, the witness said the affair lasted ten or fifteen minutes. Munroe told me to hold my dog. I tried to separate them, but Munroe did not make any effort except to whip them. The dog had no collar on.

Miss Annie Colby, who said she would be ten in August, was the next witness.

Annie is a bright child, with light golden hair, and curls hanging down her back. These, together with a bang of the same color, and bright, black eyes, made a pretty picture as she faced the audience.

Annie saw the trouble between the dogs. She said "My dog ran out and commenced to fight. They fought ten or fifteen minutes. Mr. Munroe whipped the dogs, and ours let go and laid down. Didn't see Mr. Munroe take hold of the dogs.

Mr. Daniel A. Prentiss said his attention was called to the scene when fight half over. Fought seven or eight seconds. Mr. Munroe whipped his own dog. Munroe's dog had been bitten, but blood did not show on account of his hair being red.

Albert M. Colby testified to ownership and to the fact that he had the dog killed about 10 30 p. m., the same day.

Agent Hathaway, of the society with the long name, testified to conversation with Mr. Munroe.

Officer Kean testified that he killed the dog, but did not examine the wound.

This closed the government's case, and Mr. Allen called John I. Munroe.

Mr. Munroe testified: He was on his way to Montvale and had his Gordan setter along. When he reached Mr. Colby's house and had got a few rods past it, Colby's dog rushed out and grabbed his dog.

The latter was on the left hand side of my carriage and on the opposite side of the street from the house. My dog fell when the other came up with him.

I saw young Colby and told him to take off his dog.

Colby's mother, who was at the house, told her son to return but the boy refused.

I used my whip and the boy did until my horse was scared and I led him along the road away from the excitement.

The dogs held on and then I used the loaded end of the whip, but with no better results.

I told the boy to get hold of his dog and I took hold of mine, and we pulled, but the boy was so small I could pull them all along.

When I found Colby's dog would not let go, and as he held him by the throat, I could not see my dog butchered, and as a last resort I pulled out my pocket knife and struck, as I thought, at a vital point.

The dog still clung to mine until he grew weak, when he relaxed the hold, and then my dog made for the wounded brute, and grabbed him by one leg.

I broke this hold by whipping him, got into my carriage and drove off, and soon after I got home, I had my dog killed on account of the punishment he had received.

Witness said he could not understand how the Colby children could testify as they had that he had not taken hold of his dog.

I thought the Colby dog would have died within a few minutes, so I went no further—in fact I thought I had not legal right to do so.

The occasion was one of excitement, and I would not go through with such a thing again for any money. I never worked so in my life.

Counsel then made arguments, and left it in the hands of the Court, when Justice Converse discharged the respondent.—X.

We suggest to our esteemed contemporaries that they throw less journalistic mud and use more Brussels soap.—Ex.

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Easter Sunday.

This religious holiday was observed with more elaborateness and honors last Sunday than has heretofore generally been the case, although for years it has been the practice of the Woburn churches to take due notice of the joyous season and pay a good deal of attention to it. Generally speaking Easter Sunday is regarded as of much importance as Christmas, and some denominations celebrate the day of the Resurrection with more pious zeal than they do the anniversary of the birth of the Savior.

Music and flowers held sway at all our churches last Sunday. Their auditoriums were never before so gaily bedecked with roses, lilies, palms, ferns, etc., and never presented more pleasing sights to the eye. The atmosphere was laden with their sweets.

At the Unitarian church there was hardly standing room left so numerous were the visitors at the 4 o'clock meeting of observance of the occasion. Nothing had been spared in the way of furnishing flowers, and the singing was supurb. Mrs. R. J. W. Phinney and Mr. Robert Whitten, the well known and popular Winchester baritone, were the soloists and they were charming.

Prof. Clarke, the famous organist at the First Congregational church, set before the public a rich musical feast both at the morning service and the SS. concert in the evening. The church was filled with rarest flowers and presented a beautiful appearance.

At the M. E. church the theme that Rev. Hugh Montgomery preached on was the "Resurrection," and an Easter air prevailed over the beautiful new church.

At No. Woburn there was a SS. concert with flowers and songs and other appropriate things.

St. Charles church had a very elaborate programme which was carried out to perfection. These were some of the pieces sung:

ST. CHARLES.

Organ prelude,	Mendelssohn
Kyrie and gloria,	Generali
Veni Creator,	Handl
Credo,	Generali
Offertory, Terra Tremuit,	Generali
Sanctus,	Generali
Agnus Dei,	Generali
Organ postlude, Marche Triomphale,	Gounod

CONGREGATIONAL.

Organ voluntary.	
Song, Hallelujah, Jesus lives.	
Solo, Easter eve,	Mrs. E. C. Luce.
Song, The happy morn has come.	
Song, Springtide birds.	
Song, Once more upon mortals.	
Song, Awake thou wintry earth.	
Song, Into the joyland.	
Solo, At happy Easter time.	Miss Bessie Luce.

BAPTIST.

Organ voluntary,	Whiting
Easter, anthem, Christ, the Lord is risen,	Shelly
Solo and chorus, Shout, ye high heavens,	Daw
Song, Easter day.	Mrs. Partridge.
Anthem, He is risen,	Clare
Easter triumph anthem, Behold, I tell you a mystery,	Holden
Organ postlude.	

UNITARIAN.

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Bird Carol.	School.
Carol, The world itself keeps Easter day,	School.
Carol, Christ, the Lord, has risen.	
Carol, 'Twas a bluebird told the story.	
Solo,	Mr. Robert Whitten.
Duet,	Mrs. Phinney and Mr. Whitten.

Mrs. E. C. Luce was the musical attraction at the Congregational church. At the SS. the exercises were of a very pleasing character.

Nobody ought to complain at the way Easter was observed by the churches in this city.

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North Woburn.

The school is closed for a week's vacation and the children are making the best of it. The marbles and the bat and ball have been taken from their winter resting places and are doing their duty.

Mr. Arthur Linscott started on last Saturday for Arkansas, and after staying there for a few weeks he will go to Colorado. He is on a business trip for J. B. Lewis & Co. a large boot and shoe firm of Boston.

The Unitarian Society held their regular monthly sociable in the chapel on last Wednesday evening. It being the last sociable to be held this season, every effort was made to make it a success, and it was.

The Easter Concert given in the Congregational Church was well attended and went off very satisfactorily. The exercises were conducted by Mr. B. F. Kimball, Supt. of the Sunday School, and some very appropriate selections were rendered by the choir. The church was tastefully decorated with evergreens and potted plants and looked very pretty.

Miss Bessie Barker was given a very pleasant surprise at her home, by a large number of her friends on last Friday evening. Everything to promote the jollity and mirth of the occasion was indulged in and a bounteous and superior collation was served. While all were gathered around the festive board, Mr. Arthur W. Tidd in a few but well spoken words, presented Miss Barker in behalf of her friends and schoolmates an envelope containing a goodly sum of money. Then Mrs. Samuel Thompson presented another envelope and its contents to her as a taken of love and friendship from the scholars of the Sunday School in connection with the Congregational Church. During the evening Miss Barber rendered some very appropriate selections on the piano and assisted by the excellent voices of those present; the affair proved to be a musical success as well as social.

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Fast Day Pickings.

Snow storm last night and big rain storm this morning.

The Aldermen have fixed the price of licenses at $1,800.

The weather on Fast Day was bright and balmy on the whole.

The new Highland School was formally accepted last Wednesday.

Postmaster Wyman captured another big feather for his cap by opening his office at 6 o'clock Fast Day evening.

The annual ball of the St. Charles C. T. A. S. at Lyceum Hall, Wednesday evening was a gay affair and a great success.

Mayor Bean delivered an able Fast Day discourse at the Unitarian Church yesterday morning to a large and cultivated audience.

The annual meeting of Trinity Parish was adjourned to Monday evening, April 6, 1891, at 7.30 P. M., to hear reports on location of a new church.

Druggist Daniel Kelley will take personal charge of his Malden store and leave the management of the Woburn store in the hands of a competent pharmacist.

Commander Frank Graves of Post 161 has swelled the list of its Honorary Members by the addition of a large number of names of prominent Woburn gentlemen.

Post 161, G. A. R., will have supper, speeches, songs and smoke talks at their hall next Monday evening in commemoration of the organization of the first Post in the Union.

The Woburn H. S. B. will give an exhibition drill at the Rink next Friday evening to raise funds for the General Muster at Lynn. The tickets are 10 and 20 cents, and the free list has been suspended. Help the boys.

The 24 annual convention of the Middlesex County Y. P. S. C. E was held in the Baptist and Congregational Churches, this city, yesterday. It was a great success. There were 616 delegates present. The music and speaking were soul-cheering.

Mr. Thomas Feeney of this city, a graduate from the JOURNAL office and one of the smartest and most capable of the Boston *Record's* corps of bright young reporters, and lady were conspicuous figures at the St. Charles ball last Wednesday evening.

Principal S. W. Mendum of the High School is booked for an address at the meeting of the Massachusetts Association of Classical and High School Teachers to be held at the rooms of the Boston Latin School on April 3 and 4. His theme will be "An Examination of the Criticisms on the 'Herald' Prize Essays." Woburn will be worthily represented by Mr. Mendum, for he is one of the brightest and most successful High School Principals in the State.

THE MERCURY is a brisk little tpye-writer printed sheet issued periodically by a knot of Academy Hill boys and girls, of which Master F. J. Ham is Editor. The current number is a spicy one. We clip the following item from its breezy columns: "There have been 2 'teas' this week, one at Miss G. M. Bryant's and one at Mrs. R. J. W. Phinney's. The decorations at the table of the former were daffodils, at the latter, red tulips."

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Burlington.

The Agricultural Society held another of their successful assemblies on Wednesday evening of last week.

Rev. Mr. Mowry of Boston preached an excellent Easter sermon at the church Sunday morning. The rostrum was appropriately decorated with flowering plants. A good congregation were present to enjoy the Easter service. In the evening the Sunday School held a concert. The subject was "Easter Day" and a fine programme of singing, recitations and readings was given by the school. The younger scholars deserve especial praise for their prompt and well rendered recitations, while we do not forget that one of the pleasantest features in our Sunday School is that our older scholars do not "outgrow" the school but are always willing to take part in the concerts.

Last week the whole community were shocked and pained by the sudden death of Mr. George Skelton, who fell dead from heart disease at his home Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Skelton was unmarried and lived alone, but a neighbor's daughter was with him at the time of his death. He was an original character but had a kindly heart and was a great favorite with the young people. For many years he had been, in a certain sense, the "Old Mortality" of the village cemetery, and beside digging graves and burrying the dead, had taken a great interest in the care and improvement of the grounds. He did much gratuitous work in the cemetery in the way of caring for lots whose owners were unable to do so. Mr. Skelton's funeral services were held in the cemetery Saturday afternoon, and were attended by a large number of people.

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WINCHESTER.

Per order of Supt. Sewell the No. Woburn St. RR. cars will begin to make regular trips to Medford on and after next Monday, April 6.

Our distinguished fellow townsman, General John M. Corse, the Hero of the great Battle of Alatoona, gave a smoke talk to the Boston Cadets last week in which he told all about that great fight. It was intensely interesting and the boys listened to it with great attention.

Bro. Johnson "goes for 'em" on the legality of our Town Meeting. He is right. I would not give very much for a piece of real estate here the title to which rested on the legality of our town meeting—a tax sale, for example. If nothing is done about it no one need pay a tax here this year unless he feels disposed to. It can't be collected by law.

A good deal of adverse criticism is bestowed on the published Town Reports for 1890-91, and it looks as though they deserved it. Somebody's proof reader neglected his duty sadly on the job. I don't pity the town any. If they will persist in giving the printing of the Reports to Boston job offices let them suffer the consequences. Perhaps, one of these days, our Municipal Dads will find out that it pays to patronize home industries—printing Town Reports included.

The Board of Selectmen organized Wednesday as follows: Arthur E. Whitney, Chairman; James Russell, Clerk. Standing Committees—Highways, Messrs. Russell, Payne and Shattuck; Street Lights, Messrs. Russell and Winn; Concrete Sidewalks, Messrs. Russell, Whitney and Winn; Police, Messrs. Payne and Russell; Finance and Accounts, Messrs. Russell, Payne and Shattuck; Printing and Stationery, Messrs. Whitney and Russell. It was voted to hold regular meetings the first and third Mondays of each month at 7.30 P. M.

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NOTICE.

The Regular quarterly meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held on **Friday, April 3, 1891,** at 7.30 P. M., to hear the report of the Treasurer and Auditors, and transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

Money deposited on or before **Saturday, April 11, 1891,** will draw interest from April 1, 1891.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ebenezer N. Blake, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument puporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Warren N. Blake, Harrison G. Blake, and Joseph B. Parker, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at Law and others interested in the Estate of Abigail Winn, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Parker L. Converse and Leonard Thompson, Executors of the will of said deceased, have presented to said Court their petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of April next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same;

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Walter J. Mower of Somerville in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lizzie G. Knapp, Executrix of the will of Orin S. Knapp, and John W. Scribner, Co-guardian of said minor with said Orin S. Knapp, deceased, have presented for allowance the third account of the guardianship of said Knapp and Scribner;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said surviving Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last buplication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

WOBURN Co-operative Bank.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Dow's Block, on

Thursday, April 9,

at 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of electing Officers and Auditors for the ensuing fiscal year, and for any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Ann Doherty to John W. Johnson of Woburn in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Trustee under the will of Adelaide A. Eaton, dated January 15, 1889, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, libro 1889, folio 553, and by said John W. Johnson, Trustee, assigned to Hugh McCafferty by assignment dated May 16, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 2099, Page 43, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Saturday the eleventh day of April, A. D., 1891, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:—A certain lot of land situated in the westerly part of said Woburn, on the northerly side of Sheridan St., and bounded and described as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises on said Sheridan street, at land of Sewall Taylor; thence the line runs easterly, by and with said Sheridan street, one hundred and ninety-eight feet to land now, or formerly, of James Doherty; thence notherly, on and by said land of Doherty, ninety nine and one-half feet to land now, or formerly, of Mrs. Hanley; thence westerly, by said land of Hanley and by land now, or formerly, of Bartholomew Hogan, one hundred and ninety-nine feet to said land of Taylor; thence southerly, by said land of Taylor, ninety-nine and one-half feet to the point of beginning: Being the same premises described in two deeds to said Ann Doherty; one from Philip Doherty, dated March 21, 1867, recorded with Middlesex (South District) Deeds, Book 1007, Page 318; the other from John Doherty, dated December 10, 1867, and recorded with Middlesex (So. District) Deeds, Book 1026, Page 526.

$100.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

HUGH McCAFFERTY, Assignee and present holder o said Mortgage.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, March 16, 1891.

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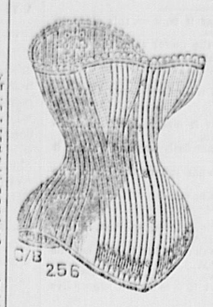

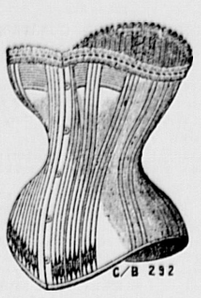

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SAVED FROM FAMINE.

LESSON I, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, APRIL 5.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings vii, 1-16. Commit Verses, 8, 9—Golden Text, Ps. cvii, 8—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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After the Syrian army had been smitten with blindness at the word of Elisha he led them into the midst of Samaria, then prayed that they might see. Their eyes being opened, they found themselves in the presence of the man whom they sought, the king of Israel, who would have slain them; but at the command of Elisha he fed them, treated them well, and let them go, thus conquering them with kindness.

Today's lesson brings before us Samaria so besieged by the Syrians that there is a terrible famine, and mothers are so crazed by hunger that they eat their own children, and all because of their rebellion against God.

1. "Then Elisha said, Hear ye the word of the Lord."

The king of Israel professed to be so filled with horror at the doings of the people that he swore to kill Elisha, and proceeded forthwith to put his threat in execution.

2. "Behold, if the Lord would make windows in heaven might this thing be."

Thus spake a companion of the king of Israel, in reply to the word of the Lord by Elisha, that to-morrow there would be food in abundance; and thus speaks many a professed Christian today, in reference to the great promises of the Lord of Hosts. It is a fearful sin, but so common, to make light of the word of God or reject it altogether, because it seems impossible or unreasonable.

3, 4. "Why sit we here until we die?"

We are now introduced to four outcasts, without the city because of their leprosy, who are in a most pitiable condition. They are dying slowly of disease; hunger is now hastening their death—there is no relief from the city; the Syrians can only kill them, and thus shorten their misery, but possibly may take pity on them and save them. It is their only hope, and their minds are made up. The condition of these men was sad indeed, but what about those in all Christendom who are on the way to the second death and are indifferent to it?

5. "And they rose up in the twilight to go unto the camp of the Syrians, and, behold, there was no man there."

Tremblingly and stealthily, under cover of the twilight, they moved toward the camp of the enemy, but enemy there was none, no one to be seen. Their fears vanish, their hearts leap within them; they expected death, but they find life, food and riches in abundance. The change in their circumstances is an illustration of the difference between an unsaved person seeking satisfaction from this world and a saved soul rejoicing in the fullness of the redemption and life eternal.

6. "The Lord had made the host of the Syrians to hear a noise of chariots, and a noise of horses, even the noise of a great host."

He did not open their eyes to see the hosts of the Lord as He did the eyes of Elisha's servant (vi, 17), but He caused their ears to hear, and their hearts to imagine a great host pursuing them. It was not a host of Hittites and Egyptians, as they thought, but the unseen hosts of the Lord. What rest there is in the soul that can say, "Though an host should encamp against me my heart shall not fear!"

7. "Wherefore they arose and fled for their life."

How many ways the Lord has of overthrowing His enemies and sending deliverance to such as He desires to bless! The Lord knoweth how. It is not for us either to make suggestions or have any anxiety, but just abide in Him who is our sufficiency in all things.

9. "We do not well; this day is a day of good tidings, and we hold our peace."

Thus spake the lepers as they perhaps paused in their overwhelming joy to consider the famine stricken city so near by. What a word this is for all who have heard and received the glad tidings of salvation.

"If we tarry till the morning light some mischief will come upon us."

Who can tell what the loss will be in the resurrection morning to all believers who have done nothing to spread the glad tidings, when at the judgment seat of Christ their iniquity has found them out (R. V., margin).

10. "So they came and called unto the porter of the city."

They did not stop at good resolutions, but immediately put the same into effect. Let all believers who are thinking of telling or sending the good tidings to others, at once do something about it and the work will move on.

11. "And he called the porters; and they told it to the king's house within."

Thus the good tidings are passed on from one to another, no one thinking of himself, but only of the message of joy which he bears.

12. "And the king arose in the night and said unto his servants, I will now show you what the Syrians have done to us."

Neither does the king wait till the morning. It is a time of sore trouble, and perhaps sleep had forsaken him. But he does not believe the good tidings; he imagines mischief. Had he believed the word of the Lord by Elisha he might now have said humbly and gratefully, "This is the Lord's doing and marvelous in our eyes."

13. "Let us send and see."

This was so unlikely; how could it be true? We tell people of the forgiveness of all their sins and the possession of eternal life by just receiving Jesus Christ as their Saviour (John i, 12; v, 24; Rom. iv, 5; Acts xiii, 38, 39), but they will not look up the passages in their Bibles to see if it is really so.

14. "The king sent after the host of the Syrians, saying, Go and see."

A willingness to investigate is so much better than imagining or believing an evil report. God asks us to search the Scriptures, to read, to hear, to believe, to prove Him.

15. "And they went after them unto Jordan; and the messengers returned and told the king."

Evidence all the way to Jordan is suggestive of all the way to the cross, where the last trace of our enemy, sin, is seen; for there Jesus made an end of sin for all who accept Him, so that dead and risen with Him, sin shall not have dominion over us.

16. "So a measure of fine flour was sold for a shekel, according to the Word of the Lord."

Whether men will hear or forebear, the word of the Lord will stand. No matter how seemingly impossible, all things are possible with God, and nothing is too hard for the Lord.

"The Lord of hosts hath sworn, saying, Surely as I have thought so shall it come to pass; and as I have purposed so shall it stand" (Num. xxiii, 19; Isa. xiv, 24).

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

A wealthy and prominent citizen of Parkersburg, Va., has assigned all his property to his uncle to avoid marriage with a woman to whome he is engaged, because he thinks she only cares for his money. The woman, a widow, will sue him for breach of promise if he persists.

THE TWO GREAT MYSTERIES.

We know not what it is, dear, this sleep so deep and still—
The folded hands, the awful calm, the cheek so pale and chill,
The lids that will not lift again, though we may call and call;
The strange white solitude of peace that settles over all.

We know not what it means, dear, this desolate heart pain,
The dread to take our daily way and walk in it again.
We know not to what sphere the loved who leave us go,
Nor why we're left to wander still, nor why we do not know.

But this we know—our loved and lost, if they should come this day,
Should come and ask us, What is life? not one of us could say.
Life is a mystery as deep as death can ever be;
Yet, oh, how sweet it is to us, this life we live and see!

Then might they say, those vanished ones, and blessed is the thought—
So death is sweet to us, beloved, though we may tell you naught.
We may not tell it to the quick, this mystery of death;
Ye may not tell it if ye would, the mystery of breath.

The child that enters life comes not with knowledge or intent;
So those who enter death must go as little children sent.
Nothing is known, but I believe that God is overhead;
And as life is to the living, so death is to the dead.

—Mary Mapes Dodge.

Gen. Sherman's Memory.

Gen. Sherman had a wonderful memory. This was illustrated by an incident that occurred in Philadelphia three years ago. He was visiting his daughter, and while sitting at the open window smoking one midsummer night he saw the policeman pass, and as the patrolman halted a moment the general was noticed to give him a keen glance and utter an exclamation.

The next evening he told some one that when the policeman on the beat passed again to say he wanted to speak to him. When the officer entered he straightened up and gave Gen. Sherman the regular military salute.

"Ah, ha!" said the general, "I thought so. Now, where was it I saw you before? Do you know me?"

"Oh, yes," said the bearded patrolman, "I knew you when you were a lieutenant. I was your drummer in California."

"Ha, ha! I thought so; and wait a bit. So you were that little drummer boy, and your name—your name's Hutchinson."

Sure enough, the general of the United States army, who had seen thousands of drummers, had recognized in a passing policeman the drummer boy who was with his company in the Mexican war.—Philadelphia Times.

Business Is Business.

A lithographing establishment in Buffalo recently received from a western customer a circular note announcing the death of the head of the firm. It was given to the clerk with instructions to write a letter of condolence in reply, and this is what he supplied: "We are greatly pained to learn of the loss sustained by your firm and extend to you are heartiest sympathy. We notice that the circular you send us announcing Mr. ——'s death is lithographed by Chicago parties. We regret that you did not see it in your way to let us figure on this job. The next time there is a bereavement in your house we shall be glad to quote you on lithograph circulars, and are confident that we can give you better work at less cost than anybody else in the business. Trusting we may soon have an opportunity of quoting you prices, we remain with profound sympathy, yours truly." —Buffalo Courier.

Breaking the News Gently.

Once upon a time a dear woman of my acquaintance was prostrated by many cares, so that her physicians feared heart failure. In order that she might be spared any sudden shock the household was warned never to be abrupt in the communication of any tidings, good or bad. One day the new girl, who had been repeatedly admonished, entered the room where the invalid was sitting, and, approaching her in minuet step, whispered coyly in her ear, "Plaze, mum, don't yez be sheared now, but the house is on fire, and the whole hinder part is blazin'!"—Chicago Herald.

Where the Needles Go.

I can beat the pin and needle cushion thus far. Awhile ago, wondering what had become of the needles, I opened a cushion used by the family and found 328—five were darning needles, the rest all sizes of common sewing needles.—Cor. Newburyport News.

The spiders found in England are small and quite harmless to man, but it is probable that some poisonous fluid is secreted in the mandibles of all spiders. Even the bite of the common house spider (Tegenaria domestica) is quickly fatal to flies and other insects on which it preys.

Justin H. McCarthy, M. P., is 30 years old, and has published eleven books and seven plays; he is tall and thin, with a very small head; he has traveled much in Persia, and has an intimate acquaintance with the literature of that country.

James Lane Allen, the Kentucky novelist, lives at Lexington, where the scenes of some of his stories have been laid. He is a professor of Latin in Bethany college, and an earnest student of comparative philology.

Probably the largest fee ever received by a lawyer in this country was that paid to John E. Parsons, of New York, who is said to have received $400,000 for services rendered in organizing the sugar trust.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

It is reported from Denver, Col., that the famous Maxwell land grant, comprising 1,700,000 acres, has been sold to New York parties, and that the commission of the agent amounted to $150,000.

Willie—"What do you suppose the Greeks did after capturing Troy?" Johnnie—„Got their clothes laundered, I'll bet!"

DID IT SERVE HER RIGHT?

A Fashionable Woman Driven to Flight by Juvenile Inquisitiveness.

Her hat was a regular stunner and no mistake. It looked something like a miniature tropical garden, but nature never produced anything half so gorgeous. A couple of artificial butterflies, whose wings presented a dazzling assortment of colors, were poised upon invisible wires over two imitation orchids. They were obviously designed to supply the crowning touch of realism. When she entered the "L" car she knew that that hat would create a sensation. There were plenty of vacant seats around, but she walked nearly the whole length of the car before taking one, and when she sat down it was with the proud consciousness that all eyes were fixed upon her—or rather upon her hat.

But nobody stared at that hat half as hard as a bright, chubby little youngster, who was sitting alongside of his mother, right opposite the owner of the triumph of millinery.

"Oh, mamma, mamma!" exclaimed the little fellow gleefully, "I see two butterflies on that lady's hat."

"Hush, hush, Willie," said the mother; "you mustn't make remarks."

But Willie was at that age when the mind refuses to be satisfied with dogmatic assertions and demands reasons.

"Why must I hush? Will the butterflies hear me and fly away?"

The people in Willie's immediate vicinity began to snicker, and the proprietor of the hat began to look uncomfortable.

"Willie, you must be quiet," said the mother, and then, with the view of allaying his curiosity, she added, "the butterflies ain't alive."

"Did she stick pins through them and kill them?"

"Hush—no; they are made up butterflies."

Willie meditated upon this for a minute, and then, to the intense delight of everybody within earshot, excepting, of course, his mother and the proprietor of the wondrous hat, he broke out afresh.

"Did you ever see any live butterflies like those butterflies, mamma? I never did."

"Do be quiet; don't ask foolish questions."

But Willie was not to be suppressed in that fashion.

"Mamma, why is it that other ladies don't put butterflies in their hats?"

"I don't know. Do be quiet."

"Mamma, if you put butterflies on your hat would you put butterflies on your hat like that?"

By this time the snicker had developed into an audible titter, and threatened to become a downright laugh soon.

The conductor suddenly opened the door and shouted out something that sounded like "Drentheth street!"

Whatever the street might be it seemed suddenly to occur to the proprietor of the hat that it was the street she wanted, and she rushed precipitately out of the car, her undignified exit contrasting strangely with her stately entrance a few minutes before.

And what do you think I overheard the woman who sat next to me say?

"It just serves her right."

Why it served her right I don't pretend to know.—New York Herald.

A Few Table "Don'ts."

Don't smack your lips.

Don't take large mouthfuls.

Don't blow your food in order to cool it.

Don't use your knife instead of your fork.

Don't find fault and pick about your food.

Don't talk with your mouth filled with food.

Don't soil the table cloth with bones, parings, etc.

Don't commence eating as soon as you are seated.

Don't laugh loudly or talk boisterously at the table.

Don't retail all the slanders you can think of at the table.

Don't take bones up in your fingers to eat the meat from them.

Don't call attention to any little mistake which may have occurred.

Don't make yourself and your own affairs the chief topic of conversation.

Don't take another mouthful while any of the previous one remains in the mouth.

Don't reach across the table for anything; but wait until it is passed to you, or ask for it.

Don't put your elbows on the table, nor lounge about; if not able to sit erect ask to be excused.

Don't frown or look cross at the table; it hurts your own digestion, as well as that of those eating with you.

Don't pick your teeth, unless something has become wedged between them; then put your napkin up to your mouth while extracting it.—Good Housekeeping.

Court Etiquette.

American Bride—Isn't it grand? And so we are to attend a supper at the royal castle?

Titled Husband—Yes, our presence has been commanded.

"Oh, won't the girls at home just die of envy when they hear of it! Will we sit near the queen?"

"I will; and perhaps they'll allow you to wait on me."—Good News.

On the Ocean.

Lord Noodles—Aw, I say, captain, what is that land we see ovah there?

Captain—That is America, my lord.

Lord Noodles — Ye don't say! I thought America was a larger country than that.—Harper's Bazar.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

It is contemplated in Rhode Island to follow the example of Massachusetts in giving the towns permission to adopt the Australian system at their annual meetings.

If Your Skin

Is rough, and pimply or covered with blotches and sores, and you want a clean, smooth skin and fair complexion, use Sulphur Bitters. The best medicine in such cases I ever sold.—C. E. SCHEFFLER & Co., Druggists, Lawrence, Mass.

IMPORTANT CARPET INVENTION.

A Method of Printing the Figures Which May Revolutionize the Trade.

A new method of printing the figures upon tapestry carpets is being tried by two or three of the large Philadelphia producers of that grade of goods, which, if successful, will inaugurate a revolution in manufacturing. The process of printing the colors upon the warp of tapestry carpets before the fabric is woven is very ingenious as well as interesting, but at the same time a somewhat slower process than the demand for the goods admits of. The method is to color one thread of the worsted warp at a time, placing different colors upon it at particular points and in such manner as will cause it to form a portion of the design when woven into the fabric.

This is done by winding the thread over what is called a drum, the circumference of which is regulated by the size of the design that is to be reproduced, and the "printer" is guided by a pattern, colored as the carpet is to be. When all the threads that compose the warp or face of the carpet are colored they are placed side by side, each in its proper place, and matched together ready for weaving. This is a slow process, and involves quite a number of different departments.

The new method consists of printing the figures upon the fabric after it is woven, and by means of cylinders, with the design of the carpet deeply engraved upon them. The color of the plain cloth to be printed upon forms the ground of the design of the carpet. For instance, the carpet is to be of a drab ground with chintz figures. The plain fabric will be drab and the chintz colors printed upon it. Each color must have a separate cylinder, with the portion of the design calling for that color engraved upon it, and there must be as many cylinders as there are colors. The cost of producing the carpet is regulated by the number of colors to be used.

The plain fabric is stretched upon a platform, and the cylinders, the circumference of which is precisely the size of the design, are passed over it, the color being supplied by a feeder. The engraving of the cylinder and the supply of the colors are so arranged as to have the coloring matters penetrate the worsted upon the surface of the carpet and no further.

The inventor of the new process says it is capable of producing two miles of completed carpet per day. The fabric resembles body Brussels very closely.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Benefit of Singing in the School Room.

Martin Luther asserted in his cast-iron style of rhetoric, "Unless a schoolmaster knows how to sing I think him of no account." Such a test would materially decrease the number of pedagogues; nevertheless it is true that such ability is of the greatest service to the teacher. The physical benefit resulting from singing is sufficient reason for its use, even if no other existed; but it is peculiarly valuable as a source of enjoyment to children and a great aid in the preservation of order. Even a little knowledge of drawing places a mighty power in the hand of the teacher. Nothing so much helps to make instruction clear and impressive as simple and rapid illustration, particularly in the primary grades. At present these two accomplishments—improperly so termed, for they are really essentials—are required in most schools. The children of today, who are the teachers of to-morrow, are receiving thorough instruction in these two matters, and experience proves that it is almost as instinctive for them to sing and draw as for a bird to fly.—Caroline B. Le Row in Ladies' Home Journal.

Students in Germany.

The number of students in the University of Greifswald is 902, being the largest number ever on its books. Of these 421 are students of medicine, 274 of theology, 98 of philosophy and 95 of law, while 24 are allowed to attend particular lectures without having matriculated in any faculty. At Erlangen the number of students is 1,012, being the first time it has exceeded 1,000. The theological faculty used to be the most numerously attended, but now medicine heads the list. At Marburg there are 1,003 students, this being also the first time the number of 1,000 has been exceeded. There are 269 students in the medical faculty.—Chicago Herald.

The Frolics of Fashion.

What could exhibit a more fantastical appearance than an English beau of the Fourteenth century? He wore long pointed shoes, fastened to his knee by gold or silver chains; hose of one color on one leg and another color on the other; short breeches which did not reach to the middle of his thighs—a coat, one half white, the other half black or blue; a long beard, a silk hood, buttoned under his chin, embroidered with grotesque figures of animals, dancing men, etc., and sometimes ornamented with gold and precious stones. This dress was the correct thing in the reign of King Edward III.—New York Ledger.

A Little Girl's Reasoning.

A little girl of four wise years was visiting with her mother on Main street, and at the dinner table the mother insisted that she should eat the fish and potato on her plate before being helped to dessert. The child turned gravely to her hostess and observed: "Do you know why my mother doesn't keep a pig? It's because she makes me eat up all the swill."—Springfield Homestead.

The ghost at the White House is said to walk half of every night, but he could do double that amount of work, if he wasn't afraid of the morning air, and knew that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cured all kinds of troublesome coughs and colds.

She stood at the gate in the Spring twilight, and when she said good-bye, she felt neuralgia kiss her rosy cheek; but she only smiled, for she had Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain.

Mr. Porkchops—"Miss Lakeside, it is better that we should part. In fact, I am already engaged to another young lady." Miss Lakeside—"That suits me. I have noticed for some time past that you were cold and distant, so I got married yesterday morning."

Here is an illustration of true Hindo politeness from Lady Dufferin's journal: A Judge, who was a very bad shot, had been out for a day's sport, and on his return the man who went out with him was asked: "Well, how did the Judge shoot to-day?" "Oh," he replied, "the Judge shot beautifully, but God was very merciful to the birds."

STROKE OF FEMININE GENIUS.

Simple, but Effective, Plan to Prevent Barking One's Shins.

The man who says that women have not originality not only speaks untruth but deceives himself.

Every one has had occasion to go through a room in the dark on more or less frequent nightly occasions when locking the back door had been forgotten or the pitcher of ice water omitted from the nightly preparations for slumber, and every one knows how each individual piece of furniture in each dark room traversed, including the piano's sharp corners and the rocking chair's twin projections, is collided with.

And all these hard knocks are sustained by the stretch of bone from the knee to the ankle that is commonly called "shin," and is particularly sensitive because it has no layer of muscle, merely a coat of sensitive skin to protect it.

When open doors are run against the nose suffers.

Now there is a young Mrs. D., whose blue eyed baby is a year and a half old, and not infrequently does Mrs. D. have to get up of a night, go down stairs to the refrigerator and get milk for baby.

She does not say how often or how seriously she was hurt before her genius suggested the brilliant plan which she now has for avoiding these petty nocturnal injuries, but she is really proud of her plan for getting unscathed through a room in the dark, and has imparted it to her lady neighbors.

It is too clever an idea to be lost, and its great merit is in its simplicity. The scheme is merely to walk backward.

In the dark one can see as well going backward as forward, of course. The lower limbs are, when going backward, well protected from slight raps by the more or less liberal pad of muscle at the calf, and heels are less sensitive than toes.

And if one is to run into a door the blow can be better borne on the back of the head than on the face.

Mrs. D. is a genius.—Washington Post.

An Independent Horse.

In the business portions of our city there are a good many horses belonging to firms or to private individuals which stand "on call," as it were, oftentimes for hours, in front of their owner's place of business. These horses come to be well known in their neighborhoods, and acquaintance with them shows in them habits and idiosyncrasies which are most interesting. One of the equines, with an individuality all his own, is a gray horse belonging to a firm in Winthrop square. He stands in front of his owner's store apparently pondering upon the ups and downs of life, the hat trade and the weather, and occasionally he starts off for an independent tour round the square, affording much amusement, sometimes consternation, to people who are unacquainted with his ways of doing things.

Should it occur to him that he is thirsty or that to take a drink would be a diversion in the monotony of his afternoon he walks over to the drinking fountain in the square, politely awaits his turn, quenches his thirst, turns around and marches back, like Bo Peep's sheep, so that his owner having left him facing in one direction is quite apt to find him facing in another. The old gray horse is an independent character, they will tell you, in Winthrop square.—Boston Herald.

Carefully Accurate.

A student of ancient history, seeing the statement that a certain famous character in history had died 1030 A. M. (anno mundi, or the year of the world), remarked to his professor with some surprise, "How exceedingly careful those ancients were about noting little circumstances."

"What do you mean?" the professor asked.

"Why, they even tell the time of day that a great man dies. We don't do that now."

"I think you are mistaken," replied the teacher.

"No, I am not; here it is: 'His death occurred at 10:30 a. m.'"—Youth's Companion.

About Sharpening a Knife.

It is a good deal easier to spoil a knife than to sharpen it. To begin with, a rough stone is used too freely. Unless a knife has a very round or ragged edge it does not want any grinding at all, and it can be brought into shape far more rapidly and surely by the aid of a whetstone and a little oil. It is no use laying the blade flat on the stone and rubbing hard; hold the back of the knife well up and sharpen the edge of the blade only. If you know how to use it, the back of a knife makes an excellent steel or sharpener, but the secret is hard to acquire.—Exchange.

Expensive House Cleaning.

It costs $10,000 merely for the "spring cleaning" of a great hotel like the Fifth Avenue. To take up the carpets, cleanse and repair them, and put them down again; to wash the paint, repaint, repaper, and all the thousand and one things which a great house needs with each new year, costs the proprietor of the Fifth Avenue $10,000.—New York Star.

The largest and heaviest building stone ever quarried in England was taken from the Plankington quarry, near Norwich, in February, 1889; it was in one piece, without crack or flaw, and weighed over thirty-five tons; it was 15 feet long, 6 feet high and 5 feet wide.

Hints That Are Better Than Gold.

If you have bad breath, sluggish bowels, pain in the small of your back, nervousness or giddiness, your vital organs are sadly out of condition. A mere "dose of physic" will not help you. Your only wise course is to take Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., and cleanse your system of the impurities. It regulates the Liver and Kidneys.

A dispatch from Wilkesbarre, Pa., says that on Monday while James Pollock and son were riding in a carriage from Dallas they were overtaken by a whirlwind and the men and carriage were lifted bodily and carried some distance and thrown against the trees. Each of them weighed above 200 pounds. They were badly injured.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has the largest sale of any medicine before the public. Any honest druggist will confirm this statement.

A will probated in Ulster county, N. Y., contains this clause; "I give and dequeath to my daughter six silver spoons, all the dishes and all the trifles." Now the question arises, what are the "trifles?"

An Old Court House Bible.

Perhaps the oldest Bible in the court house is that which quietly reposes in a desk in the clerk's office of the city court. In its day it was a good and faithful servant, and was never known to shirk its duty. For the purpose of familiarizing myself with the facial outlines of the sacred volume I went to see it a few days ago.

One of the chief clerk's subalterns groped around for a key and unlocked the desk. He then drew forth a small sized book.

"How old is it?" asked the writer, as the clerk ran over the dirty, greasy pages with his fingers.

"That book, sir, is 25 years of age, and was employed in this court during all that time, with the exception of two years. We finally placed it on the retired list, and here it is."

The edges of the cover were worn away with handling and kissing, and a great many leaves were missing.

"Thousands of lips have come in contact with that Bible," said the clerk, as he sat mournfully contemplating it. "What's more, millions of lies have been told over it. I wish I had a nickel for every time it has been held up to the lips. I would throw down my pen and lead an easy life."

The autograph of the late Chief Justice Neilson adorns the inside of the top cover, and also the name Aury Snedeker, who was for many years a clerk in the court and had administered many an oath. Very few witnesses would relish putting their lips to that book, so positively greasy and ill smelling is it.—Brooklyn Eagle.

He Never Called Again.

A stiff Englishman made a formal call on an equally stiff English girl down in Staten Island not long ago. He called about 4:30 in the afternoon, and sat in one of those comfortable square wicker chairs. About 5 o'clock he made a motion to rise, but resumed his seat; the young lady resumed hers.

She had an engagement at half-past 5, and saw the hands of the clock getting near that hour. Twice the man seemed on the point of leaving; twice he started to rise, twice she rose; then he sat down again, and she resumed her seat each time. Finally the half hour struck—then it became quarter to 6. The engagement had not been kept. Did the man intend to stay to dinner? He didn't; he explained matters.

"Miss M.," he said at last, with considerable hemming and hawing, "the—ah—buttons on the tail of my—ah—coat are caught in the—ah—back of the—ah—chair, and I cannot disengage them. May I—ah—ask your assistance?"

Miss M. came to his assistance and cut the buttons off instead of taking them out of the chair back. The Englishman's leave takings were brief, and he's never repeated the call even to this day.—Chatter.

The Were-Wolf.

Were-wolves (man wolves), according to a superstition very prevalent during the "dark ages," were persons who had the power of transforming themselves into wolves or other fierce beasts, retaining human intelligence, coupled with all the ferocity of beasts of prey. Persons who believe in were-wolves were of the opinion that the hair grew inward, and that the human being possessed of such qualities had but to turn himself inside out to effect the wonderful metamorphosis. The superstition is traceable to the classical fable of Lykaon. Like the poor wretches who were burned and otherwise put to death for witchcraft, those suspicioned of being were-wolves were crucified or broken on the wheel after first being flayed alive by the superstitious executors, who were in search of the supposed hairy insides.—St. Louis Republic.

Unistatians.

A writer has invented the word "Unistatians," which he applies to the people of the United States. He objects to the word "Americans." But it is too late. The people of the United States have monopolized the name of the continent, and are known all over the world as Americans. The people of Mexico are content to be known as Mexicans, and the people of Canada ought to be content with the word Canadians. Let the Yankees continue to be Americans—Canadians is a good enough name for the people of this great and glorious country.—Hamilton (Ont.) Spectator.

Crackers Are in Demand.

"We can't get them fast enough," says the grocer as the man called for zephyrettes and went out. "We have to put in orders a week in advance, and they say that the big concern in Massachusetts where they bake them can't begin to keep up with the demand."

"What makes the call?"

"I don't know, except that they have caught on. They are just salt enough to catch the fancy and fresh and crisp enough to make a man eat them in defiance of his waning appetite."—Lewiston Journal.

A Possible Explanation.

Anxious Mother—Don't you know that George Washington never, never told a lie?

Sinful Boy—Maybe his mamma didn't care how much cakes and jam he took, and he wasn't afraid to tell her.—New York Weekly.

A Good Breeze for a Sail.

"Well, Willie, I hear there was quite a breeze at your house when your mother found out that you had been sailing again."

Willie—Yes, a spanking breeze.—Boston Times.

The Public Library of Minneapolis has a mummy. A year ago when Miss Amelia B. Edwards, the lecturer on Egyptian antiquities, was in the city, she was requested to examine the remains of the ancient Egyptian and decide upon its sex. Her observations were limited to the exterior emblems, but she was quite positive that the body was that of a woman, Amenhotep by name, and gave a translation of the inscription on the wrapping. A few days ago the outer integuments were removed, when it was discovered that the mummy had been in life a man above the average size, with powerful hands and a wonderful frame.

A citizen of St. Louis makes a good living by renting turtles to restaurants for advertising purposes. He gets $2 per day for each, and they are always in demand. They are left outside the door on the day before turtle soup is served, and create a run the next day for the soup, but they are not in it.

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AN APPEAL

To his Honor, the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen.

An appeal to grant no license to a criminal, directly or indirectly.

The matter of granting licenses is entirely in the hands of the Aldermen.

A "yes" vote gives the power to license or not as they see fit. The Public Statutes Chapter 102, Section 24, say: 'Nothing contained in the chapter shall be construed to require the Mayor and Aldermen or Selectmen to grant either of the licenses aforesaid (that is innholders and common victualler) when in their opinion the public good does not require it.'

"Chapter 323, Acts of 1887, Section 8, say: 'The Mayor and Aldermen or the Selectmen may at any time refuse to issue a license to a person whom they deem unfit to receive the same. But nothing herein shall be so construed as to compel said Mayor and Aldermen or Selectmen to grant licenses.' Public Statutes, Chapter 100, Section 18, say: 'A licensed person who violates any provision of his license shall, in addition to said penalties, forfeit his license and be disqualified to hold a license for the period of one year, after his conviction and if the licensee is the owner of said premises, no licenses shall be exercised on the same premises described in the forfeited license during the residue of the term thereof.'

We see by the above that the man who has violated any provision of his license is disqualified to hold a license and is not a man who sells liquor with out a license ten times more a criminal? for he spurns the law and defies the will of the majority. Mr. J. K. Greene, a prominent lawyer of Worcester, who is president of the Law and Order League and has given a great deal of time and attention to this question has written me the following.

"1st. The Aldermen are under no legal obligation to grant licenses because the Statutes expressly declare that nothing in the statutes shall compel them to grant licenses (see chapter 100 sec. 8.)

2nd. They are under no moral obligation because the statutes leave the granting of licenses when the city votes "yes" entirely to the judgment of the Aldermen and they are under solemn obligation to discharge their duties for the best inserests of the city and if they believe that the best interests of the city are served by no license it would be a breach of their oath of office to vote for a license. I don't see how an alderman, who believes that a saloon is a curse to the community can vote for a license any more conscientiously than he could vote to put a cesspool in his neighbors front yard."

Have also just reserved the following statement from Mr. Walter Adams of South Framingham, who has been Chairman of the Board of Selectmen for many years and is a prominent Democratic lawyer.

In 1888, the town voted "license." Of the five Selectmen two voted "license" and two "no license." I was Chairman and had the vote which must settle the matter. I voted "no license' and the matter was settled for that year. In taking this course the third Selectman who voted "no license" did so under the provision of Sec. 8 of Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes." This section I have given above.

Mr. David J. Robinson, Ex-Mayor of Gloucester who refused to sign licenses, writes:

GLOUCESTER, MASS., April 3, 1891.

It would take me some time to state on paper my views on the "No License" question, but I will, very briefly, at your request, give a few of the many reasons why I took so decided a stand and am at variance with the views of many who claim to be temperance men:

First—I believe the liquor traffic to be morally wrong, and as such any amount of legislation in regard to authorizing or licensing, does not make it morally right; legalizing a wrong, cannot change its moral effects; and the man who sells intoxicating liquors under a license is just as guilty of violating the laws of God as one who sells in violation of the Public Statutes.

Second—I believe one in authority who places his name to a license which authorized a wrong and by authority of his name makes it legal, becomes himself morally responsible for all of the misery and woe that follows for without his name the wrong is not legalized with it the law of God is set at naught and the person conferring authority largely responsible.

Third—I believe the law which compels the signing of a license as well as the law legalizing the traffic unconstitutional.

What right has the State to make a law legalizing a wrong and then compelling one in authority to place his official signature to a document to give authority and character to the wrong?

In all else this becomes discretionary on the part of every executive. He can refuse to sign any act made by the body over which he exercises authority by giving his reasons therefor and if it afterwards becomes a law, it is without his official sanction.

In the matter of the liquor law only is he deprived of his veto power.

Fourth—There is a higher law a violation of which makes us guilty. Ye ought to obey God rather than man.

Dear Brother Montgomery: I will not be more lengthy; my argument is not to those who believe that liquor selling is right but to those who realize that they must give an account at the bar of God: to those I say beware of every act, word or vote in which the moral law of God is set at defiance.

Hoping for the success of no license, I am

Yours Faithfully,
DAVID J. ROBINSON.

Every license issued to liquor dealers in this city contains the following restrictions.

"First—That the provisions in regard to this license, and the building in which the business may be carried on under it, shall be *strictly adhered to*.

"Second—That *no sale* of spirituous or intoxicating liquor shall be made between the hours of *eleven at night and six in the morning: nor during the Lord's Day*, except that, if the licensee is also licensed as an innholder, he may supply such liquor to guests who have resorted to his house for food or lodging.

"Third—That no liquor except such as is of *good standard quality* and free from adulteration, shall be kept or sold on the promises described in this license.

"Fourth—That *no sale or delivery* of liquor shall be made on the premises described in this license to a *person known to be a drunkard*, to an *intoxicated person*, or to a person who is known to have been intoxicated within the six months next preceeding, or to a *minor* either for his own use, the use of his *parent* or of any *other person* or to a person known to have been supported in whole or in part by public charity, at any time during the twelve months next preceeding the date of the license.

"Fifth—That there shall be no disorder, indecency, prostitution, lewdness, or illegal gaming on the premises connected there with by any interior communications, and that the licensee *shall not keep a public bar*, and shall hold a license as an innholder or common victualler.

"Sixth—That this license or a copy thereof, certified by the City Clerk, shall be displayed on the premises, in a conspicuous position, where it can easily be read.

"Seventh—That the licensee, who is also licensed as a common victualler, shall not sell, give away or deliver, on the licensed premises, any intoxicating liquors on the day when any National, State or Municipal election is held in in said city of Woburn, and that the licensee, who is also licensed as an innholder, shall not, on the day of any such election, sell, give away or delive", in his inn, any intoxicating liquors except to gnests duly registered.

"Eighth—This license shall be subject to a forfeiture, as provided in Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, for breach of any of its conditions; and in case the licensee is convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction of having violated any of such conditions, his license shall thereupon become void.

"The said Board shall require licenses to close permanently all entrances to the licensed premises other than those from the public street or streets upon which such premises are situated, and also, to remove any screen, blind, shutter, curtain, partition, painted, ground, or stained glass window or any obstacle which may interfere with the licensed premises."

Does any fair minded Aldermen, under oath, think that any man is going to pay $1800 for the privilege of being bound by such restrictions.

If the applicant for license had the least idea that the Aldermen meant to enforce the law he wouldn't give ten dollars for a license.

The following object lesson may be of service to the Aldermen in showing the absurdity of granting licenses to well known criminals.

SALE OF LIQUOR LICENSED—THE LAW AS IT IS.

In a city which at its annual municipal election votes to authorize the granting of license for the sale of intoxicating liquors * * licenses * * may be granted annually by the Mayor and Aldermen to persons applying therefor. (Pub. St. chap. 100, § 5.)

Nine hundred and ninety-nine persons in every thousand are hereby absolutely prohibited from stealing; but if the town or city shall vote to license stealing, then the thousandth person shall be licensed to steal for one year from the first day of the following May.

In all towns and cities which vote to grant licenses, the number of places licensed for the sale of such liquors shall not exceed one for each one thousand of the population. (Statute 1888, ch. 340.)

The Mayor and Aldermen, may at any time refuse to issue a license to a person whom they deem unfit to receive the same (Pub. St. ch. 100, § 8.)

Every person licensed to steal shall be of strict integrity and unquestioned honesty.

Each license of the first, second and third classes shall be subject to the condition that the licensee shall hold a license as an innholder or common victualler. (Pub. St. ch. 100, § 9, clause 5.)

No sale of spirituous or intoxicating liquors shall be made between the hours of eleven at night and six in the morning, nor during the Lord's day. (Idem. clause 2.)

He shall not steal after eleven o'clock at night nor before six in the morning, nor on Sunday.

No sale or delivery of liquor shall be made to a person known to be a drunkard, to an intoxicated person or to a minor. (Idem. clause 4.)

He shall not steal from minors or from persons from whom his associates in crime have already stolen during the day.

Any common victaller having a license to sell intoxicating liquors who shall sell, give away or deliver any of such liquors on Fast Day, on Memorial Day, or Thanksgiving Day, or Christmas Day, shall be liable to the penalty prescribed in Section 18 of chapter 100. (St. 1888, capt.

He shall not steal on legal holidays, except on Washington's birthday and the 4th of July.

The fees for license shall be, for a license of the first class, not less than one thousand dollars. (Stat. 1888. ch. 341.

As a part compensation for the proverty, wretchedness and misery he causes by his stealing, he shall pay one thousand dollars annually to the City Treasury.

It is well understoon that some who have applied for licenses are the agents of the former criminals liquor dealers who dare not apply themselves for licenses but as is reported are to furnish their agents with the capital to carry on the business.

Therefore, we ask the Board of Aldermen before they grant a license to carefully inquire into the facts in these cases.

In order that you and the public may be rightly informed as to those who have been convicted since May 1, 1890 to March 21, 1891. I give the following names convicted from May 1, 1890 to March 21, 1891: James H. Burke, John A. Doherty, Patrick Lynch, Peter Lafferty, Annie Marlow, James McGaffigan, Bernard E. Devlin, George E. Mitchell, John F. Nason, Michael Reddy, Michael Maloney, Bridget Callahan, William E. Graney, Hugh McCall, Warren C. Perrigo, James McGaffigan, Joseph A. McMullin, Warren C. Perrigo, Catherine Meehan, Owen H. O'Rourke, James H. Burke, John H. Garvey, Owen H. O'Rourke, William McDonough, Patrick F. Kerrigan, William A. Granfield.

Now I give the names of those who have applied for licenses: John McGovern, Peter Kenney, Thomas Moore, Samuel D. Thompson, John Connolly, John Maloney, Lawrence Martin, McNulty & McLaughlin, Meehan & Mahuire, John F. Scally, Thomas McGovern, Patrick F. Kerrigan, Michael Clancy, Michael Reddy, John B. Dever, Bernard F. Ferrin, Bernard McHugh, Anthony A. Doherty, John Shinkwin, Thomas Merriam, John N. Garvey.

Public Statute, Chapter 100, Section 7. "The owner of any real estate adjoining the premises described in the application for license may object to his having a license. If in case such license is granted after such objection has been filed, the license may be revoked by any Justice of the Peace." (Read the section and it will explain itself.)

We appeal to the Aldermen of the City of Woburn in behalf of the families that must suffer if licenses are granted. Manhood, health, happiness, comfort, sustenance, labor, money, peace, and good order must yield to the saloon. The liquor men have become thoroughly organized to perpetuate their infernal business and ask you to protect them by law at the same time defying all law. So we ask you for a manly and faithful defense against the saloon. The drunken howls that have come from the licensed bar-rooms in Woburn were enough to smother the songs, prayers, sermons and the benidictions of all the churches. No brush, pen or tongue save that of an Archangel can depict the reality. Gentlemen, I know it will take time, tact, nerve, brain and common sense, and a self-sacrificing spirit on your part to grant licenses strictly according to law. Therefore, we ask you to follow the spirit and letter of the law independendent of party or creed.

Yours for Suffering Humanity,
HUGH MONTGOMERY.

April 6, 1891.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters curee him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

The spire of St. Helen's Church in the Isle of Wight, which was built in the beginning of the last Century and shortly afterward struck by lightning, had, as was supposed, the large bell of its chime cracked as the tone was very much muffled. The other day, a church warden named Calloway happened to be in the belfry and through curiosity examined the bell. He found that there was no crack in it, but a piece of wood broken from the wheel was pressing against the edge and stopping the vibration. This being removed, the bell, after being muffled for 170 years, rang out merrily, to the astonishment of the inhabitants of the town.

Thousands Poisoned.

In a recent work on Heart Disease, Dr. Franklin Miles—the noted specialist—gives many new and startling facts. Thousands of people are slowly poisoning themselves, weakening their hearts by the use of tea, coffee, tobacco and alcohol. These are Heart Whips, causing it to beat rapidly, thus gradually wearing it out, producing shortness of breath when exercising, pains in side and shoulder, hungry and faint spells. Finally heart failure and sudden death. For weakened and irritated hearts the press everywhere highly recommend the New Heart Cure discovered by Dr. Franklin Miles, which is for sale by Charles H. Buss.

A Brooklyn policeman at the big bridge who keeps his pockets full of matches for the accommodation of smokers, distributes his favors with great discrimination. A man with an unlighted cigarette is rebuffed by him with a gruff "No, sir." A man with an unlighted cigar is answered with a "Certainly, sir," and a match. A pedestrian with an unlighted pipe gets a warm "With pleasure, sir," and half a dozen matches if he wishes them.

Everybody Knows

That at this season the blood is filled with impurities, the accumulation of months of close confinement in poorly ventilated stores, workshops and tenements. All these impurities and every trace of scrofula, salt rheum, or other diseases may be expelled by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier ever produced. It is the only medicine of which "100 doses one dollar" is true.

J. C. Carney and wife of San Diego, Cal., arrived as far as St. Louis, last week on their bridal tour to the East. Near the latter city the husband kissed his wife on the train, when she got mad and refused to go any further with him. He held her trunks and she sued out a writ of replevin. When the constable came to serve the writ Mr. Carney looked so disconsolate that the foolish wife relented, kissed him and then accompanied him to a hotel.

To My Friends.

As you are well aware that I would not recommend that which I did not believe to be good, I desire to say to all who need a good, reliable, family medicine, that I believe one bottle of Sulphur Bitters will do you more good than any other remedy I ever saw.—REV. CEPHAS SOULE.

Gen. Greely, Chief Signal officer, says the popular belief that when a storm clears up in the evening foul weather will again occur very soon, is altogether without foundation. That the weather frequently acts in this way is undoubtedly true, but it may be a mere coincidence.

Fortunate Father and Son.

"I am as certain as I now live," says C. E. Bartholomew, of Kalkaska, Mich., "that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy saved my life when I was a victim of Bright's Disease. My son had a fever sore on his leg. He, too, used Favorite Remedy and is now well. But for this medicine I am sure both father and son would have been six feet under the sod."

In the proceedings of the Royal Geographical Society for January, 1891, it is estimated that the population of the world in 1890 was 1,487,600,000, representing an average of 31 to the square mile, and an increase of 8 per cent during the decade.

Despite the very best attention bestowed upon the baby, it will grow sick and troublesome by reason of colic, diarrhœa, teething, etc. Do not fail, then, to use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Price 25 cents.

A bad case of catarrh or influenza will always yield to the mild curative qualities of Old Saul's Catarrh Cure. Price only 25c.

An acute observer remarked recently that, according to his observation, there are in the ordinary pastorate three well defined periods. In the first the pastor is idolized; in the second he is criticised; in the third he is cauterized.

Spring Style Hats
— AT —
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All the nobby and staple shapes in MEN'S and BOYS' DERBY and SOFT HATS, made expressly for us, are now ready. Please come and see the largest stock ever shown in this vicinity. We will give you the best hat for the least money.

C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Prince Bismarck has bought a newspaper.

The Queen of Denmark is a fine pianist.

New York will hold an eight-hour conference.

Jersey City Heights, N. J., has a workmen's free school.

Carriagemakers and wheelwrights will form a national body.

The Sultan of Turkey is deeply interested in the World's Fair.

The Greensburg (Penn.) coke strike in ten days cost a half million.

Pittsburg's builders' society talks of working with the men's unions.

New York Government laborers recently struck against nine hours.

The Operative Painters' Union, of New York, was organized in 1842.

The Flint Glass Workers' Union has 7000 members and $90,000 in bank.

A bill preventing the employment of persons under fourteen years passed in Ohio.

The Lehigh (Penn) Iron Company has reduced the wages of its employes ten per cent.

A bill before the Massachusetts Legislature fixes the number of cars for each brakeman.

Queen Liliuokalani, who succeeds Kalakaua on the Hawaiian throne, is fifty-two years old.

General Mahone is preparing to build a town at the mouth of Cove Creek in Tazewell County, Va.

The Knights of Labor decided to send $75,000 to the 20,000 locked out clothing workers at Rochester.

John D. Rockefeller, of the Standard Oil Company, has given nearly $2,000,000 to educational institutions.

The strikers in the coke region of Pennsylvania have been defeated, after sacrificing nearly $1,000,000 in wages.

The Lords of the Admiralty have granted an increase of wages to employes in the Government dock yards in England.

In England, the average annual production of each employe is $496, of which the laborer receives $296 and capital $200.

Over 260,000 miners, metal workers, and other organized workmen will strike in Belgium on May 1 to gain the eight-hour workday.

George Francis Train, of New York is as agile and muscular as he was twenty years ago, and walks with the same brisk energy.

In France a medical man cannot be compelled to divulge, even in a court of law, the nature of the disease for which he has treated a patient.

There are about six hundred woman typesetters in New York. They are employed chiefly in the publishing houses and on the afternoon papers.

Fifteen conductors on the Michigan Central Railroad have lost their places by showing sympathy for penniless unfortunates, who turned out to be "spotters."

Where are those excellent individuals who were so cock-sure four months ago that Mayor Matthews had sufficient backbone to withstand the hungry and thirsty Democratic politicians?

The city election in Chicago takes place on Tuesday of next week. There are five candidates for Mayor, and the Democracy is badly split up by the rival ambitions of Mayor Cregier and ex-Mayor Harrison.

The bill to permit the purchase of new machinery for use in the State Prison, reformatories and Houses of Correction is so reasonable that the only surprising thing is that any legislation should be necessary.

Mr. Isaac Fenno has every qualification for the duties of a Park Commissioner. There was only one objection to him, and that is that his place was wanted for a Democrat. But an objection of this kind is apparently all-potent under the present municipal administration.

THE ENGINEER'S DOG.

It Was Slide's Canine Instinct That Prevented a Railroad Wreck.

"Yes, sir," remarked the gray haired gentleman with a slight tremor in his voice, "I have given up railroading now, having become a little bit too far advanced upon the road of life to sit in a cab and make a locomotive move. Oh! you want to know about that dog of mine. All right. I used to run into Chicago on the Lake Shore on old 432. That dog never missed a trip over the road with me, and I owe my life to him upon more than one occasion. His name's 'Slide,' not of 'Slide, Kelly, slide!' fame, however. I'd go down to the roundhouse and see my old girl run out, and then monkey about her to see that nothing was out of whack until it was time to start.

"Right at the hour Slide could be seen coming down the street with my dinner basket in his old mouth. When it became time to start I'd give the whistle a chance, and Slide would be on board in the cab beside me. That dog never would walk. He was too blooded for that. It became no trick at all for him to climb out on the foot board, run along and jump down on the pilot, get up again on the other side and walk into the other window. Whenever we got to New York Slide would go down and ride into town, big as life, on the cow catcher. I even taught him to pull the whistle cord whenever I commanded. Everybody along the line knew him. When I got down to oil my wheels he would always follow and watch to see that no kids jumped on the locomotive.

"I remember distinctly one stormy night as I was approaching Chicago. There was a tremendous tempest on the lake, for I could hear the dull roar of the waves beat upon the shore. I had to lay upon a siding and wait for orders to pull in over any one of the fifty tracks that spread out near the city. There was a little telegraph station a few rods away from where I lay. Orders were confidently expected in a few minutes, but they did not come. My fireman and I got lonely sitting out there in the driving rain, and not even distinguishing each other's voices in the din. I remember Tom yelling "it'll be a hard time out on the lake to-night," and then the light came from the station bobbing up and down, and someone came hurrying up and gave me the written orders to proceed over the last track to one of the stations on the outskirts of the city and lay there until a special had passed.

"Well, the brakeman got down to throw the switch, when Slide made a bee line out of the cab and flew at the fellow as though he had gone crazy and back. Why, he simply tore sounds into shreds. He jumped at the fellow every time he made a movement for the switch. He would crouch down and beg and whine terribly.

"'Say, Charley, I won't touch that switch,' the brakey said as he walked toward me with a white face. 'There's something gone wrong, and I know it,' he went on. At first I laughed, but gradually something strange came over me suddenly. I could feel the warm perspiration trickling down my backbone. The conductor got impatient and yelled to us to pull out. The brakeman started back to throw the switch again, but, sir, the dog displayed the same tactics and even bit the brakeman's hands. Just then there was a sudden lull in the storm. The most mournful howl I ever heard came from that animal.

"'My God, look!' cried the brakeman, pointing up the track. Both of us sprung to our posts and peered toward Chicago. A great red light came like a flash out of the inky blackness and the special rushed past us like a whirlwind and was gone.

"Four white faces looked into one another

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE GYPSY MOTH.

Since Gov. Russell has made up his mind to deal heroically with the Gypsy Moth Winchester and other towns adjacent to Medford breathe easier. For two or three years past the liability of the pestiferous exotic to invade the Mystic Valley has kept the people there in an almost constant state of alarm; but now that the Governor has placed the task of annihilating the creature into the hands of a new and more vigorous Commission with the assurance that civil and, if necessary, military aid from the Commonwealth will be furnished to protect the land from the ravages of the devouring insect, our good neighbors at Winchester and Arlington go to bed nights with a feeling of safety that has been a stranger to their bosoms ever since the startling discovery was made by eminent Boston Bugologists that Medford was in the jaws of the insatiate monster.

We congratulate them.

A ROW OVER THE LICENSES.

Common report has it that all is not harmony in the city government over the question of granting liquor licenses. It is said that Mayor Bean has several particular friends to whom he promised permits to sell rum in return for value received in the campaign last December; and that his three Aldermanic coworkers also have made like promises to sundry persons; likewise that the four anti-Mayor Aldermen have scattered assurances of the same nature right and left among their supporters and strikers.

Now the trouble is, there are not enough appointments to go around and somebody has got to go back on his word. The Mayor however has the whip-row of the others and if he plays his little game shrewdly his friends will be likely to get their licenses. But the Aldermen have a sharp eye on his movements.

A NOTABLE REUNION.

In another column of the JOURNAL may be seen a notice for a meeting of the Anti-Slavery Veterans of 1848-65 who helped organize the Republican party in 1854, to be held at Tremont Temple in Boston on April 15.

If generally attended, as no doubt it will be, the meeting cannot fail to be one of more than ordinary interest.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

W. H. A. W.—Fair.
W. N. Blake—Notice.
M. C. Davis—Concert.
C. D. Adams—To Let.
K. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
F. A. Loring—For Sale.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
L. G. Waldon—Tailoring.
J. S. Wheeler—For Sale.
C. E. Smith—Wall Paper.
N. M. Maxwell—Opening.
C. E. Smith—"No Strike."
62 Mt. Pleasant St.—For Sale.
Johnson & G.—Windsor Hotel.
N. W. Ayer & Son—None Such.
City of Woburn—App. for License.

Job Work.

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— Read "To Let" by Judge Adams.

— Yesterday was a shade more like spring.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe sets forth the attractions at his store in a new advertisement.

— Mr. J. S. Wheeler advertises a foot-power lathe for sale.

— Please glance at the change in the card of G. R. Gage & Co.

— Call at 62 Mt. Pleasant street and buy a Goddard buggy cheap.

— Lots of fun for the children in Mrs. Lamb's entertainment Thursday afternoon.

— Mrs. Orenda T. Adams met with a fall on Franklin St. last Sunday and broke her thigh.

— Mr. Peter Kenney has been confined to his house several weeks by illness. He is improving.

— Mr. E. C. Cottle is connecting his leather establishment with the main railroad track by a spur.

— Children, go to Hammond's and get tickets to sell for the H. A. W. Fair. You get one for selling ten.

— The baseball fever is now at its height in this city. Several Nines are possible, and more than one probable.

— Rev. Mr. Parker will preach at the Old Ladies' Home at the North Village at 3 o'clock next Sunday afternoon.

Forty-seven years ago today Watt Brown, the gateman at Church Avenue, went to work for the Lowell railroad. —*Boston Paper.* 57, if you please.

— The journeymen painters of this city are out on a strike to secure $2.50 a day. It is thought that matters will be amicably settled by the bosses and men.

— Mr. James Doherty, son-in-law of Mr. M. McKay of Chestnut st., has bought a fine residence at Somerville.

— Mr. John Gilcreast, Superintendent of the Woburn Gaslight Co., has had a severe attack of plurisy but is now much better.

— Auctioneer Gregory is making business in real estate go lively. Last Saturday he sold the Carrie R. Richardson property on Vining Court at a good figure.

— Yesterday afternoon we received a call from Mr. A. L. Smith, member of the Manchester (N. H.) *Union* Editorial Staff and formerly a resident of Woburn.

— A servant girl in a family in Winn street left home on Fast Day since which nothing has been heard from her. Her family are greatly worried about her.

— Let every one get their supper at Music Hall on the evenings of Wednesday and Thursday, April 15 and 16.

— The next meeting of the W. W. C. will be held in Music Hall, on Friday, April 17, at 3 P. M. Mrs. Livermore will address the Club on "Unmarried Women."

— Lambeth's celebrated Scotch choir will give a grand concert in Lyceum Hall on the evening of April 15, under the auspices of Clan MacKinnon, O. S. C. It will be a fine one.

— Next Sunday at the new Methodist Church the following music will be rendered by the Organist:

Prelude.	Hymne a Sainte Cecile.	Gounod.
Offertory.	I waited for the Lord.	Mendelssohn
Postlude.	Gloria Patri.	Barnby.

— In the list of applicants for licenses published in this paper there are several people who have been convicted of illegal rumselling. Let us watch and see if any of them get licenses this time.

— Mr. Curtis Greenwood who has not been well for several months but had so far recovered as to be able to attend to his business, has experienced a severe relapse and is now confined to his bed.

— Pastor Washburn of the First Congregational Church at Falmouth, formerly of the No. Woburn Congregational church, sent to this office a neat programme of Easter services at his church.

— The Phalanx passed a very creditable inspection last Friday evening by Col. Keeler of the Governor's Staff and Major Whitney and Adjt. Bullard. More of the members ought have answered roll-call.

— A young man by the name of Currier was buried in a gravel pit near the Maverick Co's oil tank at Montvale last Friday, and although taken out alive soon after the accident, yet he died on Saturday.

— A promising revival of religion is in progress at the First Baptist church in this city. The evening meetings are largely attended and at each numbers occupy the anxious seats and many are converted.

— Mr. L. G. Waldon, merchant tailor, has an advertisement in this paper to which we call attention. He has been in business here a few months and those who have employed him speak well of his work.

— Miss Fannie T. Hartwell has left Rock Ledge, Florida, where she has been visiting her uncle's family, and after going to Jacksonville, St. Augustine and some other places of interest will return to her home in this city.

— The Board of Cemetery Commissioners met in Municipal Building last Monday and organized for 1891 as follows: Chairman, Judge P. L. Converse; Secretary, Mr. John Ferguson; Superintendent, Mr. L. L. Whitney.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery is attending the North Boston M. E. yearly conference in Boston this week. It is understood that, in compliance with the wishes of his church people, he will be reappointed to the church in this city.

— Miss Georgie Rogers, daughter of Mr. Geo. R. Rogers, was given a surprise and a beautiful gold ring by her school mates at her home on Mt. Pleasant last Saturday evening. It was not only a complete surprise but a very pleasant affair.

— Mr. John C. Andrews has taken an agency for a book binding firm in Boston and is ready to receive orders. Drop a postal addressed to 62 Prospect street and he will call with samples of binding and give prices. The work is guaranteed to be first class.

— Last Saturday Edward W. Packard, aged 22 years, who was married last New Year's, died suddenly in Charles Taylor's barn where he had been taken by his fellow workmen in a field near by when very suddenly attacked by the fatal disease.

— The ball given by Nahmeokee Council, D. of P., last week Thursday evening was a gay affair. The floor managers were Frank Meuchin, assisted by A. T. Webber, D. K. Colegate, A. U. Dixon, S. M. Brittan. Conductor O. J. Hart was in his glory.

— The great auction sale of horses and carriages at the Central House Stables to-morrow, Saturday, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, will no doubt attract a big crowd of buyers It will be one of the largest and most important sales that has taken place in Woburn for years.

— Mr. Thomas Todd, who 30 years or more ago was a respected resident of Pleasant st., Woburn, died last week at the home of Mr. Isaac Sears in Brookline at the ripe age of over 80 years. Mr. Frederic A. Flint of this city attended the funeral in Brookline last Monday afternoon.

— If people would study the practical workings of the McKinley tariff bill they should step into the Boston Branch and buy 20 lbs. of sugar for $1.00. Before the bill went into effect on April 1, they would have got 14 lbs. for their dollar. The McKinley bill isn't very bad to take, is it?

— Mrs. Hannah Richardson, relict of the late Gilbert Richardson, died last Monday at the advanced age of 91 years. Her home was in Winchester very near the Woburn line and there the most of her quiet and happy life was passed. She was the mother of the wife of Organist Clarke.

— The names of the officers of the Woburn Retail Grocers Association are: President, Thomas J. White; Vice President, John Maloney; Secretary, Charles T. Dearborn; Treasurer, William H. Curtis; Executive Committee, John Cummings, 2d, Thomas Salmon, Frederick E. Perkins.

— There is no strike at C. E. Smith's. He has 8 good jour painters at work for him and is not only doing a big stroke of work but is ready to contract for inside and outside painting and decorating at the lowest figures. Among other jobs he is painting Judge Converse's fine residence just now.

— Capt. J. Henry Simonds will soon move his paper, *The Upholsterer*, to New York City, where it will be published in the future. Capt. Symonds established the paper in Boston 21 years ago next month and has made a marked success of it in every way. His family will remain in this city for the present.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church in this city, has an article on the first page of the JOURNAL, to which we call attention, more particularly that of the City government. He is waging hot warfare against licensing people to sell rum in this community, for which he deserves the thanks of all decent people.

— We were asked to give notice in the last issue of the JOURNAL that a Republican meeting would be held on Saturday evening at Concert Hall for the transaction of special business. The meeting was appointed for Monday evening instead of the preceeding Saturday evening, but it was no fault of ours that the error in the published date was made.

— By special request the charming Operetta, "Gyp Jr.," successfully presented in Woburn last year, will be given in G. A. R. Hall, Winchester, Tuesday evening, April 28, 1891, under the management of Mrs. Annie E. Strout. A selected and trained chorus of attractively costumed children with violin solos, duets, etc., with cornet and piano accompaniments make pleasing music.

— The 76th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Julia Wendall of 16 Charles St., was observed in a pleasant manner by many of her numerous friends at her home. It was a complete surprise to the venerable lady but none the less welcome and agreeable on that account. Many valuable takens of love and esteem were presented to Mrs. Wendall by members of the party.

— Mrs. N. M. Maxwell's Spring Millinery Opening will take place on Thursday and Friday, April 16 and 17, at her elegant parlors, No. 419 Main street, recently occupied by Mrs. Packard. She has beautiful goods this spring. Her bonnets, hats, ribbons, laces, feathers, etc., are all of the very latest styles and as rich as anything that can be found in Boston. Please bear in mind the date of the grand opening.

— The prospect now is that, on the score of numbers present, Miss Mabel Davis's concert, "Il Trovatore," is going to be a big thing. Musically—why, it goes without saying that it will be choice. Please observe the names of the musicians who will participate in it and then say whether you think it will be a success or not. Tickets are for sale at J. W. Hammond & Son's. For further particulars see announcement in another column.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made big hauls of contraband rum last Sunday. When the vessels containing the "stuff" were carted through the street they made quite a show. The places where liquors were seized were: Dennis E. Callahan, 97 Prospect st., beer; Patrick Lynch, 7 Albany st., 12 cases lager beer; James McKitrick, 13 Arlington st., barrel ale; Michael J. McHugh, 26 James st., barrel beer and one gallon whiskey; Frank Winn, 26 Richardson st., barrel beer; Annie Gilgun, Canal st., barrel beer; John H. Garvey, 39 Main st., small quantity beer, and Dennis McGrath, 34 Main st., three barrels of beer.

— Last Friday Mr. Thomas H. Marrinan, the cornetist, met with an accident at Moseley's tannery in Winchester which will lay him up for some weeks. At that time and place he was assisting in lowering a piece of machinery which weighed 1600 pounds when it suddenly swung back and caught his right hand, producing a compound fracture and dislocation of one finger and a severe bruising of another. It is feared that the fracture of the finger may disqualify Mr. Marrinan for future service as a cornetist and perhaps as a band-leader, although it is hoped not. Dr. Murphy was called and dressed the wounded hand.

— Mr. L. W. Cooper is in town today. He says that his claim against the city of Woburn has not been disallowed, as recently reported. The whole bill amounted to only $6 for "medical supplies, soda, cigars, etc.," caused by neglect of the Superintendent of Streets, and the only hitch comes in the fact that the Superintendent objects to the "and so forth" clause, but it will probably be settled.—*Taunton Gazette.* It is understood that the Superintendent of Streets intends to look into this business more carefully after he gets through with his spring's work. Then if he finds it all straight and right he will O. K. it. But before he does this he says he has got to have more light on "medical supplies, soda, cigars, etc." than he now has.

— The City Reports for 1890 are in great demand at Municipal Building principally on account of the Appendix which contains the full recorded list of marriages which took place in Woburn from its settlement to 1873, prepared by Judge E. F. Johnson, by whom also were the lists of Births and Deaths during the same period wrought off and arranged. The three lists, so carefully and conscientiously prepared by Judge Johnson, make a very valuable addition to the already published history of the town. It was a work of love and pride by him, for which he well deserves the hearty thanks of the people of Woburn, especially of the descendants of the original settlers of the town among whom Judge Johnson is a worthy example.

— Ivory G. Kimball, Esq., whom President Harrison has just appointed to a seat on the Police Court Bench of Washington, D. C., is a highly esteemed resident of that city and a member of the Bar of more than 20 years standing. As a lawyer he has a record for ability and personal and professional integrity second to no practitioner in the Court of Claims or the U. S. Supreme Judicial Court—the arena of a large share of his legal practice. Judge Kimball was born at Jay, Maine, 48 years ago, his father being a brother of Mr. George W. Kimball of this city, Mr. William Kimball of Wilton, N. H., and of the late Israel Kimball of Washington, who was the acknowledged father of the Internal Revenue System adopted as a War measure in the early days of the Rebellion. These Kimballs—10 boys of them—were natives of Wells, York County, Maine, and one of them was the father of the new Judge of the Washington Police Court. They were an intelligent and highly respectable family, and nobody ever saw a person with any of the Kimball blood in his or her veins that was not honest.

— The new lessees and managers of Windsor Hotel in this city are Johnson & Gavin, recently from Concord, N. H. They are experienced people in the business and propose to conduct the Windsor in such a manner that it will recommend itself and attract a liberal share of public patronage. The house has been renovated, cleansed and put into firstclass order from underpinning to collarbeam; new furniture, carpets, etc., have been supplied throughout; improvements of utility have been made; so that in the future the Windsor will be second to no hotel in Middlesex county in the completeness of its appointments, its table supplies and service, and its accommodations. Johnson & Gavin will open the house to-morrow, Saturday, to transient custom and permanent boarders.

— If anyone doubts the fact that the present city government has lucid intervals (more or less remote from each other) he or she is respectfully referred to the reappointment of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan W. Brown as Master and Matron of the City Almshouse last week. That certainly was a sensible thing to do and militates strongly against an opinion which prevails in some circles to the effect that the present administration, owing to internal dissensions, is a failure. It would be a difficult matter to fill the shoes of Master and Matron Brown and very wisely, everybody will say, the "powers that be" made no move to supplant these excellent managers of our Almshouse and its inmates. They have served Woburn long, faithfully and profitably for the town in their present capacity, and it will be for the public interests to keep them where they are.

— Judging from the number of published applications for license in this city this spring rumselling must be a profitable trade, or at least it is thought to be so by a good many people. We do not think it is a profitable trade, and when the rumseller comes to the point where he has got to give a true account of "deeds done in the body" and to receive his reward for the same we have an idea that he will agree with the JOURNAL in thinking there isn't much profit to be got out of the nefarious traffic in a commodity the use of which destroys body and soul. And when it is remembered that money got by selling rum is almost always certain to prove a curse to the seller or his family or both; that it seldom "sticks" but "takes wings" and leaves behind it something worse than poverty; that as a rule rumsellers get a share of their just deserts in this life—when these and kindred facts are taken into consideration rumselling don't seem to be such a very profitable trade in the end as many men take it to be.

— Let no one fail to hear the new Mayor's opening address at the "Managers Reception" Wednesday evening.

Woman's Club.

On Friday afternoon, April 3, Miss Sibylla A. Bailey of Boston lectured before the Woburn Woman's Club on "The History of Music," illustrating her thoughts by recitations on the piano. She traced the history of music from the early ages, long before the advent of Christ, to the present time, interspersing her remarks with tales of the influence the gods of mythology were said to have had on the birth and growth of music. Beginning with the Egyptians, whose musical record is of much greater antiquity than that of other people's, Miss Bailey sketched the development of the art of music and the construction of musical instruments by the Hebrew, Chinese, Hindoo, Siamese, Grecian, Turkish and Roman nations. The Romans invented no musical instruments, but they readily adopted those of other nations, receiving a knowledge of music from their foreign captives. In Italy the art of music increased steadily.

Guido, the eminent Italian musician and ecclesiastic, was the inventor of the modern system of notation in music; and he taught the use of thirds and spaces. Italy can proudly claim that great composer of modern times—Rossini. The world is largely indebted to Christian monks for the growth of religious music and the chant; and through them music was introduced into England.

The first regular church choir was established by Constantine in Antioch.

In England the art of music passed through many changes advancing steadily and during the reign of Elizabeth modern church music was invented and systematized and Oratorio was first composed.

During the reign of Charles II. of England the Violin was invented; this advance was checked during the Protectorate when all the arts were more or less neglected.

In France, in Charlemagne's reign, church music received much attention, but it is to the Troubadours that the French are indebted for a serious study of music.

There is an air of lightness, of gaiety, of frivolity, even in the music of France—with one exception—the patriotic music, which is soul stirring and means "to conquer or to die."

Miss Bailey briefly spoke of the music of the Swiss, Slavonians, the Russians and the Swedes.

She dwelt some time on the music of the Germans. Germany has achieved grander results in this divine art than has any other country; not only are the people as a whole musical, but individual Germans have won lasting fame as composers and players.

In Germany are the Minne singers; in France, the Troubadours; in Scotland, the Minstrels; in England, the Ballad singers—each having like characteristics, yet a dissimilarity of voice, manner and action.

The 14th and 15th centuries saw great changes in church music owing to the influence of John Huss and Martin Luther.

Before closing her paper Miss Bailey gave a brief sketch of the work of some of the greatest musical composers.

Miss Bailey sang pleasingly a German Christmas Song; she played a Hebrew Ancient Chant written in minor key, and played an air from the Chinese which seemed to resemble the "click, click," of the chop stick, as the Heathen Chinee he eat muchee, he crunchee.

After the close of the paper Miss Bailey most graciously acceded to the wishes of the Club and played snatches from the great composers; and she sang most sweetly to her own accompaniment Tennyson's "Song of the Brook," and one could hear the water ripple, gurgle, dance and skip, as did the brook the Poet Laureate loved so well.

Pity the unpleasant weather prevented more than half the Club from enjoying Miss Bailey's double efforts of lecturer and musician.—G. M. B.

Prizes for Ladies.

A CHANCE TO SECURE FROM $10 to $100 BY WRITING AN ESSAY.

BOSTON, April 8.—An important notice to all the ladies of New England is appearing every day now in the *Boston Daily Globe*, 14 prizes running from $10 to $100 being offered. It requires simply a little literary effort on the part of the ladies. Every lady reader of this paper should get the *Daily Globe* and see the offer in full.

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Woburn Post, No. 161, Celebrated.

Last Monday evening two events happened in this city one of which we will try to give a brief description of.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

It was the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the first Post of the Grand Army of the Republic in the United States by Woburn Post, No. 161, and Burbank Post, No. 33. The latter was an informal affair; the former a very elaborate one.

HISTORY.

Dr. B. F. Stephenson, surgeon of the 14th Illinois Infantry, and Chaplain W. J. Rutledge of the same Regiment, talked, as they marched under Sherman in Mississippi in '64, of the capacity for good in an organization of Veterans, and agreed, if spared, to work out some plan to that end. In March, 1866, they, with others, met at Springfield, Ill., and on the 6th day of April, 1866, the first Post was organized at Decatur, Ill.

IN CHARGE.

Commander Frank W. Graves was in charge and welcomed the visitors in an appropriate address He was assisted by other officers of the Post.

THE COMPANY.

Post 161 Hall was crowded with invited guests, and a happier party is seldom seen.

DEGORATIONS.

The Hall presented a beautiful and very cheerful appearance. There were flags, flowers, and verdure arranged in such effective ways as to give the hall the air and attractiveness of a summer bower. Its beauty was a theme of general praise.

THE SUPPER.

This was the work of the ladies and was pronounced "good" by everyone who was so fortunate as to get a taste of it. There was an abundance of everything palatable.

POSTPRANDIAL.

Miss Grace Whittemore, Preceptress at Ashley Hall, sang several songs in a charming manner, which were accompanied by Miss Maggie Thompson on the pianoforte, who also rendered some piano solos delightfully. Rev. Dr. March and School Supt. Frank B. Richardson made the speeches of the evening that were longest and loudest applauded, although Commander Graves's welcome was well cheered. There was also speaking by Mayor Bean, E. H. Lounsbury, Mrs Octavia Dorr, President of Relief Corps 83, Capt. William C. Parker, Hon. J. G. Pollard, and several others. Comrade E. F. Wyer read a letter from the Commander-in-Chief.

FINIS.

It was pronounced a grand social event without a dissenting vote, and all left the hall with its praises on their tongues.

Veteran Republicans of Massachusetts.

All surviving Anti-Slavery Veterans, dating from 1848 to 1865, who aided and united with the Republican party in the defence of the Union, are requested to assemble in Tremont Temple, Boston, on Wednesday, April 15, 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M., and at 2 o'clock P. M., for social reunion and greetings, as well as for consultation upon important measures of the government and party in the past, which bear upon the immediate future, and which are of vital interest to the whole people. Eminent speakers will address the meeting, and advisory resolutions will be passed.

Admission will be by tickets free, which will be furnished on application, personally or by mail, to Headquarters, 74 Equitable Building, Boston, Mass., previous to April 10th.

STEPHEN M. ALLEN,
Surviving Presiding Officer of the Worcester Convention, July 20, 1854, which formed and gave name to the Republican Party of Massachusetts.

March 4, 1891.

P. S.—Sons and Daughters of Veterans will be admitted to the afternoon services by separate tickets which must be applied for at once or at least a week before the meeting.

Journalistic.

The new sporting weekly called *The Referee* made its bow to the public last Saturday at the office of its publication, No. 511 Washington st., Boston, from whence it will be regularly issued every week by the Referee Publishing Company, and Editorilly conducted by Mr. Edward A. Perry, whilom London correspondent of the Boston *Herald* and its dramatic critic for several years. The paper has a clean look about it that newspaper men will appreciate, while its contents are fresh, racy and readable. Success to it.

A change has recently taken place in the proprietorship of the Wakefield (Mass.) *Citizen and Banner*, the same having been purchased by Mr. Maitland P. Foster, who mounted the Editorial Tripod last week and from it proclaimed his intention of making a local paper equal in merit to any in Middlesex county. If the new proprietor will abreviate the name of the paper he will have the JOURNAL's best wishes for his success.

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[For the Journal.]

Notable Reunions.

The last day of March and the second day of April of the present Spring were rendered memorable by reunions of rare interest in a circle of relatives consisting in the main of the same persons. On the evening of the former date, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith gave a "tea-party reception" to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Hackett and daughter of St. Paul, Minn., which a goodly number of invited guests greatly enjoyed. A table very tastefully decorated with flowers and laden with the choicest good things, was surrounded by a happy company, the Rev. Dr. March and the Hon. J. G. Pollard being charged with the special responsibility of adding dignity to the pleasure. At each plate was a beautiful souvenir bouquet appropriate to Easter, and there was a rare combination of attractions which the guests will not easily forget.

All this was the introduction to the still greater occasion yet to come at the residence of E. E. Thompson, on Montvale Avenue, on the 2d instant. Taking advantage of the visit to Woburn of Mr. Hackett and family from Minnesota, his Woburn friends, almost at the last hour, decided to call together, so far as possible, the scattered Hackett family for a reunion. At very short notice accordingly, there came together, besides Mr. Hackett and wife, Mrs. Luther Crane, Lyndeboro, N. H.; Mrs. D R Marshall, Nashua, N. H; Mr. William Jewett and wife, Waverly Mass.; Mr. Jacob Wright and wife, Abijah Thompson and wife, and E Everett Thompson and wife, Woburn. Here were six sisters and one brother, the only surviving children of the late Ephraim Hackett, of Wilton, N. H., their ages ranging from 60 upward to 77 years, two brothers having long since deceased.

In the second and third generations, were Miss Florence Hackett of St. Paul, Minn., Miss Sarah Jewett of Waverly, Mass., Miss Abby Cram of Lyndeboro, N. H., Mr. Elmer D. Marshall of Nashua, N. H., Mr. T. Benton Tidd, wife and three daughters, Mrs. Emma Thompson Dow, with three sons and one daughter; Mr. C. M. Strout, wife and two sons; and Mr. C. W. Smith wife and two children, a son and a daughter. Rev. L. Thompson, providentially present, was also an honorary member of the party.

The youngest person present was 6 and the oldest 82 years of age. The aggregate age of the six sisters and their brother, was 486 years, and the aggregate age of the whole party of thirty-five persons was 1484 years.

These thirty-five persons, embracing three generations of the Hackett family, gathered around a table extending through the double parlor and having an expansion at one end of it, and all abundantly supplied with a variety of tempting eatables and embellished with many beautiful flowers.

After the feast and while yet at the table E. E. Thompson, as master of the occasion, called for volunteer remarks. To his call brief and impromptu responses were made by Messrs. Hackett, L. Thompson, Wright, Jewett, A. Thompson, Smith, Strout, Marshall, and Dow. In this part of the programme the eloquence of the ladies was of that peculiar type which is alternately both impressive and expressive. They however, made many informal speeches after leaving the table.

Not the least interesting part of the exercises consisted in music. The Hackett family are all singers, and the brother and six sisters delighted the audience with music of which they alone were the performers. Besides this there were solo, duet, trio, quartette and chorus, in which others took part with a zest not often exceeded.

Thus the whole occasion, or, rather, the two occasions afforded a pleasure which all who participated in them will not soon forget. They were a shining way-mark in their journey, which in years to come, will be a theme of grateful reminiscence. The happy company will not all meet again on a similar occasion, but they are encouraged to look forward to a meeting on another which will infinitely exceed it.

GUEST.

[For the Journal.]

Swedish Gymnastics and their Subjects.

"Framat war Latta Brigad!
Wart ar ej att giftva svar,
Wart ar ej att fraga hvarfor,
Wart ar endast, gora eller do."

I am not sure that physical training is a profession; I am as much inclined to think it is a trade.—*Dr. E. M. Hartwell.*

"Tie my hands behind my back and I will hew out a statue with my teeth," was the answer given by Bertel Thorwaldsen, the great Danish sculptor, to the charge that he could not work in marble; but a more triumphant answer was the completion of "The Adonis," one of the finest statues of modern times.

The Danes and Scandinavians, so closely akin, stand out, as they ever have, in determination of purpose and still maintain their historic record as the unconquerable, for "Norman" is "Northman," and the Norman subjects of Duke William were Scandinavians, and they settled in England.

Rollo, a Norwegian, was the first duke of Normandy, and as the wheels of time went round, and centuries and decades slipped by, the Pilgrims settled at Plymouth and here we are! How much of Norman and Anglo-Saxon there is in the bone and sinew of the Republic speaks in the life and purpose of the people.

Following the wheel in its evolutions we take from the fertility of thought of these people inhabiting the Fortress of the Northern Seas the system known as the Ling in Progressive Gymnastics, according to instruction by Claes J. Enebuske, A. M., Ph. D., Lecturer and Demonstrator of its excellencies, so admitted, at the Normal School of the Athens of the American (North) Republic; and further, does this intellectual Demonstrator lead the Chautauquans through the labyrinths of Physical Culture, as Principal of the C. L. S. School.

We shall, and do, follow the system and mean to show ourselves worthy the "grit" of Edred, Eric, Canute, Harold, and all the line until we stand on Senlac Hill, and proclaim with William, "I live, and I shall conquer."

Ericsson and his iron-clad Monitor, Ibsen of Skien and the women of his writings, so like his own mother, quiet, lovable, the soul of the household, and everything to her friends, but with a reserve that develops into shyness and has become a characteristic in Ibsen himself. His Catiline is but the historically costumed image of his own feelings and moods at the time of writing.

Our subject, however, demands the perseverance of Ericsson and Von Moltke, and as the Count led—after his military training at the Academy of Copenhagen—one of the most brilliant campaigns of modern warfare, we find our wanderings in the realms of thought, marking out a career of great renown for some of the young gymnasts under our humbly perfecting training.

Isabella of Castile has become to us historically American, having aided the Great Discoverer when his feet were bruised upon the shards of adversity; and our very own Isabella has the womanly tact that makes us feel to know nothing is comfortable when the brightness of knowing everything is seen through golden vistas in the future; she is one born to the purple of distinction.

Thus it comes to pass, on the fourth day after the first of each week, the Faithfuls, great and small, wend their ways from North, East, West, and Centre, to the hall scholastic, and add some brightness surely to the dingy walls; it may not be candelabrian lustre, but where much is needed a little can be appreciated.

Movements that teach poise and equilibrium are admirably demonstrated by our Enebuske. Onward we press with the goal in view and the determination to grasp it. We admire the genius of the descendants of heroes of the Northern Fortress, in beautiful Copenhagen, and Stockholm, the Venice of Northern Europe; any "Day's Order" good for them must be as good for us.

But where are the brethren of the cloth? That writing that never makes mistakes has it et 7 plus 1, but here it is 40 plus 0; perhaps it is to be all Movement No. 5, Wing ½ standing and Cross (a)—standing, to cross (b)—standing, however, "We will work out on this line if it takes all summer."

There is good time and opportunity for recruits, for we read, "The immediate purpose of the 25 "Days Orders," is to furnish partial material for the demonstration of the "Gymnastic Day's Order," and the Gymnastic Progressive for the pupils of the Boston Normal School of Gymnastics, the Girls Normal School of Boston, and the Chautauqua School of Physical Culture." Further, they are intended also to furnish a guide for the normal drill in school gymnastic class work in the public schools.

Thus the wheel of progress ever moves, and in its evolutions we would have the problems always in Proportion and Ratio.

We can most assuredly testify to the great benefit derived from persistent, until it becomes beloved, exercises along this line; and wherefore? because, as students of current American politics phrase it, "Everybody is wiser than anybody."—Quelquun.

Woburn, April, 1891.

[From St. Augustine (Fla.) News.]

A New Motor.

Not exactly a new motor, but a new application of steam power; such is the burden of this article. A representative of the *News*, learning that Tampa had introduced a new motor on its street railways, took some pains to investigate the subject and was in consequence considerably interested and greatly surprised. Interested by solid facts and surprised that so little has been said about it in the daily papers.

But here are the facts. The Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia have constructed a little steam motor for street cars and it proves very successful indeed. It is inclosed in a little car that appears in every respect like a small street car. There is nothing whatever to attract the attention of a horse, no puffing or blowing, no smoke or escaping steam, it burns coke and runs much stiller than electric cars; it goes along like a thing of life, yet gives no sign; even the wheels are inclosed and no dust arises. It starts so easily you do not know it, and stops in half the space required for a horse car. Now the surprising part of it is, why has so little been said about it? Almost every enterprising city in the South has some of them in use. Chattanooga has forty-eight miles in use, and more lines projected. Birmingham has nearly as many miles. Atlanta has eighteen miles and is rapidly extending the system. Knoxville has several lines in use, although that city is exceedingly hilly, and has horse cars and electric cars. Nashville, Columbus, Ga., and many other cities have them in use. As to horses being frightened by these motors, no one need worry about that. The writer drove a spirited horse across a bridge, at the side of one in the city of Knoxville, and the animal paid no more attention to it than he would to an ordinary horse car.

Another very interesting fact is that steam is very much cheaper than any other motor, when all the expenses at the outset are counted. With a fifty thousand dollar plant electricity may be cheaper, if there are fifty thousand people to ride in the cars; otherwise steam has the advantage. And then too, steam requires no poles in the streets, no wires to fall and do a possible damage. It will do its work every day, never have the S. P. C. A. stop the car in the middle of the street, can travel six to eight miles an hour and never grow weary. On the whole the new motor is a desirable thing to have on the premises, and the Baldwin Locomotive works are entitled to the thanks of everybody for the little steam motor.

Burlington.

Many people are suffering from severe colds and influenza.

There was a dancing party in the Town Hall Wednesday evening.

"Comical Brown" gave an entertainment in the Town Hall on the evening of Fast Day.

Despite the chilly weather the fields and gardens give the first promises of spring. Early flowers like the crocus and daffodil are appearing. Some peas have been planted.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure billiousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 50 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss Drug Store.

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Lowest Prices, Latest Styles, Largest Stock,

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First-class Hangers furnished.

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Private instruction in Modern Pianoforte Playing. Superior method. Equal attention given to beginners and advanced students.

—ALSO,—

SOLOIST AND ACCOMPANIST.

WINCHESTER.

The West Side Syndicate propose to boom things this Spring.

Miss Hanson resumed her duties at the Wadleigh school last week.

The public schools will resume operations next Monday, April 6.

F. H. Nourse, the real estate dealer of Boston-Winchester, is making sales here this spring.

Miss Celia V. Leen, a popular school teacher of Boston, was the guest of Miss Katie O'Connor a few days last week.

Miss Mamie Lally of Roxbury spent Fast Day and the remainder of the week with her cousin Miss Annie Kelley in this town.

The prevalent idea that thick food is the most nutritious for babies is erroneous. Mother's milk is quite thin yet is very nourishing. Thick pap can not be digested at all, much less can it nourish a child. Mellin's Food, when prepared for use, is thin like breast milk, and possesses the same nutritive qualities.

There is one fatal objection to Governor Pattison as the Democratic Presidential nominee that attaches to Grover Cleveland, too, and that is that he is inclined to conservatism on financial issues, while his party is demanding a free silver candidate. But if Pattison were made the Democratic standard bearer, what an elegant stopper it would put on the Massachusetts Democratic plaint that Pennsylvania's arrogant selfishness is "ruining" New England.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN.—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: They went backward and fell the ground.

METHODIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor; at 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting; at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting. Wednesday evening prayer meeting; Friday evening Class meeting.

BAPTIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Best Time to Seek the Lord. At 6 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting; at 7 p. m prayer meeting. Meetings of prayer on Wednesday and Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Receiving Christ Joyfully." At 6 p. m. young peoples mee

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A new fabric, 30 inches wide and only 10 cents a yard.

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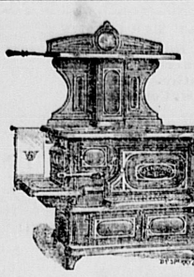

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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

The United States Grand Jury at Rapid River, S. D., has found an indictment against the white men who killed the Indian Few Trils as well as against the Indians who murdered Lieutenant Casey, and the Indian Rights Association urges that the one case be prosecuted as vigorously as the other. There ought to be no need of this appeal. Both crimes were cold-blooded and inexcusable, and the same treatment should be accorded to the perpetrators in each case.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, April 3, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. B. Garnett.
Mr. W. H. Wing.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

21,979 FEET.

Eleven thousand, four hundred and sixty-seven columns of advertisements were printed last year in the

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PANTS ARE OUR SPECIALTY.

We will press the clothes that you wear in shape, repair and remove the gloss for a small sum.

Call and see our nice line of Samples, or if you have not time to call send postal and we will call on you with samples, or for garments to repair or press.

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GERMAN CATARRH CURE

Cures Catarrh in all its forms.
Cures cases of long standing.
Clears the nazal passages.
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Has been used for years.
Is prescribed bo Physicians.
Instantly relieves cold in the head.
Sold by all Druggists. Try it.

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1 Goethe Market Wagon in good condition.
Apply to FREEMAN A. LORING,
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For sale cheap. Inquire of
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JOB PRINTING Of all kinds neatly done at the JOURNAL Office, 434 Main Street, Woburn.

FIRE BRANDS!

Our New York Fire Sale is a success, and we shall continue to offer

Great Bargains.

1000 yds. all-wool White Flannel, 15 cents a yd., well worth 25 cents.

2500 yds. White Plaid Nainsooks, only 8 cents a yard.

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WE RENT NEW and second-hand Pianos and allow ONE YEAR'S rent on the purchase price.

100 second-hand Pianos at $275, $250, $225, $210, $200, $175, $150, $100. Be sure and examine our stock before purchasing.

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House, Sign and Ornamental Painting at short notice.

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Mrs. N. M. Maxwell

— WILL EXHIBIT —

Pattern Hats and Bonnets,
Thursday and Friday,
April 16 and 17, 1891.
Your attention invited.
419 MAIN STREET, WOBURN.
(SUCCESSOR TO MRS. C. PACKARD.)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Rose Kelly, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lawrence Reade, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Bond, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Bond, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the est ate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of April, instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed Executors of the will of Ebenezer N. Blake, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers who have appointed Griffin Place of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, agent of Joseph B. Parker.

WARREN N. BLAKE,
HARRISON G. BLAKE,
JOSEPH B. PARKER,
Executors.

Woburn, Mass., April 8, 1891.

TO LET.

A nice Tenement, conveniently located, rent reasonable. Apply evenings,
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Over from our stock of fine Bedroom Sets, in the 1890 patterns, WILL NOW be closed out at a reduction of 25 per cent from Market Prices.

The assortment includes many artistic designes in Quartered Oak, Cherry, &c., the only reason for this unusual sacrifice being that we must make room for new stock.

If your eyes should chance to catch this announcement, the opportunity may enable you to furnish a room or two in "An Ideal Manner" and at an ideal price.

Perhaps it is well for you that you have waited till now.

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The Fifth Annual Reception and Sale by the Managers of our most noble Charity, will be held in

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— ON —

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY EVENINGS AND THURSDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 15 & 16, 1891.

Open evenings from 6 to 10. Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6. Single admission to the Fair 25 cents. Five Tickets $1.00. Admission Thursday Afternoon, Children 10 cents, Adults 15 cents. Tickets for sale at the Stores of J. W. Hammond & Son, C. H. Buss, F. B. Leeds, and at the door.

ATTRACTIONS.

On Wednesday Evening at 7 o'clock, His Honor the Mayor, will open the Fair with an Address of Welcome. Music. Supper will be served from 6 to 9 P. M., in the Board of Trade Rooms. Entrance to Supper Rooms free. Supper Tickets 25 cents.

The different Churches of the city will display at their several Tables many beautiful articles never before seen in Woburn.

The UNITARIAN TABLE will make a specialty of Children's Clothing exquisitely made.

The ART TABLE will be unusually attractive this year, under the charge of talented local Artists who will exhibit much of their own work.

Ice Cream, Home Made Candy, The Peanut Woman, The Big Plum Pudding and many other attractions will well repay a visit.

The Floral display will delight all lovers of the beautiful.

Mrs. Cyrus Lamb will furnish a laughable entertainment for the children on Thursday afternoon, FREE TO ALL.

Grand Opera

Il Trovatore.

LYCEUM HALL,

Wednesday Evening, April 22.

Benefit of Mabel C. Davis,

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Lyceum Hall, Woburn.

Wednesday Evening, April 15.

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Read the prices of the following goods and match them if you can:

Cream and Bluewhite Albatross, 40c. a yd.
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Heliotrope high grade Henrietta, 90c.
All Silk Grosgrain Ribbons, No. 3, 3c. per yard: No. 5, 6c. per yard: 1¼ inches wide, 12½c., 2 inches wide 15 cents.

ATTENTION

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Now that the Spring has returned it is time once again to have your Clothing cleaned, repaired, pressed, dyed and made to look as good as new at **L. F. Hurd's** old reliable stand, **24 Winn St.** Kid Glove cleansing a specialty, also, Ribbons Laces, and Neckties. Clothing cut and made. Pants made to order. Second-hand Clothing bought and sold.

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Have you smoked the famous La Corona de Fifield, sold at Cyrus's Cigar Store, 339 Main street?

FOR SALE.

A second-hand, custom made, Goddard Buggy, in good repair. Can be seen at
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CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, APR. 2, 1891.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Hugh Rafferty and Lawrence Martin, under the firm name of Rafferty & Martin, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as victuallers of the first-class at No. 306 and 308 Montvale Avenue, and 83 Washington Street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor, and one room on second floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes, that Peter Kenney & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 443 and 445 Main Street, in three rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Richard Reynolds has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 5 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William E. Mooney has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 468 Main Street, in two rooms on first floor of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Shinkwin & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 45 and 47 Main Street, on first floor of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John H. Garvey has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 39 Main Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James Meehan and Hugh Maguire, under the firm name of Meehan & Maguire, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as innholders of the first class, at No. 40 Main St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building, and also to keep stock in barn on the premises of the said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James L. McNulty and John E. McLaughlin, under the firm name of McNulty & McLaughlin, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as common victuallers of the first class, at No. 111 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Bernard McHugh has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at Nos. 234 and 240 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John B. Dever has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 250 Main Street, in three rooms on first floor of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John C. Meehan has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 103 Prospect Street, in all rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John McGovern has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 40 Fowle Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James J. Carroll has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 35 Winn Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Charles A. Dooley has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 88 Main Street, in two rooms on the first floor, and stock in the cellar.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John J. Beatty has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at 468 Main Street, in two rooms on the first floor and stock in cellar. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John H. Connolly has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 7 Broad Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas Moore, has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 3 Union Street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Michael Reddy has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 68 Fowle Street on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Maloney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 6 Broad St., on first floor and stock in store room in said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Pupic Statutes, that John F. Scally has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 264 Fowle Street, and 103 Prospect Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick H. Graney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 11 Main Street, in basement of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas H. McGovern has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 223 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Michael Clancy has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 470 Main Street, on first floor in two rooms, and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick F. Kerrigan has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 48 Fowle Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick O'Rourke has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 36 Main Street, on first floor of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James H. Connolly & Co. (Jas. J. Doherty), have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at No. 81 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas G. Merriam & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 32, 34 and 36 High Street, in three rooms on first floor and stock in attic of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James Meehan and Hugh Maguire, under the firm name of Meehan & Maguire, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers and bottlers, at No. 40 Main street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building, and also to keep stock in barn on the premises of the said building.

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DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John McGovern has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 40 Fowle street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William A. Grandfield has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 152 Main and No. 2 Porter streets, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Bernard T. Ferrin has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as grocer, at No. 492 Main street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James J. Carroll has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a wholesaler, at No. 35 Winn street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Charles A. Dooley has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a wholesaler, at No. 88 Main street, in two rooms on the first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John J. Beatty has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a wholesaler, at No. 468 Main street, in two rooms on the first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John H. Connolly has made an application for license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a grocer, at No. 7 Broad street, in one room and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas Moore has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a grocer, at No. 3 Union street, in two rooms on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Michael Reddy has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a grocer, at No. 68 Fowle street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Maloney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a grocer, at No. 6 Broad st., on first floor and stock in store-room in said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John F. Scally has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a grocer, at No. 264 Fowle street and 103 Prospect street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick H. Graney has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 11 Main street, in basement of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas H. McGovern has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 223 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Michael Clancy has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 177 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Anthony A. Doherty has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 470 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORRLAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick F. Kerrigan has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 48 Fowle street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick O'Rourke has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 36 Main street, on first floor of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James H. Connolly & Co. (James J. Doherty), have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers, at No. 81 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas G. Merriam & Co. have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers, at Nos. 32, 34 and 36 High street, in three rooms on the first floor, and stock in attic of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at Law and others interested in the Estate of Abigail Winn, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Parker L. Converse and Leonard Thompson, Executors of the will of said deceased, have presented to said Court their petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of April next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same;

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Walter J. Mower of Somerville in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lizzie G. Knapp, Executrix of the will of Oren S. Knapp, and John W. Scribner, Co-guardian of said minor with said Orin S. Knapp, deceased, have presented for allowance the third account of the guardianship of said Knapp and Scribner;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said surviving Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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GOOD AND EVIL IN JEHU.

LESSON II, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, APRIL 12.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings x, 18-31. Commit Verses, 26-29 — Golden Text, I Sam. xvi, 7—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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18. "And Jehu gathered all the people together."

We find this man's name nearly forty times in this and the preceding chapter, and not over a dozen times elsewhere. He is evidently the Lord's minister of judgment upon sin and sinners, but does not appear to have been a true worshiper of the true God.

19. "I have a great sacrifice to do Baal."

Thus said Jehu as he commanded to be gathered together all the prophets, priests and servants of Baal that he might destroy them. Baal was the chief male deity of the Phœnicians and Canaanites. The word signifies master or possessor, and is used fifteen times in this chapter, which is more often than it is found in any other chapter in the Bible. The worship of Baal meant the forsaking of the only true God, the God of Israel, and an identification with the false religions of the nations, and was a great provocation of Jehovah.

20. "And Jehu said, Proclaim a solemn assembly for Baal."

His purpose is stated in the previous verse to have been that he might destroy the worshipers of Baal, but he is doing it deceitfully, and a God of truth cannot deceive nor authorize deceit.

21. "And Jehu sent through all Israel; and all the worshipers of Baal came, so that there was not a man left that came not."

And we read that the house of Baal was full from one end to the other. Here is a devotion worthy of a better cause, but it is even so to this present day.

22. "Bring forth vestments for all the worshipers of Baal. And he brought them forth vestments."

Thus while outwardly honoring them and seemingly encouraging them he was robing them for slaughter. Death, not life, was before them, and it was death leading to the second death. The separation of soul and body is not to be dreaded if we are clothed with Christ's righteousness.

23. "Jehu and Jehonadab the son of Rechab."

See in verse 15 the greeting and union of these two, and if not familiar with the story of the descendants of Jonadab, read it in Jer. xxxv, and mark the blessings of obedience.

"Search and look that there be here with you none of the servants of the Lord, but the worshipers of Baal only."

How would such a proclamation affect the people who gather at the popular places of amusement in our day?

24. "And when they went in to offer sacrifices and burnt offerings."

Here is Jehu officiating as a priest of Baal, while at the same time he instructs eighty men that on penalty of death they are not to allow one of those present to escape with his life. Compare Elijah proving before all the people that Jehovah is God, as he offered sacrifice unto Him, and then slew the prophets of Baal after showing them their folly. With Elijah all was open and righteous. The way of Jehu is not so. God commissioned him to destroy Baal, but God did not commission him to practice deceit or to worship Baal.

25. "Go in and slay them; let none come forth."

This is the obedient part, as when the Levites went in and out throughout the camp and slew every man, his brother and companion and neighbor, because of their sin against God. Thus will everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord some day overtake all who know not God and obey not the gospel (II Thess. i, 8, 9).

26. "And they brought forth the images out of the house of Baal and burned them."

Not only the idolaters but their idols does He destroy.

27. "And they brake down the image of Baal, and brake down the house of Baal, and made it a draught house unto this day."

The whole house of Satan, for he is the prince of idols and idolaters, shall yet find itself without the city and completely broken down.

28. "Thus Jehu destroyed Baal out of Israel."

It was a sore evil, and required severe treatment and received it. It seems to have been Jehu's special mission to put away this iniquity; but he did not win Israel back to God, as we shall see. It is one thing to put away evil, but quite another to make people righteous.

29. "Howbeit, from the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, who made Israel to sin, Jehu departed not from after them."

Surely, if we believed that our sins might reach to many generations, as did the sins of this man, the most ungodly might be led to ponder well their ways. It is a fearful thing to depart from the living God or lead others so to do.

30. "And the Lord said unto Jehu, Because thou hast done well in executing that which is right in mine eyes."

He is commended for his thorough judgment upon the house of Ahab. Contrast the lack of thoroughness in Saul when sent to destroy Amalek (I Sam. xv, 9-11). The Lord does not commend Jehu's deceit. While He commends the faith of Rahab of Jericho He does not commend her deceit either. He cannot commend what is wrong in any one. In the parable of the unjust steward (Luke xvi) it is not the Lord Jesus who commends his fraudulent treatment of his master, but it is his own lord or master who considers him a shrewd fellow to thus make provision for his future.

"Thy children of the fourth generation shall sit on the throne of Israel."

And so it came to pass (chap. xv, 12). His thoroughness brought him and his children a temporal kingdom for four generations. If we who believe in Jesus are faithful to Him we shall sit with Him on His throne (Rev. iii, 21), and in bodies like His (Phil. iii, 21) reign with Him over this whole earth (Rev. v, 9, 10; Dan. vii, 27).

31. "But Jehu took no heed to walk in the law of the Lord God of Israel with all his heart."

The chief thing was neglected. Let any one read in Deuteronomy, and notice how often in that one book Israel is commanded to observe and do the commandments of the Lord, and this statement will make Jehu's goodness seem very questionable. He showed no mercy to the house of Ahab, nor to the worshipers of Baal, but he worshiped the golden calves, and transgressed the law of the Lord. Where then is his righteousness? He stands before us identified with Jeroboam, a sinful man whom God saw fit to use and reward with some temporal favors. Remember Heb. xii, 14; Rom. x, 4; viii, 4; and not only turn from idols but turn to God and serve Him (I Thess. i, 9, 10).

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

The distillery and wine establishment of the Galleges Wine Company in California, one of the largest of the kind in the State, was seized by revenue officers last week for violation of the excise laws. The value of the plant is about $200,000.

A SONG OF THE SEA.

Watch the motion of the ocean, of the beryl coated ocean, as it doffs a little white cap to each pebble on the beach;
Hear the rattle and the prattle of the loving wave words spoken, when the half reluctant pebble clatters down within its reach.
How the cloudships float above it,
And the daring seagulls love it!
Who could fail to heed the lesson that these foamy billows teach?

Watch the motion of the ocean, of the cannonading ocean, as each wave while hot with anger leaps to stride the stooping cloud;
O the looming and the booming of each moving wall of water, hurled against the walls of granite with an echo long and loud.
How the seagulls skim above it,
And the stormy petrels love it
When the wind rolls up those snowdrifts with such iron strength endowed!

Watch the motion of the ocean, of the ever changing ocean, tossed by every transient stormwind, ruffled by a passing breeze;
Resting never, but forever in a ceaseless voice repeating, day by day, the self same story in such fancied words as these:
"Praise Him, all ye heavens adore Him,
Let the earth bow down before Him;
On the floods He hath prepared it, founded it upon the seas."
—Harry H. Moore in Good Housekeeping.

Raw Railway Porters.

The agricultural districts are the recruiting grounds for porters; perhaps it would be more correct to say breeding grounds, for no company has any official to do the recruiting. As a railway now runs within walking distance of every village throughout the country, men seeking employment on the railway soon find out all particulars necessary to get into the service. It is not unusual to come across half a dozen porters at our large stations, each plainly showing by his talk the county he comes from; and it would be highly interesting to get them together and hear their conversation with one another.

Raw recruits from Yorkshire, Lancashire, Northumberland, Norfolk, Somersetshire and Cornwall on a London platform holding a serious conversation would lead a Londoner to think that he was verily among strangers. They must go wherever they are sent, and before they are appointed must be examined by a doctor. All things then being satisfactory they are supplied with their uniform and a book of rules and sent where they are wanted. The new hand can generally be told by the look of discomfort he cannot help showing in appearance in corduroy and brass buttons for the first time.—Chambers' Journal.

"Sol's Clock" in Flowers.

A horological achievement in landscape gardening is that of one of the florists in charge of the flora of the public parks in Chicago.

The flowerbed is laid out on the points of the compass in the form of a huge semi-circle, and foliage and flowers are grown in it in such a manner as to render it a perfect sun dial, or, as the classical inventor expresses it, "Sol's clock." A slab of stone of proper shape is set in the center of the dial and casts the shadow by which the time is read.

The idea is not strictly a novel one. Sun dials composed of growing flowers and foliage have been made in Europe, and it is not improbable that in the days of the greatest popularity of these timepieces floral ones were of frequent occurrence.—Jewelers' Weekly.

And Mamma Frowned.

He hadn't seen her for a long time, and of course they had an infinite deal of nothing to say to each other. Little sister, therefore, was very much de trop.

"Run along up stairs, dear," she said to the little one. "I'll give you some candy if you will."

"I don't want to."

"There's a good girl. Please do."

"But I'd rather stay here."

"I won't let you come into my room while I'm dressing if you don't."

But even this direful threat had no effect, and little sister remained. Presently mamma came in and the conversation lagged a trifle. Suddenly a thought struck little sister.

"Say," she asked, "what did you want me to go up stairs for a while ago?"—Chicago Post.

People Who Used to Eat Spiders.

The enjoyment of particular kinds of food is after all a matter of custom, and the African who revels in white ants is no more peculiar in his tastes than the European who eats cheese mites. A lady whom M. Reaumur knew was accustomed to devour spiders as fast as she could catch them, and a German lady gave it as her opinion that these creatures resembled in taste the most delicious nuts. A fellow countryman of this lady was in the habit of regularly hunting spiders in his own and his friends' houses. He used to spread them on bread, Rozel tells us, and vowed that they were far pleasanter to the palate than butter.—Cornhill Magazine.

Criticism of Two Cities.

A New York and a Boston girl were lately discussing the comparative merits of their respective towns. "You love New York," said the Boston girl, "as the pianist loves his piano. There are parts of it that he doesn't think much about. But we love Boston as a violinist loves his violin. He knows every grain in the wood as he hugs it up under his arm, and feels it to be all a part of himself."—Boston Traveller.

One Opinion.

"I think," said Willie, looking up through the chimney flue, "that Santa needed his claus to get up through there."—Harper's Bazar.

No Enjoyment.

"Did you enjoy the play, Ethel?"
"No, I didn't cry once."—Judge.

The Wonderful Tower.

The highest structure in the world is Eiffel Tower, at Paris, 1,000 feet high. But the great discovery of Dr. Franklin Miles is certain to tower far above it in promoting human happiness and health. This wonderful nerve medicine builds up worn out systems, cures fits, sparms, headache, nervous prostration, dizziness, sleeplessness, monthly pains, sexual troubles, etc. Mrs. John R. Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., gained 20 pounds a month while taking it. Finely illustrated treatise on "Nervous Diseases," and a sample bottle of the Restorative Nervine, free at Charles H. Buss's.

French syndicates are becoming the rivals of English capitalists in this country. It is announced that the Mickey Breen Mine in Colorado has been sold to a French syndicate for $1,300,000. It is a silver mine.

The Judge at Johnstown, Pa., was influenced in refusing licenses for many places by photographs of the shanties occupied by the applicants.

POLITENESS PAYS.

One Young Englishman Was Taught the Lesson and Never Forgot It.

"There's nothing in it.' How I do detest that phrase!" remarked a grave looking, middle aged man. The observation was called forth by the conduct of one of the party of young bloods who had unceremoniously pushed a rather shabbily dressed, timid looking man aside, and on one of his companions venturing to suggest that he was wanting in courtesy had replied:

"What! courteous to him? Why, there's nothing in it." "See here, boys," continued the grave looking man, "I'll give you a story. Twenty-five years ago I was clerk in a merchant's office in London. My salary was small, but I lived pretty comfortable and was always able to spend a shilling or two with the boys. We were rather swells in our office, and thought we knew a thing or two.

"One day an elderly party, who looked to me then like a book peddler, for he had on a real shabby tile, and was, if not slovenly, very carelessly dressed, stepped in and asked for the boss. I answered pretty sharp that he was not accessible to strangers, and told him he was wasting time in that office. He seemed annoyed, but walked off, and I thought no more about the matter. About six months after I was seeking a position in the Bank of England. I had just got married, and having several influential friends, had applied for and been well recommended for a vacancy which had just then occurred.

"So sure was I of the new berth that I had resigned from the old one and awaited with some anxiety, certainly, but considerable confidence, for the interview with the governor, for all applicants for a position in the bank must personally pass that august official. Well, the morning arrived and I was ushered into his presence. Judge of my astonishment and dismay when I found myself face to face with the little shabby genteel old man whom I had so rudely treated. Our recognition was mutual. He expressed his sorrow at having to refuse my application, but accepted my heartfelt apologies, and when he heard of how I had given up my situation, and so forth, he handed me a £50 note.

"'Take this,' he said, 'and begin a new life with what you tell me you have saved; it will enable you to get to Canada or Australia. Your letters of recommendation will do as well there as here, and I will give you one myself. Let this be a letter to you and others. Never judge any one by their outward appearance.' I took the old man's advice. I went to Canada, and eventually found my way here. I am fairly well to do, which I ascribe to having never forgotten the lesson taught me."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Curious Unclaimed Deposits.

It is not undeserving of notice that in a schedule to the annual parliamentary return, issued by the supreme court of judicature (England), is given a list of unclaimed boxes and other miscellaneous effects deposited in the Bank of England, belonging to suitors or their representatives. The following are the more curious items:

A bag of clipped money, in Jones vs. Lloyd, August, 1726; a box containing small articles of jewelry; a sealed envelope containing a promissory note for £400 in favor of John Spilman; a paper marked "George Colman, Will;" a debenture dated 1799; Bouverie vs. Jacques, plate, etc.; Salm Kyrburg vs. Pomansky, said to contain bills of exchange for 25,000 francs; E. A. Williams, deceased, plate, jewelry and presentation plate; Lousada's estate, diamond brooch bequeathed to wife of G. A. Lousada; Joshua Blackburn, a person of unsound mind, plate and jewelry (six wooden and four tin boxes); Wade Gery vs. Handley, heirlooms (two boxes).—Chambers' Journal.

Read Thoroughly.

Savage Landor said, in his savage way, that no person should ever have more than five books on hand. He said that when you had read a book thoroughly you had better give it away, and that it was idle to keep around you so many monuments of unfinished reading as most men had in the books of their libraries. This is straining a point, undoubtedly, and a few of us would say that Lander's rule was a working rule in education or life. But what Lander meant was that it was worth while for a man to be off with the old love before he was on with the new. He meant that it was worth while for people to finish, and finish thoroughly, one line of study before they embarked on another.—Boston Commonwealth.

Not Cash Down.

Good Minister—I am glad to find you bear up so well under affliction, Mrs. De Trade. I did not hope to find you so cheerful after your husband's failure.

Mrs. De Trade—All his property is in my name.—New York Weekly.

An Unexpected Compliment.

City Editor (to reporter)—Perkins, I don't think you'll ever make an editorial writer.

Reporter—Thank you, sir, for the encouragement.—Judge.

A Great Mind.

"That man has a wonderful memory."

"How does he show it?"

"He never leaves his rubbers in a restaurant."—Puck.

Up in the Attic.

"Did you sit in the stalls at the opera?"

"No. I was 'way up stairs, in the oper-atic."—Puck.

Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good, if you have a Cough, Cold, or any trouble with Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store. Large size 50c. and $1.

It is expected that the shipments of vegetables from Florida this season will be larger than ever before. Small quantities of strawberries and asparagus are now coming forward.

If You Wish

To enjoy good health, and prevent the seeds of disease from ripening in your system, you should use the best medicine in the world, Sulphur Bitters, which will prevent your system from being all run down by making it strong and vigorous.—Rev. W. R. Snow.

BIG MONEY IN A NECKTIE.

It Cost Only Fifty Cents, but It Was Worth Twenty Thousand Dollars.

His necktie was worth $20,000. A plain, black, ordinary looking, every day four-in-hand, but worth $20,000. He was a traveler who had just come in on the Santa Fe route direct from Arizona, and he removed his coat and vest preparatory to cleaning his cinder speckled face in the lavatory of a prominent Michigan avenue hotel. With the carelessness of a western man he flung his coat and vest on a contiguous chair, but his necktie, his four-in-hand, he carefully rolled up in a small compass and thrust deep into his trousers pocket.

This unusual exhibition of caution excited the curiosity of a friend, and the natural query, "Wherefore?" developed a most ingenious device.

"That necktie is worth just $20,000 plus the cost price of the article itself. Sabe?"

The smile of incredulity brought the valuable piece of black silk to view again. With his penknife the traveler opened the seam, and, while unfolding the ripped portions, dazzled the eyes of the skeptic with ten crisp, clean $1,000 bills. "Ten thousand dollars on this end and the same ante on the other. Beats a money belt all hollow.

"I was held up by the James and Younger boys in Blue Clay Cut one time, and Jim Younger ran his hand over my body and felt the money belt, and I handed over just $1,200. But what thief would ever look twice at a fifty cent necktie? They might corral it if was red or yellow, or even sky blue, but plain black is too unobtrusive, for those chaps run to high color. This plan is better than the porous plaster scheme too. Never heard of it?

"Well, next time you travel with more ready cash than you care to have obtainable, step into a drug store and buy two porous plasters. Fold your wad neatly and flat, wrap around it a piece of oiled silk and stick a plaster over it and on to the outside of the other plaster. Then slap this double deck plaster on your chest and no one's the wiser. But the four-in-hand racket's the best," and the man with the $20,000 necktie gave it a final twist as he tied it around his collar, slipped on his vest and coat and walked out, serene and secure with twenty $1,000 bills snugly hid away in his queer safety deposit vault.—Chicago News.

New York's Literary and Artistic Clubs.

The Century is assisted by other clubs in looking after the literary and artistic needs of New York. Among these may be mentioned the Lotus, the Players', the Fellowcraft, the Authors' and the Aldine. The Lotus has long been familiar to the public, and a great deal has been said of the brilliant gift which Mr. Booth has made to New York in the handsome house of the Players' in Gramercy park. The complaint is indeed made that in these two clubs the non-professional element tends to strengthen itself at the expense of the professional.

The complaint is not an unusual one; it has been made with regard to the Garrick in London. The Fellowcraft is composed of writers and artists connected with the press. The Authors' club is, as its name indicates, made up of men who have written books. It has rooms, but no club house. The Aldine, founded by publishers and artists, has within two years taken possession of a house in Lafayette place.—E. S. Nadal in Scribner's.

When Rome Fell.

A certain librarian declares that one day a visitor pointed to a bust which adorns the reading room of the establishment with which he is connected and asked, "Is that anybody about here?"

The librarian, supposing that the questioner was simply attempting to guy him, answered:

"He has been dead too long for me to presume to say where he is."

"I mean was he a man who lived here," corrected the stranger; and then without waiting for a reply he added, "What was his name?"

"Nero," the librarian answered.

"Nero?" the other repeated thoughtfully; "that don't seem just like an American name. What was his business?"

"He was at the head of the fire department," the librarian replied unblushingly.—Boston Courier.

The Spider as a Remedy.

It is not surprising that so uncanny looking a creature as the spider should have various attributes of a more or less surprising nature awarded to it. In rural districts it is no very uncommon occurrence to find that there is a firm belief in the curative powers of spiders in cases of ague. Eleazar Albin says that he has been instrumental in curing several children of this complaint "by hanging a large spider, confined in a box, about their necks, reaching to the pit of the stomach, without giving any internal remedies." — Cornhill Magazine.

The Mexican boy has plenty of play, though he cares little for hoops or balls, tops, kites or marbles. Unless he is unusually poor he has a horse and saddle of his own, especially if he lives in the country; and no matter how poor he may be, he has a donkey, or can borrow one in five minutes.

Professor Boyesen, the Norwegian novelist and teacher, is a short, thick set man, with brown beard and curly hair. He is about 40 years old and looks more like a man of business than a college professor.

Our readers are requested to use Salvation Oil for all pains. It is a sure cure. Price 25 cents.

"For forms of government let fools contest." For ordinary life it is enough to know that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures coughs and colds.

The first step in the Farmers' Alliance programme in North Carolina was to mulct the "monopolistic" railroads of $500 each as penalty for failure to make certain reports. But the Supreme Court of the State has decided that this can't be done.

I was a sufferer from catarrh for fifteen years, with distressing pain over my eyes. I used Ely's Cream Balm with gratifying results. Am apparently cured.—Z. C. Warren, Rutland, Vt.

I suffered from a severe cold in my head for months and could get no relief. Was advised to use Ely's Cream Balm. It has worked like magic in its cure. I am free from my cold after using the Balm one week, and I believe it is the best remedy known.—Samuel J. Harris, Wholesale Grocer, 119 Front street, New York.

Home Life Among Royalty.

Life at Sandringham is very simple. The prince breakfasts with his sons and any male members of the royal family who may be there; the princess breakfasts in her private apartment, while the young princesses break their fast in an old fashioned room still known as the schoolroom. When this meal is over they come down to say good morning to their father, and are usually accompanied by a group of pet dogs. The gentlemen go out shooting or riding, while the ladies in the house amuse themselves with books and papers, and, later in the day, are joined by the princess.

Luncheon brings all together, and this informal meal is, when the season will permit, served in a tent put up in the woods near where the mighty hunters are. The princess leads the procession, going to this in a smart yellow cart drawn by the plumpest of ponies, driving herself and one of her lady guests. She is, by the by, an extremely good whip. Luncheon over, the ladies return to Sandringham house, everybody meeting again at 5 o'clock tea, and dinner being served in the dining room at half-past 8 o'clock.

The prince and princess dine with their guests, the princess sitting in the center of one side of the table, while the prince is exactly opposite. When dessert is served a piper plays the bagpipes in the corridor outside, in veritable Highland style—that is, pacing backward and forward.—Lady Elizabeth Hilary in Ladies' Home Journal.

Mr. Simkins' Disappointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Simkins lived together in accord, but it seems that Mrs. Simkins has a habit, which has disturbed Mr. Simkins a great deal, of searching her husband's pockets after he has gone to bed at night. One afternoon a friend of Mr. Simkins met him as he was on his way home. Mr. Simkins' face wore a fierce and tragical expression, which was so very unusual with him that his friend could not help exclaiming:

"Why, what is the matter with you, Mr. Simkins?"

"What seems to be the matter with me?"

"Why your face has a look of determination that is perfectly ferocious."

"Ha!" said Mr. Simkins. "I have resolved to be revenged upon my wife. She searches my pockets at night. To-night I am going to search her pockets!"

Next morning the same friend met Mr. Simkins. Instead of a look of fierce determination he wore an expression of extreme weariness and languor.

"Well," said the friend, laughing, "what's the matter now?"

"Didn't sleep a wink last night."

"What! Did you find something dreadful in Mrs. Simkins' pockets?"

"Hum! I worked half the night trying to find her pockets and couldn't find one!"—Youth's Companion.

Smoking Under Water.

Says an expert swimmer:

It looks very strange to see a man go under water with a lighted cigar in his mouth, smoke calmly at the bottom and come to the surface with the cigar burning as nicely as if he were smoking in his easy chair. Apparently he defies all natural laws, but of course he doesn't.

It is a simple trick, but it requires practice. Just as I throw myself backward to go down I flip the cigar end for end with my tongue and upper lip and get the lighted end in my mouth, closing my lips water tight around it. A little slippery elm juice gargled before going in prevents any accidental burning of the mouth. Going slowly down backward, I lie at full length on the bottom of the tank and blow smoke through the cut end of the cigar. Just as I reach the surface again another flip reverses the cigar, and there I am smoking calmly. The reversing is done so quickly that nobody notices it.—Troy Times.

The Invention of the Panorama.

The panorama was invented by a Scotchman named Robert Barker, who obtained a license in London in 1787 and erected a rotunda on Leicester square. He was associated with Robert Fulton, the practical inventor of the steamboat, who introduced panoramas into Paris in 1796, but resigned in favor of Thayer, perhaps in order to give his attention to the application of steam to boats. Thayer raised a rotunda on the Boulevard Montmartre, whence comes the name of the Passage des Panoramas. Bonaparte caused plans to be drawn up for eight panoramas, in which his conquests were to be shown to the Parisians, whom he always tried to impress with the magnitude of the achievements in order to keep them faithful to his star. But these projects were never realized.—Chicago Herald.

A Substitute.

Miss Fluffy Bangs—Say, did you ever ride on an ice yacht?

Mr. F. A. Kerr—No; but when I was doing the harlequin in "Humpty Dumpty" I used to be shot out of a cannon every night.—Puck.

Why It Came High.

Smere—The first picture that great artist ever painted brought more than any of his other works.

Dauber—Who bought it?

Smere—He did.—Harper's Bazar.

Did He Love Her?

She—Darling, do you love me?

He (kissing her rapturously and repeatedly)—Do I? I wish you were a two headed girl. That's all I can say!—London Tit-Bits.

"Every Spring."

Says one of the best housewives in New England, "We feel the necessity of taking a good medicine to purify the blood, and we all take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It keeps the children free from humors, my husband says it gives him a good appetite, and for myself I am sure I could never do all my work if it was not for this splendid medicine. It makes me feel strong and cheerful, and I am never troubled with headache or that tired feeling, as I used to be."

The announced purpose of the Treasury to coin no more silver dollars after July 1, but to print silver certificates instead, will be very generally approved. The silver dollars cannot be got into circulation, and it is more convenient to keep the silver purchased in bullion than to coin it.

Hints That Are Better Than Gold.

If you have bad breath, sluggish bowels, pain in the small of your back, nervousness or giddiness, your vital organs are sadly out of condition. A mere "dose of physic" will not help you. Your only wise course is to take Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., and cleanse your system of the impurities. It regulates the Liver and Kidneys.

What to Do When Starving.

A survivor of the hardships of Fremont's terrible four expeditions writes as follows in a posthumous narrative of the expedition printed in The Century, in which he more than hints at the fact of cannibalism:

It was curious to hear different men tell of the workings of the mind when they were starving. Some were constantly dreaming or imagining that they saw before them a bountiful feast, and would make selections of different dishes. Others engaged their minds with other thoughts. For my part I kept my mind amused by entering continually into all the minutiæ of farming, or of some other systematic business which would keep up a train of thought, or by working a mental solution of mathematical problems, bringing in review the rudiments of some science, or by laying out plans for the future, all having a connection with home and after life.

So in this way never allowing myself to think upon the hopelessness of our condition, yet always keeping my eyes open to every chance, I kept hope alive and never once suffered myself to despond. And to this course I greatly attribute my support, for there were stronger men who, by worrying themselves, doubtless hastened their death. Ten out of our party of thirty-three that entered the mountains had perished, and a few days more would have finished the others.

The Fate of Jews in Russia.

A few days ago a Jewish physician of some intelligence, whose diploma had been withdrawn from him upon the ground that he was too full of sympathy for some poor wretches suspected of nihilism, assured me that the Russian Jews who have reached the United States feel like singing hymns of thanksgiving. Since his arrival in this country this physician has been visiting the tenement houses and workshops of the east side of New York city in order to gain some notion of the life of his fellow countrymen here. "Their condition may seem miserable to you," he said, "but it is paradise compared to the horrors from which they have escaped."

When one realizes that in the vast area east of the Bowery populated by Russian Jews the crowding, the filth, the noise and the stenches are beyond description, and that the majority of these people work from fourteen to eighteen hours a day, often beginning their labor at dawn and continuing it until they fall exhausted upon the piles of clothing that they make for the cheap shops, he can see that the fate of the Russian Jew who has to stay in Russia must be hard indeed.—P. G. Hubert, Jr., in Forum.

Looking Up His Character.

The Right Hon. Charles Pelham Villiers, the veteran member for Wolverhampton, delights, when talking over his early election compaigns, to tell the following story: In the course of his first canvass in Wolverhampton borough, being then a very young man, he called on a little shopkeeper at Willenhall to solicit his vote. The shopkeeper was not at home, but his wife was, and Mr. Villiers, in true courtier-like style, made known to the good lady the purport of his visit. Having listened to the candidate, the lady handed Mr. Villiers a piece of chalk, saying:

"Chalk thy name on the counter, lad, and my maister shall inquire thy character."

Mr. Villiers complied and got the vote, and the shopkeeper proved one of his staunchest supporters.—London Tit-Bits.

What He Meant.

This is going around town: A prominent traveling man went to a new city, for him, and was struck by the airs the hotel clerk put on. He watched his manner toward several guests who preceded him, and after he had registered he turned to the clerk in an admiring sort of a way and said:

"Well, I'll swear, did any one ever tell you how much you were like Clay?"

The clerk straightened up, smiled and said:

"Oh, yes; you mean, of course, Henry Clay, the famous Kentucky statesman?"

"Oh, no, I don't," returned the traveler. "I mean just the plain, ordinary clay they make pottery of."—Clothier and Furnisher.

New Work for Decorative Art.

Buyinglady (to saleslady)—I would like a coat of arms. Can you paint me one?

Saleslady (amiably)—Certainly, madam. Bring me yours any time, and we can copy it any size or way that you desire.

Buyinglady (earnestly)—But I wish you to design me one. I have new!"—

Saleslady (stiffly)—We design only embroideries here, not families.—Puck.

Loss of Memory.

Blind Tom, the pianist, has earned $500,000, and is now, in his old age, an inmate of a poor house. He says he can't tell what has become of all the money, and if he can't no one else probably will.—Detroit Free Press.

A Politician, Probably.

"Papa," said the little one, "will there be newspapers in heaven?"

"Perhaps, my child, but there will be a new set of editors and reporters."—Demarest's.

An Old Question.

Teacher—All things were made out of nothing.

Johnny—And what was nothing made out of?—Harper's Bazar.

In a suit for wages tried before a Justice at South Bethlehem, Penn., the fact was brought out that a carpenter was receiving $8 a month and board, and a blacksmith $10 a month and board, and that their hours of labor were from 5 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock at night for the carpenter, and from the same hour in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening for the blacksmith, for every day in the year.

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The Congregational Club the other evening passed resolutions calling for an investigation of the circumstances the permission given Buffalo Bill to take abroad some of the Sioux prisoners as a part of his "Wild West Show;" and now the *Christian Register*, representing the Unitarians, speaks strongly on the same subject. It is certainly a curious transaction which justifies inquiry.

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The bill to restrict the hours of labor for railroad men certainly contained little evidence that it was asked for by railroad men themselves. It bore all the signs of a buncombe scheme of the labor agitators, and as such the House did well to reject it.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10.40, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 9.10, 9.55, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 8.15, 9.15, 10.00, 10.45, A. M., 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 8.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, 11.00, A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 11.45, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 9.20, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12.10, 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.25, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 5.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

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The Woburn Journal

What A Flock of Geese Did.

BY HELENA DIXON.

It was a sultry afternoon in July, and Kittie Ryan was growing drowsy over her sewing, when her mother came briskly up to the box-bordered walk and entered the cosy sitting-room near one of the vine draped windows at which the young girl was seated.

Mrs. Ryan and her daughter were as unlike each other as mother and child could well be.

The widow was tall and angular in form, with flinty black eyes and hair of the same color, glossy and straight, and always combed from the low, broad foreheadwith critical precision. The broad mouth was firmly drawn down at the corners, while the whole contonr of her face betokened an inflexible will and a firm adherence to any formed opinion. Kitty was short in stature, slender and sylph-like in form, with deep blue eyes full of melting tenderness. Then she had the curliest auburn hair, and lips, that in their smiling curves, bespoke a yielding disposition.

"Kitty," said Mrs. Ryan, as she took off her sun bonnet and wiped the perspiration from her face, "the geese have all got into Ralph Homer's wheat lot and you will have to go and get them out. If young Homer should find them there they would all home with broken bones. Ralph is just such another as his father was before him. There never was any good in any of the Homer stock. So run along and get the geese home before he sees them. Strange that George and Will always happen away just when there wanted at home."

Soon Kitty was walking down the maple-shaded lane which ran between the two farms. The wind murmured musically through the leaves of the trees, and the little brook, which skirted the roadside, purled over its stony bed in soft and harmonious responses.

And Kitty heard and naturally enough gave way to musings quite foreign to her errand.

But though the geese running riot in Ralph Homer's grain were forgotten, the young master of the domain himself was not.

Kitty's memory carried her back to the days when as schoolmates she and Ralph Homer had been all in all to each other, and the time when the boy, then grown to young manhood, came home from the Princeton Academy to set her childish heart fluttering with his lover-like attentions.

Then came one of those schisms which so often destroy the harmony and good will of long-tried friends.

Mrs. Ryan and her husband considered themselves the injured parties, the former declaring that henceforth neither she nor hers should have aught to do with the Homers, and old Homer, equally ready to lay the blame on the Ryans, forbade his family over to renew the acquaintance, now virtually at an end. Several years had passed since then, and the heads of both families were mouldering to dust and yet the neighbors kept aloof from each other.

All this, and a great deal more, came to Kitty's mind as she walked, and she wondered with a little sigh whether Ralph remembered her as she did him, and whether they always were to be as strangers to each other.

But the great flock of geese were doing mischief surely, and Kittie soon forgot her cogitations in pursuit of the truant bipeds.

A goose has either less brains, or more obstinacy, or both, than any other creature, and these, either could not or would not, see the broken board through which they had entered; and Kitty's patience was becoming exhausted when her foot caught upon a stone, causing her to fall to the ground. She attempted to rise, but a violent pain in her ankle rendered it impossible.

In another moment Kitty was lying on the ground in a dead faint.

When she recovered she found herself in the shade of a huge maple, which overhung the brook, with somebody who was bathing her head with water from his hat. And somebody's eyes looked tenderly into her own as she opened them, and then, seeing she was so pale, a stout arm encircled her waist for support.

Kitty was in the care of Ralph Homer. And with his arm still about her, and his face so close to hers that their hair almost mingled, Mrs. Ryan found them, as she came in quest of Kitty, whose protracted stay had somewhat alarmed her.

The widow's face grew dark with passion, and her eyes had a ferocious gleam in their black depths as they rested on the frank, though now slightly flushed face of the young man.

"Kitty, I am utterly astonished at you; and for you, sir, your presumption is only equalled by your stupidity. Never dare, sir, to speak to my daughter again."

"And why, madam?"

"You know very well why. If you do not, let your memory of the past help you to the knowledge: never attempt to span the gulf that years ago came between us. Come Kitty, what ails you? Get up and come away at once."

Then Kitty found the use of her tongue, and stammered forth the cause of her non-return.

"Well, I can carry you home," said the widow, coldly; her pity for her daughter's suffering lost in her anger at finding her in company with the man she considered her bitterest enemy. She was bending over Kitty and endeavoring to lift her, when Ralph pushed her gently aside and with a low spoken "permit me," addressed more to the daughter than the mother, he lifted the suffering girl in his arms as though she were a mere child, and bore her homeward, Mrs. Ryan following close in his path, silently anathematizing both the young farmer and the unlucky accident which had made his assistance necessary.

When they reached the widow's cottage, Ralph deposited the burden on the sofa, received Mrs. Ryan's formal and insincere "thank you," pressed Kitty's hand in a way that sent the warm blood in a rosy flush to her pale face and departed.

But if Mrs. Ryan flattered herself that here the affair would end, she was doomed to disappointment, for every morning, during Kitty's confinement to the house, Ralph was with her, and Mrs. Ryan though very angry, made no open opposition to his visits, but muttered something about "farmers leaving their work to take care of itself, while they forced their company where their room was preferable."

But gradually as she saw more of the young man whose daily visits always brought such a happy light to Kitty's eyes, Mrs. Ryan almost unconsciously to herself, began to like him, and as this new feeling grew upon her, she often found herself glancing with admiring eyes down the maple shaded lane, to rest on the broad stretch of meadow and upland beyond. It was the finest farm around, the widow began to acknowledge to herself, and then came—though more tardily—a second acknowledgment, viz: that if Ralph was a Homer, he wasn't so much like his father after all, but more resembled his mother, against whom, personally, Mrs. Ryan could remember nothing evil.

The widow was standing in the door way overlooking the Homer estate when this conclusion became settled in her mind. Probably the undulating stretch of the well-tilled acres had its influence in bringing about this decision. Be this as it may, the next morning when Ralph called as usual to learn how Kitty was doing, instead of sending the little maid of work to admit him, with injunctions to stay with her young mistress until Mr. Homer left, Mrs. Ryan herself met him at the door and conducted him, with encouraging smiles and pleasant words to the cool parlor where Kitty was reclining. Of course after such a generous and unlooked-for reception, the young man's visit was longer than common, and before he left he was made happy by the assurance that Kitty's love and her mother's consent to an early union were his.

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When Dr. T. C. Minor was asked last night just what a blush was and how it was caused physiologically, he laid aside his cigar, pondered deeply for a moment and spoke thete wise words; "A blush is a temporary erythema and calorific effulgence of the physiognomy atiologized by the perceptiveness of the censorium when in a prediciment of unequilibrity from a sense of shame, anger or other cause, eventuating in a paresis of the vasomotor nervous filaments of the facial capillaries, whereby, being divested of their elasticity, they are suffused with radient, aereated, compound nutritive circulating liquid, emanating from an intimidated præcordia." When the doctor finish a sigh of relief was heard from his audience.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

To My Friends.

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A Submarine Cemetery.

An officer of the British Coast Guard fleet estimates that the bottom of the English channel is strewn with a larger number of wrecks than any other submarine area of equal extent—the route from Sicily to the mouth of the Tiber not accepted. A thorough dredging cruise around the narrowest part of the strait, he estimates, would tesult in the recovery of tons of coined treasure, and tens of thousands of human skeletons.—*New York Voice.*

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STOPPING ELECTRIC CARS.

Results of Some Experiments on Boston's Principal Line.

Some experiments that have been made to determine the distances required to stop an electric car under ordinary circumstances, from various speeds, have furnished interesting results as to the brake power of street cars, as appears by the annual report of the railroad commissioners. In making the experiments the following conditions were observed: A man with a number of surveying pins was stationed on the step of the rear platform; two observers with stop watches stood upon the platform; a fourth gave the signal for the driver to stop. With the car running at a uniform speed, it was necessary to determine—first, the rate of speed, and, second, the distance required to make a stop.

At a given signal the first stop watch was started and a pin was dropped upon the ground. At the expiration of ten seconds the observer with his stop watch gave another signal and stopped his watch. When this signal was given a second pin was dropped on the ground, the second stop watch was started and the signal given for the driver to put on the brakes. When the car came to rest the second stop watch was stopped and a third pin was dropped. The time required to pass over the distance between the first and second pins showed the rate of speed. The distance between the second and third pins was the length of stop.

On a subsequent occasion the speed was obtained by measuring the time necessary to pass over the distance between given streets. This method of observation was easy to carry out, but was, of course, not precise, and the given lengths of stop were slightly greater than the distances passed over from the time the brakes were actually applied to the wheels, owing to the fact that a fraction of a second was probably lost in giving the signals.

A great variation was shown between the different stops made. "Supposing," say the experts, "the friction to be the same, the length of stop should be as the square of the velocity. Really the friction is less the greater the velocity, so that the length of stop should be somewhat greater than in proportion to the square of the velocity. This was shown in a stop in thirty-six feet at 6.3 miles per hour, and in a stop in forty-eight feet at 12.2 miles per hour instead of a stop in 144 feet, as it would be according to the square of the velocity; or if the stop in forty-eight feet be taken as a basis of comparison the stop from six miles an hour should have been made in twelve feet. The grades in these cases were not greatly different. Again, comparing two experiments in which the speed was nearly the same, the stop on the down grade was much better than on the up grade. Other discrepancies of a similar character were noticed."—Boston Transcript.

The Need of Teaching Patriotism.

At the close of the first half century of the government, when, for instance, Webster delivered his eulogy of Adams and Jefferson, or his oration at the foundation of the Bunker Hill monument, there was no necessity of considering how to stimulate and deepen the sentiment of nationality. The vast flood of foreign immigration with which we are familiar had hardly begun to rise, and an appeal to American patriotism touched every heart with the same emotion. That day is passed.

The necessity and the consequent duty of instruction in national history and of preservation of the national traditions are inperative. The fundamental truths that there is no liberty without law, that every form of class legislation is anti-republican, that educated intelligence is a chief bulwark of free institutions, that individual vigilance and activity are the guarantee of political progress, must be constantly and practically inculcated.—Harper's Weekly.

A Sneezing Spot.

Everybody knows the "crazy bone" in the elbow. A man has had his attention called to an alleged crazy spot above the nose, about which little has been said. He sneezed while in the barber's chair having his hair combed.

"Did I touch the sneezing point?" inquired the barber. He then proceeded to explain that the "sneezing spot" was a sensitive place to the left of the middle of the forehead. "Why," said he, "there are men who come in here who sneeze regularly every time I comb their hair or shave them, just as soon as the comb passes over that spot. I had a man in here who sneezed three times just as hard as he could, all because I touched the 'sneezing spot.' It must be a very small nerve that tickles the nostril."—Albany Journal.

Leather Brake Shoes.

Railway brake shoes are made of compressed leather scraps in New South Wales. Scraps are steeped in a solution and subjected to a hydraulic pressure to mold them into any desired shape. This leather shoe weighs 4 1-2 pounds, against 21 1-2 pounds for iron, and has a greater co-efficient of friction, so that forty pounds of air pressure is as effective as seventy pounds with iron brake shoes.—Exchange.

Should Be Punished.

Mr. Scrubbs (indignantly)—Sir, I have just discovered that your son has engaged himself to two of my daughters.

Mr. Grubbs (stupefied)—The young rascal! He should be compelled to marry them both.—London Tit-Bits.

Lady—"I wish to select a pet dog." Dealer—"Live in the city, I suppose, mum?" "Yes, I live in a flat." "Then I would advise an Italian greyhound, mum. No matter how much you feeds a greyhound he always stays narrer."

It takes one-quarter of a minute to transmit an electric signal from Greenwich, England, to Montreal, Canada.

Spring Style Hats

— AT —

Munroe's Clothing House.

All the nobby and staple shapes in MEN'S and BOYS' DERBY and SOFT HATS, made expressly for us, are now ready. Please come and see the largest stock ever shown in this vicinity. We will give you the best hat for the least money.

C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

An Old Fashioned Girl.

"I've been watching an 'old-fashioned girl' for quite a long while," says a writer in the Fitchburg *Sentinel*, "and I want to tell you something about her.

"She had graduated, yet she did not think because of that fact that the kitchen was not good enough for her. Oh, no. She was so much behind the times that she actually washed the dishes, made her bed, dusted, and then began preparation for the pudding for dinner. Now, wasn't she absurd, when she (following the accustomed rut) should have been lying on the sofa with her latest novel in her hand and her pug dog beside her? When her little brother came in crying because his kite was broken, instead of calling him a horrid boy, as it is the fashion to do in some homes, she helped with her own hands to mend it. How could she be in such a small business?

"After dinner had been cleared away she produced a small workbasket and proceeded to mend the family stockings. Shocking! After her task was completed, she accompanied her mother on a shopping expedition; and, although she met many fine looking gentlemen, she did not flirt with any of them, for, don't you know, she was so antiquated she would have been shocked at the idea. As if it was not elevating to the intellect to be on the watch for some masculine person to fascinate!

"The girl of whom I am telling you was pretty looking, with a bright, fresh color in her face, brought on by plenty of exercise in the open air and in the kitchen. But I cannot begin to tell you half this queer girl did; for, you know, she was so old-fashioned that she did whatever good deed came into her heart to do, and her heart was such an antique affair that only pure, noble thoughts entered it. Her home was made bright and sunny by her presence, and yet she was not so perfect that she 'died young.' Oh, no. She lives today a girl who has 'no secrets' from her mother."

Stand Your Ground.

When you make up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy some other preparation instead. Clerks may claim that "ours is as good as Hood's" and all that, but the peculiar merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla cannot be equalled. Therefore have nothing to do with substitutes and insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and building-up medicine.

Alice and the Weather.

Alice (five years old)—I hope it will be a pleasant day for my party tomorrow, auntie.

Auntie—I trust it will, dear; the newspaper says tomorrow will be fair.

Alice—Do the papers always know?

Auntie—One cannot rely on them certainly, for occasionally they make mistakes.

Alice—Only God and grandma's bunions know for sure, do they, auntie?—*Boston Herald.*

"Didn't I just hear you offer that man five dollars if he would support you as a candidate?" "Why, yes, I did give him five dollars." "Don't you know that that is bribery?" "Oh no, its simply a votive offering."

Mr. Shinbone (of the South Sea Island)—My dear, are you going to the missionary hop this evening?

Mrs. Shinbone (sobbing)—How can I? Why, I've nothing to wear.

The Spinning Machine of a Spider.

The spinning machine is situated under the hinder part of the spider's body. It takes the form of a slight depression, which a close inspection shows to consist of six small bodies resembling tubes. Four of these contain an immense number of minute openings—as many as a thousand can be counted in each—and from every one of these openings a viscous fluid issues which hardens on exposure to the atmosphere. The whole 4,000 threads are united into one line, which is sometimes so fine that 4,000,000 twisted together would not have a combined diameter greater than that of an ordinary hair from the human head.

It is impossible to conceive the excessive slenderness of one of the four thousand threads which compose such a line. The bare statement that each one has a thickness only one sixteen thousand millionth of that of a human hair does not in any way convey the impression of its wonderful fineness. The mind can no more grasp the meaning of such figures than it can understand the immense distance of which astronomers talk so glibly.—Cornhill Magazine.

Indian Maple Sugar.

The question has been raised occasionally whether the Indians learned of the white settlers to make maple sugar, or the white men from the Indians. According to Professor Henry W. Henshaw, who addressed the American association on the subject, the Indians were indebted to their own powers of observation and invention for their method of sugar making.

They collect the sap in birch bark vessels, which hold in some cases a hundred gallons. They take advantage of cold April nights to freeze the sap, and in the morning throw out the ice. They evaporate it by throwing hot stones into the sap.

The sugar is eaten mixed with corn. Sometimes the pure sugar is their only diet for a month. They boil venison and rabbits in the hot sap as they evaporate it. They also make sugar from the silver maple and box elder.—Youth's Companion.

A Sign That Scares Many.

Omens which occasion the most concern to weak minded persons are those which are supposed to foretell a death. These are as numerous as they are foolish, and have probably come from the heathen shores of Asia and Africa, where they are still religiously entertained by all classes of society. The omen which is considered to be the most certain forerunner of the grim destroyer's intended visit is the house dog baying at the moon in front of the house, especially when for three nights in succession he continues the lonesome concert from the hours of 11 until 1 o'clock. Nothing is done to drive the peace disturber from the place, as that would hasten the doomed one's death, and the superstitious family, if all seem healthy at the time, fearfully look from one to the other and shudder.—Interview in Chicago News.

Debt of England.

Two hundred years ago the national debt amounted to only £664,263, with an annual charge of £39,835. At the commencement of the American war it had risen to £130,000,000, and at its concl

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

ON AN ELABORATE SCALE.

The Woburn Republican Meeting and Banquet will take place in Lyceum Hall on Wednesday evening, May 13.

The Committee on speakers, Hon. E. D. Hayden, Senator E. F. Wyer, Hon. J. G. Pollard, expect to report the attendance of and a speech from Ex-Congressman Greenhalge of Lowell, Mr. Roger Walcott, President of the Republican Club of Massachusetts, and many other party leaders.

Baldwin's Cadet Band of Boston have been engaged to furnish music for the occasion.

The Executive Committee desire it to be distinctly understood that the arrangements for this notable political gathering have been made on an elaborate scale and with the idea of making it an affair that will be a credit to the Republicans of Woburn.

Everybody is enthusiastic over the matter which insures a big attendance.

A PUBLIC HEARING.

Mayor Bean takes the right view of the case. He tells the advocates of a public hearing in the matter of granting licenses to sell intoxicating liquors to petition the Excise Board in due form for the privilege of examining into the standing and character of the applicants for licenses, to introduce testimony, submit arguments, etc. If this is done there can be no doubt but petitioners will get all the favors they may ask for in regard to such investigation, especially if the lists are made up of people whose characters have weight in the community.

Just such an investigation into the fitness of the applicants for license as is proposed by the friends of temperance ought to be held. There is a difference even in rumsellers, and while some of this year's applicants are fairly respectable men, there are others who are so obviously unfit that their petitions should be thrown out without ceremony. The best only should be granted licenses (if any are to be given out, which we hope will not be the case), and this, we have been informed on good authority, is Mayor Bean's idea and the plan which his judgment approves. Hence his avowed attitude towards the friends and advocates for the investigation and the objects which they seek to obtain in this important matter of granting licenses.

THE BARKER BILL.

A bill to regulate the organization and conduct of benefit associations, known as the Barker bill from the name of its author, was passed by the Legislature last Friday. It has produced a fluttering among the scores of societies of the kind in this State which would seem to indicate that they have been hard hit. It is reported that the one in Lowell closed its doors just as soon as it heard of the passage of this bill and others in various places are preparing to quit business at an early day.

The following are the principal features of the bill: It provides that every corporation, association, society or order organized under the laws of the state, which issues a certificate to, or makes a promise or agreement with its members to pay a sum of money at a fixed time or a benefit of any kind, except it be in case of sickness or death, must annually make a statement of its standing to the insurance commissioner. The latter official has the option of continuing or dissolving the corporation. The officers of the corporation are made liable to indictment if the provisions of the act are violated. No person is allowed to act as agent for said organization unless he be provided with a license.

A REVIVAL.

The Republicans of Massachusetts are enjoying a political revival such as has not been experienced by them for many years. From one end of the Commonwealth to the other their hearts are stirred up to a sense of duty in a manner and to a degree that augurs well for the future and means a big victory for them next fall. Almost every day large additions of the names of leading Republicans who have joined the Massachusetts Republican Club are published in the newspapers showing that the growth of the organization is truly wonderful.

We need a little of this revival spirit in Woburn. A start has been made towards having a big mass meeting here at an early day, and the movement it is believed will be crowned with success. Senator Wyer was the first to suggest it but other prominent party men endorsed and offered to help it along, and we can see no reason why Woburn Republicans should not thus manifest their interest in the great revival that is going on all over the State by holding a meeting the size and enthusiasm of which would be a surprise to everybody.

DIVISION OF TOWNS.

One branch of the present Legislature have been brought to a realizing sense of their duty and obligations to the people of the State and as a result there has been reported a resolution for a constitutional amendment to prevent the division of towns against the wishes of a majority of the legal voters thereof duly expressed at the ballot-box.

Strange as it may seem the measure encountered not a little opposition from some of the Solons who are wise only in their own conceit, but the justice and good sense of it secured its adoption by a respectable majority.

Among the many commendable things done by the present Legislature the treatment of the public demand for this constitutional amendment is by no means the least important.

☞ The charge that Mayor Bean and the Board of Aldermen held a "snap-shot" session last week Thursday evening and that the Mayor was responsible for it was far from being the truth.

☞ Some of the Boston papers treat the Gypsy Moth and the means adopted by the Commonwealth to destroy him with shameful levity.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

F. A. Hartwell—Lost.
City—Milk Inspector.
Cahill—Com. Clo. Co.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
F. W. Chase—Wanted.
Board of Trade—Notice.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Mrs. Stevens—Dressmaking.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Yesterday was another summer-like day.

— The Carpenter's Union will give a great ball in May.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond and wife expected home shortly.

— Mr. Peter Kenney is still confined to his home with illness.

— Mr. Thomas Robertson is the new Cummingsville mail-carrier.

— Milk Inspector Fred Leeds publishes an important notice in the JOURNAL.

— Mrs. Livermore will deliver a lecture before the Woman's Club this afternoon.

— The first reunion of Division No. 1, B. of E., will be held on April 21, at 472 Main street.

— Mr. Edward L. Shaw, President of the Woburn First National Bank, sailed for Europe last week.

— Every business man in this city is wide awake for "Merchants' Day" and is booming it for all it is worth.

— The alarm from Box 53 last night was for a small fire in a cement shed of N. J. Simonds off Main street.

— Mr. Horace N. Conn, the insurance agent, has got out a neat and novel receipt-book for his business.

— Hon. E. D. Hayden of this city has recently been chosen Vice President of the Boston and Albany Railroad Co.

— It is expected that Gov. Russell will attend the annual dinner of the Woburn Board of Trade on the evening of April 30.

— The date fixed for holding the big Republican Mass Meeting in this city with trimmings has been given out as May 13.

— Mrs. Wilbur E. Cummings and Miss Minnie Moody, who have been visiting at Washington, D. C., lately, have returned.

— Mr. Samuel Skelton has been ill for nearly two months but is on the streets once more although he still has a pretty bad neck.

— Mrs. M. D. Stevens carries on fashionable cloak and dress making at her home at No. 59 Warren st., this city. Please read her card in another column.

— The City Board demonstrated their ability to tell a good thing when they see it by designating the JOURNAL and *News* the city's official organs the other night.

— There is to be a meeting of the shareholders of the Middlesex Investment Co. to-morrow evening to act on business of importance. A settlement of the affairs of the Co. is expected.

— In view of the fact that between 30 and 40 applications for licenses to sell rum in this city have been made and only 13 can be granted, there are many men on the anxious-seats just now.

— Business at the machine shops of J. T. Freeman & Co. is firstrate. The proprietors have lately made some out of town contracts which keep a good crew of machinists busy all the time.

— Fred Prior is rapidly winning his way to the good graces of Beggs & Cobb, his employees, by giving the best of satisfaction in the discharge of the special duties of his position with the firm.

— The Commonwealth Clothing House of Boston announce in another column the opening of their spring and summer styles of clothing. All our readers are invited to attend the opening this week.

— Last Tuesday was a genuine late spring or early summer day. Grass and buds fairly leaped into new life and notice and at nightfall some people declared they heard the musical notes of the early frog.

— Landlord Thompson of the Central House will carry on the Parker House at Kennebunkport again this season. The house is one of the pleasantest and best patronized summer resorts on the Maine coast.

— Prior's auction sale of horses, carts, wagons, harnesses, and a great lot of other property belonging to Loring & Avery and others last Saturday at the Central House Stables was a very satisfactory one to the sellers.

— The wife and children of Landlord Thompson of the Central House have gone to No. Conway where they will remain until July 1, when they will take up their summer home at the Parker House at Kennebunkport, Me.

— Mr. Fred Hartwell has lost a fine St. Bernard dog as will be seen by his card. He was a great favorite with the family who are anxious to learn of his whereabouts, and will suitably reward any one who will furnish such information.

— Henry A. Henshaw is still teaching private classes at Harvard, from which he graduated five or six years ago, and also pursuing his studies in the Semitic language. Henry is a worker—a real, live, double-and-twisted literary and scientific delver.

— Mr. Fred Stanley, of the firm of Fitz & Stanley, the wideawake and successful proprietors of the Boston Branch grocery (sugar 5 cents per pound), has bought the residence of Mr. Charles H. Arnold on Green street, which, happily, insures his permanent residence in this city. We are glad of it for Mr. Stanley is a good business man and estimable citizen.

— Mr. Elmore A. Pierce of this city has been engaged by the G. A. R. Post and City authorities of Waltham to deliver the Memorial Address there next month. Mr. Pierce's address here last Memorial Day gave great pleasure and satisfaction to everyone who heard it.

— Mr. Charles S. Rand of the firm of Cooper & Rand of the Woburn Real Estate Exchange who has been confined to the house for the past three weeks with bilious fever was again seen on the street last Wednesday week and is now able to give some attention to the firm's business.

— Frank Nichols is getting a good ready for supplying all Woburn with the best ice in the market at very low prices this season, and Philo Goodrich is doing the same thing for Winchester's benefit. With such man at the helm pure ice, good weight, low figures, and fair deal will prevail.

— One of the oldest residents of Woburn at the present time is Mr. Samuel S. Porter who was 85 last Wednesday. His grandfather was killed at the Battle of Lexington, the opening fight of the Revolutionary War which resulted in the independence of this great and glorious nation.

— Mr. John Gilcreast, Superintendent of the Gaslight Co., is at his post of duty again. Although laid up with severe sickness for a couple of weeks or more he was pleased to find, when he got back to his office, that the gas meters had kept right on working just as though nothing had been the matter with the Superintendent.

— Bulletin No. 2 of the Hatch Experiment Station of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, which is a "Report on Insects," ought to be in the hands of every freeholder in Medford and Winchester and, if possible, introduced as a text-book into their public schools. The State Gypsy Moth Commission too might use it to advantage.

— Big preparatians are on foot for the observance of "Merchant's Day" in this city next Thursday afternoon and evening. It will be a gala time and if our streets and stores are not filled, crowded and running over with people from Wilmington, Burlington, Stoneham, Winchester and neighboring places all the afternoon then we will miss our guess.

— The following are the recently elected officers of the Unitarian church in this city: Clerk, Herbert B. Dow; Treasurer, John W. Johnson; Auditor, Robert J. W. Phinney; Trustee permanent fund, Joseph W. Hammond; Parish Committee, Henry M. Aldrich, Edward L. Shaw, Mrs. Abigail M. Winn, Mrs. Cynthia B. Goddard, John W. Johnson.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery returned from the New England Methodist Conference last Tuesday afternoon. In accordance with the unanimous desire of its members he was reappointed to his third year's pastorate of the Woburn Church, by whom he is held in high esteem. He was made one of the Directors of the Temperance Society of the Conference and filled other posts of honor.

— Barnum, the great showman whose death occurred at his palatial home in Bridgeport, Conn., last week, is mourned no more deeply or sincerely by anyone in all the broad land than by Mr. Waterman Brown of this city. Barnum was the complete realization of Brown's beauideal of a man and showman, hence his grief over the author and finisher of the "Greatest Show on Earth."

— The Soliciting Committee for funds to defray the expenses of "Merchants Day" have met with extraordinary success. Merchants have vied with each other in contributing to the very laudable enterprise and in every instance the lowest depths of masculine pockets have been carefully explored for the wherewithal to make this grand "Business Opening" of the Woburn merchants a magnificent success.

— The local reporter of the Boston *Globe* furnishes in a late issue of that paper the cheering information that a good deal of building is going on and in contemplation on the property of the Woburn Land Co. at No. Woburn. There is no good reason why there should not be, for Ward 6 is the fairest and best portion of the city and for pleasant and healthy residence there is no section in the suburbs of Boston that surpasses it.

— It is announced that the Miles-Morgan Concert Company will give a concert in this city on Friday evening, April 24. The talent will consist of Mrs. E. E. Morgan of New York, the popular soprano; Lena Curtis, reader, and the Nellie Miles Ladies Orchestra, and others. The usher will be Mr. H. W. Dean with a corps of competent aids. The same troupe are expected to give a concert at Winchester near the same date.

— Last Tuesday Miss Lizzie J. Callahan resigned her clerkship in the postoffice in this city and returned to her old position at R. H. White & Co's in Boston. She served under postmaster Reade for some time when and during her service with postmaster Wyman she was very popular with the patrons of the office on account of her uniform courtesy and pleasant ways and promptness in the discharge of her duties. The public will miss Miss Lizzie's cordial greetings at the delivery windows and business desk.

— The Annual Fair and Sale given by the Managers for the benefit of the treasury of the Woburn Home for Aged Women opened on Wednesday evening last at Music Hall with a large attendance and a handsome display of goods, wares and merchandise. The supper was a feature that attracted a large crowd of hungry people and no doubt swelled the exchequer of the Home a good deal. The lady attendants were very kind and courteous to visitors and everything was done by them to make people contented and happy. The Fair wound up last evening —too late for the JOURNAL to give its final result, but it is safe to say a large amount of money was taken in. The whole thing was very pleasing to the community, the members of which take a lively interest in the Old Ladies Home.

— The monthly meeting and dinner of the Mayors' Club was held at Young's in Boston last Saturday in honor of ex-Mayors Hart of Boston and Johnson of Woburn. Mayor Fisher of Waltham presided. The guests were Congressman Greenhalge of Lowell and Hon. Charles H. Burns of New Hampshire, and the speakers were Postmaster Hart of Boston, Judge Johnson of Woburn, Hon. C. H. Burns, ex-Mayor O'Brien and Hon. F. T. Greenhalge. The meeting was well attended and a very pleasant one.

— A pleasant surprise was given to Mrs. A. V. Haynes Wednesday evening, April 15, by a few of her neighbors, it being her seventieth birthday. Readings appropriate for the occasion were given by Mrs. B. A. Stearns and Mrs. F. E. Soles. Mrs. Haynes was presented with a bouquet of roses and other remembrances. Ice cream, cake and confections were served by her friends during the evening and all enjoyed a very pleasant time. Mrs. Haynes was in excellent spirits and appeared more like a lady of fifty years than seventy.

— Gov. Fowle of North Carolina who died two weeks ago was a cousin of Luke Warren Fowle and George E. Fowle of this city and also of the late Luther A. Fowle. He was son of Samuel Fowle who was born in Woburn. Samuel was a brother of Luke, Jedathan and Edward Fowle. Samuel went South over 50 years ago, and settled in North Carolina. During late war the 5th Regiment, Massachusetts Infantry, in which there was a Woburn Company, camped on Fowle's plantation. Samuel Fowle's home in Woburn was near James Skinner's residence.

— The Ladies Auxiliary to the St. Charles C. T. A. is a new society which is destined to be of great benefit to the good cause. It is composed of the more prominent Catholic young ladies of the city and its permanency is assured. At a meeting hold on last Wednesday evening at St. Charles Hall they elected officers as follows: President, Miss Kate McElhaney; Vice President, Miss Lizzie Calnan; Recording Secretary, Miss Annie Kelleher; Financial Secretary, Miss Margaret M. McKay; Treasurer, Miss Kate Mahoney; Directors, Miss Maggie Farrie, Miss Nellie O'Brien, Miss Julia Mahoney. The Auxiliary hold their regular meetings every Wednesday evening in St. Charles Hall.

— It is officially announced that the annual banquet of the Board of Trade will be given on Thursday evening, April 30, in Music Hall adjacent to the Board's rooms. The price of tickets will be $1.50, for which modest sum the ticket-holder will get a sumptuous repast and the privileges of an oratorical entertainment, with Gov. Russell in the principal role, worth at least twice the price paid. Besides His Excellency the Governor, other distinguished State officials and eminent dignitaries will honor the occasion with their presence, partake of the Board's hospitality, and have a good time generally. Concerning this important society event—More Anon.

— Rev. Mr. Munhall, the eminent Evangelist who is now doing successful religious work among the Haverhill churches, will open a series of revival meetings at the First Congregational church in this city on next Sunday evening. The singing for the series will be under the direction of Mr. Rowe. Last Wednesday evening Rev. Dr. March said some good words paving the way to the advent of Mr. Munhall; last evening Dr. Plumb of Boston followed with an eloquent sermon on the same line; and this evening the Christian Endeavor Society, under the direction of the General Secretary, will hold a meeting for the promotion of the same object. It need not be said that Rev. Munhall is a earnest, eloquent and successful evangelist.

— We enjoyed the pleasure of an introduction to Judge Hiel Hollister of Granville, N. Y., last Tuesday, who was in this city visiting his brother-in-law, John M. Harlow, M. D., and left for Washington, D. C., on yesterday. Although Judge Hollister is 85 years of age the hand of time has rested so lightly on his shoulders that one would take him for a gentleman 15 years younger than he is, and especially would this be the feeling on learning that the Judge is a great traveler, that he has recently been in 20 of the United States, and proposes to indulge in a good deal more of the same kind of pleasure-seeking, and that in all his rambles to and fro over his native land he is unattended and very successfully "paddles his own canoe" in all sorts of places and among all sorts of people. That we call doing well for a man who is an octogenarian and five years over. Judge Hollister is a native of Vermont, in which State he lived up to 9 years ago when he moved to York State and now resides there. He married a sister of Dr. Harlow, who is also a native of the Green Mountain State. He served on the Judicial Bench of that Commonwealth for many years with ability and credit. We found Judge Hollister an intelligent and pleasant gentleman.

— The spring millinery opening at Mr. Amos Cummings's prosperous establishment on Main street opposite the Common is announced to take place on the afternoon and evening of next Thursday, April 23, and for it the proprietor is making extensive preparations. The affair will take the shape of a concert for which the Marion Osgood's Ladies Orchestra of the Osgood School of Oratory in Boston, a very popular musical organization which Mr. Cummings has employed on a former similar occasion to the unbounded pleasure of the myriads of ladies who attended his grand opening that year, will furnish new and popular music and be sure to entertain the visitors in the most agreeable manner. This will prove a very attractive feature to an important business event which, we make no doubt, is anticipated with much pleasure by the ladies of this city as well as of neighboring towns; but it is quite like Mr. Cummings to spare no expense when consulting the happiness of his patrons or catering to their wants. The great number of ladies who were so delightfully regaled on the former opening by this widely known and very popular Orchestra will be sure to attend Mr. Cummings's opening next Thursday afternoon and evening if for no other purpose than to enjoy the rich musical treat then and there so generously prepared for them by the proprietor. But besides this unique and delightful musical feature the opening will present strong attractions in the shape of elegant millinery goods—bonnets and hats *a la mode*, beautiful ribbons, rich velvets, laces, flowers, etc., the stock being directly from the fashion centres of New York and Boston, and equal to the very best to be found in any firstclass millinery establishment in the State.

— Hon. Stephen M. Allen, who presided at the reunion of the Veteran Republicans in Tremont Temple last Wednesday, and is the surviving presiding officer of the Worcester Convention of July 20, 1854, which formed and gave the name to the Republican party in Massachusetts, was formerly a citizen of Woburn.

— Lambeth's Scotch Choir gave a magnificent concert at Lyceum Hall on Wednesday evening under the auspices of Clan MacKinnon, which everyone enjoyed in the highest degree. There was a very large audience composed chiefly of musical people who honored the singing with undivided attention and bestowed on it much well merited applause. We haven't had so fine a concert in Lyceum Hall for a great while, and Clan MacKinnon deserve warm thanks for furnishing the same.

— The death of Dr. Eben Tourjee will be severely felt by the New England Conservatory of Music, of which he was the founder and its leading and guiding spirit. He has been from the beginning the Director of its vast affairs, and its great success and world-wide fame as a musical institution are due almost entirely to the energy, industry and rare executive abilities of Dr. Tourjee. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon last at the Tremont street Methodist church, and among the bearers was Mr. F. H. Lewis of this city, Principal of the Lewis Music School, who was selected for the mournful service by Mrs. Tourjee on the score of the friendly relations that existed for many years between the Doctor and Mr. Lewis. The deceased was Dean of Boston University when Mr. Lewis entered it as a student in 1872, and also Director of the New England Conservatory of Music, and when Mr. Lewis graduated from the University in 1875 he was selected by Dr. Tourjee for an important teachership in the Conservatory and in due time was enrolled as a regular member of the Faculty of that celebrated school. In this capacity Mr. Lewis has served it ever since and for 16 years has been one of its most prominent teachers of the pianoforte and organ. During this long period a strong and warm friendship has existed between these two gentlemen. Mr. Lewis was pleasantly associated with the Doctor in the latter's last service as Choir Director, which was at the Tremont Street M. E. church about four years ago. When the Doctor took charge of the music of the church he selected Mr. Lewis for its organist, and the two worked harmoniously together until the Doctor's increasing duties at the Conservatory compelled him to give up the musical directorship at the church and place it entirely in the hands of Mr. Lewis, who treasures the thought that he was Dr. Tourjee's last associate in church musical work. Other members of the Faculty were pall-bearers with Mr. Lewis, and the church was crowded with the personal and professional friends and admirers of the distinguished founder and builder of the New England Conservatory of Music, one of the largest and most celebrated institutions of the kind in the world.

Drill of the W. H. S. B.

Pursuant to notice a very fine exhibition drill was given by the Woburn High School Battalion (7th Bal. 2nd Mass. School Regt.) in Carter's Rink last Friday evening. A large gathering of interested spectators were present and bestowed strict attention on the excellent work of the boys. The object of the drill was mainly to determine which of the two Companies composing the Battalion should represent it at the General Muster soon to be held at Lynn, which honor was won by Co. A. The order of drill included a Guard Mount by details from Cos. A and B. Formation of Line. Review; Battalion Drill commanded by Major Irving R. Bancroft; Drum Corps, under Sergeant Parker C. Fowle; all doing credit to their Commanders. The sixth upon the programme was a competitive drill between Co. B, Capt. J. C. Hanson, and Co. A Capt. E. R. Porter.

Then followed a drill by the privates for the Russell Medal. To begin with there were 42 privates in line for the medal, 28 of whom were descended at the close of the first exercise leaving 19, 13 of whom were thrown out after the second exercise, leaving six who were James Linnell, John Moore, Matthew Thornton, Almy Carter, Waldo Cutler, Leon Parkhurst, the medal being awarded Mr. James Linnell. Mayor Bean and Mr. William F. Kenney viewed the drill and His Honor made a speech presenting the medal, and expressing himself as being very well pleased with the proficiency which the battalion displayed. The judges for the occasion were Capt. Thomas C. Henderson, Lieut. Charles R. Row, of Co. E, Fifth Regiment, Medford, Lieut. Joseph C. Larock, of Co. G, Fifth Regt., this city.

The Miles-Morgan Concert in Lyceum Hall, April 24, 1891.

Statistics of Woburn M. E. Church.

Sunday morning, April 5, the Rev. Hugh Montgomery made a statement concerning his two years' work in Woburn as pastor of said church. He has preached 68 sermons on miscellaneous subjects; 26 sermons by request on special subjects; 11 sermons on temperance; 16 lectures, and 10 preludes on different phases of the temperance question. This includes the sermons and lectures given in the church only. It is to be remembered that he has exchanged 20 Sabbaths with ministers of his own denomination to raise money for the building fund.

When he came to Woburn the membership of the church was 209, with 12 probationers, making a total of 221. The membership is now 250, with 40 probationers, making a total of 290; 21 have been removed by death and letter.

The Sabbath School numbers 360, with 44 teachers and officers, and is in a flourishing condition under the care of its Superintendent Mr. Copeland.

Two years ago the mortgage on the church property was $16,000; the Trustees owed a floating debt of $890; the Stewards owed over $200 on current expenses of previous year. There was raised last year for all expenses, $3,234 57. The total amount subscribed for the new church this year is $12,344 55; a little over $5,000 of this is still uncollected, but the subscriptions for the most part are reliable. There has been raised for current expenses $2,121 95; about $400 is still needed to meet the expenses of the past year; $250 is not yet provided for.

The pastor said there were two reasons why they were deficient: first, that they had contributed so largely to the new church; the other, that it has been an extremely hard year for working people. Many have been without employment and a great deal of sickness prevailed. In spite of these difficulties, he said, that the church would be out of debt had it not been for the failure of the contractor: $4,700 was paid for the lot and foundation for the new edifice; the contract was let for $13,000 above the foundation. This included everything except chandeliers, carpets, horse sheds and insurance. Before the contractor gave up the work the building committee either paid him or accepted his orders to the amount of $12,600. Thus it cost $3,500 more to complete the church than had been originally figured upon. There has been sufficient paid into the treasury to meet all expenses, had it not been necessary to raise this extra sum.

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The Woburn Co-Operative Bank.

The annual meeting for the election of officers was held in the Bank's rooms on the evening of the 9th instant when and where the following gentlemen were chosen to fill the respective places named: President, James Skinner; Vice-President, George Buchanan; Treasurer, A. W. Whitcher; Secretary, A. W. Whitcher; Directors, B. F. Whittemore, J. W. Hammond, W. F. Davis, Otis Bacon, Lawrence Reade, Martin Hayward, J. B. McDonald, S. B. Goddard, Thomas Salmon, F. H. Lewis, H. C. Hall, S. F. Trull, Fred J. Brown, Frederic A. Flint, H. E. Smith; Auditors, C. A. Burdett, A. E. Gage, Winthrop Hammond.

There was sold $4,000, $2,200 of it for 5 cents premium per share, and $2,200 for 15 cents premium per share. Of the whole amount $4,200 is to be put into the erection of two dwellings, for one of which ground has already been broken, and for the other it will be very soon. Secretary Whitcher is in consultation with other parties who, it is believed, will wish to purchase a part at least of the $3,000 that will be offered for sale at the next regular meeting of the Bank to be held on May 14. The institution is a good thing for Woburn.

At that meeting too, besides selling the money on hand, an election of a Vice-President will take place to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Buchanan.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

A special meeting of the Board was held on last Monday evening at which all the members were present. Mayor Bean held the gavel.

Patrick Kelleys application for State aid was referred to State Aid Committee.——Thomas Moore & Co. were granted a Common Victuallers license.——Samuel D. Thompson, first and fourth, for Central House. James H. Connolly & Co. were granted inn-holders license; Charles H. Buss applied for a sixth class druggist's license.——A communication was received from the Rumford Historical Association, asking that the name "Rumford" be given the park recently acquired by the city. On motion of Alderman Dearborn, it was tabled.——An order from Alderman Fowle was passed providing that all advertisements of liquor licenses be printed in the JOURNAL and *News*. Alderman Dearborn moved to go into a committee of the whole on petition of Fred E. Perkins and others for a regular patrolman in Ward 6. It was carried, and Alderman Davis presented a minority report, but a majority report was adopted.

Y. M. C. A.

Rev. D. D. Winn will conduct the S. S.

Saturday evening Bible class Saturday evening from 8 to 9, for men of all ages.

Rev. D. D. Winn will give an exposition of the Sunday School Lesson tomorrow afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. parlor.

Sunday at 3 P. M. will be held the boys meeting: subject "Bottle Talk" by Chester A. Cotton of Cambridge. Come boys and hear the Bottles Talk.

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"Merchants Day."

The committee having the matter in charge have fixed on Thursday next, April 23, afternoon and evening, for "Merchants Day" and the same will be observed accordingly. A great deal of interest in the new departure is felt on the part of the business men of this city who have subscribed liberally to the fund raised to defray the expenses of the day. All up and down the streets men reached down deep for their "bottom dollar" as a contribution to the fund and found it, which gave the committee a chance to report great success in collecting money. When any enterprise is on foot or anything is to be done for the benefit of this city her merchants and other leading men can be depended on for material aid every time. So in this case.

The plan which the committee, aided by patriotic traders, mechanics, and others interested in our growth and prosperity, propose to carry out is, in the first place, to give everybody a free ride. All the cars on the No. Woburn Street Railroad and the East Middlesex Street Railroad have been chartered to carry people free to and fro between Winchester, Stoneham, Montvale, and No. Woburn, and Woburn Centre during the whole afternoon and evening of Thursday, April 23, next; to run free barges to Cummingsville, Burlington, and Wilmington from the N. W. car stables, and by this means to insure to everyone who wants it a fine, pleasant ride for nothing.

It is expected that hundreds of people will avail themselves of this generous offer and flock to Woburn on that afternoon and evening in great numbers from all points of the compass, and the merchants will see the wisdom of the novel movement in the great crowds of ladies and gentlemen who will fill their stores. Everybody will receive a cordial greeting from our business men who will leave no stone unturned to render the visits of the people pleasant and profitable. A brass band will give several concerts on the Common during the afternoon and evening, and the streets will be brilliantly illuminated after night.

Briefly, the merchants of Woburn Centre will do everything which may be in their power to pleasantly entertain their visitors from neighboring towns and villages, and up to date no such word as fail has ever been found in their dictionaries.

The idea of holding "Merchants Day" is a neat one whoever may have originated it. It really is to be a general "Opening Day" of spring trade at Woburn, and our business men did wisely when they pooled their interests and raised money enough to advertise the day in this splendid style.

Now let all the men, women and children within a radius of 3 or 4 miles take advantage of the generous offer of a free horse car or barge ride on the afternoon and evening of the 23d instant and come to Woburn's grand "Spring Opening." Good neighbors and friends, combine business with pleasure and when you strike the Centre visit the stores of the whole-souled merchants whose enterprise has enabled you to get here and back again for nothing and just see how much money you can save by buying goods of them instead of in Boston.

(From Winchester Star.)

Hannah Davis Richardson.

Hannah Davis Richardson, who died in this town the present week, 91 years old, was born in Westford and came to Woburn with her father when about 5 years old. Her father bought and lived upon the spot where now stands the residence of James Russell. This place was where the Belknap family lived, so celebrated in the early military history of Woburn and the country. In 1824 Hannah Davis married Gilbert Richardson, a descendant in the 7th generation of Ezekiel Richardson. This family are the only descendants of Ezekiel living in Winchester. The house in which Hannah Davis lived when married, was for a long time a tavern of some note. The writer well remembers the old tavern sign as it hung from a post. It was at this tavern that in 1810 Benjamin and Joseph Brooks were brought after they were found frozen to death in the woods upon the mountain between Winchester Highlands and Woburn. Mrs. Gilbert Richardson was a worthy, Christian woman, mother of seven children, three of whom entered the ministry. One daughter married the eminent musician Wm. H. Clarke. Gilbert Richardson has been dead 22 years. He was a good and respected citizen. The family house is the last one in Winchester near the Woburn line.

N. A. RICHARDSON.

Winchester, April 9, 1891.

North Woburn.

The Woburn City L. & I. Co. are doing a rushing business and many houses are being built.

One may rest assured that the leather business is pretty dull when such a shop as Mr. B. F. Kimball's is closed.

Three cheers for Mr. Fred E. Perkins and his followers for their good work in stirring up the police question.

Mrs. Marshall and family have moved to the Centre as her son Mr. George Marshall has gone to work in Mr. Duncan's leather factory.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting in the parlors of the Congregational church on next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The public are cordially invited.

Messrs. George Merrill and Carl Perkins have opened the store next to the postoffice, and are manufacturing boots and shoes. They also are ready to do repairing in the neatest style at reasonable prices.

The last sociable to be held this season by the Congregational Society took place in the vestry of the church on Friday evening, April 10. An excellent supper was served after which a short entertainment was given.

Mr. William B. Erwin, who has been a citizen of this village for a number of years, died on last Monday in the Mass. General Hospital. The funeral services took place in the Congregational church on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The deceased was a member of the I. O. R. M.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, April, 15 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

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Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL RECORD, published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston, is neat and inviting this month.

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Burlington.

The spring term of the schools began Monday. There is no change in the corps of teachers.

Rev. C. Hersey of Andover has been engaged to preach at the church for the next year. He has supplied the pulpit for several Sundays and is well liked by the people. The attendance at the last Sunday evening service was larger than at any similar service for a long time.

The Nellie Miles Ladies Orchestra of Lynn, Mass., assisted by Mrs. E. E. Morgan, Soprano, of New York, and Miss Lena Curtis, Reader, of Rutland, Vt., will give a select concert in Lyceum Hall, Friday evening, April 24, 1891.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: Seed Sowing. At 6 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Salvation Free;" Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Dr. Munhall will preach at 7 p. m. Evangelistic services conducted by Dr. Munhall every evening from Monday to Friday.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m., preaching by pastor. Subject: "This is the third time I have come unto you." II Cor. 13:1. At 5.30 p. m. Epworth League Meeting; Union Service in Congregational Church, preaching by Dr. Munhall. Meetings every afternoon and evening next week at M. E. Church conducted by Dr. Munhall the Evangelist.

Mrs. E. E. Morgan, one of New York City's prima donas will appear in Lyceum Hall, April 24, 1891.

Worthy Object.

An appeal is made in behalf of Mr. W. M. Cameron and family of No. Woburn who, on account of sickness and other ills, have become needy. They are very worthy people.

Mr. Cameron wants to get to Colorado where his only relatives live. Rev. Mr. Murphy makes an appeal for help to enable him and his family to go.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, April 5, Thankful C. Bean, aged 74 years, 4 months, 16 days.

In this city, April 13, Catherine E. Barry, aged 18 years, 1 month, 21 days.

In the Mass. Gen. Hospital, April 13, William B. Erwin of this city, aged 60 years, 8 months.

In this city, April 14, George A. Colby, aged 2 years, 3 months, 14 days.

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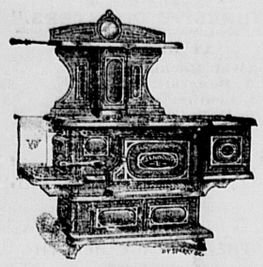

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The Opera.

The coming opera, Il Trovatore, a benefit for Miss Mabel C. Davis to be given next Wednesday evening, April 22, at Lyceum Hall promises to be the musical event of the season. Never before has so elaborate an opera been given complete in Woburn. Mr. Charles R. Adams, who for fifteen years was Court tenor a Vienna, and who is considered the greatest American tenor, will sing the part of Maurico. Mr. Adams several years ago retired from the operatic stage and is rarely heard in public at the present day. It will be worth double the price of admission to hear and see this great artist again. The other soloists include Signor Guiseppe Campanari, a successful operatic baritone, Miss Luella Wagner, a most charming soprano, Mr. Fred Marston, basso and Miss Davis our local favorite. In addition there will be a chorus of picked voices from Boston, Miss Mertena Bancroft pianist and Miss Emtlie Grant of Boston, organist. Scenery from Sullivan and costumes furnished by Raymond. The expense attending the production of so grand an opera is very great but no money will be spared to make the performance a success. Mason & Hamlin kindly furnish the grand pianoforte and Liszt organ. It is earnestly hoped that the Woburn public will avail themselves of this musical treat and also show their good will and generosity toward Miss Davis who has always graciously responded to the many calls for her services. Do not let it be said "A prophet is not with out honor, save in his own country." X Y. Z.

The following is the Il Trovatore

ARGUMENT.

At the beginning of the 15th century lived an old Count who had two young sons not much apart in age. One night while both were in their infancy, an old gypsy woman gained access to their chamber and was discovered by a servant, near the cradle of the younger child. The gypsy was violently expelled from the castle, but from that day the child's health began to fail, and all remedies proving of no avail, the old gypsy was suspected of having bewitched the child. Search was instituted and the woman taken prisoner and burned alive. A daughter of the woman with her child in her arms watched the execution. To avenge her mother she stole the younger son of the Count and hurried with him to the stake where the flames still raged over her ill-fated mother. Frantic with grief, and almost beside herself, she by a fatal mistake hurled her own child into the flames. Not to be baffled in her designs she fled taking the child with her, joined her tribe and brought the child up as her own son, Maurico—The Troubadore. In the mean time the old Count dies, leaving the oldest son sole heir to his title and possession. Maurico now a valient and daring knight entered the contest at a tourney, disguised, won all honors and was crowned victor by the Duchess Leonora. From this moment dated a passionate love shared by both. Unhappily, the Count di Luna was also in love with Leonora and over some hasty words the rivals fought a duel. Manrico, about to kill his adversary, is prevented from doing so by the sudden influence of some secret power bidding him spare his victim. Reluctantly he retires. Joining the army he was reported dead, but his mother, Azucena, sought him out by night upon the battlefield and nursed him back to life. Hearing that Leonora believing the reports of his death was to take the veil at a convent he departed and arrived at the convent just in time to rescue Leonora who was about to be carried off forcibly by the Count. Azucena, following Manrico had ventured too far into the enemies lines, and was taken prisoner as a spy but was soon recognized by an old servant of the house of Luna as the gypsy who stole the young child years before. Frightened at this discovery she calls upon Manrico to protect her but the Count's anger aroused, he orders her to be burned at the stake. Manrico in the meantime was making preparations to celebrate his union with Leonora when he was called to rescue his mother, his forces were repulsed and he was taken prisoner. On the eve before the day fixed for the execution of mother and son, Leonora appears before the Count and pleading for her lover's life offers him her hand in exchange. The Count consents and Leonora is admitted to the prison to restore Manrico to liberty. Before entering, however, she takes poison which she carries concealed in a ring; Manrico, believing her faithless, refuses to accept his liberty. The delay proves fatal the poison works its mission, and too late he discovers the extent of her sacrifice and Leonora dies in his arms. The Count enters grasps the situation at a glance and orders Manrico to be beheaded immediately. While his orders are being obeyed he arouses the gypsy from the stupor in which she has been lying in a corner of the dungeon and dragging her to a window shows her the execution of her supposed son. Azucena triumphantly divulges her secret exclaiming to the horrified Count, "The victim was thy brother!" and with the cry "Mother thou art avenged!" sinks lifeless to the ground.

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WINCHESTER.

Mr. Hunt has been reappointed Supt. of Schools.

The Salvation Army occupy Lyceum Hall for their meetings.

Calumet Club will give an entertainment and ball on April 24, in Town Hall.

The machinery in the *Star* printing establishment is run by a water motor. How we apples swim!

Col. Nat. Richardson, the local historian, has, very properly, been reappointed Supt. of Streets.

"Gyp, Jr." is to be given in G. A. R. Hall here on the evening of April 21, under the management of Mrs. C. M. Strout of Woburn.

One of the pleasantest parties of the season at Winchester was that given in Rangeley Hall Wednesday evening. The dancing was from 8 until 12, and the favors were both unique and handsome. The matrons were: Mrs. C. A. Cutter, Mrs. J. M. Corse, Mrs. Daniel March, and Mrs. C. S. Sergeant. There were many persons present from Boston, Woburn and Medford.

The following are the new officers of the Episcopal church: Clerk, Frank J. Wills; Senior Warden, Theo C. Hurd; Junior Warden, Sam'l W. McCall; Treasurer, Henry F. Johnson; Vestrymen, N. T. Appollonio, Louis Barta, Chas. W. Bradstreet, Geo. L. Dunham, H. T. Dickson and Herbert S. Underwood. All the foregoing officers and the rector convention, Theo. C. Hurd, Sam'l W. McCall and Henry F. Johnson.

Municipal appointments have been made by the new Board as follows: Police—Chief, J. W. Richardson, $800 a year, to give his whole time; Thos. Dotten, S. Carr, W. H. Ralston. Special Police same as last year, with N. A. Richardson and Edward Bostwick added. Coal Weighers, C. E. Kendall, J. Rice. Public Weighers, H. A. Emerson, E. J. Gutterson. Engineers and Superintendent of Streets laid over until next meeting. All other officers same as last year.

My valued contemporary, Herbert Underwood, managing editor of the *Record* and *Advertiser*, is a most versatile suburban resident. Fast day night he delighted his townspeople out in Winchester both as the author and hero of a negro minstrel sketch, and only the next day word came to me that he had been chosen to be a grave and reverend vestryman of Epiphany church in association with other worthy and notable citizens like Nicholas T. Appollonio, our own City Registrar, and Samuel W. McCall. Mr. McCall, however, is a Junior Warden, but Editor Underwood, I predict, will grow in grace until even that ecclesiastical dignity is achieved.—*Boston Globe.*

The last Winchester annual Town Meeting was held Monday evening by adjournment, and it proved a very interesting session.

A committee of 10 was appointod to consider the widening of the Main street, from Medford to Woburn lines, and confer with the County Commissioners.

Voted to appropriate $5,000 to build a bridge across a portion of the reservoir at the foot of Turkey swamp. This was carried by only one majority. Votes on several motions were also very close.

An article to allow the Firemen's Relief Association the use of Town Hall annually was indefinitely postponed.

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Performance Begins at 7.30,

to allow people to take the 10.10 train.

Tickets for sale at Messrs J. W, Hammond & Son's.

CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, }
Municipal Building, April 14, 1891. }

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Charles H. Buss has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as a druggist, at No. 394 Main St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Samuel D. Thompson has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as innholder, at No. 442 Main St., on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Samuel D. Thompson has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as retail liquor dealer, at No. 442 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Elmer F. Blank has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as a druggist, at No. 389 Main St., in two rooms on first floor.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John J. Mahern & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as druggists, at No. 463 Main Street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Fred E. Lovell has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as a druggist, at No. 361 Main St., in all rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William McDonough has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at Nos. 287 and 289 Montvale Avenue, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James H. Connolly and Patri k F. Kerrigan, have made application under the firm name of Connolly & Kerrigan, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualers, at No. 48 Fowle Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James H. Connolly and Patrick F. Kerrigan, under the firm name of Connolly & Kerrigan, have made appliaction for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers and bottlers, at No. 48 Fowle street, in one room on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William McDonough has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as grocer, at No. 287 and 289 Montvale Avenue, in two rooms on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

CITY OF WOBURN

Notice is given that I, Frederic B. Leeds, have been appointed under Sec. 1 Chapter 57 of the Public Statutes,

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GEORGE BUCHANAN, President.
FREDERIC H. LEWIS, Secretary.
Woburn, April 16, 1891.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Rose Kelly, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lawrence Reade, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Walter J. Mower of Somerville in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Lizzie G. Knapp, Executrix of the will of Oren S. Knapp, and John W. Scribner, Co-guardian of said minor with said Orin S. Knapp, deceased, have presented for allowance the third account of the guardianship of said Knapp and Scribner;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of April next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said surviving Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, threeweeks successively, the last buplication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs at Law and others interested in the Estate of Abigail Winn, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Parker L. Converse and Leonard Thompson, Executors of the will of said deceased, have presented to said Court their petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of April next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same;

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Bond, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Bond, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the est te of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of April, instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed Executors of the will of Ebenezer N. Blake, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscribers who have appointed Griffin Place of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, agent of Joseph B. Parker.

WARREN N. BLAKE,
HARRISON G. BLAKE,
JOSEPH B. PARKER,
Executors.

Woburn, Mass., April 8, 1891.

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JONAH SENT TO NINEVEH

LESSON III, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, APRIL 19.

Text of the Lesson, Jonah i, 1-17—Commit Verses, 14-16—Golden Text, Jonah iii, 2—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

Having learned from previous lessons how both the ten tribes and the two, with but few exceptions, wander from God and worship idols, we are now for a few weeks to consider God's efforts to win them back to Himself by His servants the prophets. And we begin with the first Hebrew prophet or missionary ever sent to the Gentiles.

1. "Now the Word of the Lord came unto Jonah the son of Amittai, saying."

He prophesied about 800 years before Christ, and is one of the earliest, perhaps the very first, of the so called prophets whose writings exist.

2. "Arise, go to Nineveh, that great city, and cry against it; for their wickedness is come up before me."

Nineveh was on the Tigris, nearly 400 miles from Canaan. Its walls were about 60 miles in length and 100 feet high, with 1,500 towers, each 200 feet high. According to chapter iv, 11, there were 120,000 little children in the city at that time, which would give a population of not less than 600,000.

3. "But Jonah rose up to flee unto Tarshish from the presence of the Lord and went down to Joppa."

Jonah could not in one sense get away from the presence of the Lord anywhere in the wide world (Ps. cxxxix, 7-10), but he could go away from the Lord's land and city and temple, just as Cain went away from that part of Eden where God dwelt.

4. "But the Lord sent out a great wind into the sea."

Sometimes when people are doing wrong events seem to favor them; so Jonah may have thought it a favorable omen to find a ship at Joppa about to sail to Tarshish. But however we may seem to succeed in our disobedience, God is watching and controlling, and we may be sure that sooner or later our sin will find us out.

5. "Then the mariners were afraid, and cried every man unto his god."

Here is a servant of God disobedient to his Master, and bringing trouble on those who knew not God, as when Peter, a disciple of Christ, caused Malchus to suffer. If, as Christians, we do wrong, we are not the only ones who will suffer by the chastisement lovingly sent upon us.

"And he lay and was fast asleep."

While these heathen sailors are doing all in their power for the safety of the ship and all on board, and calling on their gods, which were no gods, the only one on board who knew the only living and true God is fast asleep. Is it not a picture of the majority of Christians now?

6. "What meanest thou, O sleeper?"

This was a well merited rebuke. It would do good if the people of the world would rebuke professing Christians more often.

7. "They cast lots, and the lot fell upon Jonah."

In the same way it would seem that Joshua discovered Achan (Josh. vii, 14), and Saul found out Jonathan (I Sam. xiv, 41, 42), and an apostle was chosen instead of Judas (Acts i, 24-25).

8. "Tell us, we pray thee, for whose cause this evil is upon us."

Jonah is now awake, and in the hands of those upon whom he has brought trouble. They have found him out, and now question him as to his occupation and people and country. It is humiliating to see this servant of God compelled to give an account of himself to this heathen shipmaster and his sailors, but it is good for him.

9. "I am an Hebrew; and I fear Jehovah, the God of heaven, which hath made the sea and the dry land."

He does better than Peter when he ran away from his Master and warmed himself at the servants' fire; but perhaps Peter might have done better, too, if he had found himself in the midst of a raging storm at sea with death staring him in the face.

10. "Why hast thou done this?"

A searching question, to which his answer is not given. And if in any measure a Christian is turning away from duty the question ought to come to them with power.

11. "What shall we do unto thee that the sea may be calm unto us?"

Sin must be punished. All nations recognize that the transgressor must suffer, and yet there are those in this enlightened (?) Nineteenth century, dwelling in our cities, in the very centers of light and intelligence, who say and teach that sin is a phantom, a nonentity, and that punishment for sin is not to be thought of.

12. "Take me up and cast me forth into the sea, so shall the sea be calm unto you; for I know that for my sake this great tempest is upon you."

He is convinced of his sin and ready to accept the consequences.

13. "Nevertheless the men rowed hard to bring it to the land, but they could not."

This labor was well meant. They were sorry for Jonah; they did not wish to be the means of his death, but their well meant efforts were all in vain, for Jonah must suffer for his sin.

14. "Wherefore they cried unto the Lord."

It is not now "every man unto his god," as in verse 5, but unitedly they cry to Jehovah, the God of heaven, earth and sea, the Lord God of the Hebrews.

"We beseech thee, O Lord, we beseech thee, let us not perish for this man's life, and lay not upon us innocent blood."

This is a heartfelt cry to Him who is ever ready to hear the cry of the needy, and undoubtedly it was heard.

"For thou, O Lord, hath done as it pleased thee."

Submissively they acknowledge the omnipotence of Jehovah, and that His hand is in this.

15. "So they took up Jonah and cast him forth into the sea, and the sea ceased from her raging."

16. "Then the men feared the Lord exceedingly, and offered a sacrifice unto the Lord, and made vows."

It looks as if they had really become believers in the true God. Thus God overruled the sin of His servant for the good of these men.

17. "Now the Lord had prepared a great fish to swallow up Jonah."

He is as able to prepare a great fish as a wind or a gourd or a worm. I see no difficulty in believing that this fish was specially prepared for this purpose, as the words imply. Or it may have been one of the great sharks of that sea, concerning which we are told that in one was found 400 pounds of undigested fish, in another a whole horse, while from the stomach of another a sailor was rescued alive.

"And Jonah was in the belly of the fish three days and three nights."

The fact that Jesus speaks of this as an actual event should be enough to satisfy every believer, and forever end all controversy about the book or its story.

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THE FLEET.

It was long ago that my dream ships sailed
Day by day to that shadowy sea;
And I watched each one till my vision failed,
And the ships were lost in mystery.
Sometimes a rose hued and billowy cloud
Shut out my view ere the ship went far,
But often the darkness would seem to shroud
The vessel before she crossed the bar.

They sailed at the sunset, every one;
They sailed away at the ebbing tide.
Sometimes a brave vessel went out alone,
And again two sailed forth side by side.
I left them alone in the hands of Fate,
Prayed she would make them reality,
And many a time did I watch and wait
For my fleet to return from the sea.

Then my last ship sailed—for my dreams were done—
And I grieved that my ships came not back.
But only last night at the set of sun
I saw a mast o'er the wasteless track;
And the twilight mists gave away and made
A pathway lit with the sunset's beam,
And a ship sailed in through the twilight shade
And brought back to me a youthful dream.
—Flavel Scott Mines in Harper's Weekly.

Tale of a Pig.

A boy of about ten came into a grocery store in a hurry and wanted a man to come quickly with him. "He's dyin," said the boy, and the way his eyes stuck out was a caution. The loafer on the cracker barrel took up his heels and flew with the boy. Together they ran in between two buildings across a little lot, and the boy stopped at—a pig pen—yes, a pig pen; and there sat a well to do, healthy looking porker in a warm pen, contented and apparently as happy as it is given pigs to be in this world. The boy looked surprised and sheepish.

The man was mad and disappointed. He had expected a tragedy, and not even a glimmer of one so far. "You young rascal!" said the man, "what do you mean? Did you—did you; why, you young scoundrel, did you get me way over here to see a pig sitting on his haunches? Eh? Did you?" and the boy looked up and said, "He—he (sobs)—he eat my brover's hat, and he—he grunted so I fought he's dyin'," and then the man went back to the store and told the tale of the pig.—Lewiston Journal.

Raising Young Cod.

By a not very costly expansion of the work of the fish commission the schools of cod on the shores of New England could undoubtedly be multiplied in numbers by ten. The only limit to such multiplication is the amount of food available in the sea for the fish, and there is plenty of that and to spare. Each female cod lays hundreds of thousands of eggs at a spawn, but, owing to natural causes, nearly all of them are lost. They float on the surface of the water and furnish food for every fish that swims.

Depending as they do for being rendered fertile upon accidental contact with the floating milt of the male, most of them remain unimpregnated and every breaker cast upon the rocky beaches by a northeast storm destroys them by myriads. But by the artificial method, the eggs and milt being stirred together in a pan of water, nearly all are hatched and the little fishes are taken care of until they can look out fairly well for their own preservation.—Washington Star.

The Influence of Poetry.

The reading of poetry predisposes the heart to generous thoughts; it teaches a young man what is noble in mankind; it opens his mind to the reception of great hopes and unselfish ambitions. Never again can a man feel that rapture of spirit which falls upon a boy when, in the dusty atmosphere of a library, while the motes dance as the sun pours through the windows upon the leather backs of the books, while outside the carts rumble up and down the street, he sits alone among the books, poring over a volume of poetry. Then the gates of heaven lie open for him to gaze within; nay, heaven itself is close to him, within his reach, and ready for the whole world should they but choose to step within.—Walter Besant in Harper's Bazar.

Lightning Forces.

It has been calculated that the electromotive force of a bolt of lightning is about 3,500,000 volts, the current about 14,000,000 amperes and the time to be one-twenty-thousandth part of a second. In such a bolt there is an energy of 2,450,000,000 watts, or 3,284,182 horse power.—Science.

No Haste About It.

Mrs. Canker—It's the same old story with us, "Marry in haste and repent at leisure."

Miss Brightly—Why, my dear, if I remember your wedding costume rightly, it must have taken you half a day to dress!—Judge.

Expensive Apples.

"I paid $5.01 for that apple my boy ate."

"What?"

"Five dollars and one cent. Five dollars for the doctor and a cent for the apple."—Harper's Bazar.

Pretty Much the Same Thing.

A.—I hear that you are going to marry a widow with $10,000.

B.—You have got things mixed. I am going to marry $10,000 with a widow.—Texas Siftings.

A Martyr for Others.

"Plodder is looking pale; he's just killing himself with hard work."

"What's he engaged at?"

"Inventing a labor saving machine."—Puck.

Alas! Already?

"George dear, will you love me when I'm old?"

"What a silly question, Penelope. Of course I do."—Harper's Bazar.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the Liver be inactive, you have a Bilious Look, if your stomach be affected you have a Dyspeptic Look and if your Kidneys be affected you have a Pinched Look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples, Blotches, Boils and gives a good complexion. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore, 50c per bottle.

Object glasses for microscopes are now made in Germany of glass that contains phosphoric and boracic acid. It is stated that with lenses made of this glass an object one-twenty-thousandth of an inch in diameter can be distinctly seen.

Hints That Are Better Than Gold.

If you have bad breath, sluggish bowels, pain in the small of your back, nervousness or giddiness, your vital organs are sadly out of condition. A mere "dose of physic" will not help you. Your only wise course is to take Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., and cleanse your system of the impurities. It regulates the Liver and Kidneys.

FAUNTLEROY IN DIFFICULTIES.

A Newsboy Who Could Not Stand Dudes Frees His Youthful Mind.

A number of passengers about to cross the bridge from Brooklyn witnessed an amusing scene the other day.

A gentleman who had just purchased a ticket in gathering his change from the ticket seller's window let fall from his hand a quantity of coins—cents, nickels and dimes. They scattered in all directions over the muddy pavement.

A little urchin of a newsboy, from whom the gentleman had bought a paper for which he had not yet paid, went to the rescue of the truant coins. At almost the same moment another little fellow clad in the familiar costume of a little Lord Fauntleroy—leather leggings, gloves, long hair and all—hove in sight. He was accompanied by a fashionably attired lady, evidently his mother.

Human nature is very strong in a boy, even a Lord Fauntleroy. Espying a dime the newcomer forgot the dignity of his exalted rank. He stooped down and with his diminutive hand picked from the muddy pavement the coin, which he promptly pocketed.

The tatterdemalion saw the act and made a grab for Fauntleroy, who clung to his mother's skirts. "Watcher doin' wid de gent's money?" he said. "Donc'her know no better den to steal?"

The mother of the little aristocrat was dreadfully shocked at seeing her offspring in the dirty hands of the newsboy. She flew to the rescue. "Take your hands off my child," she said, "or I'll have you arrested, you young scoundrel."

"I ain't no scoundrel," said the gamin, dropping his hands and releasing the little lord. "Make yer kid give up de money," he continued. "He ain't got no right ter keep it."

Little Fauntleroy was pleased enough to be released from the clutch of the two begrimed little hands of the newsboy. He gave up the money readily enough, and with his mother, who had brushed the dirt off the miniature boxcont sleeves, he hastened on his way to New York to make a society call. The newsboy watched the retreating forms contemptuously.

"Say, boss," he said, returning to the gentleman, who had watched the affair with interest, and yet had been unable to take any part in it so rapidly had the entire scene been enacted.

"Say, boss," continued the boy, "dat young feller would 'a hooked yer money but fer me. Ain't yer goin' to give me a dime?"

The gentleman told him that he might keep the money.

"Tanks," said the urchin. "I tell yer," he added. "Deez young Funtleroyz an' sailors wid long hair, dey makes me tired. I guess day'll steal sooner den a noosboy. I ain't got no use for fellers like dat. Dey don't have no fun, an' my! how dey gets licked by us fellers when we gets de chance. Dey gets licked, too, if dey gets a spot on de close dey wears. Yer can bet I'd sooner be a noosboy nor a dude wid long hair wot gets licked fer nothin'."

The gentleman continued his trip over the bridge. He has been debating since the occurrence, however, if there was not a great deal of truth in the newsboy's rude philosophy.—New York Herald.

Wasting Illustrated Papers.

Calling at the room of a bachelor friend of mine the other night I was horrified to see him light his fire of birchwood with a copy of the London News or some other illustrated paper. These things should always be given away instead of destroyed, and a society exists for that very purpose. I tried to set before my heartless burner of "picture papers" the amusement that some child in a hospital, for example, might derive from the leaves that he had put to the base use of "kindlings."

It is related, I remember, of a certain great writer that he could not bear to see destroyed any piece of paper that carried printed words, and consequently might be a part of literature. I cannot go quite so far as that, but I may truly say that the destruction of a picture always gives me a slight pang in some unascertained part of my anatomy.—Boston Post.

Obitual Compliments.

It was in the cars, where sooner or later he who listens can hear everything from declarations of passion to the quarrels of hate, the weightiest affairs of the nation to the lightest gossip of the frivolous. Two women were chatting together of a funeral which they had been out of town to attend.

"Yes," one of them remarked, "I don't know when I've been to such a sweet funeral."

"No," the other responded, "nor I."

"Dodn't you think that was a beautiful selection from Scripture?"

"Yes; beautiful."

"And those two hymns; weren't they appropriate?"

"Yes; there couldn't have been anything more appropriate."

"Well, the corpse chose 'em all."—Boston Courier.

A Nickel-in-the-Slot Library.

The latest development of the automatic fiend is a railway library, which means a case of books fitted into railway carriages. The volumes are presumably to be restored to the case at the end of the journey, but what is to prevent one passenger handing his pennyworth to a companion who is going on further? Nor indeed would it be difficult for a traveler, with uncertain ideas on the subject of honesty, to carry away under his rug any especially thrilling tale that he had not time to finish in the train.—London Letter.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers everywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Experiment tends to show that the edges of the flame of a petroleum lamp give from 37 to 38 per cent less light tean the flat surface.

If You Wish

To enjoy good health, and prevent the seeds of disease from ripening in your system, you should use the best medicine in the world, Sulphur Bitters, which will prevent your system from being all run down by making it strong and vigorous.—Rev. W. R. Snow.

CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, APR. 2, 1891.

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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John J. Beatty has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at 468 Main Street, in two rooms on the first floor and stock in cellar.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Maloney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 48 Fowle Street, on first floor and stock in store-room in said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James Madigan has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class, as a druggist, at No. 156 Main St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick O'Rourke has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 36 Main street, on first floor of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James H. Connolly & Co. (James J. Doherty), have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers, at No. 81 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas H. McGovern has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 223 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Michael Clancy has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 177 Main St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Anthony A. Doherty has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 479 Main Street, on first floor in two rooms, and stock in cellar of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Shinkwin & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 45 and 47 Main street, on first floor of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Hugh Rafferty and Lawrence Martin, under the firm name of Rafferty & Martin, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers, at Nos. 306 and 308 Montvale Avenue, and 83 Washington street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor, and one room on second floor and stock in cellar of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Peter Kenney & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers, at Nos. 443 and 445 Main street, in three rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
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Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William E. Mooney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 468 Main street, in two rooms on first floor of said building.
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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.35, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester at 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, 9.40, 10.40, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 5.10, 6.00, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 9.10, 9.55, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.10, 9.05, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.10, 6.00, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn and Winchester at 8.15, 9.15, 10.00, 10.45, 11.45, A. M., 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester at 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, 11.10, A. M., 12.10, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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CAPTURED BY INDIANS.

On the 16th day of June, 1867, a small body of Indians appeared to the west of Fort Wallace, and from their manœuvring seemed to be spying out the chances of cutting out the stage station, half a mile from the fort. The station was guarded by four or five men at the time and the corral held about thirty-five horses. I had just come in that morning from a long scout, and was asleep when the Indians were first seen. As soon as routed out I took two men with me and rode down to the station. We picked up a fourth man there and headed direct for the redskins, who were then a mile away. We were not a quarter of a mile from the station when I became suspicious that it was a plot to draw us away. We brought our horses down to a walk, and after getting half a mile from the station we turned to the left as if to circle back. At that moment 300 Cheyenne warriors, led by old Roman Nose, burst out of the dry ravines where they had been lying concealed for two hours and made straight for the station.

The plan would have done credit to a brigadier. About 200 warriors threw themselves between the station and the fort, so as to be ready for any move on the part of the soldiers. Thirty attacked the adobe huts constituting the station. About fifty made for the enclose where the horses were kept, and the others rode to cut us four off the fort. Only one part of the plan miscarried. The men at the station made such a fight that the Indians could not break in on them. They killed three warriors and wounded seven, while they suffered no loss themselves. They got the horses, partly destroyed three stages, and kept the soldiers off, and the four of us seeing that escape to the fort was cut off, rode to the west in hopes to outrun our pursuers. Unfortunately for me, I was mounted on my own horse, who had done sixty-five miles, the day before and was jaded. For three miles he showed a good leg, but then he began to weaken. We were then on level ground, and I held him up with voice and spur for another mile, or until we had gained a spot covered with outcropping rock.

Those who wrote of this incident at the time held the three men up to contempt for deserting me. I did not blame them at all. They were only employes of the stage company. None of them had ever been at close quarters with Indians before, and it would have been strange if they had not been rattled. They were ahead of me as my horse went down, and I do not believe they missed me. Poor fellows! Had the four of us been there in the natural rifle pit among the rocks we could have stood the redskins off in a handsome manner. As it was I was captured, and they were shot down one by one as they continued their flight.

Only thirty-five Indians took up the pursuit. When my horse fell with me fifteen of the warriors remained behind to effect my capture. I rolled into a natural hollow, pulled saddle and blanket off my horse, and then as he struggled up I drove him limping away. It was an unfortunate thing. He was only thirty feet from me when they shot him dead, and as he fell I saw that he was in line with a dry ditch up which the enemy could creep and shelter themselves behind the body. That was just what they did do. They didn't dare charge me, although fifteen to one, but they secured positions from which they could shoot me if I raised my head six inches from the earth, and when I realized that I was helpless I surrendered. There was little formality about it. Among the besiegers I recognized an Indian named Dark Day, to whom I called out that I would surrender, and the fifteen walked in on me.

When an Indian is in luck he is good natured. Those who pursued my three companions were now returning with their scalps, horses and guns. I had not hurt anybody. Roman Nose had defied the fort and get away with the station horses. There was every reason for rejoicing, and as they formed a circle about me every face wore a smile, and several of them greeted me with a "howdy?" They knew me for a Government scout and rider. They knew I had killed three Cheyennes on the smoky Hill Fork only the week before. They knew that I had balked two of their raids on stage stations, and that I had once ridden right through a camp of 200 of them and carried off the best horse Roman Nose ever had.

An Indian sizes a man up according to his deeds. They took my rifle, revolver, and knife, but were very respectful about it. I was then mounted on a station horse, my feet tied under his belly, and he was led behind a warrior's pony. They headed to the northwest, and about an hour after dark we came up with the party, which was encamped in a grove of cottonwood on a small creek. I had no sooner dismounted than I was taken into the presence of Roman Nose. History has said he was one of the smartest chiefs any Western tribe ever had. He was smart only as an Indian. He was a liar, hypocrite, and an assassin. He had the smartness of a coyote in avoiding a superior force, and the cunning of a serpent in approaching a foe. I knew he could hold a conversation in English, but as he did not know that I was aware of the fact he called up a half-breed to act as interpreter. I was pretty well up in the Cheyenne tongue, but Roman Nose did not know it. He began the conversation as follows:

"How many soldiers are there in the fort?"

"About a hundred." I answered giving him the correct number.

"Why didn't they come out and fight us?"

"They were hoping you would come nearer."

"You are called Night Shadow?"

"Yes."

"You have killed some of my people?"

"After they had sought to kill me."

"Hu! The Indian has a right to defend his own lands. The white man wants everything, even the dry rivers at the bare rocks. In an hour I shall burn you at the stake."

I hadn't the slightest reason to hope he wouldn't. The Cheyennes had an old score to settle with me, personally, and their loss of men at the station that day must be avenged. I was turned over to a guard of three warriors, and they gave me something to drink and to eat. I was hungry and thirsty, and I made as good a meal as if I expected to live fifty years, instead of an hour longer. A stake was driven while I was eating, and before I had finished the warriors had begun collecting brush.

It was written of me by a correspondent at Fort Wallace that Providence saved my life. Soon after the stake had been driven it began to rain. Although the Indian is half animal, he dreads the rain, and the storm soon took all the enthusiasm out of my captors. At the same time almost a scout came in with some news, and I was soon told by the half-breed that I had been respited. This scout, as afterward appeared, had discovered that the fort had neither cannon nor fortifications, and it was believed that the soldiers were demoralized and would surrender if attacked. At about midnight, when the rain began to hold up, all but five men set out in the direction of the fort. The five were left to guard me. They did not hesitate to tell me that the fort was to be attacked, and they were sure of victory.

I slept from midnight to daylight being staked out at the ankles and having a warrior on each side of me. Soon after daylight my guards were astir, and when breakfast had been prepared my feet were tied together, and I was allowed to sit up and help myself. We were fully twenty miles from the fort, and no news were expected until late in the afternoon. When they asked me what I thought of the chances I answered that Roman Nose would be beaten off, and we argued the matter pro and con without the slightest ill feeling.

What happened at the fort I did not learn for some days afterward. Had Roman Nose made a secret approach to within striking distance and then charged in he would have won a speedy victory. The presence of his force was betrayed at an early date, and the garrison threw up a breastwork from whatever could be had, caught up their horses, and the first charge took all conceeit out of the 300, several being killed or wounded, and the chief himself sustaining a severe wound from a bullet. One charge en masse would have swept every calvaryman off the earth but it was not made. After an hour long range firing the redskins withdrew, excusing their cowardice by saying that the evil one had sent men with black faces to blind their eyes. This referred to a few negro soldiers who took a gallant part in the defense.

About 4 o'clock in the afternoon a courier reached us. I knew, as did all the others, long before he reached us, that he had no good news. He told big stories of the powers of the Cheyennes, but had to admit they were driven off with losses. My guards were directed to report with me to a certain spot in Red Deer Creek, about sixteen miles away, to which the main party had resorted after being driven off. When I learned that Roman Nose had been wounded I knew what was in store for me. He would get some satisfaction for his humiliation by putting me to the torture. The courier did not wait to go with us, but rode off to notify a small party which had been sent off in another direction.

During the entire day I had been passive, and betrayed no anxiety, telling the guards that I had friends at the fort who would pay the Chief a big ransom for me. This lulled their vigilance, and they treated me more as a guest than a prisoner. Another friend had been working in my interest during the day, but I did not discover it until an hour before the courier arrived. A bottle of whiskey had in some manner come into possession of the guards. The bottle was kept out of sight, and it was only when their demeanor betrayed them that I knew what they had been up to. None of them was drunk, but all were happy and quite good natured.

It was after five o'clock before we were ready to set out. The five ponies and the station horse were brought up and bridled and saddled. This work was done by three of the warriors, while the other two were gambling for a blanket. I sat about ten feet away from them. There had been no time since noon when I could not have cast off my bonds at will. There had been no opening for escape, but one was made now in a manner totally unexpected. The two gamblers got into a violent dispute, and the three warriors approached to quiet them. Some one was struck, and this led to quite a row. The instant it began I cast off the thongs, whirled about, and at one jump I was beside a pony. Five seconds later I was in the saddle and digging his ribs, and I believe I was out of the grove before I was missed. Every horse followed mine, and went to the south as fast as horseflesh ever travelled the plains. Half a dozen shots were fired after me from the grove, but they only added to our speed. The run lasted for ten miles before the pace was decreased, and when night fell I had added six or seven more. To midnight I kept jogging, bearing to the left to approach the fort from the east. From midnight to daylight I rested, and at sunrise next morning was run onto by a wagon train and an escort proceeding to the fort.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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A substitute for gutta-percha has been found in the sap of the karite or butter tree of Africa.

HAUNTING A MURDERESS.

Visitations of a Ghost to the Scene of a Terrible Tragedy in a Prison.

People passing the woman's wing of the penitentiary on rainy nights have heard moans and mutterings coming from the washhouse, and a sound as if some one was turning over tubs and chairs. Most of the belated wayfarers, on hearing the noise, have merely quickened their pace and said nothing about it.

The strange occurrence, however, has gained some notoriety in the neighborhood, and a reporter questioned Deputy Warden Crass about it.

"What is it?" said the deputy warden. "Why, those groans were uttered by our ghost."

"A ghost?" incredulously queried the reporter.

"Yes; and if you will come with me I will introduce you to witnesses who have seen it with their own eyes. But before we go I will give you a brief history of how we come to have such an unearthly visitor.

"On page 96, book C, prison records, is inscribed: 'Aug. 3, 1883. Mollie Dinwood, sent up March 26, 1883, two years for arson, was killed at 9:15 o'clock today, in the wash yard, by Sue Fletcher, sent up two years for larceny.' The two women quarreled and Sue cut Mollie's troat with a small penknife. I'll never forget the face of the poor doomed wretch as Drs. Eve and Roberts bent over her trying in vain to stop the flow of blood. She was lying on the cover of the old well moaning and gasping for breath. She was past human aid, and after a close examination Dr. Eve arose and said there was no hope. We buried her and Sue was given ten years more for her murder.

"Can the dead come back? It is a question that has worried the brains of the scientific and thinking men of every period, yet the question is no nearer a solution now than it was a thousand years ago. Now, come with me and you may hear the story of those who have seen the wraith of poor Mollie with their own eyes."

The reporter was carried to the woman's wing and talked to a number of the women who claimed to have seen the ghostly visitor.

Sue Fletcher, alias Burton, the murderess, said, with wild, dilating eyes: "She comes to me every rainy night. One night, about four years ago, she came to my bed and stood for a while, then said, 'The Lord has forgiven me and I won't come any more.' She was dressed in the old brown dress, with white trimmings, but I could see right through her. After that she did not come back any more until about a month ago, when she came into my cell and stood by my bed, moaning and the blood dripping out of the hole in her neck. I am scared of her and I hate to see it cloud up, for she comes every rainy night, and when I can I get some one to sleep with me, for I am afraid to sleep alone."

Numbers of the women claim to have seen her in the old brown dress, floating over the well platform and going in and out of the washhouse. They say that when she goes into the washhouse she turns over tubs and keeps up a continual moaning as if she was in pain. She has even been seen in the day time when it was dark and cloudy wandering about the yard.

One peculiarity is that when spoken to by any one but Sue Fletcher she disappears for an instant, then becomes visable in a few moments in some other portion of the yard. Her favorite place is over the old well where she died. The spirit has been seen by the terror stricken women to float over the spot for an hour at a time. Nearly all the women have seen and are afraid of her, and all swear that she is a "haunt" and not a human being.—Nashville American.

Well Known.

He was a cabin passenger, and the steamship was one of the ocean racers. The company, even those who occupy the most expensive staterooms, is not always "select," in the society sense; but this man seemed more than ordinarily out of place. Who was he? No one knew.

One day the mystery was solved. He seated himself beside a distinguished lawyer and opened the conversation.

"I've read your speeches in the newspapers many a time, and I'm pleased to know you."

"Thank you," the other answered, and then, improving the opportunity, he added, "Do you live in New York?"

"Why, bless you!" was the answer, "you must know who I am. I'm Mike McCarthy; everybody knows me. I've been a boss teamster in New York for more than forty years."—Youth's Companion.

An Ear of Corn Rental.

There has been no school in the old school house fronting Birmingham cemetery for the past thirty years, yet the yearly rental for said school house was only an ear of Indian corn when it was in its palmy days. Other school houses have been erected and this one left to decay. The school house was sold in 1819 to Isaac Sharpless, Joseph Brinton, Brinton Jones and Abram Darlington, school directors. It was sold by William Hawley, Edward Darlington and Phillips Price, trustees appointed by the Birmingham Preparative meeting "of the people called Quakers," as the deed has it. The ear of corn rental is expressly stipulated in the will.—Westchester Local News.

Par Nobile Fratrum.

Student—Did Stanley discover the African Pygmies, do you gather?

Professor di Gamma—Yes; he and Herodotus.—Puck.

The Spring Medicine.

The popularity which Hood's Sarsaparilla has gained as a spring medicine is wonderful. It possesses just those elements of health-giving, blood-purifying and appetite restoring which everybody seems to need at this season. Do not continue in a dull, tired, unsatisfactory condition when you may be so much benefitted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood and makes the weak strong.

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Our famous SUITS for Boys, best in the world,

FOR $5.00.

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Largest Assortment of Children's Clothing in the city.

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Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for April only needs to be seen to be admired by all lovers of pure, chaste literature, and fine work in art illustrations. Its contents from first to last are not only interesting but people are made better by feeding on such unadulterated intellectual pabulum. The pages devoted to the spring fashions and domestic matters are worth a great deal more than the price of the magazine for a year.

Do not forget that we give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2.00 per an.) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 per an.) for $2 cash IN ADVANCE.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the weeks ending April 11th and 18th contain Sedgwick's Life and Letters, A Visit to the Grande Chartreuse, Sir Herbert Edwardes at Peshawur, and The Contrasts of English and French Literature, Some Birds in India, The Seal Islands of Bering's Sea, Eothen Kinglate, and Horace Walpole's Twin Wives, Cost of a London Fog, Epitaphs, and Biblical Drama in South Staffordshire, Unclaimed Stocks, Dividends, and Bank Deposits, Our Village Book Club, with instalments of The Flight of the Shadow, Eight Days, and Madeleine's Story, and poetry. For fifty two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price (88) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The April ST. NICHOLAS opens with a delightful illustrated sketch by Mrs. Foote, The Gates on Grandfather's Farm—reminiscences of a New England farm suggested by the associations with its old gateways. It is full of feeling, and while not beyond the young readers will be fully appreciated only by they elders. Mr. Welles gives us further autographs from his remarkable collection, especially a complete set of the Presidents' signatures, and a charming letter from Thackery, hitherto unpublished. It is entirely characteristic of the great author and suggestive of his poem, The White Squall. Some of the good things following these are: Busy Corners of the Orient, Charlie's Shadows and their Shadow House, The Little Foot-page, The Merrythought, Toby Trafford, The Settlers, and numerous others all beautifully illustrated.

One of the most famous pictures of the world has been engraved by Mr. Cole for the frontispiece of the April CENTURY, the Mona Lisa of Leonardo da Vinci. This is in the CENTURY'S series of old masters, engraved immediately from the originals in the galleries of Europe. Two other examples of Leonardo accompany Mr. Stillman's article on this master. In the California series Mr. Julius H. Pratt gives a graphic description of the emigration to California by way of Panama in '49. The pictures are very striking, having been drawn by Gilbert Gaul, after originals made from life by an artist in 1850. In this connection is a paper of great historical value by the late General J. C. Fremont on his own part in the Conquest of California. Several briefer papers on the general subject accompany the more important contributions of the series. Prominent among the remaining papers are: Cold Cheer at Camp Morton, Women of the French Salons, Fetishism in Congo Land, The Wadsworths and DeQuincy, Washington and Frederick the Great, Faith Doctor, Colonel Carter of Carterville and others equally worthy of careful perusal.

There are many taking features in the April WIDE AWAKE with its frontispiece of White Lilies; Chollemyisses' Afflicted Holiday, by the author of Cape Cod Folks; Egg-rolling at the White House on Easter Monday, by Professor Mason of the Smithsonian Institution; a quintette of admirable short stories, The Mysterious Choir Boy, by Henry Kirke White, Jr., Hong Wing's Sea Voyage, by Elizabeth Cumings, The Story of my Bank Book, by Louisa Trumbull Cogswell, A Lost Story, by Anna Leach and The Cock of Sebastopol, by M. M. Steele; two Natural History papers, A Precious Bug, by Amanda B. Harris, and Concerning Bats, by Grant Allen; an exquisite Mother Soug by Mrs. Mary E. Blake and a Tuscan Stornelli, by Mrs. Cavazza with a beautiful picture by Irving R. Wiles; an outspoken Margaret- Patty Letter, by Mrs. William Claflin, and no end of short articles, pictures and poems. The serials are captivating this month: Five Little Peppers Grown Up, by Margaret Sidney, Cab and Caboose, by Kirk Munroe, and Marietta's Good Times by Marietta Ambrosei. WIDE AWAKE is $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company Publishers, Boston.

The May PETERSON is at hand with a large invoice of good things. Marguerite In Her Garden is a charming picture, and the engraving of the harbor of The Isle of Wight is very striking. The opening article Some Curious Rocks and Waterfalls, by Rodney T. Waterman is capitally written and the illustrations are interesting in the extreme. The Romance of an Old Red School House by Elva J. Smith is a story quite out of the common. A sketch of Madame De Lafayette is a timely contribution. Some Spring Flower Notes by Ray Joyce, will be found full of useful information for all amateur gardeners. A Mercenary Young Woman by Robert G. Graham is a very clever story and is admirably illustrated. A Pretty Room at the Lowest Cost by Margaret V. Payne shows how an ingenious woman furnished a parlor with wonderful cheapness and the illustrations prove that she made it look exceedingly pretty and artistic. There are two excellent serials running and the remaining articles of the number are all valuable. The fashion plates give new and effective dress designs and the Household department is filled with things worth knowing. Terms $2.00 a year. Address

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WELL ANSWERED.

Gov. Russell was unfortunate in bringing forward the Republican Club of Massachusetts for criticism in his speech before the Young Men's Democratic Club at the Jefferson anniversary in Boston a couple of weeks ago. It is nothing new however nor at all strange for him to make such a blunder. He has on more than one occasion opened his mouth only to put his foot in it, but it has been a rare thing for him to do himself up so effectually as on this particular occasion.

Last Friday the Executive Committee of the Republican Club of Massachusetts held their regular meeting at which it was voted to publish a reply to Gov. Russell's speech, and on Saturday morning the full text of the document appeared in the Boston *Journal* accompanied by able editorial comments warmly endorsing the same.

The persons who prepared that reply understood their business thoroughly. They not only overthrew the Governor and his oratory, but they carried "the war into Africa" and gave the National and State Democracy such a castigation as their backs have not been subjected to for many a day. It was a just although severe arraignment of the Bourbon party and whoever the authors of it were they did their duty most admirable and deserve the hearty thanks of the Republicans of the country for the able piece of work they turned out.

The reply will make a good campaign document. Everybody ought to read it.

THE PUBLIC BAR BILL.

Last Tuesday Speaker Barrett, after due deliberation and study, ruled against the rum party in the House and State on four points of order, and was sustained on an appeal by a vote of 115 to 59 and 12 pairs. His rulings were endorsed by a strict party vote, the Republicans coming up solidly to his support, and the Democracy as solidly voting against him.

Thus Speaker Barrett showed himself on the side of temperance and good morals, and the Republican party once more placed its seal of condemnation on the rum traffic, as it has done many times before.

BOARD OF TRADE BANQUET.

In another column of this paper is printed the report of the committee on the sixth annual banquet of the Woburn Board of Trade.

Several distinguished municipal and State officials will probably be present and address the company of ladies and gentlemen seated around the boards.

A good entertainment and music will be included in the attractions of the evening.

Mayor Bean will speak.

☞ Few people perhaps realize it, but it is a fact that Boston men and capital have built every transcontinental railroad on this side of the Atlantic Ocean.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Friday Night Club—Drama.
City of Woburn—Pet. for License.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Ellis's street sprinkler has proved itself a boon this week.

— The Friday Night Club will soon give their annual supper.

— The K. of L. are going to have a big picnic on Labor Day.

— The Howards of this city want to play the Woburn Juniors.

— The display of bunting yesterday in this city was truly wonderful.

— Mr. James Murphy has about recovered from his recent sickness.

— Ald. Fowle of Ward 4 has gone to Chicago on business and pleasure.

— Darmody will give his lightning drill at Nashua, N. H., on Mayday.

— Auctioneer Gregory is very busy in real estate transactions these days.

— William H. Hunt died at the Almshouse last Sunday aged 67 years.

— Aberjona Colony, U. O. P. F., will hold a special meeting this evening.

— The list of honorary members of Post 161 is a long one and grows longer every day.

— Edward W. Gray has returned from a 7-months trip to and visit in the South.

— But very little is heard about any grip hereabouts. We have escaped pretty easily.

— There will be no revival meeting in the M. E. Church to-morrow, Saturday, evening.

— The Innitou Canoe Club are having several crafts built for the present season's sports.

— Prior showed about as much enterprise yesterday as any of them. His store made a big show.

— Miss Nellie Miles of Lynn will be a star attraction at the Miles-Morgan concert this evening.

— The Y. M. C. A. nine, in a sharp contest, beat a picked nine all to pieces in Wyman's field last Saturday.

— The weather has been hot for a few days past and we never saw grass and leaves put out more rapidly.

— Mr. Peter Kenney was on the streets last Sunday for the first time in a month. He is a good deal better.

— On Sunday there were one or two "April showers" which are sure soon to be followed by sweet "May flowers."

— We can't see why the leather business is not as good now as it commonly is at this season of the year.

— It is expected that Mr. Munhall's revival meetings will be held in the Congregational or Baptist church next week.

— Indulgent Reader, keep an eye out and see whether Scully, Meehan and Reynolds get licenses to sell rum or not.

— On the first Sunday in May there will be a May procession in St. Charles church. It will be something worth seeing.

— The striking painters still hold out, but the bosses do not seem to have much trouble in getting along with their work.

— The Spring meeting of the Woburn Conference will be held at Melrose on next Tuesday afternoon and evening, April 27.

— Wright & Ditson, the dealers in baseball goods in Boston, have secured the services of Robert Carton, a good boy of this city.

— The Grocers Association composed of the grocerymen of this city is a strong organization formed for mutual business protection.

— Reckon, that Wilmington silver mine was a big hoax. But, Lord, how they lied about Rev. Mr. Thurston's connection with it!

— The first open street cars of the season put in an appearance last Sunday and were well patronized. They will soon be "all the go."

— Mr. John R. Carter and wife are expected home from California this evening. A warm reception from many good friends awaits them.

— The dance given by the Hudson Associates last Friday evening was a toney affair. There was a large attendance, fine music, and a jolly time.

— "Jimmy" Carroll has thought better of it and will not press his application for a license. The community will be none the worse for that.

— The Episcopal church edifice will soon be moved from its present site (which has been sold) to another and subjected to some changes in its architecture.

— Dr. S. W. Kelley is quite ill at his home on Pleasant street. The symptoms of the disease point strongly towards the grip. Dr. Frank Graves attends him.

— Spring has come at last. Hark, how the feathered warblers sing; 'Tis Nature's cheerful voice; Soft music hails the lovely Spring, And woods and fields rejoice.

— Rev. Fr. Quealy of St. Charles (R. C.) church protests against granting licenses to would-be rumsellers in the immediate vicinity of the Sisters Parochial School.

— The Middlesex Investment Co's affairs are not yet settled up, the chief question being relative to where the money shall come from to pay the expenses of the suit.

— It is said that Mr. Avery, late of Loring & Avery of Winchester, has bought the White tannery and will run it in the future. It is now carried on by Mr. Tidd of Stoneham.

— Preparations are on foot for May dances around garlanded May poles in this city, or what is the next thing to it, dances in halls with a plenty of flowers and evergreens for decorations.

— The three minority Aldermen, Ham, Davis and Pushee, seem to pursue the even tenor of their official way without much regard to anything except to do their duty as they understand it.

— There has never been a store window in this city so handsomely decorated as that of Mr. Amos Cummings was for Merchants Day. It was a regular bower of beautiful flowers.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe contributes an illustrated article to the columns of the JOURNAL which readers will find of more than ordinary interest. There is a fine stock of fashionable hats at Munroe's.

— Miss Evans has moved from corner of Pleasant and Bennett streets to 53 Pleasant street, Miss Eager's, house and will go out cutting and fitting after May 1.

— Mr. C. B. Bryant has begun operations in his new factory and the firm will push things for all there is out. Mr. Bryant is an old leather manufacturer and knows just how the thing is done.

— A complete and accurately corrected time-table of the No. Woburn Street Railroad will appear in the JOURNAL next week. Supt. Sewell has supervised the work especially for these columns.

— Why is it that so many rumshops have lately been put up on Main street between Fowle and the Winchester line? They seem to indicate the making of a good many promises that will never be fulfilled.

— Last Tuesday contraband liquor was seized by the Police at the homes of Dennis Shields, David Ahearn, James Tolan. Candidates for the House of Correction are rapidly multiplying in this city.

— What are you going to do on Arbor Day, to-morrow, April 25, eh? Plant trees? If judiciously done, and they are not planted too thick, setting trees wouldn't be the most profitless way Arbor Day could be spent.

— Reader, please glance an eye over what is said in another column about the Free Manual Training School for boys and girls. Make your applications at once to Supt. Frank B. Richardson of the Woburn Public Schools.

— We got it into our head in some way that Brother Copeland's dry, dress and fancy goods store looked about as inviting yesterday as any one in this city. It might have been a mere notion of the JOURNAL's, but it certainly seemed so.

— Fred A. Hartwell is a firm believer in the efficacy of printer's ink. Last week he advertised in the JOURNAL for a "Strayed or Stolen" dog, and the next morning the missing canine was found dead in Fred's front yard.

— New members to the number of over 50 have very recently joined the Board of Trade. It has taken work to do it, though. President Buchanan retires from the Presidency with the benedictions of the whole Board resting on his head.

— The Miles-Morgan concert comes off this evening in Lyceum Hall and we stake our reportorial reputation on the statement that it will be bang-up. They say that the tickets for it are going like hot cakes buttered on both sides.

— Messrs. Moses Colman & Son, the well known Boston stable keepers and horse dealers on Portland street, have secured the services of Charles Rogers of this city as their Canadian traveling agent for the purchase of horses.

— A big invoice of hides has been received at the tannery of F. A. Loring & Co. (formerly Bryant & King's) and business will begin there at once. This will be an important addition to the leather manufacturing interests of the city.

— The law requires that official notices issued by the City authorities should be published in *newspapers*, if published at all. Hence the selection of the JOURNAL and *News* by the Board of Aldermen in which to publish the applications for liquor licenses.

— John McSweeney, a Woburn lad who for some years has been a favorite in Woburn baseball cirles, has signed with the Trimounts of Boston and will be that team's pitcher during the season. When with the Woburns of this city he enjoyed an enviable reputation as a ballist.

— Mr. Alex Grant, the merchant tailor, has a change in his advertisement this week to which we call attention. He has a fine stock of spring and summer suitings of late styles and best quality, and it is common report that Mr. Grant is very reasonable in his prices.

— James E. Darmody of this city won golden opinions from the press and people of Portsmouth, N. H., where for three successive nights last week he gave his lightning drill at a G. A. R. fair. He is a dabster at it, having very few if any peers in this part of the country.

— City Auditor Preston sent us his financial statement of the City's monetary standing for the month of March, or in less elaborate language, the Auditor's Report for that month. He puts his figures in such simple form that a tyro in mathematics ought not to err in reading them.

— The surviving members of Co. K, (the Woburn Co.) 39th Mass. Regt., propose to give their old war Captain, Luke R. Tidd, a complimentary reception and dinner on May 4, which will be the 69th anniversary of his birthday. The plans contemplate a pretty big time.

— If the certificate holders in the defunct Middlesex Investment Co. of this city don't look out the lawyers will get all the funds in the Treasury and there will be nothing left to divide. The last hitch is: Who shall pay the charges of the attorneys employed in the late injunction case?

— At the annual meeting of Trinity Parish the following officers were elected: S. W., Nathan W. Brown; J. W., Robert B. Eaton; Members of the Vestry, S. F. Trull, W. J. Singer, Charles Davis, James Graham, Charles Sweetser; Delegates to Convention, Robert B. Eaton, James Folsom.

— In commemoration of the Battle of Lexington, which occurred on April 19, 1775, and in which several Woburn men participated and two were killed, flags in this city were run up to masthead last Monday and kept floating there from sunrise to sunset. As was entirely proper and eminently patriotic.

— We received a pleasant call from Mr. William Kimball of Wilton, N. H., last Tuesday. In a few weeks he will reach his 75th mile-post on the road of life, but he is as smart and active as any young man. He comes down to his old Woburn home once in a while to look after his real estate interests.

— Please stand from under. The Woburn Press Club—mark well the name—the W. P. C. on Saturday next will make a trial trip of a yacht which W. D. Lowell of Salisbury Point has recently built for them. There's richness. The Woburn Press Club going to try the speed and staunchness of their new yacht!

— Mr. C. Willard Smith employed Gowan's well-known Orchestra to furnish music for visitors on Merchants Day. It added a good deal to the pleasure of the occasion. When any thing like a public demonstration—say a Merchants Day for example—is going on Mr. Smith needn't be searched for in the rear ranks.

— Patrick Foley of Everett St. lost a child last Sunday and being unable to find it he repaired to box 62 and rang in a fire alarm with a view to securing the assistance of the Fire Department in his hunt. He was fined $5 for it Monday morning. The young one turned up safe and sound soon after the alarm was given.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott are still going for them. Last Sunday successful raids were made as follows: Owen H. O'Rourke, 34 Main; Bridget Dowd, 80 Albany; Mary E. Mulkeen, 8 Ash; Bridget Callahan, 148 Burlington; John McGovern, 40 Fowle; Patrick Lynch, 7 Albany, and Michael Lynch, 148 Montvale ave.

— Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dolliver, formerly of this city but for many years residents of San Francisco, Cal., have returned to Woburn where, it is said, they intend to spend the balance of their lives. Probably the brother Samuel, a prosperous San Francisco business man, will be doing as Thomas has done before long. They all like to get back to good old Woburn again.

— The way the *City Press* waded into the "April fooled" reporters of several great Boston dailies last Friday was a caution to sinners. It just *more* than roasted and basted the poor fellows, and their squirming was a spectacle. The *City P.*, be it understood, is no slouch of an ink-slinger and there is nobody in these parts who wields a more caustic pen than it does when it takes a notion that way. And didn't those Boston chaps writhe and twist though under the lashing of that pen? It isn't very safe for anybody to allude to the Wilmington silver mine in their hearing just at present unless he is well armed and quick at the trigger.

— Last Tuesday there was introduced in the State Senate a bill to provide for the appointment of a Board of Sewerage Commissioners for the city of Woburn and to define their powers and duties. The three Commissioners are to be appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen, and their usual term of office is to be three years. Their compensation is not to exceed $200 each per year.

— The Boston *Journal* says: The proceedings attending the post mortem of the Middlesex Investment Company, and the difficulties encountered in recovering for the certificate holders some part of the money which they paid in, will be watched with keen interest by those who have taken certificates in concerns of a precisely similar character, and reasonably certain to have a similar destiny.

— Mr. George C. Conn of upper Main st., a trusted employee of the B. & M. Railroad Co., Southern Division, left here for Virginia last Wednesday afternoon. He had just got partially over a very severe attack of the grip and was advised that a salt water voyage would do him good, so he took a steamer on Wednesday for Norfolk, Va., and will remain away until he regains his customary health and strength.

— Mr. Waterman Brown informs the JOURNAL that Supt. Sanborn of the Southern Division of the B. & M. Railroad will offer station agents and gate-keepers on the lines under his control premiums for the handsomest flower gardens this season. Brown says if hard work, constant care, and intelligent culture amount to anything in this world he'll gaffle on the first premium next fall or perish in the attempt. He runs the gates at Church Ave. crossing.

— At the next dramatic performance by the Friday Night Club the leading piece will be "A Lion among the Ladies," which is a new, very witty and highly entertaining stage production. This will be followed by "My Uncle's Will," an old favorite with play-going people. Both pieces will have a strong cast composed of local favorites, some of the names of whom it would not be a very difficult thing to correctly guess. Date and other particulars will be given in the next issue of the JOURNAL.

— Mr. Jacob A. Ham, dealer in grain, etc., says that the present prices of oats, corn and other agricultural staples of the kind are about double what they were a year ago. Which state of things is due to the short crop of last in the West, and is likely to continue until this year's crop is harvested and sent to market. The prices come pretty tough on some people here in the East, but we have an advantage in the cheapness of other commodities, so that, after all, things are pretty sure to even themselves up in the long run.

— The Fair in behalf of the Woburn Home for Aged Women closed on Thursday evening, April 16, after a successful career of two days. The public took a lively interest in it as they do in the object for which it was held, and the net receipts amounted to rising $500. This was not quite up to the yield of former years for which the lady managers gave good and sufficent reasons. The attendance was full up to the highest expectations and so were the sales, so the ladies are feeling very comfortable over the result.

— Last Saturday was a hot one and so was Sunday. A pretty heavy thunder storm early Saturday evening did not have a very cooling effect on the temperature and Saturday night was debilitating. Such extreme heat is not common in April. Come to think of it, wonder of April 19, 1891, wasn't pretty near a counterpart of April 19, 1775, when the bold Continentals gave the British red-coats such a licking over to Lexington? Except, perhaps, the grass wasn't quite so tall as it was on that memorable day.

— The Dow tannery has shut down and will remain inactive until the suit of Boston vs. the proprietors, now pending: is disposed of. It hurts business for it is one of the principal factories in the city and employs a large number of men. The injunction will soon be argued by the eminent counsel engaged in it. The paper case is all made up. The Dows propose to fight it for all there is in it, and in doing so they ought to be substantially backed up by our city government. The disposition of the case will prove of vital importance to Woburn and its business.

— John O'Connor, Irish Member of the British Parliament, one of Parnell's envoys extraordinary to this country to fire the American heart and secure funds for his leader, came out here last Saturday evening and had an interview with leading Irish-Americans in this city. He was to have addressed a meeting on Friday evening but missed the train he wanted to take and so came Saturday evening to explain the matter. He will visit here again this evening and hold interviews with prominent Irishmen and officers of Irish societies, and explain his mission to America. He is a gentleman of fine appearance.

— Dr. George E. Lothrop, whose wife was brutally murdered at Rochester, N. H., last Sunday night, used to board his two children on Academy Hill, this city, where one of them died of diptheria. It was after his wife left him and her pleasant home in Boston that he used to come out here to see his children. Hers was one of the saddest cases of the power of Rum to destroy the body and soul that has occurred in these parts for many a day. Rum drove her from a happy home, from her husband and children, from pleasant social surroundings, from wealth and plenty, to the most degraded life, only at last to be murdered in cold blood while drunk.

— The JOURNAL's German-Italian Orchestra, reinforced by another violin, discoursed sweet music to an enraptured street audience last Wednesday forenoon in this city and gathered in a fine harvest of sheckles therefor. Their reportoire has been supplied this spring with all of the newest and best things in opera, waltzes, marches, etc., while "McGinty," "Annie Rooney" and other popular airs of last season are given only by special request. Some of the saloons still clamor for them, but farther down the street opera and other classic music only is in demand. The JOURNAL's German-Italian Orchestra came out from Boston again on Merchants Day, and will make regular weekly trips to this city so long as the warm weather lasts. Some weeks they will come twice.

— Mr. John P. Stevens, for 10 years connected with the woolen jobbing department of Macullar, Parker & Co., died in Dillon, Montana, Thursday. He had charge of the Western business of the firm. Mr. Stevens was well known in Boston, having for many years been a resident of Woburn, Mass. He was Orderly Sergeant of Company G (Woburn Phalanx) Fifth Regiment, and was with the regiment through their nine months' service at Newbern, N. C. Mr. Stevens was a younger brother of Maj. Charles W. Stevens of this city. A widow and one daughter survive him.—*Boston Journal*. The deceased is honorably remembered by many people in this city, and by the Mechanic Phalanx his memory will be kept green. No man was more highly esteemed than he was while a resident of Woburn.

— Last Friday evening Howard's Refined Specialty Co., which consists of 15 firstclass artists, gave a concert at the Town Hall in Burlington to a large and appreciative audience. Among the star vocalists and performers were several prominent Woburn young men who acquitted themselves very handsomely and won enthusiastic applause from the audience. They were Mr. Lewis Claffy who with Mr. Edward Butler of Boston were the "Great German Knockabout Comedians," the Connolly Brothers, the famous clog-dancers, and perhaps others. The entertainment consisted of a salmagundi or olio of most excellent songs, dances, short comedies, speeches, etc., in which all the Woburn young gentlemen took prominent parts and in them contributed materially to the engagement and success of the affair.

— The trailing arbutus, or Mayflower, the sweetest and loviest blossom in all the floral kingdom—this modest little gem of the wildwood which came so near being chosen the "National Flower of America"—it is on deck bright and early for 1891, looking and smiling as sweet as a peach. On Tuesday morning the JOURNAL folks received a box of them from Mrs. Jennie Greenleaf of No. Berwick, Maine, whose home is situated on the "native heath" of the May-flower, and for the kind remembrance and lovely blossoms we return hearty thanks. There is an aroma of by-gone days hanging about the beauty and fragrance of the Mayflower which renders it very dear, hence our longing to get hold of them as quick as possible in the vernal season when they first show their heads on the sunny knolls and in the edge of the leafy woods. Thanks.

— Last Saturday's Boston *Evening Record* contained a 4-column article, prefaced by numerous headlines in black, entitled "The Shaw Case," which proved to be a carefully prepared history of the case of Mr. John Warner Shaw of this city who was a few weeks ago released from McLean Asylum at Somerville after a residence there of five months. The paper, which created a great stir in this city, was the product of one of *The Record's* smartest young reporters and proved "mighty interesting reading." Mr. Shaw was taken to the Asylum on the strength of testimony of medical men some of whom claim to be experts in mental diseases, and against that of other medical men who claim to be something more than mere novices in the diagnosis and treatment of the same kind of ailments. Mr. Shaw's trouble was an inability to take solid food or to retain any nourishment of that kind on his stomach without great pain. This pain increasing he declined to accept food, in kind and quality recommended, which refusal was set down to the credit of mental derangement. However, he was taken to the Asylum against his protestations and there remained about five months, during which period his stomach got back into its normal state and he gained health and strength rapidly. The JOURNAL has no personal knowledge of this matter and disclaims any but a general interest in it; but it is forced to admit that the *Record* makes out a strong case in support of Mr. Shaw's sanity from the testimony of physicians, one clergyman at least of high standing, an ex-Mayor of Woburn, and other sources, and right here the JOURNAL begs permission to leave the matter for the present.

— Mr. Munhall, the Evangelist, is drawing large and highly interested audiences to his revival meetings this week and signs of a religious awakening in the churches and reformation among sinners begin to crop out. He is doing good, honest work. The singing by Mr. and Mrs. Lowe attracts many people as it deserves to do for it is genuine worship in sweet music. They have rich, melodious voices and it is a delight to hear the good old Gospel Hymns as they come rolling off, round and full, from the tongues of these Christian songsters. Last Monday evening Mr. Munhall talked of the difference between heart and head religion. It was an appropriate theme for this latitude and he handled it skilfully. There seems to be a good deal more of head than heart religion among professors, which isn't as it ought to be, because head piety never saved a man and never will. Mr. Munhall turned a calcium light on this subject last Monday evening and we hope it will do good. From a cold, calm, quiet, nerveless religion whose habitation is in a man's brain instead of his heart the good Lord deliver us. The beautiful new Methodist church has been well filled at both afternoon and evening meetings all the week. A large choir has greatly enhanced the pleasure of them, and Pastor Montgomery has rendered the Evangelist valuable aid all through. Although there is a bit of friction discernable, Mr. Munhall believes that there is a rousing revival in store for Woburn, where, if anywhere under the canopy, a rousing revival is needed.

We certainly hope that the people of Woburn who need to become Christians will not let the ark now in our midst pass entirely by without making a great effort to get aboard of it. By the ark we mean of course Dr. Munhall's series of revival meetings. He is offering special opportunities for sinners to come forward for salvation and shows them an easy, sure and pleasant way of securing it. He is telling professed Christians some wholesome truths too every day up at the Methodist church which they might heed with profit to themselves, and it is said that some of them are waking up to that fact under Dr. Munhall's plain words.——These items respecting this series of revival meetings may seem fragmentary and disjointed, and so they are, but the indulgent reader will, we hope, overlook our imperfections in this line.

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City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board met on the evening of April 16, with the members all present, and Mayor Bean in the Chair.

It was voted that the price of license to Innholders should be $1,500 instead of $1,200. Alderman Davis moved to amend that portion of the order relating to fourth class licenses by inserting after the price $500, the words "providing the licensee has taken out also a first class license, otherwise the licensee shall pay for a fourth class license the sum of $1800." This amendment was also adopted.——The appointments of Arthur E. Gage and Elisha F. Hayward for Registrars of Voters were sent in and tabled.——J. Fred Leslie as Assistant Assessor, and James Mack as Constable, were accepted.——Petitions of Joseph Burke, David Strange, et. al. against the granting of liquor licenses, of Rev. Hugh Montgomery for a hearing on matter of licenses, were received; action deferred till latter in the evening.——William McDonough was granted a common victualer's license. This same kind of license was granted James H. Connolly & Co.——Messrs. William McDonough and James H. Connolly & Co. applied for first and fourth class licenses, and E F. Blank, F. E. Lovell and John J. Mahern & Co., for sixth-class license. These petitions were deferred and ordered advertised.——Petitions of E. J. Gregory as auctioneer, Geo. D. Nelson and John B. Davis for exclusive right to clean vaults, John P. Doherty to collect junk, and Daniel O'Connell to collect swill—all were referred to appropriate committees.——A petition was received from James Green and others for the raising of the grade on the east side of Arlington street. Referred to Committee on Highways.——W. A. Lynch was elected Assistant Assessor for Ward 7 and Elisha F. Hayward for Ward 4.——It was voted to give a hearing, Thursday, April 23, on matter of granting licenses. Adjourned.

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the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.'

Arbor Day, April 25.

Governor Russell has designated Saturday, April 25, to be observed as Arbor day.

Says the Governor: "Let us devote the day to the establishment and adornment of public grounds, to the restoration of our wasted forests, to the repair of every defacement which makes this commonwealth less beautiful than it should be, so that we may not only have it appear the nobler in our own time, but that we may hand it down to our children the statelier and more fruitful for our care."

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, April 22, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mrs. Mary S. Bent, Warren St., Box 25.
Miss Roseanna Brennan, 39 Beacon St.
President of Blue Glides.
Miss Maud Kendrick.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

Woburn's Licenses.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery of the Methodist Church, Woburn, announces that he has a strong backing to enforce the bar clause.

Mr. Montgomery is of the opinion that the conflict between Mayor Bean and the Aldermen will help the cause of temperance. It is said that the Mayor will withhold his signature from common victualler licenses unless his friends are given a chance at the licenses. Without the fourth class license no first class liquor license can be granted. Mr. Montgomery says the Mayor holds the key to the situation, and if his friends are not provided for no licenses will be granted.

Sufficient money has been subscribed on both sides to conduct a vigorous campaign. —*Woburn Corr. Boston Herald.*

"Will help the cause of temperance." It may. The situation is something like this: 13 is the limit of licenses in this city this year and the applications for them are close on to 40. Of this 13 Mayor Bean will be satisfied with 3 for his friends although he has demanded four. The Aldermen, who demand 12 of them, utterly refuse to yield to the Mayor's wishes, and will fight him inch by inch. Mr. Montgomery thinks the Mayor has the whip-row and will bring the majority Aldermen to terms by refusing to sign the licenses issued to their friends as victuallers. Does not Mr. Montgomery know that the signatures of the Aldermen are as necessary to the validity of such licenses as that of the Mayor?

Again, it is claimed that the Mayor is extremely anxious that a certain applicant should get his license (and if he does not there will be a big row in the Democratic camp), but the Aldermen are determined to block his game and knock out that particular applicant unless the Mayor concedes every demand they make in the matter. They will say to him "you sign licenses for the 12 whose applications we propose to grant and we will give you your man: otherwise you can't have him." Those who understand the relations between the Mayor and his particular petitioner think this will fetch him to terms.

These recalcitrant Aldermen have another string to their bow. The appropriations for the current year's expenditures were made up on a basis of some $13,000 receipts from license fees. Unless this amount should be forthcoming how will Mayor Bean's appropriations stand? How will he come out? How supply the $13,000 deficiency? Now, the Aldermen can place the Mayor in just that box, and it is said they propose to use that power as a lever to secure favors for their friends in this license business. The Mayor might find in this Aldermanic proposition food for reflection.

Now, all this is in the air. It is current talk. Aldermen discuss the situation in the light imperfectly shadowed forth in this article. Trouble is brewing apparently.

Personally we are densely ignorant of the whole matter but if there is anything reliable in the above talk it is a pretty kettle of fish that our city government has fallen into, isn't it?

"Il Trovatore."

This popular opera was given in grand style in the presence of a crowded house at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening by Miss Mabel C. Davis, the popular alto singer of this city, assisted by some of the best talent in Boston, which included such well known names as Charles R. Adams, the famous tenor; Fred Marston, Mrs. Luella Wagner, Guiseppi Campanari, Jeanne Corea—names which represent the highest and best in Boston musical culture, and which, found on a programme, are the strongest kind of a guarantee of a rare musical feast. The piano playing by Miss Mertena L. Bancroft, and the organ music by Miss Emilie Grant, added much to the pleasure of the performance.

The scenery and costumes were brought out from Boston and of course were of the best. In the latter the performers made a fine appearance. Miss Mabel C. Davis took the part of *Azucena* and it is needless to remark here that it was perfectly rendered. Mr. Charles R. Adams filled the chief character, *Manrico*, admirably of course—he couldn't do it any other way—and Campanari, Marston, Madame Wagner, Mlle. Corea, and all the rest, took their assignments through in a manner to elicit the warmest applause from a cultivated and appreciative audience.

It was a very high-toned affair: the fashion of the city were out in full force; "society" occupied front seats in silks, satins and swallow-tail coats; and on the whole, Miss Davis had every reason in the world to feel very proud of the artistic success of her musical venture.

The Banquet.

Preparations for the Board of Trade Banquet, to be held on April 30, are being carried out on an extensive scale. It is to be a high-top-sweeting affair, at which President Grant will "flesh his maiden sword," figuratively speaking, as a high functionary of the Board by way of receiving and greeting distinguished public officials and in the wholesale employment of banqueting oratory. He'll do it up in fine shape although it takes a good deal of nerve to get up and say smooth, sweet things before the Governor of the State and perhaps his brave Staff of Military Heroes, the Mayor of the city, etc. But President Grant will show himself equal to the emergency.

Fair women too are to have a considerable finger in the pie. They are to figure as a large factor in the grand social affair. Why shouldn't they? How could we get on without them? The following dames and damsels have been chosen as aids to the officers, and could a better selection have been made?

Mrs. Lucretia True, Mrs. James Skinner, Miss Grace Whittemore, Mrs. Joseph B. McDonald, Mrs. William W. Hill, Mrs. Charles M. Strout, Mrs. Winthrop Hammond, Mrs. F. B. Dodge, Mrs. Parker L. Converse, Mrs. George Buchanan, Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald, Mrs. E. G. Barker, Mrs. Squire B. Goddard, Mrs. Dr. Chase, Mrs. A. E. Dow, Mrs. Daniel H. Richards, Mrs. Fred Stanley, Mrs. Martin Hayward, Mrs. Daniel W. Brown, Mrs. Henry E. Smith, Mrs. Charles W. Bryant, Mrs. Sparrow Horton, Mrs. Frederic H. Lewis.

A Success.

Mr. Amos Cummings's Millinery Opening yesterday was a great success.

Marion Osgood's Ladies Orchestra furnished splendid music all the afternoon and evening.

Hundreds of ladies attended the opening.

The *Globe* professes to have a list, which it does not print, showing a cut-down in some industrial establishment for every day since the passage of the McKinley bill. It could probably be considerably more than matched by a list showing more than one new industry per diem, on the average, established since the McKinley bill was passed.

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At present, instruction will be given in Woodwork for the boys, and Sewing for girls, and no pupils will be received whose ages do not fall between 12 and 17 years.

This is the beginning of an educational institution which nobody can doubt will prove of vast advantage to the youth of Woburn and vicinity and become a great credit to our city.

Literary Notices.

The May number of POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY is an unusually interesting one. Its papers are all fresh and timely, some of which are as follows: Miracles and Medicine, Ice-making and Machine Refrigerators, Fortifying against Disease, Some Games of June, An Experiment in Meral Training, Prof Huxley on the War-Path, My Garden on an Onion, Evolution of Patent Medicine, The French Institute, The Mexican Messiah, Education of Children, Sketch of Niels H. C. Hoffmeyer with portrait, Literary Notices, Correspondence, etc., etc. New York: D. Appleton & Co. Fifty cents a number: $5 a year.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach; Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; Dr. Munhall will preach at 7 p. m.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m., preaching by pastor. Subject: "True Repentance." At 3 p. m. Union meeting of young people; preaching by Dr. Munhall. At 7 p. m. Union Service at Congregational church; preaching by Dr. Munhall. Union Service at Congregational Church every evening this week except Saturday.

Married.

In this city, April 8, by Rev. H. C. Parker, Joseph S. Adlington and Annie McLellan, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, April 18, Arthur M. Welander, aged 1 year, 7 months, 6 days.
In this city, April 19, William H. Hunt, aged 61 years.

That Tired Feeling

Is experienced by almost everyone at this season, and many people resort to Hood's Sarsaparilla to drive away the languor and exhaustion. The blood, laden with impurities which have been accumulating for months, moves sluggishly through the veins, the mind fails to think quickly, and the body is still slower to respond.

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"For years I was sick every spring, but last year took Hood's Sarsaparilla in February and have not seen a sick day since." G. W. SLOAN, Milton, Mass.

Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. Distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, "all gone" feeling, bad taste, coated tongue, and irregularity of the bowels, are some of the more common symptoms. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful, persistent attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet surely and efficiently. It tones the stomach and other organs, regulates the digestion, creates a good appetite, and by thus overcoming the local symptoms removes the sympathetic effects of the disease, banishes the headache, and refreshes the tired mind.

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Sick Headache

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia. I had but little appetite, and what I did eat distressed me, or did me little good. In an hour after eating I would experience a faintness, or tired, all-gone feeling, as though I had not eaten anything. My trouble, I think, was aggravated by my business, which is that of a painter, and from being more or less shut up in a room with fresh paint. Last spring I took Hood's Sarsaparilla—took three bottles. It did me an immense amount of good. It gave me an appetite, and my food relished and satisfied the craving I had previously experienced." GEORGE A. PAGE, Watertown, Mass.

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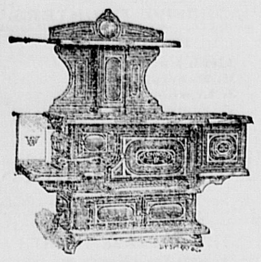

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Merchants Day.

A finer day for a general Trade Opening than yesterday turned out to be never dawned in Woburn. It was never excelled anywhere or at any season of the year for mellowness of temperature, for balmy breezes, for the sweetness of its intermittant sunshine, and its occasional gentle showers. The merchants couldn't have made a day half so fine if they had tried ever so hard.

The first thing that caught the eye of the average citizen as he emerged from his humble but comfortable couch at 7.30 a. m., was a display of American Flags which for size and number "beat the Dutch." They were flying gaily from public buildings, residences, stores, the old Flagstaff on the corner that never refuses to respond to any and all calls on its loyalty, shops, hotels, and all along the streets. These many flags made things look patriotic-like and lively, and gave a gay air and appearance to the streets and buildings which was pleasant to behold.

Woburn is all the time up to some out-of-the-way trick to attract public attention and give outside people something to talk about. To do odd things is a habit of hers. She revels in quaint, unique conduct that makes her neighbors stare and wonder. "Merchants Day" which went off with such eclat yesterday was a fair sample of Woburn's ways in challenging the notice of her neighbors. Whose prolific brain suggested this "Merchants Day," or "The Woburn Trade Opening," is more than we can say, but it was an offspring of the Board of Trade, one of its children, so to speak, and it proved to be something entirely worthy of its parentage. Nobody else ever before thought of such a scheme, and now it will become "all the rage" because Woburn launched it and made a signal success of it.

We were saying that the city seemed almost buried in bunting even as early breakfast time, and its volume didn't decrease any during the day. It was to be seen everywhere, and a gentler breeze for it to gracefully wave in was never vouchsafed for a celebration or affair of this kind.

Soon after dinner the crowds began to pour into the city from outlying towns, hamlets and neighborhoods and by 2 o'clock it was "as full as a tick." They came in barges from Burlington, Cummingsville, Wilmington; and in the street cars from No. Woburn, Montvale, Stoneham, Winchester, Medford, and elsewhere on the lines of them. Almost everyone came dressed up in his and her best bib and tucker and with the idea prominent in their minds to make a holiday of it. They were met with great affability, cordiality, big stocks and specially low prices, by the merchants who were the authors of and chief contributors to the "Great Spring Trade Opening." The stores were decorated very handsomely; their most attractive contents were thrust to the front; orchestras discoursed sweet music in some; and all of them extended warm welcomes to the hundreds of admiring visitors with which they were thronged.

The brass bands of the city were on hand too with open-air concerts at short intervals, which didn't detract any from the pleasures of the uncommon kind of an occasion, but attracted big crowds to the Common both in the afternoon and evening. No set of men could be more liberal in furnishing music, bunting, floral decorations and other beautiful things for the enjoyment of their neighbors than the merchants and business men of Woburn showed themselves to be yesterday at the great and long-to-be remembered "Merchants Day."

In the evening the streets were brilliantly illuminated; the air was laden with stirring music by the bands; the JOURNAL'S German Orchestra attracted immense crowds; and altogether, yesterday was a holiday in this city which was enjoyed by more people than are usually found in attendance on a firstclass 4th of July celebration outside of Boston.

What Shall We Cover The Floor With?

A pretty fancy Straw Matting is very desirable for warm weather. You can buy good ones for 25 cents a yard and the best seamless for only 38 cents. Then a great many people like our Oil Cloth for the kitchen or dining-room, and there is no need of going without one for the variety of styles, quality of goods and the low prices you can buy them for at Smith's is remarkable. Good quality for only 25 cents a square yard, and the very best for only 40 cents a square yard. Now what about a Woolen Carpet for every body don't put down Straw Matting in the summer. The styles this Spring are very pretty and our stock is selected from the best makes made. We shall do our very best to please you; and the price, we guarantee that to be right. You may say that these don't interest you and you want a Tapestry or a Brussels Carpet and perhaps more than one, you may want to carpet a whole house. Well, we were awake before but now we are wide-awake. Smith's is just the place you want to come to.

We will endeavor to show you a good line of these goods at the lowest possible prices, and suit your taste and your pocket-book as well.

We also look out that you buy pretty Rugs, and we don't forget you have windows in your house and that we can furnish you with Curtains from the cheap 25 cent Holland Shade to the best Knit Cloth or Holland Shade made to order for you.

Please remember that you can get all of these at Smith's.

C. Willard Smith

The merchants were well satisfied with the affair, and the people who came here to celebrate were wonderfully pleased and couldn't say too much in praise of the liberalty of the business men of Woburn.

Which is a hasty and imperfect sketch of the saliant features of the biggest business day this city has ever experienced.

Board of Trade.

The following circular announcement has been issued by the Banquet Committee in relation to the annual bouquet and entertainment of the Woburn Board of Trade for 1891:

The 6th Anniversary Celebration occurs Thursday, April 30, 1891.——The rooms and hall on 2d floor, Dow's building, will be used.——Tickets are one dollar and fifty cents apiece.——Tickets are limited in number.——Tickets can be obtained of the Committee, and H. N. Conn.——The Secretary will mail tickets, if desired, for cash prepaid.——Tickets will not be reserved unless paid for when ordered.——Orders cannot be taken for tickets after Monday, April 27, owing to agreement with the caterer.——Tickets held for the members until Wednesday morning, April 22, 1891, after which time, those remaining, if any, will be sold to the citizens at large.——The list of invited guests includes His Excellency the Governor, His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, other State officials, His Honor the Mayor, and other noted guests.

The programme for the evening is as follows:

6.00. Reception.
7.00. Banquet.
8.00. Entertainment, music, and speeches, etc.
10.00. Adjournment——Fred H. Lewis, B. F. Whittemore, A. Grant, C. M. Strout, W. Hammond, J. Skinner, G. Buchanan, Committee.

"I should have brung my umbrella," remarked Mrs. Livewayte, a member of the Chicago Literary Society. "Brung?" asked Mrs. Laker, in a gentle, corrective tone. "How stupid of me! Of course I meant 'braug.'"

The Gallant Sixth.

The old 6th Mass. Regt. that fought itself through Baltimore on the 19th of April 1861, and had some of its brave members slaughtered by the Roughs and Plug-Uglies of that rebel city that day, celebrated the 30th anniversary of that memorable event last Saturday and a portion of the Regiment (the Worcester Co.) was given a grand reception and ovation in Baltimore on Sunday on the very ground where the historic event occurred.

It will be remembered that a part of the Regiment got through Baltimore unscathed, but that four Companies, C. I. L. D., three of them from Lowell where a large part of the Regiment was recruited, were left behind and had to march through the city in face of the howling bloodthirsty mobs and gatherings of murderous roughs. As senior officer Captain Follansbee of Co. C, Lowell, assumed command of the four Companies and took them through to the other side of the city for Washington. By his order many of the Plug-Uglies got their deserts and bit the dust that day.

Why we make particular mention of this matter is because Captain Follansbee, who died at his home in Chicago about three weeks ago and consequently was not at this celebration, was subsequent to the close of the war a resident of Woburn and one of her most highly esteemed citizens. He was a brave, big-hearted man whom everybody admired and respected, and when he left here to make a home in the West he was sorely missed and regretted.

Many of our citizens still think of Capt. Follansbee with pleasure, and they will cherish his memory as long as they live.

For the Journal.

THE AGED.

We cannot lead too gently on their path
The trouble-worn.
The leaf-strewn valleys of the Aftermath
Are theirs to wander thro': our pathway hath
The joy of Morn.

We cannot speak too kindly. Memory
Grows dark in age;
But the true utterance of sympathy,
A gentle word, a deed of charity,
Lightens its page.

We cannot pay too reverend regard
To fading years.
A brief, brief while, and life, affliction-starred,
Takes its lone journey grave and glorysward,
Mid Earth's last tears.

—*Frank W. Hutt, Boston University, Boston.*

Mellin's Food is a soluble preparation, containing proper proportions of those nitrogenous and phosphatic matters which are so essential for the healthy growth of a child. It is not a medicine. It is not intended primarily for sick babies; it is the best food for healthy, and also feeble infants.

Board of Trade.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trade held last Tuesday evening for the choice of officers was largely attended. Over 50 of the leading business men of the city have lately joined it and were out in force so that the Rooms wore a business like appearance. There is a great revival of interest in the organization, and its future growth and prosperity are assured.

The following officers were chosen: President, Alexander Grant; Vice Presidents, Joseph B. McDonald, Winthrop Hammond and George Buchanan; Secretary and Treasurer, Frederic H. Lewis; Executive Committee, H. N. Conn, H. W. Deans, F. J. Briggs, F. E. Lovell, A. N. Webster, A. B. Wyman, S. F. Trull, E. Caldwell, H. L. Richardson, A. W. Whitcher, E. B. Parkhurst, G. F. Jones, Charles E. Chase, James Skinner, Lawrence Reade, G. F. Hosmer, John I. Munroe, Jacob M. Ellis, William N. Titus, Charles M. Strout, B. F. Whittemore, F. A. Flint, J. G. Maguire and F. H. Lewis.

President Buchanan goes into retirement carrying with him the esteem of every member of the Board. He has taken a deep interest in its affairs and has done as much as the next man to promote them. It was largely due to following his wise and judicious counsels that the Board survived when it seemed to be moribund a year or more ago, and regained its former health and strength, and is the liveliest kind of an association to-day.

Mr. Alexander Grant will, no doubt, make a worthy successor to President Buchanan. The JOURNAL first placed Mr. Grant in nomination for the Executive Chair and has been the only one of the city papers to earnestly advocate his election. But then, that is the JOURNAL'S way of doing business—it leads in every good word and work, and seldom fails to carry its points.

Mr. Grant will make a good President—one of the best; and the other officers elected are certainly equal to any that could have been selected. There isn't one among them but what is a Woburn man to the core.

With such officers and the confident spirit that prevails concerning it, we anticipate a year of great prosperity for the Board of Trade.

Woman's Club.

On Friday afternoon, April 17, the Woburn Woman's Club listened with more than their usual interest to the eloquent words of Mrs. Livermore on Unmarried Women.

Mrs. Livermore might be termed the grand old woman if the term old woman had not been so long a synonym of disrespect and reproach.

Mrs. Livermore gave a summary of the articles recently published in the leading magazines by Mrs. Fate Gannett Wells, Mrs. E. Lynn Linton, Mrs. John Sherwood and others on the subject of marriage and the increasing number of women who do not marry.

Mrs. Livermore does not think it a correct statement that the better class of young women are becoming opposed to marriage, rather they are regarding marriage as too sacred, serious and difficult a matter to be treated lightly or entered into rashly.

The imperfect marriage laws, the broader education for women, the wider fields of work, the better salaries paid women, the increased respect shown maiden ladies are given as the reasons why women enter marriage more reluctantly than they did a century ago.

In New England women greatly outnumber the men therefore women have to choose between being old maids and moving to the West where the young men are building up reputations and a new civilization.

The study of Physiology, Heredity, Medicine, and the Law especially as related to marriage and the holding of property, all have the effect to make life seem more sacred and serious.

Need one ask who are the unmarried women whose names shine forth gloriously in the world's history? Men and women alike know them by heart and together swell the chorus of praise that applauds the efforts they have made, the grand achievements they have won.—G. M. B.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Music Hall on Friday, May 1, at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Annie Sawyer Downs of Andover, will lecture on "The Mammoth Cave of Kentucky."

Two amendments are to be voted upon.

How Is This?

ED. WOBURN JOURNAL: Will you grant me a short space in the columns of your valuable paper to say a few words about policemen? I hear the Mayor is acting queerly respecting some appointments to the regular force, and if the Editor can throw any light on it I would thank him to do so.

Certain three men, on civil service examination and by civil service rules, have won the right to first appointments on the force, and there is one who is entitled to it by the veteran soldier law. The Mayor wants to appoint neither of these men but craves the place for some of his political friends. To be sure, a while back he assured the veteran that he should have the appointment, and even went so far as to ask him to go to his post of duty at once. The veteran (French) told the Mayor he would have to clean up with Hart & Co. before going to duty, but would be ready in a day or two.

During that day or two the Mayor's regard for the veteran cooled off, so reports say, and now he wants to keep French and the three others out. Why, I'm told, Mr. Editor, that the strongest kind of efforts have been made to get the three to step out and one of them has made an affadavit that he has been offered a first class place in a certain leather factory in this city if he would yield his rights under the civil service rules and retire from the contest! He has not done it and says he won't.

French don't know now what is going to become of him, the Mayor's playing fast and loose having balled him all up, so to speak.

This is a pretty way to conduct the public business, isn't it? What can we think of this attempt to override the civil service laws and disregard the veteran soldier rules as to appointments to office? It is remarkable, isn't it, if true?

My idea is, that Mayor Bean would make a much better official record for himself if he would cut loose from his present political surroundings and act more in accordance with the dictates of his own better judgment. But so long as he is forced to cater to the wishes and heed the behests of his present backers he will be in hot water all the time, and don't you forget it.

AN INTERESTED CITIZEN.

Burlington.

Mr. George M. Wadsworth has been elected Superintendent of Schools in Burlington, Billerica, Bedford, Carlisle, Lincoln and Wilmington, for the ensuing year.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society held a very pleasant and social meeting in the church parlor on Thursday afternoon of last week. A goodly number of the members attended.

Mrs. Mary K. Whitman a former resident of Burlington who died in South Boston, April 10, was buried in the cemetery in this place. She was nearly eighty-five years old.

Rev. Mr. Shaw of Audover preached at the church last Sunday morning and evening. Next Sunday Rev. C. F. Hersey begins his work in this parish for the next year. He comes under very favorable circumstances and will be heartily welcomed by the people. The regular hours of the Sunday services are 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.

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Salvation Army meetings are well attended.

The performance of "Gyp, Jr." has been postponed.

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John Park has gone to Chicago for a permanent "sit."

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, and all persons interested in the Estate of Helen B. Cook, of Woburn, in said County, minor,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

S. H. FOLSOM, Asst. Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Bond, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Bond, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of April, instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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M. D. STEVENS.

CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, Municipal Building, April 14, 1891.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Charles H. Buss has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as a druggist, at No. 394 Main St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Samuel D. Thompson has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as innholder, at No. 442 Main St., in all rooms in building and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Elmer F. Blank has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as a druggist, at No. 389 Main St., in two rooms on first floor.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John J. Mahern & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as druggists, at No. 403 Main Street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Fred E. Lovell has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class as a druggist, at No. 361 Main St., in all rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building. DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William McDonough has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at Nos. 287 and 289 Montvale Avenue, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James H. Connolly and Patrick F. Kerrigan, have made application under the firm name of Connolly & Kerrigan, for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at No. 48 Fowle Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes, that Peter Kenney and Thomas W. Kenney, under the firm name of Peter Kenney & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 443 and 445 Main Street, in three rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas G. Merriam and Joseph F. Carpenter, under the firm name of Thomas G. Merriam & Co., have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 32, 34 and 36 High St., in three rooms on first floor and stock in attic of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Shinkwin and Michael Reddy, under the firm name of Shinkwin & Reddy, have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 45 and 47 Main Street, on first floor of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas Moore has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at No. 5 Union Street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
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DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas Moore has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as a grocer, at No. 3 Union street, in two rooms on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

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DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

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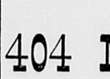

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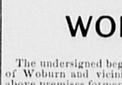

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NINEVEH'S REPENTANCE

LESSON IV, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, APRIL 26.

Text of the Lesson, Jonah iii, 1-10—Commit Verses, 9, 10—Golden Text, Luke xi, 32—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "And the Word of the Lord came unto Jonah the second time, saying,"

From the belly of the fish Jonah cried unto the Lord, and the Lord heard him, and spake unto the fish, and it vomited out Jonah upon the dry land (chap. ii, 1, 10). Jonah's prayer is largely made up of quotations from the Psalms, as many as eight or ten different Psalms being quoted from (see marginal references), teaching us that afflictions open up the mine of Scripture, and make real to us words before unheeded (Ps. cxix, 67, 71). If Jonah in the fish's belly was not hid from God's sight and hearing, where can we hide from Him.

2. "Arise, go unto Nineveh, that great city."

How very gracious of the Lord to come to him the second time with the same message (chap. i, 2)! How very patient and long suffering He is with us!

"And preach unto it the preaching that I bid thee."

This is the whole responsibility of every preacher, for we are simply messengers of the Lord of Hosts.

3. "So Jonah arose and went into Nineveh, according to the Word of the Lord."

Now he is obedient. This is what he should have done at first instead of going to sea. By his willfulness he has lost much precious time and grieved his Lord. But let us take it to ourselves. Are we obedient to the word of the Lord, or wasting time and grieving the Spirit by our waywardness and disobedience?

Nineveh was a very great city, about sixty miles of wall inclosing it, and Jonah was only one lone man of no importance to that great and wicked city, but God was with him.

4. "And Jonah began to enter into the city a day's journey."

Many days had he journeyed from the seashore across the country (look at your map and note the distance), and much time had he for meditation and communion with his God. However lonely the way and long the journey, he had the consciousness that he was doing the will of the Lord and that the Lord had sent him.

"And he cried and said, Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown."

What a strange cry for a lone man in a great and prosperous and wicked city!

5. "So the people of Nineveh believed God, and proclaimed a fast, and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them even to the least of them."

God was with His servant, the Spirit of God was in the message, and where the word of a king is there is power.

6. "For word came unto the king of Nineveh, and he arose from his throne, and he laid his robe from him, and covered him with sackcloth, and sat in ashes."

So the word of the Lord through this humble man reached even the heart of the king on his throne, and he humble himself before God, as well as the lowest in the city.

7. "And he caused it to be proclaimed and published through Nineveh, by the decree of the king and his nobles, saying,"

The king and his great men have put themselves on the side of Jonah and his God. If God could make use of such a crook as Jonah let no one who is willing to be used ever be discouraged, but let us be on the Lord's side out and out.

"Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste anything; let them not feed nor drink water."

Surely this was a great and thorough repentance, at least on the part of the king and his great ones who ordered this severe fast.

8. "But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and cry mightily unto God."

Why include the cattle, for they had not sinned? Though they sin not, yet they suffer because of man's sin, and God cares for cattle.

"Yea, let them turn every one from his evil way; and from the violence that is in their hands."

Outward sorrow without a turning away from sin would avail nothing, for God searcheth the heart. And inward sorrow must be accompanied by the actual turning away from all evil.

9. "Who can tell if God will turn and repent, and turn away from his fierce anger, that we perish not?"

Had they such light as Israel had, how they would have been encouraged! If they had known of the repentance of Ahab, how it might have helped them (II Kings xxi, 29). Or if they could have heard the words of Isaiah, "Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts, and let him return unto the Lord, and He will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon" (Isa. lv, 7)! Or if they had the light which we have as to the love of God, and his unwillingness that any should perish, and his readiness to forgive sin (John iii, 16, II Pet. iii, 9; Acts x, 43; xiii, 38, 39), how it would have rejoiced them! If then with the light they had, and the warning given them, their repentance was so thorough, what shall be said of the impenitent under the light of the glorious Gospel we have so freely proclaimed among us?

10. "And God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way."

God sees unbelief, and it grieves Him; He sees faith and obedience, and He is pleased. What does He see in you? Whatever is wrong, come to Him just as you are, yield fully to Him, and He will make it all right.

"And God repented of the evil that He had said that He would do unto them, and He did it not."

See His promise to act thus given at a later date to Israel (Jer. xviii, 7, 8). Although it was just as He had always done for Israel, as is fully recorded in the book of Judges, or as in Ps. cvi, 43, 44: "Many times did He deliver them, but they provoked Him with their counsel, and were brought low for their iniquity. Nevertheless He regarded their affliction when He heard their cry." As to God repenting, we have only to remember one or two things. Being unchangeable, and knowing the end from the beginning, He cannot change His mind as we do or ever be sorry for anything He does (Mal. iii, 6; Num. xxiii, 19; Acts xv, 18). But from the beginning, foreseeing all things, He knew that with individuals and nations He could pursue a certain course or mode of treatment to a certain point, and that then He would have occasion to do differently; and these turning points in His modes of treatment are called repentings. We change our mind and then change our conduct or mode of action; He changes His mode of treatment, knowing beforehand that He would do so just at that particular time. May the repentance of Nineveh not be lost upon us, but humble us before God!

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

An exchange says: "The Irish must be tough. As long as they have been in a stew on the other side, nobody seems thoroughly cooked as yet."

Electrician Edison claims that he can cure gout by the simultaneous use of lithuine and electricity.

HE WAS TOO SMART.

A Grocer's Clerk Whose Brightness Failed to Impress His Employer.

Up on Eighth avenue, in that far away region where the elevated road is so high that passengers in the cars can't help wishing they had lived better lives, an old and stolid German conducts a grocery. Until recently he had as clerk an agile youth with a tendency toward noise, both in his talk and costume. He was a rather amiable youth, however, and when, one day, his accustomed place behind the counter was found to be no longer acquainted with him, not a few inquiries were made in regard to his disappearance. To such questions the old German responded with a gruff "Heinrich vas bounced," and when asked why this action had been taken would only say, "He vas too schmart for der grocery peesness."

This enigmatic explanation gave rise to the gravest suspicions in the minds of the young man's acquaintances, and the neighborhood talked gravely about his supposed downfall for some days. Then the facts in the case came out, and a peculiarly Harlemesque romance was revealed.

It seems that Heinrich, in one of those lulls of trade which come in the grocery as in other lines of commerce, had been assailed by what appeared to him to be a bright idea. Procuring a large piece of fair white paper he printed thereon in large black letters this legend, "N. O. Molasses, fifty cents." He hung the placard up in a conspicuous place and waited developments.

They came in the form of a tall, thin woman, fierce of visage and sharp of tongue, the keeper of a big boarding house and the best customer Heinrich's employer had. Her keen eyes noticed the sign at once.

"What's that!" she said, "New Orleans molasses gone down to fifty cents a gallon? Thank goodness one thing's fell! Send me four gallons at once; I'll lay in a stock before 't goes up again."

Here was Heinrich's opportunity. "You haven't read it right," he said, somewhat frightened, but determined to give his bright idea an airing. "Of course we couldn't sell New Orleans or any other kind of molasses for any such price as that, so I—to prevent mistakes, you know—put up that sign—'No molasses, fifty cents'—but I can send you some for"——

"You'll send me nothin'," cried the woman angrily, and she marched out of the store.

She never came back. Heinrich tried to explain how harmless his bright idea was, but the old German couldn't understand it. "You vas too schmart for der grocery peesness. Better you get oud," was all he would say, and the wretched victim of his own brilliancy had to go.—New York Times.

Two Important Alaskan Discoveries.

The Seward glacier is a natural divide between the ridge through which we had forced our way and the main range. So one part of the problem was solved, and we discovered that there was no main range parallel to the coast, while angulation determined another point, and that was that the elevation had been very much overestimated, and St. Elias was only 15,350 instead of 19,500 feet. The ranges are all broken by immense faults, and it was owing to such structure that Pinnacle pass was found so easy of passage.—M. B. Kerr in Scribner's.

A Valuable Bit of Metal.

Mr. S. M. Hanley, of Fort Smith, Ark., has a breastpin of eighteen carat gold which he had made out of an earring for his wife. He found the original on the bank of Coosa river, Alabama, in 1886, at a point in Shelby county where Jackson crossed his army. It was washed up from an Indian burying ground by the floods of that year. Its workmanship shows it to have been made over 200 years ago. It was probably a part of the plunder of some early Indian massacre of English settlers.—Cor. New York World.

Two Separate Feelings.

When you see a girl pasting a scrapbook full of cooking recipes out of the weekly papers you know pretty well that some young man is in a position to be congratulated, and yet when you think of the recipes you feel rather sorry for him too.—West Chester Local News.

City of the Sick.

The largest hospital in the world is in Germany—the Allgemeine Krankenhause, which contains 3,000 beds. This hospital, which is now 116 years old, is managed in the interest of students, not humanely for the benefit of the poor patients.—Boston Globe.

Claus Spreckels, the California sugar king, is growing old, and his hair is quite white. He is just as keen and energetic as ever, however, and in looking after his three large refineries on the Pacific coast and one at Philadelphia he manages to keep busy.

Charles Broadway Rouss, of New York, is one of the few business men in the country who pay their employes at the end of each day. The services of one extra clerk enable him to do this, and he says the system is satisfactory both to his employes and himself.

Socrates, the sublimest character in profane history, firmly believed that he was actuated and directed by a demon. Blackstone, the author of the incomparable commentaries of the laws of England, was an undoubted believer in witchcraft.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

Mushrooms generally consist of 90 per cent of water, but in spite of this the balance of 10 per cent is said to be more nutritious than bread.

Hints That Are Better Than Gold.

If you have bad breath, sluggish bowels, pain in the small of your back, nervousness or giddiness, your vital organs are sadly out of condition. A mere "dose of physic" will not help you. Your only wise course is to take Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., and cleanse your system of the impurities. It regulates the Liver and Kidneys.

ETHIOPIANS MADE WHITE.

Doctors Say This Can Be Done Through the Transplanting of Skin.

Provided a victim could be found for the skinning operation, surgical skill is equal to the feat of turning a negro's skin permanently white. The question of the transposition of color in the cuticle of the two races has been given a local and peculiar interest by an experiment in the grafting of the skin of a negro upon a white man, performed by Dr. John Ege, of Reading.

The experiment of Dr. Ege was made for the purpose of healing a wound on the leg of a white man, and if it succeeded in this it was all that was expected of it. Not only did it do this, but as the wound began to heal Dr. Ege was surprised to notice the thirty particles of black skin transplanted were gradually losing their color, and by the time the wound had entirely healed the new surface was as white as if the cuticle belonged by nature to the spot to which it was transplanted.

This result was surprising to the doctor, because medical men have hitherto declared that colored skin wherever transplanted would retain its color. It seems probable now, therefore, that some of the theory of skin grafting may undergo a change, and that in the future one may be enabled to change one's skin as easily as the Parisian belle the color of her hair.

A physician in seriously discussing the matter said that the original cause of the difference in the color of the skin of different races is still a matter of some dispute. Some authorities on the subject maintain that it is attributable solely to climate. In contradiction to this, however, other authorities prove that the dark color of the skin does not depend on geographical position, nor even altogether on racial purity, by the fact that the extremes of the chromatic scales are found throughout the whole negro domain.

Dr. J. V. Shoemaker, the eminent dermatologist of this city, in speaking of the result of Dr. Ege's experiment, said that in his opinion a negro's skin grafted upon a white man would probably lose its color, the process of cutting disturbing the cells containing the coloring matter. Dr. H. G. Boeuning, demonstrator of anatomy at the Medico-Chirurgical college, also holds this opinion, but at the same time says it is imperative that the particles of skin transplanted should be very minute, as in the case of Dr. Ege's experiment.

Dr. Boeuning also said that while colored skin transplanted on a white man will lose its color and become white, white skin grafted upon a negro would never become black. From this it will be seen that, although a negro might possibly be turned white, those white persons who are so enamored of the soft, glossy, unctuous epidermis of the negro as to desire a change are debarred by nature from indulging their peculiar taste.—Philadelphia Record.

Handling of Electrical Supplies.

An excellent suggestion has been made by a progressive electrical journal to the effect that the hardware trade all over the country should handle electrical supplies. Hardware firms should, of course, have a first class electical man in their employ, and it will be a real boon to the public if reliable supplies for bells, annunciators, heat regulators, gas lighting and incandescent lights can be obtained. The public has become fully aware that cheap bells and batteries mean endless vexation of spirit and are very dear at the price, and it is satisfactory to know that improvement in this branch of electrical industry is imminent.—New York Telegram.

A Light for Watches.

A new electric watch lighter is being manufactured in England. It resembles an enlarged open faced watch case, and has in its rim a minute incandescent lamp and reflector. On placing the watch in the case and pressing a small stud the face of the watch is brilliantly lighted. A dry battery supplies the current, and may be placed in a closet, with a flexible conducting cord leading from it to the head of the bed or stand on which the watch is placed. The battery will last for this purpose for years, and no chemicals are required.—New York Telegram.

A Readerscope.

A Lowell (Mass.) genius has invented a machine which he calls a "readerscope." It is designed so as to reflect the contents of a newspaper on the ceiling of any well lighted room. The inventor feels certain of being able to introduce it into barber shops, as it would enable a man to read while being shaved, and one paper could be made to serve several customers.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A certain Skye terrier used to attempt deceiving its master by going through the action of killing a fly, and then assuming an air of success. One day, however, when proof was given him that his hypocrisy was detected, he slunk under the furniture, evidently quite ashamed.

Natural gas can scarcely be regarded as a modern discovery, for, like many of our inventions, it is said to have been known among the Chinese long ago. In its modern utilization, however, much originality may be fairly claimed by the Americans.

Don't be afraid to be gracious through fear that you give a false impression of your position. It is the uncertain throne occupied by the usurper that needs constant bolstering. The true king feels secure in his rights.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

The priests of Drogheda denounced from the altar, lately, the Parnell meeting announced to be held in the town that afternoon. The result was a practical boycott of the meeting, only imported contingents being present.

Fortunate Father and Son.

"I am as certain as I now live," says C. E. Bartholomew, of Kalkaska, Mich., "that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy saved my life when I was a victim of Bright's Disease. My son had a fever sore on his leg. He, too, used Favorite Remedy and is now well. But for this medicine I am sure both father and son would have been six feet under the sod."

CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, APR. 2, 1891.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Hugh Rafferty and Lawrence Martin, under the firm name of Rafferty & Martin, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as victualers of the first class at No. 396 and 398 Montvale Avenue, and 83 Washington Street, in said Woburn, in one room on first floor, and one room on second floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Richard Reynolds has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 5 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that William E. Mooney has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 468 Main Street, in two rooms on first floor of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John H. Garvey has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 39 Main Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James Meehan and Hugh Maguire, under the firm name of Meehan & Maguire, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as innholders of the first class, at No. 40 Main St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building, and also to keep stock in barn on the premises of the said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that James L. McNulty and John E. McLaughlin, under the firm name of McNulty & McLaughlin, have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors as common victuallers of the first class, at No. 111 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Bernard McHugh has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at Nos. 234 and 240 Main Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John B. Dever has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 259 Main Street, in three rooms on first floor of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John C. Meehan has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 103 Prospect Street, in all rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Mc Govern has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 40 Fowle Street, on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Charles A. Dooley has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as a common victualler, at No. 88 Main Street, in two rooms on the first floor, and stock in the cellar.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John J. Beatty has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at 468 Main Street, in two rooms on the first floor and stock in cellar.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John H. Connolly has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 7 Broad Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar.
DAVID F. MORELAND City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas Moore & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at No. 3 Union Street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Maloney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 6 Broad St., on first floor and stock in store-room in said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that John F. Scally has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at 62 Fowle Street, and 105 Prospect Street, in one room on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick H. Graney has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victualler, at No. 11 Main Street, in basement of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas H. McGovern has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 223 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Michael Clancy has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 177 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Anthony A. Doherty has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 470 Main street, on first floor, and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Patrick O'Rourke has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesaler, at No. 36 Main street, on first floor of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

CITY OF WOBURN.

Notice is given that I, Frederic B. Leeds, have been appointed under Sec. 1 Chapter 57 of the Public Statutes,

Inspector of Milk and Vinegar,

for the ensuing year and all persons engaged in the sale of milk are hereby notified.

Woburn, Mass., April 15, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Rose Kelly, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Lawrence Reade, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of April instant, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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It Is Foolish

To send for the doctor every time you don't feel just right. My doctor's bill for years was over a hundred dollars a year, which made a pretty big hole in my wages. For the past two years, I only spent ten dollars, with which I bought a dozen bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and health has been in my family since using them.—ROBERT JOHNSON, Machinist.

In fly time be sure and place a screen over your cheese vats. Moreover, you will not find skippers in cheese that has a perfect rind. It is in the crevices and defective places in the rind that the skipper fly lays her eggs.

I feel it my duty to say a few words in regard to Ely's Cream Balm, and I do so entirely without solicitation. I have used it more or less half a year, and have found it to be most admirable. I have suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since I was a little boy and I never hoped for cure, but Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many of my acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The annual police report states that there are nearly 20,000 habitual criminals in London. There were 463 burglaries, 36 fewer than in the previous year.

The Governor of Missouri has become jealous of the attention given to outlaws; but he still continues to recommend the famous Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for coughs and cold.

The proprietors of Salvation Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain, will pay a large reward if any certificate published by them is not genuine. It costs only 25 cents a bottle.

We have already something that will be new to Europe in connection with the World's fair. That is a board of women managers to take charge of the exhibits of woman's work.

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In conclusion, Sir Charles Gavan Duffy declares that "until all the clerical interference is changed, there is no more hope for the Irish cause than there is for a corpse on a dissecting table."

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Another brilliant young man has become violently insane from cigarette smoking. But it has not yet been observed that any fewer of them are being smoked.

Mr. Justice Stephen's evident insanity while on the bench is a public scandal in London, though one that, such are the libel laws in England, no great journal dares openly to discuss.

Washington and Monroe were the only Presidents that served in the field during the Revolution. They were together at Trenton, where Monroe as a lieutenant was wounded.

The Canadian government has decided to make a grant of money for the establishment of dairy schools throughout the dominion.

Germany has one doctor to 1500 of population, France one to 3167, the United Kingdom one to 1234, but the United States only one to 600.

When a man throws away the strap around his pocketbook as soon as he joins the church it is a pretty sure sign that he has religion.

"Can you lend me a five, Jack?" "I can: here it is." "I can never repay your kindness." "Never, mind, repay the five and let the kindness go."

High life seems hard up for amusement when it resorts to negro "cake walk" dances.

Teachers' salaries in the United States annually amount to more than sixty million dollars.

Natural gas has been discovered three miles from Vallejo.

If money could be borrowed as easily as trouble, the world would be full of round-shouldered people.

The destruction of property by fire during July in the United States and Canada amounted to $14,723,500.

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A lady in Tampa, Fla., is having a dress made of rattle snake skins.

Charlotte, N. C., has a white mulberry tree that emits puffs of smoke.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23 A.M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.11, 7.35, 11.00, A. M., 1.20, 4.25, 6.45, 8.02, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.42, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, 5.15, P. M., change at Wilmington.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.27, 8.29, 8.56, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.23, A. M., 1.35, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 1.35, 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.23 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.16, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.09, 2.47, 4.23, 5.12, 6.05, 6.25, 8.45, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.19, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.16 A. M., 12.37, 1.08, 2.20, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 6.52, 6.25, 6.35, 7.05, 8.01, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A.M., 12.58, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, *8.10, 8.55, *10.10, 10.40, *11.10, A. M., *12 M., *1.10, *2.10, 2.40, *3.10, 3.40, *4.10, 4.40, *5.10, †5.40, *6.00, *7.10, 7.40, *8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.50, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 8.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 9.00, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 9.30, 11.00, 11.40, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.35, †6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 9.50, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, †6.15, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.05, 10.35, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, *8.15, *9.15, *9.45, †10.00, *10.45, *11.45, A. M., 12.15, *12.45, 1.15, *1.45, 2.15, *2.45, 3.15, *3.45, 4.15, *4.45, 5.15, *5.45, 6.15, *6.45, 7.15, *7.45, 8.15, *8.45, 9.15, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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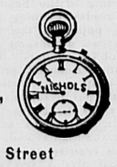

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Abstracts From Middlesex County Files.

BY E. F. JOHNSON.

Johnson vs. Carter, 1658.

The point of the following case is a controversy about a highway and a consequent difficulty about the truth of the records. The case is a contribution to the history of our early Woburn records, volume one of which is now known to be a copied record. Great dissatisfaction was found with the manner in which these early records were kept, and this accounts, in a measure, for the reason of the copied volume now extant and the absence of its original. From extracts from the original to be found in the County files, it would appear the copy has faults less excusable, perhaps, than those in its predecessor. The items in the copy are irregularly placed, and differ too from the matter copied in respect to the use of words, etc. The work was probably not an agreeable one to the copyist, and he filled up the gaps in his pages with entries which he thought would fit into them.

In the following, modern spelling, except proper names, is used, with the exception of Thomas Danforth, which is modernized in each instance.

In these papers the names of many of the first settlers of Woburn will be found. Our antiquaries will no doubt revel in these morsels of testimony from lips which have been long since silenced by the inevitable destroyer. It is interesting, too, to witness how they expressed themselves and what were the shades of their character. These documents mean a great deal to inquiring minds, and contain much information of importance to genealogists. —C.

To the constable of Woburne.

You are required to call your freemen together to choose one meet person to serve on the Jury of Trials (as also to warn your grand juryman to appear) at the next County Court to be held at Charlestowne the 28 of this instant month and hereof you are to make a true return under your hand and not to fail. Dated December 1, 1658.

Thomas Danforth, Recorder.
[Endorsed.]

Josias Convars is by the freemen of the town of woobourne is chosen a jury man for the court holden at Charlestowne the 28th of the 10th (58)

Hennery Tottingham., constable of woobourne.

To the constable of wobourne or his Deputy.

By virtue hereof you are required to attach the goods or for want thereof the person of John Carter of wooborn and to take sufficient security to the value of thirty pounds to answer the complaint of Edward Johnson of wooborn at the next County Court holden at Charlestowne for slanderous speeches against him spoken by the said John Carter. Hereof not to fail: dated the 22 of the 10th mo. 1658.

And make return hereof. By the Court,

Edward Johnson.

[A return of service is endorsed on the back by Henry Tottingham, Constable of Woburn to the effect that he "did take bond of the said John Carter to the value of thirty pounds upon the daye of the date of this attachment to answer the complaint of the plaintiff and stand to the order of the Court." The mark of X Henry Tottingham, Constable.]

The 27th of the 10th (58).

The testimony of Hennery Tottingham, aged fifty years saith that we *et als* were of the committee began not to lay out any highway until we came to a place called Edward Convars his bars of his field, and further that we did not give in unto the selectmen any agreement.

Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
The mark of Henry X Tottingham.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

william Simons aged about 47 years and Robart Pers about 38 and Joseph Knight aged about 34, testify that michile bakon and hennery Tottingham being two of the committee chosen to lay out the highway (the third being then dead) these two men went with us we being altogether and showed us the highway which [they] said they with Thomas Richison had laid out through the plain [to] the mill. Richard houlden testifieth to the truth of this above written.

William Simons X his mark.
william Johnson.
Mathew Johnson.
Richard houlden X his mark.
[Michael Bacon.]
Sworn in Court,
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

william Simons aged about 47 and william locke aged about 30 testify that we all at one time heard Jams Conars say that he would prove that the highway to mill lay through that part of the field that is mathew Johnson's land which is broken up.

william Simons. X his mark.
william Johnson.
william lock.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

william Simons aged about 47 years and Robart perse aged about 38 and william Johnson aged about 30 and mathew Johnson aged about 26 testify that as the committee showed us they had laid out the highway to mill it answered with the record. Richard houlden testifys to the truth of this above written.

william Simons X his mark.
william Johnson.
Mathew Johnson.
Robert Perse.
Richard houlden. X his mark.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

william Simons aged about 47 and Robart pers about 38 and william Johnson about 30, and william locke about 30 and Richard houlden about 50 testify that we all at one time heard henery tottingham say that if he were called upon his oath he must swear that the committee did agree and laid out the highway to mill and further he said that we were fools if we did not use it in the summer as well as in the winter for else said he your children will lose it.

william Simons X his mark.
Richard houlden. X his mark.
william Johnson.
Robert Perse.
william lock.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

william Johnson aged about 30 and Thomas dutton about 39 testify that Captaine Johnson made Thomas dutton's lease.

william Johnson.
Thomas dutten.

ffrances Kendall aged about 38 years testify that Captain Johnson brought Thomas dutton's lease to John Sers house and there he finished it and I set my hand to it.

frances Kendall, X his mark.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

Whereas, Capt: Johnson hath recorded that in ye 16 of ye 7th month (1640) that I Edward Conuars went with Major Sedgwick, ens. palmer, Thomas Line, John Mousall, and himself to view the bounds between lin village and this town, I, Edward Convars say that I was not there at that meeting.

Edward Convars.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

Edward Conuars aged (68) years or thereabouts and John Mousall aged about 63 years and James Tompson aged 65 years do testify that whereas there was an order agreed upon by the selectmen that whosoever went through a corn field and left gates or bars open he should pay one shilling for such a defect besides doubling the damage should ensue upon it but demanding this record it could not be found.

Edward Convars.
John mousall.
The marke of James X Tompson.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth. Recorder.

Capt: Johnson at a meeting of the townsmen desirtng a liberty for transportation of crooked timber for shipping upon a track of woobourne's land and Captain Johnson improving this liberty as we did judge beyond his grant it was demanded of him what his grant was and desired him to show the record to which ye Capt. answered he did not record it for ends best known to himself.

Edward Conuars.
John mousall
The mark of James X Tompson.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.
the 27th of the 10th (58)

Edward Conuars aged 68 years or thereabouts saith that I being one of the selectmen of woobourn we having made choice of three to be a committee to lay out a way from my mill to the way leading to up street the aforementioned committee made no return under their hands but Thomas Richardson one of the committee came to the townsmens' meeting and said unto us that they could not agree, therefore we return it into the townsmens hands again, and whereas the record in question saith that the prudential men laid out a way from my mill to the way leading to up street, I affirm that Capt. Johnson did neither put this to vote as our custom is, nor yet by any order from us did record it and for my own part I did then oppose him.

[Signature torn off.]
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.
the 27th of ye 10th (58)

The testimony of John Mousall aged about 63 years and James Tompson aged 65 years or thereabouts saith that Thomas Richardson came to the selectmen being met together and said himself being chosen with Mihill Bacon Senior and Hennery Tottingham to lay out a way from the mill to up street they couldnot agree and therefore we return it into the selectmens hands again. Further I James Tompson (being one of the selectmen) heard the above named Mihill Bacon after Thomas Richardson saying they could not agree did plead and press to have the way to be recorded to go straight through the field, but Edward Convars, being one of the selectmen did oppose it to whom Capt Johnson said, We must have the nearest way to mill and forthwith without any proposition made by ye Captain to the townsmen whether he should record it or putting of it to vote he did write presently. Further the townsmen did not lay out the way above mentioned, To the best of our memory.

John mousall.
The mark of James Tompson. X
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. '58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

Memr. Josias Convers saith he knows not what the Capt. wrote, but he saw him write.

Josiah Convars aged 40 years or thereabouts and James Convars aged 38 years saith that we being present at the meeting of the townsmen when Thomas Richardson who was one of the committee made his return do affirm that we heard him say, brethren, you chose us to lay out a way and we cannot agree therefore we return it into your hands again. Upon the return Mihill Bacon who was one of the committee said, Capt. Johnson you know we must have the straightest way to mill, and the Captain said, Yea it was so in all places wherever he had been, the straightest way to mill and meetinghouse, and forthwith without either the agreement of the committee or order from the townsmen, made this record now in question.

Josias Convars.
James Convars.
Sworn in Court.
29, 10 m. '58.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

The 27th of ye 10th (58)

The testimony of Hennery Brooks aged about 66, saith that I heard Thomas Richardson say that he being to lay out a highway through the plain and that they could not agree. To the best of my memory.

The mark of Henry X Brooks.
Sworn to in Court.
29, 10 m. 58.
Thomas Danforth.

william simons aged about 47 years and Robart peers 38 or thereabouts and william locke about 30 testify that on the training day before part of the training band we all at one time heard John carter say that the town records were not worth a straw and that the captain had falsified them, upon which words samuwell walker answered If it were so it would cost the Captain his ears and this the said John carter affirmed the Captain had done of his own head. Samuwell Walker aged about 43, testifies to the truth of this above written. Robart peers cannot safely testify concerning samuwell walker's reply to John carter's words.

William Simons X his mark
Samuel Walker,
Robert peirse.
william lock.
Sworn in Court.
December 28, '58.
By the parties above named as attest.
Thomas Danforth, Recorder

Richard gardener aged 39 years or thereabouts and Thomas dutton 39 testify that Capt. Johnson being in discourse with the committee about Thomas dutton's lease, we both at one time heard John Carter say The lease was knavishly made or knavishly intended.

Richard Gardner.
Thomas dutton. his mark. X
Sworn in Court December 28, 1658,
By both the parties above named.
As attest, Thomas Danforth, Recorder.

The outcome of the case is expressed in the following note, to be found in Johnson's Woburn Marriages, just issued, page 284.

In the suit of Capt. Johnson vs. Ensign John Carter, Dec. 1658, Henry Tottingham, aged 50, testifies. Other witnesses were: William Simonds, aged about 47, Robert Pierce about 38, Joseph Knight about 34, William Locke about 30, William Johnson about 30, Matthew Johnson about 26 (?), Richard Holden, about 50, Thomas Dutton about 39, Francis Kendall about 38, Edward Converse about 68, John Mousall about 63, James Thompson about 65, Josiah Converse about 40, James Converse about 38, Henry Brooks about 66 and Richard Gardner about 39. The following account of this suit is taken from the Court Record:—

"Capt. Edward Johnson plaintiff, against Ensign John Carter, for slanderous speeches against him, upon attachment, on file, dated Dec. 22, 1658, both parties appeared personally in Court, and joined issue in the case, the which being fully heard, with the witnesses presented by both parties which are on file with the records of this Court, the jury . . . . brought in their verdict, finding for the plaintiff in manner following, (i. e.) that the defendant both publicly and solemnly in the front of the military company at Woburn, upon their next training day, in the former part of the day, as soon as the clerk of the band hath called over the list, shall make this following acknowledgment, in these following words, viz:—

I, John Carter do acknowledge that I have wronged, slandered, & defamed, Capt. Edw: Johnson in saying that he the said Capt. Johnson, did falsify the Town Records, for which I am sorrowful.

And in case the defendant shall refuse or neglect to make the said acknowledgment in manner as is above expressed, he the said defendant shall pay unto the plaintiff or his assigns, five pounds sterling in current pay of New England. Also the defendant is to pay unto the plaintiff costs of Court, two pounds eighteen shillings and nine pence."—*County Court Records, Vol. I., page 161. Dec. 1658.*

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A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

The bill to provide for printing and mailing to every registered voter in the State sample ballots in advance of every election would entail a very heavy expense which is entirely without justification. Our voters are not children that they need repeated lessons as to what an official ballot looks like. The sample ballots posted in the voting places are sufficient. Every election will make our voters more familiar with the new style of ballots, and with all the details of the system.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

Those youthful Democrats who are said to be so anxious to reply to the late communication of the Republican Club show a cheerful desire to monkey with the buzz saw which is not shared to any great extent by their older and more experienced associates.

WON IN THE NINTH.

Walter Camp Tells About a Famous Three Bagger That He Made Back in '82.

Of all games in which I have played, the most remarkable for a sudden revulsion of feeling was one between Harvard and Yale played upon Jarvis Field in June of 1882.

Yale went first to the bat but failed to score. Harvard followed suit. In the second inning a muff by the Harvard first baseman, followed by the Yale catcher's making a "two bagger" hit, gave Yale a run. Our happiness was shortlived, however, for in the third inning Harvard made two runs, followed by another in the fifth. Yale scored one in the seventh, but Harvard matched it with one in the eighth, so that we began the ninth with Harvard four to Yale's two. I think we had not the least hope of winning.

I remember feeling, as we came in for the ninth inning, that this defeat would settle our chances of the championship, and thinking of the crowd of boys who, as I knew, were sitting on the Yale fence awaiting the news, would hear it and dwindle away in silence to their rooms. Our first man at the bat in the ninth inning went out quickly, and our catcher followed, with the same result. Wilcox, the last man on our batting list, came to the bat. Two men out, two runs to reach even a tie, and three to win! I noticed that the crowd was leaving the field and that the young rascal who had charge of our bats was putting them into the bag.

"Here, you! stop that!" cried I, for we all were superstitious about packing up the bats before the last man was out. Besides, I was the next batter, if Wilcox should by any chance reach his base, and I wanted my bat. "Two strikes," I heard the umpire call, and then at the next ball, to my great joy, "Take your base," and Wilcox trotted away to first. I remember thinking how much I would give for a home run, and then there came a good ball just off my shoulder and I hit it with all my power. It went between third and shortstop on a swift drive, but bounded high, as I afterward learned, for I was meanwhile running at my best speed toward first.

When I was fifteen feet from that base I saw the baseman give a tremendous jump up into the air and I knew somebody had made an overthrow. How I ran then! for every base I passed I knew was one nearer to tying the score. As I came dashing past third base I saw Wilcox just ahead of me, and we crossed the home plate within three feet of each other. Our next batter took his base on poor pitching and stole second; the next followed with a base hit past second, which brought the first runner home with the winning run. We then went into the field, put three Harvard men out, and won the game—when probably half the 7,000 spectators were already on their way home with the victory for Harvard in their minds.—Walter Camp in St. Nicholas.

Napoleon's Treatment of His Creatures.

In the Talleyrand memoirs in The Century the following remark is thrown in at the end of his account of Murat's treason, and suggests, if it was not suggested by, Talleyrand's personal experience:

"There was in Napoleon's power, at the stage it had now reached, a radical defect which seemed to me necessarily injurious to his stability, and even tending toward his final overthrow. Napoleon took delight in disquieting, in humiliating, in tormenting those that he himself had raised; and they, placed in a state of continual distrust and irritation, worked underhand against the power that had created them and that they already looked upon as their greatest enemy."

An Act of Heroism.

A young British engineer named Affleck Fraser, connected with a railway in Peru, heard that an American engineer in charge of some work in a peculiarly pestilential valley had been struck down and was fatally ill, his only chance being a transfusion of blood from some healthy person, involving grave risks to the latter which of course no one would incur. Mr. Fraser at once offered himself, and insisted, in spite of the doctor's remonstrances, on saving the stranger. The operation was performed and both engineers entirely recovered. — London Tit-Bits.

Try It Once.

Put up fifty wooden boxes in a city, none of them in the least resembling mail boxes, and paint on each one the sign, "This box is for coal orders—drop no mail in here," and inside of forty-eight hours over 100 letters designed for the mail will be pushed into them. It's a way people have.—Detroit Free Press.

Dear, Yet Cheap.

Hoffman Howes—Howell Gibbon I heah is in hard luck lately, and yet he still dwesses vewy well. He must have a good fwiend somewhere.

Tom Knox—Yes, it's his trousers stretcher.—Puck.

New York produces and eats more pies than any city in the world. There are eight or ten large factories that make nothing but pies, and there are five or six hundred bakeries besides that deal exclusively in them.

The origin of washing the hands before eating arose from the fact that meals in olden times often consisted wholly of pie, which was eaten with the hands. It was this custom which gave rise to the fork.

Reciting Scripture.

A Windsor Locks little girl, just old enough to enter the infant class at the Sunday school, was ambitious to repeat a text of Scripture as the older ones did at the concert exercises. To humor her ambition and make it reasonably certain that she would succeed the mother selected the br

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WORK FOR THE BOARD OF TRADE.

The Dow tannery, which has been in operation about 70 years and in all that time was never known to shut down for a day except for repairs or something of that kind, is closed. Only the watchmen are in possession and everything about the large establishment is at a standstill. Leather making is no longer carried on there. From 75 to 100 men have been thrown out of work and neither they nor Stephen Dow & Co., the owners of the old tannery, can help themselves.

Whether this shut down is to be a temporary matter or the end of leather making at Dow's is a question which no one seems able to answer. The present unfortunate condition of things there is due to an injunction issued by the Courts, on application of the Boston Water Board, to restrain Stephen Dow & Co. from discharging the sewerage from their tannery into Horn Pond because by doing so they say that Mystic Pond, from whence a part of Boston's water supply is obtained, becomes polluted and unfit for use. This point need not be discussed here.

The question which addresses itself with most force to the average business mind in Woburn is: Will Boston be allowed to destroy the tanning business in Woburn without an effort on the part of her citizens to prevent it? Will Woburn stand by and let Boston rob her of her manufacturing privileges without lifting a finger to ward off the blow? Will she let Boston run all over her and never offer a protest against the same?

These legal proceedings against the Dows is an entering wedge and if their establishment is closed permanently goodbye to the tanning business at this old leather-making centre. If the Courts make the injunction on the Dow place perpetual then we might as well take our carpet-bags and put out for fresh fields and pastures new one time as another if existence depends on our wits or our hands. If Boston beats the Dows in this suit she will press other manufacturers to the wall and in 10 years from now there won't be a tannery to be found in all the Mystic Valley.

Now, Stephen Dow & Co. are not going to stand the brunt of this battle; they are not going to fight the whole city of Boston single handed and alone; they do not feel able to do that, and will not try to stem the current and save to Woburn (if it can be saved) her chief industry by making pecuniary sacrifices which they do not feel justified in making. The Dows can leave and go somewhere else, but what will become of Woburn when her leather industry is gone?

The Board of Trade ought to take up this matter at once and inaugurate measures towards saving our manufactories. They ought to go to the City Government without delay and insist that the Corporation shall take hold and aid the Dows in defending the present suit against them, shall back them up, set its City Solicitor to work, and thus give strength, tone and material aid to the Dows in the defense of what is a great deal more than simply their pecuniary interests, namely, the salvation of our manufacturing industries.

Let something be done.

THE LION AND THE LAMB, ETC.

The next Democratic candidate for Mayor of this city is already as good as picked out. The lion and the lamb have reclined together in the same bed and harmony reigns in the irregular Democratic camp.

There was a Democratic lovefeast at the residence of Mr. Lawrence Reade the other evening at which Mr. Thomas Salmon was the principal personage.

Who would have dreamed of such a thing! Lawrence Reade and Thomas Salmon shaking hands across the bloody chasm! Only a little while ago they were very bitter foes; but now their voices unite in the cry "anything to beat the Moreland gang."

Many of the Democratic old-liners were at the symposium by whom and the courteous, whole-hearted host a refreshing season was enjoyed. We have the names of some of the most prominent people there, among whom it was an easy task to point out several good Democratic fighters.

What does this mean, do you ask? Why the lovefeast? For what end did the lion and lamb lie down together?

It means that Mr. Lawrence Reade is to be Mr. Thomas Salmon's candidate for Mayor next December; that the party's slogon will be: "Anything to beat the Moreland gang;" and by that token they mean to win the victory or die in their boots.

WHEELING INTO LINE.

Massachusetts Republicans are taking a more active interest in the welfare of the party this year than they have evinced in any off year during the past quarter of a century, and they are swinging into line with a general unanimity that presages active work, a full vote and an old-time victory. They have held more meetings and accomplished greater good for the party since the November election than in any other State.—*Iowa State Register.*

Just as soon as the Republicans of Massachusetts wheeled from the anti-Blaine column into the ranks of his hearty supporters (which movement is less than a year old) they began to lose the characteristics of a Mugwump and get into touch with genuine Republicanism. Hereafter they will be found in their right place and in perfect sympathy with the brethren all over the Union.

☞ The resolve for a constitutional amendment in relation to the division of towns was killed after all. The two-thirds vote in favor of it did not in the end materialize.

THE LEGISLATURE.

In the opinion of many of the members the General Court will adjourn for good and all as early as the first of June—nearly a month sooner than usual.

A large amount of business has been put through during the session, and there are other important matters on the journals of both branches.

If, now, they get through by the first of June, and manage to keep their hands off from that extra $250, the present Legislature will occupy an honorable page in the law-making history of the Commonwealth.

FUND FOR GEN. BANKS.

A movement is on foot to raise a sum of money for the support of Gen. N. P. Banks, ex-Congressman from this District, and his family which, we hear, is doing well. Although he oughtn't to be, his friends say the General, now 75 years old and not very well, is poor and unable to make a living for himself and those dependent on him for their support, and therefore they hope the people of Massachusetts will subscribe generously to the Banks relief fund.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

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Wm. Kimball—To Let.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Wm. Kimball—For Sale.
Annie Vaughn—Removal.
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Judge Converse—Ex. Sale.
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— This is May-day.

— Mr. Charles French has gone to Maine on a business trip.

— Mr. W. H. Slater offers house and land on Main st. for sale.

— Ass't P. M. Flinn is gaining health and strength right along.

— The Hustlers and Leathes will meet on the diamond to-morrow.

— Read the official notice of the City Sealer of Weights and Measures.

— Mrs. Winn, wife of Rev. D. D. Winn, has been quite ill, but is better.

— The alarm from box 26 last Sunday was for a brush fire at No. Woburn.

— The Odd Fellows have been celebrating all around the board this week.

— Mr. William York and family will spend the summer at Rockport as usual.

— The annual supper of the Friday Night Club will take place on May 15 instant.

— It was cold enough on Tuesday night and Wednesday to freeze a body—nearly.

— Rev. Fr. McDonnell of St. Charles Church has been obliged to resign on account of poor health.

— Read Annie Vaughn's notice of "Removal" in this paper. She is all ready for spring business.

— Mr. A. P. Barrett, the old Water Registrar of this city, has moved into a nice house on Canal street.

— Mr. A. J. Simonson who built the new Scandinavian church in this city is building one in Lynn.

— Judge Johnson has been real sick of late with multiform la grippe and is only just now slowly recovering.

— Landlord Thompson of the Central House has been quite sick of late with the prevailing distemper.

— Land for sale for investments. Excellent opportunities. Mrs. C. P. Lacoste, 62 Pleasant street, Malden.

— The Ladies Auxiliary of the St. Charles C. T. A. will give a ball on the evening of May 20 at Music Hall

— John Bradley will occupy the position of chief conductor of Mr. Jacob Ellis's street-sprinkler this season.

— The grand regatta by the Innitou Canoe Club will come off on Memorial Day. The boys are getting into trim for it.

— Several members of Baldwin Lodge, 25, R. A., visited the brethren at Medford last Friday evening and enjoyed it.

— Men and boys persist in boarding moving trains near the Centre station. There'll be a lot of funerals there one of these days.

— A prominent citizen of Woburn suggests that we ought to have a Sunday evening mail to Boston. Good suggestion.

— Editor Barnstead of the Stoneham *News* visited the JOURNAL office last Tuesday. He reported everything serene at S.

— There is a May Day procession of children at St. John's Parochial School this morning under the direction of the Sisters.

— Attention is called to the advertisement announcing farm property for sale, or old Cushing Payson Estate, at great sacrifice.

— Mr. William Kimball has two notices in this paper, to which attention is called. In both cases the property is well known.

— Mrs. Chase Cole, Treasurer, announces that the sum cleared at the late Old Ladies Home Fair was $554.-03, against $704 last year.

— The great Republican Mass Meeting and Banquet will come off on the evening of May 13. Republicans ought to getting a good ready for it.

— Dr. Kelley, after quite a pull at la grippe, or something equally as bad, has emerged from his sick chamber and is about among folks once more.

—The opinion prevails in and around Municipal Building that the tax rate per $1000 will be $1.00 less this year than last. That won't be very bad to take.

— Rev. S. K. Dedrickson of Boston and Rev. B. B. Slather of Connecticut preached in the vestry of the new Swede church last Wednesday afternoon.

— Major Ambrose Bancroft and Capt. John E. Tidd attended the funeral of Major Laureat, of their old war Regiment, last Wednesday, at Medford.

— The reception to Capt. Luke R. Tidd by his fellow soldiers of the 39th, will take place on next Monday evening, that being the date of his 69th birthday.

— The Bellevue Club's rooms in the Kelley block, Main street, when the improvements on them are completed will be among the finest and pleasantest in this city.

— Supt. Sanborn has informed the JOURNAL that within 4 months the roundhouse, turntables, switches, cars, etc. will be removed from Woburn to Wilmington.

— It is said that Mr. Edwin B. Blanchard has bought Mr. M. T. Allen's residence on Church Ave. for a home, and will soon move into it. It is a good one.

— Mr. C. H. Arnold is building a fine house on the Dow real estate on Canal st., which is destined to become one of the most fashionable thoroughfares in this city.

— Mr. Gilman F. Jones has moved into one of Mrs. Timothy Winn's pretty cottages on Main st. above Kilby. It will make Mr. Jones and his family a nice home.

— There is to be given a testimonial concert and ball to Mr. Edward McKay in the Town Hall at Stoneham on the evening of May 5. Very fine music has been engaged for the occasion.

— The new 7.11 P. M. train for Boston is just the checker. For a theatre train what could answer the purpose better? The 11 A. M. train from Boston has been changed to 10.50.

— The delegates from the First Congregational church in this city to the Woburn Conference at Melrose last Tuesday were: Arthur B. Wyman, E. Everett Thompson, John K. Murdock, Everett P. Fox.

— It itn't often that cherry trees are in blossom here before the first of May, and yet as early as last Monday a plenty of cherry bloom was seen about town. So, it seems the spring isn't as backward as it might be after all.

— Last Saturday was almost like winter. Thirty or 40 snow squall's were experienced between sunrise and sunset, some rain came down, and it was almost as cold as "Greenlands icy mountains or India's coral strand."

— Mr. O. F. Bryant, executor of the estate of the late D. Gould Converse, has promptly paid over to Mrs. Treasurer Cole the $500 willed by the deceased to the Woburn Home for Aged Women and the same is safely in bank.

— On the first page of this paper may be read a quaint old Woburn document, for the resurrection of which we are indebted to Judge Johnson, while its preface is by our esteemed friend Mr. Cutter of the Woburn Public Library.

— A large number of Woburn Congregationalists went to Melrose last Tuesday afternoon and evening to attend the Spring session of the Woburn Conference. They reported that the meeting was well attended and very interesting.

— Mr. A. L. Holdridge, hardware dealer in Richardson Bros. block, has a full stock of the best and most popular oil stoves that are in the market, and his prices are low. Nobody ought to try to get along in hot weather without an oil or gas stove.

— If the seats for the Common are not put out for the accommodation of the public pretty soon a certain reporter who we have in our mind's eye will kick the bucket. Do, for pity's sake, get them out, Mr. Forester, and save the poor fellow from a fate so sad.

— This morning the City Assessors began the business of listing the property of our people for the purpose of taxation, Col. Grammer taking Wards 1 and 4, Mr. Ferguson Wards 2, 5 and 6, and Mr. Prior Wards 3 and 7, and an Assistant Assessor being with each of them.

— Particular attention is directed to the card of the Friday Night Club in which is set forth the particulars of the dramatic entertainment which they will give on the evening of May 8. First class talent has been employed for it. Fellow-citizens, you don't want to miss that entertainment.

— The directors of the East Middlesex street railway are perfecting plans for the equipment of their road from Woburn to Chelsea with electricity.—*Boston Herald.* It is only a matter of a short time before both the East Middlesex and No. Woburn lines will be run by electricity.

— We have received from the publisher, B. B. Russell, 57 Cornhill, Boston, a copy of "Russell's Map of Massachusetts," which is a revised and corrected map of the Bay State, 22x35 inches in size, printed in colors on paper, put up in covers, and sold for 40 cents. Thanks for the same.

— Dr. Munhall's revival meetings will close this evening. He is an able, honest, earnest evangelist and good fruit follows his work everywhere. For next week's religious programme see Dr. March's church notice. Mrs. Bailey therein mentioned sang at the Moody meetings in Boston.

— The action of Malden's city officials in cutting down the pay of policemen finds itself repeated in Woburn where Mayor Bean vetoed an order increasing the salary from $800 to $850 per annum.—*Malden City Press.* And then the *Press* goes on and prints Mayor Bean's reasons for his veto.

— A concert in aid of the building of the Scandinavian church in this city will be given some time next week. It should be patronized by everybody. The Scandinavians are among Woburn's best population and in their efforts to secure a house of worship here they deserve money and encouragement from all.

— By invitation of the proprietors, Johnson & Garvin, Postmaster Wyman and nine of his clerks and carriers enjoyed a very fine complimentary dinner last Saturday at the Windsor Hotel in this city, since which they have been enthusiastic over the cuisine and table service of that popular hostelry. They were treated to a great abundance of the "fat of the land," which elicited warm praise from them for the Windsor and its keepers.

— Mr. Edgar B. Thompson, son of Leonard Thompson, Esq., and brother of Mr. Waldo Thompson, has been visiting his old home here lately. For quite a number of years past he has been connected with the Engineering Department of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Co., in the interest of which he was sent to the Paris Exposition three or four years ago.

— On Thursday evening, May 14, Rev. E. G. Porter, one of the best and most popular platform orators in Massachusetts, will give a lecture in the vestry of the Congregational church, under the auspices of one of the oldest societies of that church, on a very interesting theme, namely, "KOREA." Everyone who likes to listen to a good lecture should turn out and hear Rev. Mr. Porter.

— President Kenney of the School Board hit the nail square on the head in an argument against "executive sessions" at last Tuesday evening's meeting. It was the best speech in opposition to the antiquated, moss-backed, entirely useless practice by legislative or deliberative bodies that we have seen or read for a long time. President Kenney keeps up with the times. See report of meeting.

— Our former esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. L. Houghton Allen, has left the Grand Hotel, San Francisco, Cal., and turned his face and feet Milwaukeeward, which city he expects to reach about the middle of this month. For the last half dozen years Mr. Allen has been a great traveler in the South and West and there is nothing he enjoys better than to see new and interesting places, scenes, and things in his own country.

— In another column will be seen a notice of the death of the venerable Rev. Moses P. Webster, which was sent in by Mr. A. F. Morrill of this city, who was an intimate friend of the deceased. Some 25 years ago Mr. Webster was pastor of the M. E. church in Woburn and was held in high esteem by the people of that denomination as well as by the citizens of the town. He was an interesting preacher, a faithful pastor, and true friend to eveybody.

— A sewing machine run by electricity in one of the windows of Mr. Moses Bancroft's boot, shoe and sewing machine establishment on the corner of Main street and Montvale Avenue, attracts much attention from passers-by. The curiosity is, it takes so little to run it. Mr. Bancroft attached a wire to one which furnishes his incandescent lights, applied it to the sewing machine, and the trick was done. It runs like a daisy, and besides it does away with the noise of a treadle. It is a neat contrivance.

— The Woburn Free Manual Training School was opened in the Warren Academy building on Academy Hill last Wednesday morning with Mr. Willis S. Carter as teacher of the woodwork, etc. department, and members of the High School as members of divisions. The teacher for the Sewing, etc. department has not yet been engaged. There will be two sessions a week until after the close of the public schools for the summer vacation, when they will occur more frequently. The School bids fair to become a great success.

— Temperance people are not saying much just now, "if Chief McIntosh would do his duty there would be a good deal less rumselling in town," because everybody sees and it is generally acknowledged that Chief McIntosh is prompt, efficient and in dead earnest in the discharge of his official duties towards the rumsellers, as towards all offenders, and his vigilance yields good fruit. Last Sunday the kitchens of Michael Lynch, 314 Montvale Ave., and Frank Maguire, 17 Buckman st., were raided and liquor seized at both.

— Notices were given out some days ago that Crystal Fount Lodge, No 9, would celebrate the anniversary of the establishment of the Order on April 29, the Maynard Concert Company of Boston to furnish the entertainment. The company consists of Prof. J. W. Maynard, blind pianist and vocalist; Mr. Clement E. Coffin (blind artist), harmonica and novel instrumental soloist; Miss Alice E. Maynard, reader; and Master Fred Maynard, bone soloist. The exercises were to be held in Music Hall, and all Odd Fellows and families, and non-resident Odd Fellows and families only, admitted.

— At the poultry show given here several weeks since by the Woburn Fancier Club Mr. Thomas Hartz's coop of Minocuras took the first premium over a large exhibit of the finest birds of the breed in the State. As a successful raiser of plain and fancy fowl of course Mr. Hartz felt gratified to carry off the first prize from so many worthy competitors, but he would share the honors of a premium poultry breeder among his neighbors and to that end he offers to sell the eggs of fine fancy strain, at fair prices and in any quantities desired. People who are looking for such eggs are invited to call on Mr. Hartz at his home, No. 7 Wyers Court.

— The hearing before the Board of Aldermen on the license question last week was interesting and instructive. Mayor Bean presided and gave the petitioners a patient and courteous hearing from beginning to close. He allowed every man all the time he asked for and the Board paid interested attention to the speeches of the gentlemen who made them. Rev. Hugh Montgomery, the champion temperance advocate and worker of this city, was chief speaker, and he made out a strong case against the public bar by an array of legal authorities, opinions of eminent Counselors, and arguments of his own based on the law. Other prominent citizens who spoke on the same side with Mr. Montgomery were ex-Ald. Griffin Place, Hon. B. F. Whittemore of Montvale, Hon. Jos. G. Pollard, Messrs. Luke Warren Fowle, F. H. Lewis, Capt. David Strange, George F. Hosmer, F. B. K. Marter, and George Winchelcelfe. Each of these gentlemen made a good, strong temperance address. They were followed by M. T. Allen, Esq., Counsel for the applicants for licenses, who made an earnest appeal in their behalf. No doubt the hearing will have a salutary effect on the matter of granting licenses by the Board.

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— A sight of those fresh Woburn-grown radishes, lettuce-heads and other crisp and tender home-made garden truck which is so plentifiully displayed at Durward's market next door to the JOURNAL office is enough to give a poor country Editor the blues. There are no early vegetables for the country Editor. No tender radishes, no succulent asparagus, no toothsome garden things fall to his earthly lot—only dandelion greens, potatoes, and such-like homely, cheap and plebeian spring staples, seasoned with lean salt pork boiled—but why go on in this melancholly, complaining vein? If we take our dandelion greens and boiled salt pork with thankful hearts we may be happy, for "a contented mind is a continual feast," only Durward's show of early vegetables is so tempting!

— After a residence of 17 years in San Francisco, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bulfinch, parents of Mr. Henry F. Bulfinch, the Main street marketman, have returned to their old home in this city where they expect to live the remainder of their days. It has been 10 years since he was last here on a visit, in which period many changes have taken place in Woburn. They will live in the same house on Pleasant street with their son Henry and family. The health of Mr. Bulfinch is robust, and his wife's was good until they struck Chicago when she took the grip and has not yet recovered from it. Mr. Samuel Dolliver, a brother-in-law of Mr. Bulfinch, former resident of Woburn, but for many years a successful business man of San Francisco, and family are expected to get here in a day or two to remain all summer.

— Mr. Charles H. Taylor, 23 Pleasant street, for several years superintendent of the big tannery of Loring & Avery at Winchester, and to continue in the same capacity with Beggs & Cobb at the same establishment, met with an accident last Tuesday which will lay him up for some time. He was removing a heavy desk on a dump cart from the factory to the barn when by a sudden movement of the horse desk and man were thrown to the ground, the man underneath. In the fall the desk struck the right leg of Mr. Taylor below the knee producing a compound comminuted fracture, from which Dr. Frank Graves, who was immediately summoned, removed considerable pieces of bone, and which will probably keep Mr. Taylor confined to his home for some weeks to come. Before Dr. Graves arrival Mr. Taylor had managed to get some splints fixed on his shattered limb, which was a pluckier piece of surgery than the average man would be likely to undertake, and his shift for more skilful treatment was very well done. Dr. Graves thinks Mr. Taylor will get on all right and be able to resume his daily duties in due time.

— If there is anything that the JOURNAL has a very very particular tooth for it is New Hampshire maple syrup on the half shell. The genuine article, hand boiled from the sap of real rock maples, is the kind we go for, while we religiously eschew and utterly condemn a certain article which sails under the name and flag of maple syrup but is made of old boot legs, wrecked hoop skirts, legless and footless stockings, oyster cans, bones, dilapidated rubber foot gear, etc., and sold by Boston dealers as the true-blue to people who don't know any better than to buy it and spread it on to their flapjacks and smack their lips over it just as though it was the juice of the sturdy New Hampshire maple drawn off, boiled down, cooled in a snow drift, and put up in clean firkins and buckets for the delectation of those who can tell the genuine from the spurious as soon as they touch a tongue to it. Of the clear quill, real maple syrup, Mrs. Susan T. Converse of No. 35 Sherman Pl., a lady whose eye and lip for it are unerring, sent a quart bottle last Monday to this office especially for the JOURNAL'S morning pancakes, and the minute it was tasted it took the establishment right back to its boyhood days, into the sugar orchards of Maine, the maple groves, amidst sap troughs, kettles, camps, hard boiled eggs, doughnuts, and a rousing jolly time to boot. It was genuine—Mrs. Converse warranted it—and then, we knew ourselves that no counterfeit was equal to such maple syrup as that was. It was indeed luscious, and we thank Mrs. Converse for remembering the JOURNAL so kindly.

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis of this city is one of the heaviest contractors for stone work, road and bridge building, railroad jobs, etc., that there is living in this part of the Commonwealth. His business extends all over Eastern Massachusetts, into New Hampshire, Vermont, and other States, and it is increasing right along from year to year. The finest stone masonry on the Boston & Lowell Division of the B. & M. Railroad was done by Mr. Ellis, or his men, under his eye; two of the finest stations on the same road were built by him, and many costly bridges in this part of the country will stand as monuments to his skill a good deal longer than he will probably live. Mr. Ellis employs a large number of men and horses which are divided up into crews and detailed to the numerous pieces of contract work which he never fails to have on his hands. He always uses his employees well; they stand by him; while his weekly payroll exceeds in amount of money that of almost any other business concern in this city. Mr. Ellis is just now making the streets and roads for Winchester West Side Syndicate's purchase and has employed on the job 35 men and 24 horses, and even with this big crew of men and beasts it will take two months to finish the work. It is a large job, and it was Mr. Ellis's experience and superior knowledge of such work that induced the West Side Syndicate to employ him. He is about finishing his heavy railroad job at Lowell, but has many others on hand. Mr. Ellis is one of the busiest men in town, and his son Arthur who is his father's paymaster and general supervisor of his money matters is but a little less busy.

— The girls in Class '91, W. H. S., met a few days ago per previous notice given to canvass the question of dress on graduation day and to decide on what should be worn by them on that momentuous occasion. They were entirely equal to the undertaking of setting a conspicuous example of economy in attire to the "sweet girl graduate" as well as to others, and that duty so far as it related to the next graduation day costume they cheerfully undertook to discharge. It will be remembered that these plucky and sensible young ladies carried their point with the School Board as to what the graduating exercises of Class '91 should be, and having won their case before that august tribunal it was entirely becoming in them to assume dictation in the matter of graduating dress, and they assumed it. The concensus of opinion among them was strongly in favor of something "*very* simple" in the article of gowns, etc.—something plain, neat, sensible-like, and so inexpensive that every member of the Class might easily procure one. That being the sentiment of a large majority of the girls they proceeded to vote that the graduating dress for Class '91 should be made of WHITE LAWN, cut bias, and be worn entirely unadorned by ribbons, laces and furbelows. The dress must be wholly free from colors, except in the line of a few pretty flowers, and when a decision had thus been reached it was submitted to the teachers who heartily approved of it and commended the young girls on the wisdom they had shown in the selection of their graduating attire. Possibly a very few disloyal members of the Class may refuse to be governed by the decision of a majority, but it is by means certain that any will do so, and, if any, the number will be very insignificant. Thus the matter of graduating dress for '91, so far as the "sweet," etc., are concerned, is settled, and in a very sensible way. Everything will be "*very* simple."

— The Woburn Press Association, which is a large and flourishing society organized for self-protection and mental and moral improvement, and whose three members are the reporters for the Boston *Globe*, of the Boston *Herald*, and the Associated Press, launched their new yacht (built to order at Salisbury) into the clear waters of Horn Pond last Monday afternoon. It was a red letter day for the Association and it also marked with a white stone an epoch in the history of Horn Pond yachting affairs, besides adding a feather to Woburn's cap on general principles. The yacht came up from Salisbury in a horse and wagon Monday forenoon and was forthwith taken to the banks of the delightful sheet of water which every loyal citizen of Woburn loves to honor, namely, Horn Pond. The Association with great difficulty curbed their impatience for the trial trip and could hardly wait until things were shipshape for the start. At last all was ready for the drop of the hat. The *Herald's* position was on the quarter deck; the Associated Press, in the stern-sheets, and the *Globe* on the larboard tack. A more gallant lot of fresh water tars never before heroically breasted the gales and tides of Horn Pond or proudly trod a craft skimming her placid bosom. The Association were exhilarated to the verge of hilarity. As the vessel skipped over the bounding billows and sped on under a 6-knot breeze their spirits arose higher and higher. They were delighted with the speed and bottom of their natty new yacht and pronounced her a daisy. In their exuberance of spirit the *Globe* man arose to his feet and gave three cheers for the *Abigail Ann* (perhaps this is not her real name), three for her builder, and 9 and a tiger for the Woburn Press Association. Essaying to accomplish this feat in the most nautical manner possible the reporter leaped to the gun'ale on the thumb-hand side of the craft which caused her to run her nose under water instanter. This display of crankiness so alarmed the enthusiastic reporter that with a single bound he landed on the other side so suddenly and violently that, although his normal weight does not exceed a quintal, the shock tipped the vessel and in a moment the *Globe* man was floundering in the water and "blowing" like a whale. With an ice-hook and a small basket net he was speedily rescued from his perilous plight and as soon as the other officers had got him well spread out on the quarter deck to drain off the prow of the yacht was turned harborward and her nose was soon burrowing in the sands near the foot of Hudson's grove. Great satisfaction was expressed in the sailing qualities of the *Abigail Ann* by the entire membership of the Association except the *Globe* man who hereafter when he wants to take a sail on Horn Pond will go afoot.

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A Silver Service.

While Mr. Charles W. Ames was Assistant Engineer of the Woburn Fire Department he was very popular with the men of its different Companies. They thought a great deal of him and respected his qualifications for a right discharge of the duties of the position he filled. It is probable his associates regretted the circumstances which compelled Engineer Ames's retirement from the Department, but they respected discipline too highly to allow of "kicking" to be done: at any rate the boys concluded to present him a fine silver service which idea they carried out last Saturday. There was no formal presentation, no gathering in a hosehouse, no banqueting; the beautiful present was simply sent to the ex-Engineer with the following letter which is perfectly explanatory of itself:

WOBURN April 25, 1891.

To CHARLES W. AMES:—

The members of the Woburn Fire Department wish you to accept the accompanying gift as an expression of their esteem, and an appreciation of your services whil a member of the Department.

Chief A. A. Ferrin, Hose 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and Hook & Ladder, J. W. Shaw, ex-member.
CAPT. CHAS. STEWART,
CAPT. EDWARD E. STOWERS,
CAPT. GEO. H. NEWCOMB,
Committee.

The following reply was received:

WOBURN, April 27, 1891.

To CHIEF A. A. FERRIN:

Members and ex-members of the Woburn F. D.—Your courteous letter accompanied by your valuable testimonial received. It will always remind me of the pleasant associations of the past few years. If our relations and labors have been pleasant, they were largely made so by your willing co-operation and I can only wish that each of you when occupying a position of trust may be as warmly supported by those in your charge as I have been during my connection with the Department. Thanking you for this gift and your words of approval,

I remain your friend,
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Meeting of the School Board.

At a meeting of the School Committee, held last Tuesday evening, it was voted to divide the pupils of the Charles street school into two grades, on account of the accession of 70 scholars. The committee on graduation reported progress in the matter of a speaker. Voted to permit a lecture in the public schools by an agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Voted to adopt Cushing's Manual for the high school.

After the regular order of business had been finished, Mrs. Adams called for executive session. The Chairman, Mr. Kenney, thought that in the absence of any specific rule of the board regulating executive sessions, the consent of every member present should be obtained before going into a secret session. Mr. Kenney called Mr. Smith to the chair, and took the floor to oppose Mrs. Adams's motion. He said: "In the first place I am opposed to executive sessions on principle. The people who elect us have a right to know what takes place here. Furthermore, I should never vote for a secret session without knowing the object beforehand. Mrs. Adams does not state the subject which she proposes to bring up behind closed doors. Executive sessions are a relic of past ages, and should never be revived unless for some extraordinary reason. Even then the representatives of the press should be allowed to remain. They are honorable gentlemen, and would respect the wishes of the committee." The board then voted to go into executive session.

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North Woburn.

Mr. Charles W. Newton and family have moved to Marlboro, Mass.

Miss Gertrude S. Watson has been quite sick with the whooping cough.

Miss Mary B. Anderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus F. Poole.

Mr. A. W. Tidd has returned from Malden where he has been visiting.

Mr. Herman F. Page has gone to Haverhill where he is at work in a shoe factory.

Mr. Harry G. Carter will be unable to attend college during the remainder of the year on account of poor health.

Mr. B. F. Kimball has opened his shop again and it is hoped that the leather business will improve so that he can run steadily.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cameron started for Colorado on last Tuesday, where it is hoped Mr. Cameron will recover his health. Great credit is due to the Rev. Mr. Murphy for his kindly efforts in securing funds to meet the expenses of the journey.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

Unitarian—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Pastor. Subject "What must I do to be saved?"

BAPTIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Genuine Reformation. Communion at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society at 6 p. m. Short sermon at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST—At 9 a. m., Love Feast. At 10.30 a. m., Baptism and the Holy Communion. At 5.45 p. m., Epworth League. At 7 p. m., a short Sermon by the pastor followed by Revival Services. Text Rom. V-8. Revival Services Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Singing by large chorus choir.

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach; Communion service at 2.30 p. m. Young Peoples' Meeting at 6 p. m.; at 7 p. m. Evangelistic service. Singing conducted by full chorus and Instrument. Evangelistic services continued Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Singing by full chorus. Solos at each meeting by Mrs Bailey of Somerville.

Married.

In this city, April 16, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. D. D. Winn, Mr. Walter A. Miles and Miss Margaret E., daughter of Mr. Ephraim Weldon, both of Woburn.

In this city, April 23, by Rev. D. D. Winn, Edwin B. Story of Woburn and Nellie A. Field of Stoneham.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, April 23, Edna B. Coombs, aged 6 years, 8 months, 28 days.

In this city, April 25, Daniel Coackley, aged 35 years.

In this city, April 28, Harriet Andrews, aged 78 years 28 days.

In this city, April 28, Alice Hill, aged 1 year, 2 months, 10 days.

In Arlington, April 25, Caroline A. Wells, daughter of William H. Richardson, aged 32 years, 11 months, 17 days.

In Leominster, April 28, Rev. Moses P. Webster, aged 80 years, 10 months.

March April May

Are the best months in which to purify your blood. During the long, cold winter, the blood becomes thin and impure, the body becomes weak and tired, the appetite may be lost, and just now the system craves the aid of a reliable medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla is peculiarly adapted to serve this purpose. It increases in popularity every year, for it is the ideal spring medicine.

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"My health was very poor last spring and seeing an advertisement of Hood's Sarsaparilla I thought I would try it. It has worked wonders for me as it has built my system up I have taken four bottles and am on the fifth I recommend it to my acquaintances." JOHN MATTHEWS, Oswego, N. Y.

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If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a peculiar medicine, possessing, by virtue of its peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation, curative power superior to any other article. A Boston lady who knew what she wanted, and whose example is worthy imitation, tells her experience below:

To Get

"In one store where I went to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla the clerk tried to induce me buy their own instead of Hood's; he told me their's would last longer; that I might take it on ten days' trial; that if I did not like it I need not pay anything, etc. But he could not prevail on me to change. I told him I knew what Hood's Sarsaparilla was. I had taken it, was satisfied with it, and did not want any other.

Hood's

When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was feeling real miserable, suffering a great deal with dyspepsia, and so weak that at times I could hardly stand. I looked, and had for some time, like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me

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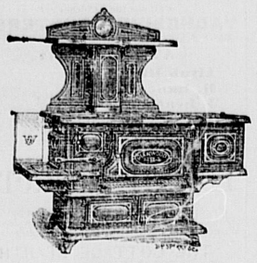

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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

"Music Hath Charms To," Etc.

Woburn within the last 10 days or so has had almost a surfeit of the best quality of vocal and instrumental music, and evidently it has been greatly enjoyed. The Merchants Day music was fine all up and down the streets and in the bandstand on the Common.

Mr. C. Willard Smith employed Gowing's well known and popular Orchestra to entertain the visitors at his store in the afternoon and evening, and it drew immense crowds too. The music was fine and the people took in big draughts of it with evident delight.

Mr. C. M. Munroe had a German Orchestra from Boston which played all the afternoon splendidly to a "standing room only" house.

An oil stove, griddle, and hot griddle cakes galore were what Clough gave his customers in lieu of instrumental music.

There was a very fine orchestra at Hammond's Clothing store which attracted visitors by the 100s.

Marion Osgood's Ladies Orchestra discoursed exquisite music at the great millinery establishment of Mr. Amos Cummings and aided materially in selling more hats, bonnets, flowers and feathers than the urbane proprietor ever sold in one day before in all his life.

Then the Woburn Brass and National Bands contributed to the grand musical feast of Merchants Day and received therefor a full measure of praise.

The "Il Trovatore" by Mabel Davis and her corps of superb Boston and home artists—it was simply the best treat that Woburn ever had any hand in, either as performers or guests.

To wind up with came the Miles-Morgan concert on Fridry evening at Lyceum Hall. A good house greeted the Company—much larger than ought to have been expected after a whole week of such rare music. The performance was a very fine one and the people present enjoyed it very much indeed. The artists were: Miss Nellie Miles, cornetist and xylophone soloist, Miss Marian Osgood, violin soloist, Mrs. Laura Peasons, flute, Miss Kittie F. Osgood, pianist, assisted by Mrs. E. E. Morgan, soprano, of New York City, Miss Lena A. Curtis, reader, of Rutland, Vt., and Mrs. Annie E. Strout, accompanist, of Woburn, were the artists who appeared.

Woburn Conference.

The annual session of the Woburn conference of Congregational churches was held with the Melrose Congregational church Tuesday afternoon and evening. The conference comprises 21 churches, among the leading ones being those of Malden, Medford, Melrose, Reading, Stoneham, Wakefield, Woburn and Winchester. About 400 delegates were present.

The exercises opened with devotional services conducted by Rev. William W. Sleeper of Stoneham. President Herbert M. Ackerman of West Medford presided. The statistical reports for the year submitted by Rev. J. G. Taylor, gave the following information:

Membership is 4775; absent members, 709 admitted during the year, by confession of faith, 126; by letter, 182; total, 308. There were 87 deaths, 113 removals by letter and 11 by discipline, making a total of 111. There were 11 baptisms and 3779 families represented in the parishes.

The membership of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor is 2035; of the Sunday schools, 5,864; average attendance, 3,675; added to church from Sunday school, 102; contributions for the year for benevolent purposes, $2,627; foreign missions, 4,363; education, $2,108; church buildings, $2,872; home missions, $4,349; American Missionary Association, $1,599; Sunday schools, $636: New West, $903; other expenditures, $9,326; home expenditures, $61,492.

The topic for discussion was "Hindrances in the Way of Attending Church." An able paper upon it was delivered by Rev. J. G. Taylor.

The paper was discussed by Rev. Edwin Smith of Bedford, after which the conference adjourned to the chapel, where a banquet was served.

The conference came together again at 7 o'clock in the evening, and renewed the discussion. Rev. Elijah Harmon of Wilmington was the first speaker, and was followed by Rev. Dr. William Barrows of Reading, Rev. William F. Obear of Maplewood, and Rev. A. G. Bale of Melrose.

The conference adjourned at 9 o'clock, Rev. R. W. Wallace of Wakefield pronouncing the benediction.

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Allow your health to gradually fail? If you are closely confined indoors with little or no exercise, and desire good health, you must take care of yourself. Use Sulphur Bitters, and you will have a sound mind and strong body.

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Ladies Spring Capes, new style and very pretty.

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Black Henrietta all-wool $1.00.

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Good Summer Skirts, 50 cents.

Good Style Corsets, 50 cents.

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399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

The meeting took place on the evening of April 23. The business was transacted without any startling incidents worthy of being embalmed in printers ink, although all meetings of the branches of the City Government afford matter deserving to be reported.

Judge Charles D. Adams was elected City Solicitor in non-concurrence.——The Council concurred in the action of the Aldermen in the order for the purchase of land at Central Square for a school house, and in other orders of minor importance, including the order for a street crossing in front of the M. E. Church. The Council also elected Charles A. McDonald Assessor in Ward Four and W. A. Lynch Assistant Assessor in Ward Four.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a special meeting last Wednesday evening. Mayor Bean presided.

Petitions were received from Cyrus Cummings for a pool table license; John Daley, M. D. Newmeyer, D. J. Cassidy and John Welsh, junk licenses; all referred to police committee; Fred B. Leeds, for liquor license of sixth class, referred to committee of whole, and ordered to be advertised,——Jacob M. Ellis was granted a permit to obstruct Park street.——Joseph M. Gerrish was chosen Assistant Assessor for Ward 4 in non-concurrence receiving six out of seven votes cast.——The Mayor's communication nominating Arthur E. Gage and Elisha F. Hayward as registrars of voters, was taken from the table, and a ballot was taken on confirmation, but as only three votes were cast they we rejected.

On motion of Alderman Dearborn it was voted to go into executive session to consider liquor licenses.

The following licenses were granted: First and fourth class—John Maloney, John H. Connolly, Anthony ... Doherty, Peter Kenney & Co., Connolly & Kerrigan, Thomas H. McGovern, McNulty & McLaughlin, Rafferty & Martin, Samuel D. Thompson, Thomas Moore, Thomas G. Meriam & Co.

Sixth Class—Charles H. Buss, Elmer F. Blank, Daniel W. Kelley, Fred E. Lovell, James Madigan, J. J. Mahern & Co.

[We fail to find the names of Scally, Reynolds ann Meehan among those who were granted licenses last Wednesday evening. The Moreland-ites appeared to have it all their own way and licensed their own men.—Editor.

The moment catarrh becomes chronic it is difficult to overcome. However Old Saul's Catarrh Cure will cure the most obstinate case.

It is hard work for the baby to cut teeth, and it should be assisted by the use of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup which will cool the inflamed gums.

Board of Trade Banquet.

It was an extremely fashionable affair—in fact it was an evening dress parade. Likewise it was a very social party and everyone enjoyed it.

Some of the distinguised people from abroad were His Excellency Governor Russell; President Sprague of the State Senate; Speaker Barrett of the House (both expected); Mr. Adams of Lowell, a member of the State Board, and others.

A very fine supper was served by the well known and everywhere popular caterer Dill, which was done ample justice to by the nearly 200 people who surrounded the banqueting boards.

President Grant welcomed the guests in a happy speech and presided with dignity at the tables.

The Woburn Orchestra, one of the best there is, furnished very fine instrumental music, and Miss Whittemore gave some sweet songs in her customary artistic manner.

After supper toasts and responses were in order. Geo. Russell spoke in behalf of the Commonwealth; Senator Edwin F. Wyer replied to the "Legislature"; Mayor George F. Bean responded to "Woburn"; Col. W. T. Grammer spoke for the Military; Hon. B. F. Whittemore, responded to the toast "The Ladies"; and Mr. Adams of Lowell for the State Board.

The speeches were very fine and appropriate to the occasion.

At 10 o'clock the exercises closed after passing a most delightful evening.

Mrs. C. P. Lacoste 62 Pleasant St., is one of the most successful real estate agents in Malden.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, April 28, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mrs. Mary S. Bent, Box 25.
Miss Annie Finneran, Florence St.
Mr. E. R. Webster.
C. T. Woodbury, Esq.

A. E. WYMAN, P. M.

Bid me discourse, and I will enchant thine ear with tales of astounding cures of all sorts of suffering by Salvation Oil. Price only 25 cents.

An Indian boy wanted to hang himself after seven school girls had kissed him. He didn't for he found they had given him nothing more serious than a cold which he speedily cured with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and then married the prettiest one.

WINCHESTER.

A baseball club has been organized on the West Side.

The Winchester cooking school will close with a public exhibition.

Mr. Jacob M. Ellis has a big crew of men and horses building roads for the West Side Syndicate.

The late R. B. Sticknev of Somerville left by will $1,000 to the Winchester Home for Aged Women.

"Gyp, Jr., will be given here on the evening of May 7, under the direction of Mrs. C. M. Strout of Woburn.

Appointments: Engineers of Fire Department—Chas. T. Symmes, A. E. Ayer, John Lynch. Registrar of Voters—P. W. Reardon. Special police, in addition to those already appointed—James H. Ramsdell, Mystic station.

Gen. S. C. Lawrence Camp, 54, Sons of Veterans, have accepted the invitation of A. D. Weld Post, 148, G. A. R., to act as escort to that body on Memorial day. The camp was inspected last Monday evening by Mustering Officer C. F. Cook of Whitman. The camp received a marking of 98 ont of a possible 99 per cent.

The following are the recently elected officers of the Winchester Savings Bank: President, Thomas P. Ayer; Vice-Presidents, Stephen Cutter, Moses A. Herrick, James F. Dwinell; Clerk, Edward A. Smith; Trustees, Thomas P. Ayer, Elisha D. Bangs, Geo. P. Brown, Joshua Coit, Charles H. Dunham, Jas. F. Dwinell, Jas. F. Dorsey, Henry A. Emerson, Moses A. Herrick, James Houston, Stephen A. Holt, Stephen S. Langley, Francis H. Nourse, Handel Pond, Edmund Sanderson, Edward A. Smith, Abijah Thompson, Stophen Thompson, Samuel B. White.

The Town Hall was beautiful in decorations of palms, ferns and flowers last Friday evening, and contained a large assemblage of the leading society people of the town. The occasion was a reception given by the Calumet Club to the lady friends of the members. Dancing to the music of Baldwin's Orchestra was indulged in, and supper was served in the small hall. The Reception Committee consisted of Messrs. Louis Barta, B. S. Briggs, William Keyes and Frank B. Sanborn, assisted by Mrs. Theodore C. Hurd, Mrs. Henry A. Emerson and Mrs. George S. Kellogg.

The Y. P. S. C. E. elected the following officers last week: President, Mr. Eben Caldwell; Vice-President, Miss Emily Rolfe; Secretary, Miss Eva M. Palmer; Treasurer, Mr. W. D. Middleton; Lookout Committee, Miss Josie Quimby, Mr. J. E. Canfield, Mr. A. Gilchrist, Miss Flora Whitney and Miss Cora Quimby; Prayer Meeting Committee, Mr. A. W. Hale, Mr. Arthur Swett, Misses Helen Pressey, Leslie Taylor, and Emily La Page; Social Committee, Miss Katherine C. Lane, Grace Stone, Grace Gutierrez, Emma Greeley and Messrs. Arthur Lunt, Ralph Redfern and Brainard Rowe. Welcoming Committee, W. E. Palmer, W. D. Erskine, Louis Hazelwood, Miss Lillian Richardson, Miss E. M. McElhany.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Feve, Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblainsr Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

Burlington.

Mr. Hersey seems to have special talents and fitness for his chosen profession.

The weekly prayer meetings at the church well be held on Friday evenings at 7.45 o'clock instead of Thursday evenings as heretofore. Immediately after the meeting Rev. Mr. Hersey will conduct a class for Bible study and all are cordially invited to attend.

Rev. C. H. Hersey began his work as pastor of the church here last Sunday. At the service Sunday morning he thanked the people for the confidence they had placed him in selecting him to be their minister. He said he should discard nothing because it was old and be afraid of nothing because it was new. He did not believe in the theory that the minister should do the work for the church, only by both working together could the best results be accomplished.

When you go to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla be sure to get it. Don't be put off with an inferior substitute. Insist upon Hood's.

FARM PROPERTY
FOR SALE
At a Great Bargain!
The Farm Property on the Cushing Payson Estate in BELMONT, MASS., consisting of large Farm House of 15 rooms, large Farm Barn, Office and Harness-room connected, Dairy, Cow Barn, Piggery and other buildings, all in good repair, together with as much land as the purchaser may desire. This property is located only about 5 miles from Boston, and close to Cambridge, and can be purchased at a very low price on easy terms. For further particulars, plans, photographs, &c., apply to
Payson Park Land Co.,
28 State St., Boston, Room 22,
P. S. The Agent of the Company can be found at their office on the property every afternoon.

WOBURN
Co-operative Bank.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
A Special Meeting of the Corporation will be held in the BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS, Dow's Block, on
Thursday, May 14, 1891,
At 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of electing a Vice President, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Buchanan; and to transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.
A. W. WHITCHER, Secretary.

FOR SALE
HOUSE of eight rooms and LAND.
Apply to
W. H. Slater,
639 Main St., near Central Sq.

FOR SALE.
House lot on Johnson street adjoining Unitarian Parsonage lot and Hammond Square, containing about four thousand feet. This lot is one of the most desirable in the city for building purposes.
Inquire of Wm. KIMBALL, Wilton, N. H., or at the JOURNAL OFFICE.

REMOVAL
To No. 19 Court Street,
On Monday, May 4.
Ready for business May 5.
Annie Vaughn.

The Great Clothiers of New England
ARE NOW READY TO SHOW THEIR
SPRING and SUMMER Styles
— IN —
MEN'S AND BOYS' RAIMENT.
The attention of the ladies of New England is particularly called to our Boys' and Children's Department, which is now replete with all the latest novelities. Special bargains in Kilt Suits, Jersey Suits, Boys' Reefers, Flannel Blouses, Shirt Waists, etc.
Kilts, $2.50, $3.00, $4.00, $5.00, Reefers, $3.50, $5.00, 6.00, 8.00.
Commonwealth Clothing House,
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It takes ten tons of white paper for a single edition of the
BOSTON HERALD.
SEE Saturday's Boston Herald for the contents of next Sunday's Herald.
The ablest and cleanest Newspaper published in New England. No Objectionable News or Advertising.
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Executors' Sale
— OF —
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. George M. Brooks, Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, we shall sell at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the twentieth day of May, A. D. 1891, on the several premises, and at the several times as hereinafter mentioned, the following described lots of real estate, all situated in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., in that part thereof called "North Woburn," such sales to be made for the payment of the debts against the estate of Abigail Winn, late of said Woburn, deceased; the legacies given by her will; and the charges of administration of settling her estate, viz:

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, the Homestead, consisting of a lot of land containing about 36,829 square feet, with the fine dwelling-house and stable thereon, situated at the corner of Main and School streets, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, at the corner of said Main and School streets, the line runs north 9° 30' west, on and by said Main street about one hundred and six and nine-tenths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by said Main street, about eighty-five and five-tenths feet to land late of Prinitce S. Barnard, deceased; thence turning to the right, the line runs north 84° east, by land last named, about two hundred and eighty-three and seven-tenths feet to land of Joseph B. McDonald; thence turning to the right the line runs south 12° east, by land of said McDonald, about ninety-nine and eight-tenths feet to a corner; thence turning to the right, the line runs westerly by land late of said Barnard and land of Charles Buck, about seventy-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by land of said Buck, about twelve feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the right, the line runs westerly by land of said Buck and land of Hartly J. Tarr, about one hundred and thirteen feet to a corner; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 7° 30' east, by land of said Tarr, about eighty and seven-tenths feet to said School street; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 78° 10' west, on and by said School street, about ninety-one and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about seven thousand nine hundred and fifteen square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Main street, adjoining land of the North Congregational Church, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on said Main steet, at land of said Church, the line runs south 78° west, by land of said Church, about one hundred and five feet to land of the Rumford Association; thence the line runs north 25° 30' west, by land last named, about fifty-nine and eighty-five one-hundredths feet to Minot street; thence north 76° 30' east, on and by said Minot street, about one hundred and thirty-one and one-half feet to said Main street; thence south 02° 40' east, on and by said Main street, about seventy-eight feet to the point of beginning.

At thirty minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about four thousand five hundred and four square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Poole street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southerly corner of the premises, on said Poole street, at land of James Murray; thence the line runs north 32° 34' west, on and by said Poole street, forty-five feet to a stake; thence north 58° east, by other land of said Winn estate, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to a stake at land late of Alfred Eaton, deceased; thence south 32° east, by land last named, forty-five feet to land of said Murray; thence south 58° 30' west, by land of said Murray, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the condition set forth in a deed of Alfred Eaton to said Abigail Winn, dated January 24, A. D. 1876, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1383, Page 13, viz:—"That no building shall ever be erected or stand on said lot within fifteen feet of said Poole street."

At forty-five minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about five thousand eight hundred and sixty-six square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of said Poole street, and bounded as follows, viz—Beginning at the westerly corner of the premises, on said street, at land of John Connolly; thence the line runs north 58° east, by land of said Connolly, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to land late of Alfred Eaton, deceased; thence south 32° east, by land last named, fifty-eight and one-half feet to a stake; thence south 58° west, by other land of said Winn estate, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to said Poole street; thence north 32° 34' west, on and by said Poole street, fifty-eight and seven-tenths feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the condition set forth in a deed of Alfred Eaton to said Abigail Winn, dated January 24, 1876, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1383, Page 13, viz—"That no building shall ever be erected or stand on said lot within fifteen feet of said Poole street."

Terms and conditions made known at the times and places of sale.

PARKER L. CONVERSE,
LEONARD THOMPSON,
Executors of Will of Abigail Winn.
Woburn, April 30, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Bond, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Bond, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estates of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks, successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

FOR SALE.
1 Goethe Market Wagon in good condition.
Apply to FREEMAN A. LORING,
Winchester, Mass.

CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, }
Municipal Building, April 14, 1891. }

Notice is hereby given under Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes, that Peter Kenney and Thomas W. Kenney, under the firm name of Peter Kenney & Co. have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 443 and 445 Main Street, in three rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas G. Meriam and Joseph F. Carpenter, under the firm name of Thomas G. Meriam & Co., have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 32, 34 and 36 High st., in three rooms on first floor and stock in attic of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chap. 100 of the Public Statutes, that John Shinkwin and Michael Reddy, under the firm name of Shinkwin & Reddy, have made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at Nos. 45 and 47 Main Street, on first floor of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas Moore has made application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the first class as common victuallers, at No. 3 Union Street, in two rooms on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Thomas G. Meriam and Joseph F. Carpenter, under the firm name of Thomas G. Meriam & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the fourth class as wholesalers and bottlers, at building Nos. 32, 34 and 36 High street, in three rooms on the first floor, and stock in attic of said building.
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DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Frederic B. Leeds has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class, as a druggist, at No. 15 Pleasant St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.
DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

CITY OF WOBURN.

OFFICE OF
Sealer of Weights and Measures,
No. 400 Main Street.

NOTICE.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS, Rebekah J. Brooks, the Guardian of said minor, has presented her petition for license to sell at private sale certain real estate therein specified of her said ward for investment: You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said Guardian is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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LESSON V, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MAY 3.

Text of the Lesson, Amos iv, 4-13—Commit Verses, 6-8—Golden Text, Prov. xxix, 1—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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God's love for His people Israel is seen not only in His bringing them out of Egypt and placing them in the good land of Canaan, but also in His sending them His servants, the prophets, who showed them their sins and pleaded with them to turn from their sins unto God (chap. ii, 9-11).

The prophets were in themselves weak and fallible men, but God gave them a message for His people, and they had only to deliver that message faithfully in His name. But there were many false prophets who spoke lies in the name of the Lord and perverted His word (Jer. xxiii. 28-32, 36).

Amos was a prophet to Israel (the ten tribes) in the days of Uzziah, king of Judah, and Jeroboam, son of Joash, king of Israel. And about the same time lived the prophets Isaiah and Hosea (Amos i, 1; Isa. i, 1; Hos. i, 1). Amos was called to be a prophet while keeping sheep, and the chief place of his prophecy was Bethel (chap vii, 10-13). Israel's sin was that because prosperous they were at ease and indifferent to the claims of God (vi, 1-6); greedy of gain and oppressing the poor (ii, 6, 7. iv, 1. v, 11, 12; viii, 4-6); heeded not the voice of God in judgment (iv, 6-11), and despised the word of God (ii, 4; v, 10; vii, 10-13). Yet He loved them, and bore patiently with them, and entreated them, and kept before them the blessings of the sure covenants with Abraham and David. Read very carefully chapter ix, 11-15.

4 "Come to Bethel and transgress; at Gilgal multiply transgression."

With all their sin they were outwardly very religious. At Bethel and at Gilgal they had many altars; Hosea says they were as plentiful as heaps of stones in the field. But there was only one altar in all the land where, since the building of the temple, God commanded sacrifice to be offered (Deut. xii, 10, 11; Ps. cxxxii, 13), so that all sacrifice at Bethel or Gilgal was simply transgression.

5 "And offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving with leaven, for this liketh you, O ye children of Israel, saith the Lord God."

Leaven is everywhere in Scripture a symbol of evil. With the meal offering there was to be neither leaven nor honey, and at the Passover there was to be no leaven found in their houses.

6 "And I also have given you cleanness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread in all your places; yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord."

Observe in this verse and in verses 8, 9, 10, 11, the five times repeated sad refrain, "Yet have ye not returned unto Me, saith the Lord." This shows us the heart of God and His one great longing for His erring people, that they in true penitence return to Him.

7 "And also I have withholden the rain from you when there were yet three months to the harvest; and I caused it to rain upon one city, and caused it not to rain upon another city."

That He would also thus chasten them is recognized by Solomon in his prayer at the dedication of the temple (I Kings viii, 35, 36). Who among us ever stops to consider that when it rains in one place and not in another God has anything to do with it, or that when in one place there is a drought and in another much rain, it is the hand of the Lord that doeth this? And yet if we believe His word we must believe that "the balancings of the clouds are the wondrous works of Him who is perfect in knowledge; who saith to the snow, Be thou on the earth, likewise to the small rain and the great rain of His strength."

8 "So two or three cities wandered into one city to drink water, but they were not satisfied; yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord."

They forsook God, the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that could hold no water.

9 "I have smitten you with blasting and mildew."

This also he had forewarned them of when He set before them the blessings and cursings which would surely follow obedience or disobedience (Deut. xxviii, 22).

10 "I have sent among you the pestilence after the manner of Egypt."

This, too, He had threatened (Deut. xxviii, 27, 60), while at the same time He had promised that if they would diligently hearken to His voice and do right in His sight He would put none of the diseases upon them which He had brought upon the Egyptians (Ex xv, 26; xxiii, 25; Deut vii, 15).

"Your young men have I slain with the sword."

The result of obedience would have been that one would have chased a thousand, and two have put ten thousand to flight (Deut. xxxii, 30), but instead of this their enemies oppress them and slay them.

11 "I have overthrown some of you, as God overthrew Sodom and Gomorrah, and ye were as a firebrand plucked out of the burning."

Zech. iii, 2, Jerusalem is called a brand plucked out of the fire, and in Isa. i, 10, they are called rulers of Sodom and people of Gomorrah, while in Matt. xi, 24, Jesus says it will be more tolerable in the day of judgment for Sodom than for disobedient Israel. By famine and sickness and war and by direct judgment He pleads with them to return unto Him, but they refuse.

12 "Therefore, thus will I do unto thee, O Israel, and because I will do this unto thee, prepare to meet thy God, O Israel."

The long account of love slighted, commands disobeyed, blessings abused, gifts transferred to other lovers, while all the time keeping up an outward profession of devotion, must some day be settled, and now will Israel meet her God, whose most loving and persistent entreaties she has spurned? The only preparation is true penitence and consequent forgiveness, followed by fruits meet for repentance.

13 "For, lo, He that formeth the mountains and createth the wind. And declareth unto man what is his thought."

If it is man's thought that is meant, then we remember that He searcheth reins and hearts to give unto every one according to their works (Jer. xvii, 10; Rev. ii, 23).

"That maketh the morning darkness."

If this had been reversed it would seem more like God, but we must take it as we find it, and we remember that "the Lord hath His way in the whirlwind and in the storm, and the clouds are the dust of His feet" (Nah. i, 3; Ps xcvii, 2).

"And treadeth upon the high places of the earth."

He is the most High God, possessor of Heaven and earth, and does as it pleases Him both among the armies of Heaven and the inhabitants of the earth.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

There is no offensive partisanship in President Harrison's speeches, but he is cleverly contriving to show the Southern people that there is a vast difference between the policy of the Administration as it really is and its policy as it has been represented to be by the Bourbon press and politicians.

SEAWARE.

A bit of driftwood tossed upon the shore;
By wave and rock and sea grown creatures torn,
And bruised sore,
And left to perish as a useless thing
In sight and sound of its own ocean lore,
Alone and lorn!
A bit of driftwood. Oh, the poets sing
Of flowers by children loved, by maidens worn:
But who is there would turn aside to pore
Upon the seatang which the waves do fling
On land galore?
There came that way a savant who had thought
To spend on seeming trifles, for God taught
His heart to find fair Love in Nature's creed,
So he could bring
His great soul to the study of a weed.
He stooped and caught
The ocean castaway in his hand,
And—that it had been formed by God's command—
He found much beauty in it. So 'twas brought
To rest among his relics. None might scorn
That humble thing—
The work of Nature, therefore nobly born.
—Jessie M. E. Saxby in Chambers' Journal.

Personal Advertising.

A popular western novelist remarked the other day that sometimes a fool gets talked about so much that the other fools think he is a great man.

There is something in this view. But it is a mistake to limit the proposition to fools. It is of very general application, and hits sensible persons as well as others.

Some years ago a busy journalist said to a friend, "I am done with what you call work for the remainder of my life." His friend was surprised. "How will you live?" he asked. "By advertising myself," was the calm reply.

And the audacious newspaper man was as good as his word. He sauntered about and the papers began to print little paragraphs about his brilliant gifts and his phenomenal capacity to do anything and everything. People talked about the man, hunted him up and offered him money-making opportunities. In a short time he was making $10,000 or $12,000 a year as a sort of general manager or boss of half a dozen enterprises.

Perhaps it was work, but he did not call it work. He simply traveled, talked and allowed himself to be interviewed. And yet all the time he was putting in a few words for the enterprises with which he was connected.

Without his self advertising he would never have enjoyed such good fortune. Say what you will, judicious advertising will make enterprises and men, if they have anything in them, and sometimes it will float them on the high sea of prosperity when they are altogether unworthy.—Atlanta Constitution.

Very Absent Minded.

This story was told by a woman about her father. He was in his library and his cries brought the whole family to the room. They hurried in and found him near his favorite table, poking under it and around it among his papers and everywhere with his walking stick. When some one asked him what he was looking for, he only continued to poke with his stick.

Finally he turned in disgust and said: "Some one will have to find it for me. I laid it up against my desk. It slipped down to the floor, and I thought I picked it up; but I don't seem to be able to find it now." "What is it you are looking for?" asked his daughter. "Why, my stick, child," cried the old gentleman, "and I don't see where it can be." Of course the stick which he was thrusting into the waste paper basket and into every corner was the one for which he was searching.—New York Tribune.

Reptiles Were Land Animals at First.

"Reptiles as they are found in the world at the present day are but degenerate survivors of their kind as they existed in epochs long ago," said Professor Cope. "The first reptiles of the world made their appearance at the close of the paleozoic period, when the coal was in process of formation. They were all land animals. Among them there were no flying creatures, no marine swimmers, no gigantic types and no especially herbivorous kinds."—Washington Star.

Among the great counties of the Union are San Bernardino and San Diego, in California, which are not only vast regions, but contain a very great amount of productive territory; Humboldt and Lincoln counties in Nevada, which are exceedingly sparsely populated, and Lincoln county in New Mexico, which may some time have a large population.

A wrench, called a sprain, which is a twisting of the ligaments that hold the bones together, shows itself by a great swelling and pain. The way to treat it is to bind the parts in cloths wrung out in hot water as hot as can be borne, or, as in a foot, put it into hot water. Then bind with a bandage to make the joint immovable.

It is commonly believed in England that a good way to get rid of cockroaches is to address to them a written letter, saying: "Oh, roaches, you have troubled me long enough. Go, now, and worry my neighbors." The letter must be put where they most swarm, properly sealed. It should be written legibly and properly punctuated.

The dog in history has frequently served as executioner. From an early period, whether in the course of war or in the mock administration of justice, thousands of poor wretches have been torn to pieces by animals trained to that horrible purpose.

Owing to the difficulties that have so often been found with the closed type of engines for electric light machinery, the English admiralty has abolished them and substituted open engines of the compound type.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

The free trade papers pretend that the free list of the McKinley tariff is insignificant, but the fact is that at the port of New York for the first three months of the present calendar year the increase in free importations was nearly $15,000,000 over the corresponding period of 1890, while there was a falling off of $7,000,000 in the dutiable imports. The change will be much more apparent when free sugar begins to enter into the list.

VENEERING MILK WITH CREAM.

One of Life's Golden Illusions Dispelled by Getting Up Too Early.

I can never, never—no, not if I live to the age of Methusaleh—forgive the man who invented early rising. He has done me irreparable injury. He has destroyed one of the fondest illusions of my lifetime.

I had such a good milkman. He was one of the sealed bottle breed. He had the loveliest kind of a red wagon, and he brought our lacteals in beautifully branded glass jars, with the name of the farm and—I was almost going to say the hour of delivery—stamped in the glass.

How I praised the fellow to my friends! I have no doubt that at times I made a perfect nuisance of myself. At the dinner table, if I had company there, I would have Clarissa bring in a bottle of milk so that I could make display of the yellow cream at the top. This was a grievous fault, I own. Let him who is without similar sin cast the first stone at me.

At any rate the milking stool was the hobby I bestrode, and I rode it almost to death.

But one morning I was forced to get up early in order to do a piece of work. Alack the day! I set the alarm clock, little thinking that it was to ring a knell to one of my fondest hopes. I groped my way into the habiliments of day, and with sleepy eyes launched forth into the frosty and lonesome street.

Just around the corner I heard the musical sounds of tin implements striking against each other—the city man's nearest approach to that loveliest of discords, the tintinnabulation of the cowbell's clangor—and looking up beheld the little red wagon of my own pet milkman drawn up close to the curb.

He was bending over some work, in which he seemed to be absorbed, and as I drew near I had a chance to see what its nature was before he caught sight of me.

And oh! what do you think the rogue was doing? It chokes me so that I can scarcely speak the sentence. He was "topping off" milk bottles from the cream can. He was putting that final and convincing head of gold upon the surface of the fluid which I had been taught to believe was "bottled at the dairy."

The same old forehead of brass and feet of clay! I turned aside and wept.

It matters to me no longer what the fluid underneath really was; whether it ever saw a cow; whether it had done service in other capacities—paid tribute to the churn or come in the first place from the pump or hydrant. My bottle of milk was a cream topped fraud, and I had been paying worship to a false and hollow idol.

Henceforth I forswear milk as a beverage, and will confine myself to wormwood and gall.—New York Herald.

A Hint for Reading Clubs.

Let each member write on a bit of paper what book he or she would like to read during the next week or two weeks—that is, between the lapses of the club meetings. Then, when the votes are all collected—for these really are votes—let the book that has the greatest number be the one that is read at home and at the next meeting every member will come with a little notebook in which is written what the opinion of the book is.

Any little anecdote about the characters or the places where the scene is laid, something that has been heard or read about the author, and a short personal opinion of the book as a specimen of good English, as to what its influence would be on the average reader, and whether it is a book that might be called permanent or evanescent. These written opinions should not occupy more than five minutes in reading, and you will be surprised to find what a fund of information is yours when the evening is over.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Wealth of the Rothschilds.

The Rothschilds are believed to have $50,000,000 invested in American securities. Only the Rothschilds themselves know what they are worth, and they never tell family secrets. One of their mottoes is, "Gold never repeats what it sees," and another, "A man will not tell what he has not heard." But some idea of their riches can be gained from the fact that since 1815 they have raised for Great Britain alone more than $1,000,000,000; for Austria, $250,000,000; for Prussia, $200,000,000; for France, $400,000,000; for Italy, nearly $300,000,000; for Russia, $125,000,000; for Brazil, from $60,000,000 to $70,000,000, and for smaller states, certainly between $200,000,000 and $300,000,000 more—perhaps $3,000,000,000.—Detroit Free Press.

A Nice Beginning.

A young couple have just gone through the marriage ceremony. On reaching their new home the bride throws her arms round her husband's neck and bursts into tears.

He—What is the matter, darling?

She—Alas! I never told you that I know next to nothing about cooking!

He—Calm yourself, my sweet! you will have precious little to cook, for I am a poet.—Dresdener Frauenzeitung.

A Logical Sequence.

A tramp, putting his head inside the door of a grocery, asked:

"Please, mister, gi' me a piece o' paper to wrap su'thin' in."

A piece was given him; the door closed, but in a second opened again.

"Please gi' me su'thin to wrap in it."—Judge.

They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Buss drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart.

If the city could afford to build a bridge to East Boston on the plan of the great Brooklyn structure, perhaps such a project might be favorably regarded, but it is hard to see how a candid man can read the testimony at the recent hearing without seeing that a drawbridge such as is contemplated would be a grave injury to the commerce of the port.

To Give Away.

A boy of five or six years was made happy by the arrival of a baby sister. He had been the only child in the family, and being a good and obedient boy had been humored till he was perhaps in some danger of being spoiled. Before the little new sister was many weeks old, however, Master Fred began to feel that his own position was sadly altered.

The stranger had supplanted him. Father, mother and servants were all the time talking about the baby. There was no mistake; Fred was no longer king.

The boy began to be unhappy, and just then he remembered a placard which his father had put up at a conspicuous point on the premises some months before: "Ashes to give away. Inquire within." Fred had taken great interest in this notice, and had inquired minutely into its meaning. He remembered now that very soon afterward a man called and carted away the ashes.

He had been to the kindergarten, and could spell and print after a fashion. So with such helps and hints as he was able to get slyly from the servants, he managed to concoct the following sign, which his astonished father one day found posted in a sightly position as he came home to dinner:

A BaBy tO give awaY.
INquire of FRED.

—Chicago Herald.

Labels on Trunks.

The labels on a trunk that has seen service would not generally be regarded as things of much value, yet there are plenty of persons who regard them among their most highly prized assets. One day a man who was going on a short journey sought the loan of a trunk from a gentleman who had just returned from a European trip. The owner of the trunk was very glad to let him have it, stipulating, however, that none of the express labels should be removed.

"You see," said he, "it cost me a good deal of money to get those Paris, London, Berlin, Vienna and Rome labels on that trunk, and they furnish me not only a pleasant recollection of my trip abroad, but they also furnish absolute proof to all who may see this trunk that I have done Europe and have seen something of the world. You can take the trunk with pleasure, but I will hold you responsible for those labels." In many cases where trunks are sent to the shops for repairs, instructions are sent with them that none of the labels shall be removed.—New York Times.

The Term Yankee.

There are many different stories as to the origin of the term Yankee. That which is most generally accepted, however, is that it came from the Indian attempt to pronounce the word English or the French equivalent, Anglais. This explanation would put the origin of the word Yankee at a date in the early English settlement of the Atlantic coast of this country. Another theory is that it was a cant word in eastern Massachusetts nearly 200 years ago, which meant very fine, as a "Yankee good cow," a "Yankee good gun," etc. The designation is usually applied to residents of New England. Immediately before and during the civil war it was held to mean a citizen of the northern states as distinguished from a southerner, while Europeans often extend the term so as to include residents of the whole country.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Horrid Looking Pet.

A short time ago a New York merchant received a curious present from Australia. It was a horned toad of an aspect so hideous and forbidding that it is known to naturalists as the Moloch Horridus. The little creature, in spite of its dragonlike appearance, proved to be docile, intelligent and affectionate. As a faster it was a rival to Succi, having passed six weeks of its life going through the mails without either a drink or a meal. "Moloch Horridus" is now an established favorite in the family, the goodness of his heart having shone through his forbidding exterior.—New York News.

Brunettes in the East.

In New York city any one who walks about with his eyes open cannot fail to observe the noticeable preponderance in numbers of brunettes. In both sexes the brunette type of beauty largely predominates, and the women, while dark complexioned, are also quite small and usually of well rounded figures. In Boston and Jersey City practically the same conditions obtain, but Brooklyn has a rather larger percentage of blondes.—A. B. Kardin in Epoch.

The merry antics of monkeys are many and diverting. Humboldt was acquainted with a monkey in India which took delight in riding a pig. Every morning the creature caught one, leaped astride his back, and cling ing there with great firmness took his fill of riding. Another monkey, domesticated by a missionary, used to put the family cat, a strong, good natured animal, to the same use.

An excellent way of testing tea is to put a teaspoonful in a glass of water and shake it thoroughly. If the tea is pure the water will be a clear amber tint, but, if adulterated, strongly colored.

There is a curious grapevine at Habersham Park, Ga. It grows from a large oak tree about five feet from the ground. The tree is perfectly sound and no roots of the vine are discernible.

A Fortunate and Grateful Woman.

Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Everett, Pa., says: "I suffered for years from kidney and gravel trouble. No physicians or medicine at home did me any good. I finally visited my former home at Rondout, N. Y., and began using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. A few words tell the result. I am a perfectly well and happy woman once more."

A girl in Kentucky has recovered $500 damages from a steamboat company for naming a boat after her without asking her permission, and they must rename the boat. She took offence at a marine item stating that "Kittie Marshal took the lower chute and run her nose into a plantation."

I feel it my duty to say a few words in regard to Ely's Cream Balm, and I do so entirely without solicitation. I have used it more or less half a year, and have found it to be most admirable. I have suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since I was a little boy and I never hoped for cure, but Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many of my acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Peculiarities of Chinese Gordon.

Conversation with Gordon was not a colloquy—an interchange of ideas. When interested in a subject he talked, and you listened to his monologue, delivered in a low, monotonous tone, without apparent excitement, for he was very seldom animated. The stamp of earnest sincerity and strong conviction was on all his utterances, but he did not care to argue or discuss any question, and you saw it would be useless to attempt to change any of his opinions or beliefs. Nor did he seem to care much what your appreciation of his views might be. On men's judgments he set but little store.

On one occasion when we were sitting together near a window he rose up suddenly and said, "It is rather dark," and to my great surprise thrust his hand through a pane of glass to open the outer shutter—not remarking that the sash was down. He cut his hand in several places, but tying it up in his handkerchief paid no further attention to it, but resumed our conversation, resisting my attempts to see whether any pieces of glass had remained in the hand.

My wife was a great favorite of his, and he would call at Shepheard's hotel to see her shortly before the dinner hour. If engaged in earnest conversation he would entirely ignore the gong for dinner and refuse to dine at the table d'hote with us, but would frequently remain an hour longer, utterly oblivious of dinner and its duties.—E. de Leon.

General Sherman at School.

A man who was well acquainted with General Sherman the other day said: "The things that General Sherman seemed to have excelled in in later life were those in which he was the most deficient while at West Point. During the time he was a cadet he never was selected as a cadet officer or even a non-commissioned officer, as he was never deemed soldierly enough.

"As to the general's standing in his class when he graduated he was seventh in engineering, seventh in ethics, fourth in minerology and geology, twelfth in infantry tactics, eighth in artillery tactics and in deportment he ranked 216 out of a class of 233. Now the idea that a good scholar will not make a good commanding officer is disproved in this case. Had it not been for the general's low average in conduct he would have in all probability been a star scholar; that is, he would have had a star affixed to his name, as the first five men are given this honor. The general's low grade was not due to bad conduct, but to his unsoldierly appearance."—Philadelphia Press.

Taking an Oath.

The topic of kissing the Bible upon the taking of an oath was the subject of a discussion by the Cogburn club the other evening. Nobody seemed to know just why the discussion was started, but several members who have not been heard from lately had pronounced views upon the subject.

One of the members declared that the kissing habit was a relic of an idolatrous age, when men kissed the mouths of idols to such an extent that they wore them away, and it was believed that he who kissed the mouth of an idol and then told a lie would immediately die. Said he: "The practice of kissing the Bible in courts of justice is more than ten centuries old. In every court or upon the table of every justice you will find a soiled book, upon which you are sworn—a book not soiled by reverent hands in turning its pages, but made unclean and unhealthy by the constant handling of unclean witnesses and the contact of impure lips and mouths."—Utica Observer.

Spiders' Webs.

The webs of those spiders which spin snares out of doors, as the geometrical garden spider, are formed of two sorts of silk, one of which is used for the main cables and the radiating threads, the other for the concentric threads. The latter are thickly studded with minute globules of a viscous substance, which retains the fly, gnat or moth that may blunder against them, while the former are quite dry and harmless. A third kind of silk is produced by the busy little spinner when some such large insect as a wasp has become entangled in the web and threatens to break the delicate structure in its struggles. This takes the form of an enveloping mass, which is suddenly produced, and which effectually prevents any further gyrations on the part of the captured insect.—Cornhill Magazine.

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The Line He Worked On.

There is a prominent clergyman in New York who resembles John A. Girven, of Columbus, Ga. He was on his way to Brooklyn bridge when he was stopped by a salesman who is quite near sighted.

"Hello, John," said he, very heartily. "How is business?"

The clergyman, who is about as bright and quick a man as there is to be found in this town, instantly saw that there was no desire to bunco him, and that the salesman was honest in his greeting.

"Well, business in my line is not as good as I would like it to be. You see the devil is firmly established, and he is a hustler. We get no business from him without a hard pull, for he never lets up if there is any possibility of holding a customer."

The voice betrayed the man, and the drummer knew that he had made a mistake.

"Excuse me, I thought you were a friend of mine."

"No excuse necessary, we all make errors."

After a laugh on both sides the salesman said:

"What line of goods do you carry, anyhow?"

"I carry the Bible," replied the unclerical looking clergyman, "and I am trying to run the devil into bankruptcy."

"Oh!" cried the salesman, "don't tell anybody about this mistake of mine, will you? The boys might hear of it."—Dry Goods Retailer and Jobber.

Fashions in Lace Curtains.

Only a few years ago you in search of lace curtains would go into a store and buy either a Brussels or a Nottingham, a tambour or antique. That was the variety. Today the fashions change, as in dress goods. A novelty in muslins is in old gold tints, with different colored embroidery. The effect is very swell. White muslin with chic little figures in colors is catchy, too, and the embroidered hemstitch border is another new feature. The Irish point a jour is an entirely new effect in a lace curtain, the border being hemstitched with a wide "daylight" stitch between the lace and hem. A new feature in muslin curtains is what is called the "Holl" effect, which adds largely to the appearance of these goods.

Muslins with space or slits left through the border design for ribbon to be run through ought to become popular. The color of the ribbon can harmonize with the other decorations of a room and produce a very pretty effect. One of the most illusive, fairy like bits of texture is a white crete, printed in what, for want of a better term, we will say rainbow colorings, of pale pinks, blues and yellows. You see the fabric from a distance of eight or ten feet, and you instinctively look back of you or above for a stained glass window, for the colorings are of that vague, gentle character produced by the reflection of light through colored glass. The colors are of the softest character imaginable, and they run and merge, one into the other.—Philadelphia Upholsterer.

Why He Thought So.

The mingling of all ranks and trades in the territorial militia now maintained by almost every European country is a great source of amusement, because such mixing of different elements is not very common in that part of the world.

It is related that, at a recent sham battle, a young lieutenant, posted with his company behind a wall, ordered his men to fire at a detatchment of troops who were marching by.

The guns were loaded with blank cartridges, and no harm was done; but the detachment happened to be on the same side of the sham fight as the company which had fired at it.

The commanding officer came riding up.

"Why did you fire at those men?" he demanded of the lieutenant, hotly.

"I supposed they were the enemy," said the lieutenant.

"And what led you to suppose they were of the enemy?"

"Because my tailor was at the head of them, and I saw my butcher in the ranks. What else could I suppose, sir?"—Youth's Companion.

She Was Worth It.

The marriage fee often reveals odd traits of character. Once the bridegroom presented to a clergyman a bit of paper on which was written: "A wife is a crown to her husband. If she turns out to be a good one in ten years I'll give you twenty dollars."

The minister pocketed the paper, thinking the woman would "turn out to be a good one" and that the man would never remember the promise.

But time brought a surprise. Before seven years had passed the clergyman received a gold double eagle and a note saying:

"She is good clear through. There is no need of waiting any longer. I ought to have paid you on the spot."—Youth's Companion.

True Politeness.

Mr. Staylate—Y-a-as, I hate those—ah—simple minded country people that show everything they feel.

Miss Westend—It is a mere matter of training. One of the first things I was taught was the art of appearing interested when bored half to death.—Good News.

He Was Too Particular.

Beggar (to Glanders, who has given him a coin)—Say, mister, this dime's plugged.

Glanders (examining it and replacing it in his pocket)—Ah! so it is.—Judge.

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Here are more fruits of that "odious McKinley bill." A woolen mill to employ from 500 to 1000 operatives is to be erected at Woonsocket, R. I., by English and Belgian manufacturers. Within a month four new knitting mills have been started at Cohoes, and last week six new factories were reported.

It Is Foolish

To send for the doctor every time you don't feel just right. My doctor's bill for years was over a hundred dollars a year, which made a pretty big hole in my wages. For the past two years, I only spent ten dollars, with which I bought a dozen bottles of Sulphur Bitters, and health has been in my family since using them.—ROBERT JOHNSON, Machinist.

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The Woburn Journal

BESSIE'S LOVER.

"You want to hear how I came by all these scars on my face and hands?" said the man, rolling up his sleeves and showing the bare, sinewy arms, marked and seared as with a red-hot iron. "Twenty years ago I first met Bessie Morton. She was going across the clover fields yonder, taking her father his dinner. He was a miner in the works of the great Bergen Coal company, and Bessie was all the kin he had.

"At that time I was young and handsome, and had just been installed foreman of the blast furnace of the Bergen Iron company.

"I stepped aside for Bessie to pass, and lifted my hat as I did so. She smiled—the faintest shadow of a smile, but it made me happy all day. You know how it is, if you have ever been in love.

"Then I did not even know her name, but I lost my heart to her and never got it back again. After, I learned who she was, with the disagreeable fact that Mark Gaillaird admired her. Gaillaird was one of the members of the coal company—a millionaire—middle-aged, handsome and unprincipled.

"It made my blood boil to hear him speak of Bessie in that cool, supercillious way of his in which he spoke of every woman.

"And the scoundrel lit his choice Havana and strolled off to what he called his work, which was sitting in a luxurious office signing checks and reading French novels.

"I had been some two months acquainted with Bessie, when one day I told her that I loved her, and won her sweet consent to become mine. And truth to tell I did not feel quite sure of my Bessie until I had a legal right to her. Not that I doubted her, but in a sort of indefinite way I feared Gaillaird.

"So you can understand that I was anxious to make her my wife, and have her under my own protection as soon as possible.

"One morning eight or ten days before the time set for our marriage, Gaillaird came to the works, and under pretense of looking at the working of the furnaces, he got speech with me, for generally I avoided him.

"'Look here, Gilbert,' he said, 'is this bosh that I hear about you marrying Bessie Morton true?

I answered him cooly:

"'Yes, sir; I am to marry her.'

"He put his face close to mine, so close that I felt his hot breath like the blast of an oven upon my cheek.

"'I love her myself,' he said hoarsely. "At first I thought only to amuse my self, as I had done with a score of silly girls before her, but since I have come to know her royal nature, to know what a very queen she is among women, I have decided to make her my wife. Now listen to my proposition. Resign Bessie Morton and you shall have Hamburg's place at $5,000 a year—the best office in the gift of the company and with that you can take your pick from the youth and beauty of Bergen. Refuse these and I swear to be your utter ruin I have warned you. I give you three days to decide.

"'I told Bessie something of this—making very light of it as I saw how pale and frightened she was, but she clung to me and wept, and begged me not to trust myself alone with Gaillaird.

"'I promised to keep clear of him, to satisfy her, though truth to tell I did not feel any fear of him, for I judged him to be a coward, and hardly believed he had courage enough to lay violent hands on any one.

"'Three days after my interview with Gaillaird I was going my rounds as usual to see after the furnaces. It was after dark, but I carried no lantern—the light of the molten metal made objects sufficiently visible for my purpose. Have you ever examined one of these blast furnaces? They were vast piles of masonry—hollow like a barrel—with a capacity of seven tons of ore. Some of these were 20 or 30 feet in diameter.

"'The furnace was full of ore to within five or six feet of the top, and the intense heat from below was steadily rising, until before my eyes I saw the grayish yellow mass grow lurid red and I knew that it was fusing.

"'As I stood there I heard a step by my side. Some subtle presence told me that I should see Gillaird when I looked up. He was standing close beside me. The sullen red light of the metal played over his face, and showed me the cruel eyes and the white teeth gleaming savagely under the dark mustache. He took a step forward and looked into the seething crater at my feet, then lifted his eyes to my face.

"'"Well" said he, 'do you accept my offer and give up Bessie?'

"'"Never," said I, "I would rather see her dead, well as I love her, before I would yield to a fiend in human guise!'

"'Then feel my vengeance!" he cried, fiercely, and hurled at me a blow, which off my guard as I was, sent me down, down into the mouth of the horrible pit I had been regarding with such feelings of strange fascination!

"'In the brief seconds of time before I touched the red-hot iron, I realized my position fully. I knew that as the ore melted it would sink down, down, down and I along with it, until at last! Oh, Heaven! I closed my eyes at the terrible picture and was hopeless! Only a second the excruciating pains which filled me at the touch of that fiery heat nerved me to superhuman strength. Bounding upward I seized upon a staple set in the side of the furnace to fasten a lid to, and exerting all my power I swung myself upward to the platform, the flesh dropping from my feet as I did so."

"'Gaillaird fell upon me like a demon, and I, burned and bleeding and half dead as I was, closed with him and fought for my life.

"'It was a sharp and frenzied struggle. He had the strength of a madman in those delicate arms of his, and for me it seemed as if I had the power of ten men. One last desperate wrench I freed myself from him and flung him backward. Ah! even now I see his demoniac face as he went down, down into the furnace shouting out against me his dying curse! In a moment I was cooled. I rushed forward—I sought to save him, but great heaven! when I looked into the fiery grave I saw that the ore was all fused and had sunk fully ten feet. And do not ask me to speak of what I saw struggling in the billows of liquid fire!

"'I was found there lying insensible on the brink of the furnace an hour afterward by one of the workmen and for months succeeding I lay on a bed of sickness and delirium. Bessie nursed me through it, and when I was able to sit up we were married.

"'I left my business at the furnace forever—the sight of the place filled me with horror. Did they ever find any trace of Gailliard? Bless you, only a few fragments of bone, crumbled to white ashes by the heat, were among the contents of the blast when the furnace was 'drawn' next morning."

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The English Conservatives, in their suddenly-announced free education policy, are adopting their old tactics of stealing the thunder of their opponents. They are in a fair way, however, of getting into an embarrassing tangle with denominational questions.

Tried and True

Friends are scarce, but if you are suffering with that horrible disease scrofula, you will find Sulphur Bitters will cure you as it did me, after suffering eight years, and paying out hundreds of dollars to doctors and druggists.—Jeannette Hanscom, Troy, N Y.

The Sultan of Turkey is reported as saying that if it were not for his duty to his subjects he would emigrate to America.

A WET SADDLE.

Baleful Influence That a Pair of Thin Pants Exerted on a Farmer Boy.

The great farmhouse is ablaze with lights twinkling from every room. Long tables groan beneath the loads of good things the busy housewife has been days preparing.

From the barn come merry voices, joyous laughter.

Let us stand, unobserved, in the open door.

What a happy, merry lot of young folks—stalwart, handsome young men and healthy maidens!

They are ranged round the walls with rapidly diminishing piles of corn before them, which they husk and throw upon the golden heap which is growing in the center.

Ah! That young man has found a red ear in his pile! He leaps to his feet and dashes at one of the prettiest girls! A short chase—a struggle—a resounding smack—and it is over. He has kissed her—maybe on the collar or her back hair; but that doesn't matter; she counts it all the same.

How happy they all seem.

But no. Over there in a dark corner sits a tall, powerful, handsome fellow all alone. He speaks to nobody unless addressed, and then his answers are short and sullen.

Ever and anon he casts a piercing glance at a young man of about his own age who sits at the end of the row opposite, chatting with a pretty young girl. His face darkens. There is murder in his eyes. He is in love, perhaps, and jealous.

The bell rings for supper just as the husking is done, and the huskers jump up and scamper pell-mell toward the house, but the tall, handsome young man remains seated and drops his face in his hands with something that sounds like a sob.

For a long time he sits thus alone; then a light, hurried step is heard, and a sweet voiced girl asks:

"Joe, what is the matter? Had trouble with Mary? You haven't spoken to her tonight hardly. Sick? Better come in to supper. It will do you good, maybe."

"No, sis, it ain't that."

"Tell me, Joe," said his sister kindly.

"Well," he answers, "I've got on my thin pants—I rid Dobbin over—thar wuz a nail or a chafe in th' saddle."

And the stalwart young hayseed Adonis broke down and shed a drenching shower of salt and bitter tears.—Short Stories.

Why the Dog Recognized It.

I called on a certain portrait painter in Indianapolis. We had gone to school together. Since then he has acquired a national reputation as an artist. I complimented him on his life like work. "Yes," he replied, "I suppose it is creditable now, but it was not always so. I remember the first job I ever had. A wealthy lady came to see me and wanted her full length portrait painted. I did the best I could, but that was nothing to brag of. When the lady came to look at the picture she gave a cry of disappointment.

"'Why, that's not at all like me,' she said; 'I shall not take it!'

"I assured her it was a perfect likeness, and declared that even her little poodle would recognize it. 'I am willing to take that risk,' she said. 'I'll bring my dog this afternoon and if he recognizes me I'll take the picture.' Later in the day she brought in the canine, and the sagacious little animal, after surveying the portrait for a moment, ran up and licked the painted hand. My lady took the picture without any further objections."

"But the likeness must have been striking," I said, "to deceive the dog."

"Not necessarily," replied the artist. "I took the precaution of rubbing a piece of bologna sausage over the hand before the dog arrived."—Philadelphia Times.

Poisons.

The most familiar poison is probably morphia or some similar narcotic. Prussic acid is the most rapidly fatal of all poisons in its action. Chemical tests can now be applied to detect with great certainty poison in food or water, and in the body after death. If scientific examination and judicial inquest be possible, almost any poison can be detected after death, either by the lesions produced in the organs affected or by the extraction from the corpse of the victim of the poison itself, and by a study of the properties. As for poisoning being a lost art possessed in a higher degree of perfection by the Borgias and others, that belief is a fancy. The people of any other age could have taught us nothing new in that regard. The poisons of the Borgias would not now be considered beyond detection, or, in fact, at all difficult.—New York Ledger.

Don't Use a Knife on Corns.

Apply to corns and callouses any of the remedies that kill the calloused skin in three or four days and render it easily picked off after soaking in hot water. The toe is usually a little sore after this operation. Apply vaseline for a few days till this inflammation is gone, and then if there is any of the hard skin remaining repeat the operation as many times as necessary until not a particle of the corn, bunion or callous remains.—New York Tribune.

A Mythological Phantasy.

Bright Boy (gazing at the Venus of Milo)—Mamma, was Venus just like that?

Mamma—Yes, I think she must have been.

Bright Boy—And I suppose Jupiter punished her in that way for letting the other gods hold her hands.—Judge.

An eminent Presbyterian divine announced to his congregation that he must take a vacation on account of bronchitis, the elders raised his salary and gave him Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. He was cured.

My daughter suffered greatly with neuralgia in the face and forehead and was unable to secure any relief. I saw Salvation Oil advertised, sent for a bottle, and one application gave entire relief.
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A CHINESE VENDETTA.

The Terrible Oath of Revenge Taken by Two Murdered Fathers' Sons.

The vendetta seems to be carried out in Asia as well as in Corsica, judging from the following article taken from a Chinese exchange:

Whether the particulars which we are now about to give are strictly correct or not is more than we can say, but we are content to believe that there is nothing improbable in the story. The recognized eccentricity of Chinese customs is in itself excuse enough for giving entire credence to the singular narrative, the details of which come to us from a reliable source and are as follows:

On the night of Nov. 2, 1886, a Chinese carpenter employed at Mr. Brand's sugar plantation, Shoal Bay, was murdered in his hut. Information was at once given to the police, who proceeded to Shoal Bay, took up what appeared to be the tracks of the murderer, followed them to the jungle, coming toward Palmerston, and there lost them. In course of time the search was entirely abandoned as fruitless, the last act being the offer of one hundred pounds for information that would lead to the capture of the murderer. The murder itself was a most determined one. An examination of the body revealed bullet wounds and knife gashes enough to have killed half a dozen men. At the back of the left shoulder there was a bullet wound bearing inward toward the spine; there was a severe stab on the back of the right shoulder; there was a terrible incised wound behind the collar bone which severed several veins; there was an incised wound and bullet wound combined at the end of the heart on the right side (each wound cutting the liver); there was a bullet wound through the heart, the bullet having gone through the chest, and there was another stab wound through the heart.

From the nature of the man's wounds, however, two things were inferred; first, that the murder was perpetrated by more than one person, and, second, that there was a fiendish desire on the part of the murderers to make sure of Ah You's death. Now comes the sequel. Some years previous to the Shoal Bay crime being committed a certain Chinaman conducted a pirating enterprise on the coast of China. One day while taking out a small boat ing party under cover of respectability, this pirate foully robbed and then murdered the unsuspecting occupants of the boat, and then cleared from the neighborhood. The friends and relatives of the murdered persons searched the coast high and low for traces of the freebooter, but in vain. In the midst of their grief at the bereavement under such circumstances, two who had each lost a father registered a terrible oath to be revenged on the pirate. Accordingly they pursued inquiries with unbroken diligence, and at last learned that the man they were in quest of had gone to Port Darwin, in Australia.

Thither they followed him, and in the quiet of that night at Shoal bay, in 1886, the life of Ah You was taken in fulfillment of the vow of vengeance which had been recorded against him years before on the coast of China. The story is completed when we tell that the murderers, after leaving the plantation, returned to Palmerston and remained in Chinatown until a boat arrived from south, in which they went back to their native land. Such is the narrative as we obtained it.

Runaway Horses.

I heard an interesting distinction made the other day by an experienced driver of horses, not a professional, as to the degree of danger to which a person was exposed from a runaway horse. The distinction made was between the horse that runs away from fright and the horse that runs away because he is out of temper. In the former case the animal is said to be perfectly reckless. He is as likely to dash across the street as he is to go straight ahead, and the only safeguard for a team approaching him is to get as far away from him as possible. But the horse who is the victim of an ungovernable temper has a method in his madness. He rushes straight ahead and is careful to avoid obstacles in his path. Such an animal is much less to be dreaded than the victim of fright, and there is no necessity for taking unusual precautions against a collision with him.—Boston Post.

It Was Not Prolonged.

One of Hartford's prominent ministers was pacing a hotel corridor not long ago when a colporteur approached him with this question:

"Are you a Christian?"

"I hope so," replied the clergyman modestly.

"Hope so! Don't you know so?" persisted his interlocutor.

No response from the divine.

"Well, now," said the stranger, "if a man should strike you on the right cheek would you turn to him the other also?"

"No, I wouldn't if he had as much cheek as you have."

The interview was not prolonged.—Congregationalist.

The Artichoke.

The artichoke has nothing to do with art or the choking of it. The artichoke is an innocent vegetable, known to the Arabians as the ardischauki, or earth thorn. The Jerusalem artichoke was never seen near Jerusalem. Its first name is a corruption of the Italian girasole, which means turning to the sun. It is a species of sunflower, bearing a tuber like that of a potato.—Harper's Young People.

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HARPER'S MAGAZINE for May opens with the first of a series of attractive papers on The Warwickshire Avon, by A. T. Quiller Couch, superbly illustrated by Alfred Parsons. The Venerable F. W. Farrar, Archdeacon of Westminster, contributes an impartial and appreciative sketch of the origin and work of The Salvation Army. Some of the other papers are, Roman London, ill., Some American Riders, ill., In the Strange Peoples Country, Argentine People, etc., The English Ancestry of Washington, and others.

***HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Co., Franklin St., Boston, and by Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

The May ARENA which closes the third volume of this phenomenally brilliant and successful review contains a remarkably fine picture of the Rev. Minot J. Savage, made from a recent photograph of the great liberal divine. In this issue Mr. Savage appears in a debate with Julian Hawthorne on the subject Is Spiritualism Worth Investigating? An admirable picture of Julian Hawthorne and one of Prof. Abram S. Isaacs, are also featuress of the May ARENA. Probably the four papers which will attract most attention outside of the Hawthorne-Savage debate in this issue are those by C. Wood Davis on The Wheat Supply of Europe and America; Professor Emil Blum on Russia of to-day; E. P. Powell's critical study of the political life of Thomas Jefferson and the editor's paper on Is Socialism Desirable?

Buy a Hen.

Too poor to take a home paper. Well, that is a distressful condition. Buy a hen, feed her on crumbs and waste from the kitchen and she will lay eggs enough to pay for a year's subscription; then work her up in a pot pie and she will pay first cost, so the paper will be clear profit. Repeat this process year after year and you will see how easy it is to pay for your home paper.—*Ligonier Leader.*

The advice of the *Leader* would be excellent if it was not for the fact that nine out of ten who don't take a paper don't know how to set the hen.—*Walkerton Independent.*

It is related that Potter Palmer was cunningly duped lately by one of the employes of his big hotel in Chicago. Going down into the engine room he got into a dispute with the engineer, who was quick tempered, and discharged him. The manager of the house not being willing to lose so excellent a man as he knew him to be, advised the engineer to shave off his heavy whiskers, cut his abundant hair, put on his best clothes and apply to Palmer for the vacant place. The ruse succeeded and Palmer, who re-engaged him, says he is altogether superior to the saucy fellow he discharged.

Failures in Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, MAY 8, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN BANQUET.

The Republicans of Woburn will hold a Mass Meeting and partake of a Banquet on next Wednesday. Several distinguished Speakers will be present, among them Congressman Lodge, ex-Congressman Greenhalge, Gen. J. L. Swift and Maj. Geo. S. Merrill.

Hon. E. D. Hayden of this city will preside.

Sec'y E. G. Preston writes to the JOURNAL that great enthusiasm is felt in the coming Banquet.

A CORRECTION.

These columns contained an editorial statement last week to the effect that a meeting had recently been held at the residence of Mr. Lawrence Reade, at which Mr. Thomas Salmon was a prominent actor, to take the preliminary steps towards bringing Mr. Reade to the front as the Democratic candidate for Mayor of this city next fall.

The statement was made on what the Editor supposed was good authority. This was not, however, the case—the entire story as told to the JOURNAL was without foundation. No such meeting was ever held. True, Mr. Salmon had called at Mr. Reade's residence a few evenings previous on business connected with the Woburn Co-operative Bank, with which both gentlemen are connected, but politics had nothing whatever to do with the call, as we have sufficient reason for believing.

Furthermore, Mr. Salmon and Mr. Reade are both warm political friends of Mayor Bean; they endorse his present administration in every particular; and both are free to say that they propose to do all they can towards his nomination and election for a second term.

The above statement is based on the word of honor of reliable men, and is no doubt correct in every particular.

☞ The Gypsy Moth season is about over, and many of the G. M. Commission are being discharged. The Commission feel great satisfaction with their work this spring.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Lacoste.
Cahill—O'Callahan.
Niles—Alaska Ref'g.
No. Woburn—To Let.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
G. L. Taylor—Citation.
C. Cummings—Horses.
L. Reade—Undertaker.
F. A. Jones—Blush Rose.
Charitable Society—Lecture.
Woburn Gas Co.—Gas Stoves.
Standard Fuel Co.—Kem Kom.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Ice again Wednesday morning.

— Mr. William Dean has got home from the West.

— Mr. W. W. Hill has been ailing with a sore throat.

— The Hustlers beat the Leatherses last Saturday 24 to 8.

— Mrs. Arthur B. Wyman is visiting at Edgartown on the Cape.

— The annual inspection of the Fire Dept. occurred yesterday afternoon.

— There are indications of considerable building here in the near future.

— Keep your eye open for Mullett's advertisement in next week's JOURNAL.

— Tickets to the grand Republican Banquet can be obtained of Major Hall.

— The Hustlers downed the Allenvilleonians last Friday by a score of 19 to 11.

— A note from friend Warren Teel of Davenport, Iowa, will be used next week.

— Rev. D. D. Winn's wife, who has been very sick lately, is getting better.

— City Treasurer Buck's son John has been ill for a week or two, but is now better.

— Judge Johnson is at last able to crawl out doors and shake hands with his friends.

— Geo. C. Conn, of the B. & M. freight department, Boston, has returned from the South.

— Mr. D. B. Morrill, the old ice man, has moved back to this city after being away 3 or 4 years.

— If anyone wants to have a good house he or she should enquire at 1073 Main street, North Woburn.

— A fine Wilmington ball last Saturday night attracted many of Woburn's young ladies and gentlemen.

— The May Party of the Ladies Auxiliary of St. Charles C. T. A. will be given on May 20 at Music Hall.

— Collins who bought the Skelton property on Academy Hill has broken ground for a 6-tenement house on it.

— Bro. Nute, the shoemaker over Buckman's, is getting his hand out of the sling that has held it for 2 or 3 weeks past.

— Rain enough fell last Sunday afternoon to give the fresh grass a nice washing and help the foliage to a more rapid growth.

— Communion services were held at the residence of Dea. G. R. Gage last Sunday afternoon by the First Congregational Church.

— Dr. Annie Felton Reynolds of Boston was the guest of her relatives Ald. and Mrs. Jacob A. Ham of this city last Sunday.

— Mr. George Bowers and wife have returned to this city to live. Their residence for some time has been at Barnstable, N. H.

— Our Public Library acts as a magnet for artists. Several from the School of Technology were seen sketching it last Saturday.

— The East Middlesex Street Railroad Co. are talking strong of changing the propelling power of their cars from horses to electricity.

— The new stone railroad station at Laconia, N. H., is to be built by S. S. Ordway & Co., of this city. The job will be a large one.

— Charlie Buckley has a neat store on Main street well filled with tobacco, segars, fruit, stationary, etc., and is doing a good business.

— Last Sunday 19 persons joined the First Congregational Church of this city on profession of faith, and 5 by letter, making 24 in all.

— Weil, Dreyfus & Co., of Boston, manufacturers of men's furnishing goods, expect to open a factory in this city and employ 50 girls.

— Frank Colby, the Montvale newsboy, is smarter than a whip. If nothing happens to him he will cut his way through the world in good shape.

— Especial attention is directed to the announcement of the play by the Friday Night Club which is to be given this evening at the Unitarian Church.

— The Woburn Dramatic Club, under the management of John J. Weldon, gave a fine entertainment in Post 161 Hall last Wednesday evening.

— Lampton Skinner serves James Skinner & Co. at their Boston store and office every forenoon and gives his afternoons to the manufactory here at home.

— The Dow hothouses, under the skilful management of Mr. McGregor and his men, are just now alive with floral beauty. The flowers are splendid to look at.

— Clouds and wind doubtless saved the pear and cherry blossoms and this summer's crop of fruit from destruction. The frosts of Sunday and Monday night were tough ones. There was snow in Vermont.

— Last Sunday illegal rumholes on Wade Ave. and Canal street were officially visited by Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott, and quantities of "stuff" seized at them.

— All the luxuries of the early vegetable garden can be bought cheap at Sylvester's "Cash Market," and spring lamb, young chickens, juicy beef, etc. to go with them.

— The fire which summoned the department on Tuesday evening was a small oil shed belonging to Beggs & Cobb standing in the rear of their tannery near Cross street. Damage slight.

— Mr. Robert B. Eaton and Mr. James Folsom represented Trinity parish as lay delegates to the 106th annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal church of the diocese of Massachusetts.

— Mr. Thomas Moore, the grocer, says that last Monday night water in tubs on his premises froze to a considerable thickness. Tuesday came very close to being a pretty stiff winter day.

— Officer Thomas Mulkeen, the long time Woburn school census-taker, has begun his annual visits on the residents of the city and erelong will give the JOURNAL the exact result of his labors.

— Dr. Murphy of this city and Dr. Winn of Winchester entertained the East Middlesex Medical Society at the Board of Trade Rooms last Wednesday. Hardy of Arlington was the caterer.

— Quite a severe earthquake was felt in this city on last Friday evening, if human testimony counts. It was also felt in Winchester, Wilmington, Everett, and at several points in New Hampshire.

— We are in receipt of the Annual Reports of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society for 1890. Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church in this city, is a member of the Board of Directors.

— City Solicitor Curran's written opinion on a certain phase of listing property for taxation addressed to Col. W. T. Grammer, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, is crowded out of the JOURNAL this week.

— Rev. Mr. Porter's lecture on "Korea" next Thursday evening will be something worth listening to. Dr. March did not visit Korea with Mr. Porter and therefore has not lectured on that particular theme.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe speaks to the public through the columns of the JOURNAL to-day in a manner that "the who runs may read." Personal examination convinces us that what he says in his card is strictly true.

— Rev. Arthur J. Smith will continue his singing and preaching services at the Methodist church next Sunday. He is powerful both in song and sermon. Pastor Montgomery reports a deep religious awakening in the church.

— All but about 20 of the "mite boxes" were opened in the First Congregational church last Saturday afternoon and were found to contain $212, which proved quite a gratifying surprise to the good ladies who have had the business in charge.

— Last Sunday 38 applicants were received on probation at the Methodist church in this city. Meetings are being held there this week supplementary to the revival meetings of Dr. Munhall, at which Rev. Mr. Smith of Philadelphia is the preacher.

— Editor John L. Parker and Madame Parker, people well and favorably known in this city, have made arrangements to feed the W. H. S. B. who attend the annual muster of the Second Mass. School Regt., to-morrow at Lynn, which shows that they are kindhearted and still remember their old Woburn home.

— As strange as it may seem and as incredulous as some people will be about it, the fact remains all the same that quite a heavy frost was seen on the ground, fences, trellises, etc., in this city on last Monday morning. How much the earthquake (?) of last Friday evening had to do with it we are unable to say.

— Cushing's Manual, the best authority in the world on parliamentary law, is used as a text-book in our High school. But, for the Land's sake, what have our public schools got to do with parliamentary law? Better give the boys and girls a little better acquaintance with the "3 Rs" before cramming them with Cushing's Manual.

— About 11 o'clock Wednesday a. m. Mr. John Curley of Harrison Ave. was driving along Pleasant st. and when turning the corner at the Baptist church, his horse becoming unmanageable, he fell on the stone crossing and broke one of his hip bones. Dr. Harry Blake was called who attended to the injury and then ordered him to the Mass. Gen. Hospital.

— Rev. Mr. Beach of Cambridge, preached at the Congregational Church on Tuesday night; Dr. Arthur Little of Dorchester, on Wednesday night; Rev. Mr. Newton of Winchester will preach this Friday night. Mrs. F. W. March addressed the Ladies' Missionary Society last evening. The preaching was with power and a strong revival spirit was manifest.

— The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Music Hall on the afternoon of Friday, May 15, at 3 o'clock. Miss Antonia Maury, a graduate of Vassar, teacher of sciences in Prof. Gilman's school in Cambridge, and assistant to Prof. Pickering in the astronomical department at Harvard College, will lecture on "Lookout Towers of Astronomy."

— Modern Democracy has no attractions for Mr. L. W. Cooper of 30 Union street, this city. He can't fellowship with anything that has a tincture of it in its composition, so when he runs across a good, hot basting of it in the newspapers it pleases him. Thus it comes about that the Taunton *Gazette* is a favorite daily of Mr. Cooper's, and why the Editor of the JOURNAL gets a copy of it once in a while.

— Waldon, tailor, whose place is on Walnut street, just off Main, is a master hand at making gent's old suits look better than new ones. He will take a coat, vest or pair of trousers that look almost bad enough to go into the Home Missionary box and put them through a rejuvinating process that makes them look just as nice as new and will wear full as well. Mr. Waldon is worthy of public patronage and we hope he will get a plenty of it.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond and wife have returned from a protracted visit in Florida and other Southern sections very much improved in health and physical vigor. They made a long absence of it but report an exceedingly pleasant winter and spring in that delightful "land where the cypress and myrtle," and oranges, and crocodiles and such like novelties abound, and much enjoyment ever since they left home. The JOURNAL welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Hammond to Woburn again.

— Not only are the members of the Woburn Press Club tars, but where can anybody be found who can ride a bicycle in a more graceful fashion than they? They are expert wheelmen, to keep up with whom in a race professionals would have to hump themselves big. In knickerbockers, beach shirts, tanned colored low cut prunellas, and yellow and white striped headgear, they are as dashing and handsome a crowd of fellows as were ever seen spinning along the streets of this town on a bicycle.

— Miss Maud Ronco is successfully teaching pupils on the violin at her home on Sturgis st. and would like to secure a few more for her spring class. Having been a student of Henry Hendl, the celebrated Boston violinist for several years she has become a proficient on the instrument and is not only a fine player but a careful and efficient teacher. Miss Maud makes easy terms for lessons and those who contemplate learning the violin cannot do better than to call and consult her at the residence of Mr. David Ronco on Sturgis st.

— Mr. Charles Cummings is doing a big stroke of business in Canadian horses this spring, having sold two car-loads within as many weeks and waiting for the third one to come next Wednesday. It does not take him long to rush off a car-load of such horses as he imports for he makes hard-pan prices and gives "the best" for the money. Next Wednesday he will unload as fine a bunch of roadsters, workers and general utility horses as ever struck Woburn, which can be seen at Mr. Cummings's farm, No. 35 Cambridge st., this city.

— At the regular monthly meeting of the Co-operative Bank which will occur on next Thursday evening, May 14, there will be offered for sale, so Treasurer Whitcher informs the JOURNAL, $3000, to purchase which a plenty of people probably stand ready. The Treasurer further says that every one of the 400 shares of the 9th series has been sold; and also that there was a net gain of the Bank's membership during the month of April last of 37, the total number of shareholders being at the present time 420. These figures indicate a very successful financial career from its organization to the present time, due entirely to the excellent practical manner in which it has been managed.

— The floral procession and exercises of the pupils of St. John's Parochial School at St. Charles church last Sunday afternoon was a very pretty affair indeed. The juvenile procession marched from the school-rooms to the church where the boys and girl, paraded in the isles, presented a nice appearance. Rev. Fr. Slattery delivered an appropriate address, there were recitations by pupils, fine music, and a march back to the school. The rain was a little against the children but they had a nice time nevertheless. The school gave a May-day party on the Friday previous and enjoyed it very much. The teachers know how to interest their pupils and make them happy.

— *Once A Week* for May 5 contains a portrait and biographical sketch of Mrs. Hannah Winship Boutelle of Defiance, Ohio, who was 100 years old on March 25 last. She was born in Woburn, Mass., and her maiden name was Hannah Winship. She married John Boutelle on Oct. 21, 1812; they moved to Little Valley, N. Y., in 1833; to Atlanta, Ga., in 1855, where Gen. Sherman left them unmolested on account of their loyalty to the old flag. Mr. Boutelle died in 1865, soon after which the subject of the sketch moved to Ohio and has lived there ever since. What Woburn people know anything of Hannah Winship, or John Boutelle?

— Mr. John R. Carter and wife returned from their Western trip last Friday night, as previously announced in the JOURNAL, and proceeded to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill, No. 3 Prospect street, where it was their purpose to remain until their future residence on Winn street was got into proper condition for their reception and occupation. They had been away several months during which period they visited many interesting sections of the Union, including Texas and other Southern States, many points of note on the Pacific coast, spending considerable time in the chief cities of California. They enjoyed the journey through and amid new scenes and their protracted visit on the other side of the Rocky Mountains very much. We have heard that Mr. and Mrs. Carter were favored with excellent health while away and that nothing occurred to seriously interrupt a cantinuous season of great pleasure and enjoyment. Many friends gave them a warm welcome on their return to this city.

— The JOURNAL has more than once or a half dozen times asked the manufacturers of this city whose counting-rooms are in Boston and who consequently buy their postoffice supplies in that city to consider for a moment how much they might add to the revenues of their home office and thus indirectly benefit the city by taking their post-office patronage from Boston and giving it to Woburn. Doing a large business the amount of supplies which our manufacturers buy during the year is represented by big figures. Alone it would make a very pretty plum for the incumbent of our office; and not only in this light had the matter ought to be viewed, but local pride and loyalty to the old town and new city ought to induce every inhabitant to patronize home institutions and industries, and especially the home postoffice. It is more than probable that if our manufacturers whose stores and counting-rooms are in Boston would stop and think of this thing for a moment they would withdraw their patronage from Boston and bestow it when it legitimately belongs. They mean all right but don't think about it. Will they not turn the matter over in their minds and change their present practice in this respect?

— A few words on the subject of gas stoves for domestic use may not be out of place in this issue of the JOURNAL as a companion-piece to what Mr. Monks, the Treasurer of the Woburn Gaslight Co., has taken a whole column to say on the subject. It does not require any more elucidation than that afforded by Mr. Monks's contribution, especially when the splendid backing he has from the ladies of Woburn is taken into account. The people whose names are attached to the certificate commending the gas stove for household purposes are intelligent and honest, therefore the facts they recite can be relied on as perfectly straight and correct. The consideration that deters many people from ordering of the Woburn Gaslight Co. a gas cooking stove is the cost of running it. This oughtn't to be so, for the cost is extremely low and the addition which it makes to the regular gas bill for illumination is hardly felt by those who use the stoves. In the summer season, for cooking, heating water, ironing and other such purposes, the use of the gas stove costs less than that of the range. Even in the winter, when the kitchen fire is always going, the thrifty housewife frequently employs the gas stove in preparing breakfast and tea. After using it one is really surprised to find out how cheap it is to run it, and how much more satisfactory in every respect it is than they had any idea of.

Mothers and nurses should always remember that disappointment never attends the use of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Price only 25 cents.

No wonder people say the climate is changing, with all the queer weather we are having lately, and to be free from catarrh is a privilege. We have, however an excellent remedy for this ailment, Old Saul's Catarrh Cure.

I. O. O. F.

Last Wednesday morning when the 9 o'clock train arrived here from Boston wonder and surprise on our streets was caused by the great influx of fine looking ladies wearing unfamiliar faces and evidently attired in holiday garbs who were soon seen wending their way in bevies, groups, small knots, pairs and singly towards Lyceum Hall, through the portals of which edifice they were soon lost to view. The cause of this extraordinary inflow of ladies was the holding of the 11th Conference of the Daughters of Rebekah, to attend which delegates came from almost everywhere. It was said to have been a very satisfactory gathering.

The exercises were varied and entertaining, consisting in part of: Introduction of Grand Officers and Guests; Welcome by Augusta Corbett in behalf of Hope Lodge; stirring Speeches; election of Officers; Exemplification of Work, Music, etc. Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside contributed two appropriate Odes, and Hardy of Arlington provided a fine supper for all hands.

General Muster.

To-morrow will be general muster day at Lynn of the Second Mass. School Regiment to which the W. H. S. B. belong, at which a great military display and grand time are confidently looked for. A committee from the Woburn City government, all or a part of the School Board, Drill-master Mendum, many relatives of the boys, base-ball clubs, and citizens generally will attend if the weather is propitious, and they will go with the expectation that our own Battalion will carry off the grand prize. The boys have been successful in securing funds from exhibition drills etc. to defray their expenses for the Lynn field-day, but a little more money would be found very handy by them therefore it wouldn't be a bad plan at all for the people to chip in and give them a pecuniary lift. The Battalion is a credit to our High School and city, and it is clearly a duty of the public to give them aid and assistance as the same may be needed. The boys ask no odds of anybody on this score, being self-reliant and self-supporting, but let it be remembered that a boost now and then wouldn't hurt them any.

Board of Trade.

The following sub-committees have been appointed: Membership, Alexander Grant, F. H. Lewis, Frederick A. Flint, Winthrop Hammond, Horace N. Conn, Charles M. Strout, Fred J. Briggs; Finance, Joseph B. McDonald, Winthrop Hammond, George Buchanan; Business, Horace N. Conn, Lawrence Reade, Charles E. Eaton, A. N. Webster, George F. Hosmer, E. B. Parkhurst, Fred E. Lovell; Printing, Fred H. Lewis, G. F. Hosmer, W. N. Titus; Legislation, W. N. Titus, James Skinner, Alexander Grant, J. I. Monroe, John G. Maguire; Public Improvements, B. F. Whittemore, C. M. Strout, J. M. Ellis, C. F. Jones, A. B. Wyman, A. W. Whitcher; H. L. Richardson; Railroads and Transportation, James Skinner, F. H. Lewis, J. B. McDonald, George Buchanan, A. Grant; Lective, A. Grant; S. F. Trull, H. W. Deans, Dr. C. E. Chase.

The matter of incorporation was referred to another committee.

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The Banquet.

The history of the Woburn Board of Trade for 1890-'91 closed on last week Thursday night in a blaze of glory. In other words, it ended with the finest party, best music, more inviting banquet, and happier social intercourse, not to mention the speeches, than the Board has ever before given or enjoyed.

The management of the closing ceremonies of the official year, including the welcoming speech and presiding at the annual banquet, always devolves on the retiring President, and it was observed by everyone how gracefully ex-President George Buchanan discharged the delicate duties of the position, and how easy and at-home-like he made everybody feel. The functions of the new presiding officer were likewise well performed by Mr. Alexander Grant.

Mayor Bean's after-dinner speech was a happy oratorical effort. He is a very pleasant talker on such occasions—bright, lively and interesting. The speeches were all good, to the point, and entertaining, and none more so than Gov. Russell's, and Pres't Buchanan's. Rev. H. C. Parker of the Unitarian church conducted the religious exercises. Miss Grace Whittemore of Ashley Hall sang some songs sweetly, and Prof. F. H. Lewis's performances on the pianoforte added much to the postprandial enjoyments. Of course, as the best wine needs no bush neither is it necessary to say that the Woburn Orchestra contributed much to the pleasure of the occasion. Dr. George H. Clarke, a member of the famous Ruggles Street Male Quartet, rendered "The Old Street Lamp" most charmingly.

Thus everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner to everyone connected with the Banquet and as we said before, the history of the Board for 1890-91 closed in a blaze of glory.

The following were some of the prominent citizens present:

President Buchanan, and wife, Mr. L. Thompson and wife, Col. W. T. Grammer, Mr. E. F. Blank and wife, Mr. J. Skinner and wife, Mr. S. W. Mendum, Maj. Ambrose Bancroft, Mr. C. D. Adams, Alderman Pushee and wife, Mr. Clarence A. Pierce, Miss Pushee, Mr. D. W. Brown, and wife, Alderman Davis and wife, Mr. J. F. Ramsdell and wife, Miss Edith Ramsdell, Mr. M. Bancroft and wife, Alderman Ham and wife, Mr. W. Hammond and wife, Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, Mr. Frank B. Dodge and wife, Dr. D. F. Murphy, Mr. P. J. Goodrich, Mr. Herbert I. Richardson, Mr. G. Kimball, Dr. Conway and wife, Mr. F. H. Lewis, Mr. E. B. Parkhurst and wife, Mr. E. J. Gregory, Mr. F. E. Lovell, Mr. B. F. Whittemore and wife, Mr. H. N. Conn and wife, Miss Whittemore, Mr. George Hudson, Mr. R. P. Turnbull, Mr. F. H. Elliot and wife, Judge Converse and wife, Dr. Chase and wife, Mr. C. H. Delano, Mr. Chas. Fitz, Dr. J. H. Hutchings, Miss Mamie Parker, Dr. Springer, Mr. John C. Nichols, Mr. M. Hayward and wife, Senator Wyer and wife, Mr. A. V. Haynes and wife, Mr. F. C. Nichols and wife, Mr. F. E. Wetherell and wife, Mr. W. J. Delorica, Miss Delorica, Mr. Frederic A. Flint, Dr. Scantlebury, Mr. M. J. Walsh and wife, Mr. S. Horton and wife, Mr. C. M. Munroe and wife, Mr. W. W. Hill, and wife, Mr. Thomas Salmon, Dr. Chalmers and wife, Mr. E. A. Dow and wife, Mr. R. Duncan and wife, Mr. E. C. Cottle and wife, Mr. C. M. Strout and wife, Mr. Fred McDonald, Rev. Henry C. Parker, Mr. R. Carton and wife, Rev. Hugh Montgomery and wife, Dr. James Madigan, Mr. E. C. Colman and wife, Mr. Alex. Grant, Mr. Thomas Cannon, Mr. George Hartshorn, Mr. J. Lynch and wife, Councilman O'Donnell, Dr. Blake and wife, Mr. H. Deans, Mr. Fish, Mr. L. A. Sylvestor, Mr. A. R. Linscott, Mr. John Brauer, Mr. John Duncan, Jr., Miss Duncan, Mr. James M. Kimball, Mr. Albert F. Converse, Mr. James Marrinan, Mr. A. N. Webster and wife, Mr. P. McGowan and wife.

A call on Mrs. C. P. Lacoste 62 Pleasant street will result in seeing some of the best property in Malden, either for rent or for sale.

Kem Kom—The Coal Saver.

We have received a copy of a pamphlet issued by the Standard Coal and Fuel Company of Boston, setting forth the wonderful qualities of this chemical compound prepared and sold by them, to wit:

It saves twenty-five per cent of the coal.

It makes a quick, ready fire with any kind of coal. It reduces the quantity of ashes and dust, and consumes the soot and smoke.

It will cause a furnace to give more heat with the dampers closed than with them open.

It destroys all poisonous coal gasses, and protects the family of the consumer against all diseases of the throat, lungs, headache, etc., which are occasioned by such gases.

This compound is now in use on the New York & New England Railroad upon all their locomotives, and the superior qualities claimed for it are fully sustained by those who have used it. One barrel of this compound, containing four hundred pounds, costs twenty (20) dollars, and when used under the most favorable conditions will effect a saving of $125. Mr. Herbert Radclyffe, the former Secretary of the Home Market Club, is the agent for this preparation. He regards Kem Kom as capable of rendering the greatest possible service to all consumers by reducing their coal bills.

Those interested should write to him, Agent Standard Coal and Fuel Co., Equitable Building, Boston.

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the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.

Dr. Munhall's Meetings.

After a preaching, praying and exhorting service of nearly two weeks at the Methodist and Congregational churches in this city, Dr. Munhall of Philadelphia, the eminent evangelist and (under God) successful revivalist, closed his meetings on last Friday evening and departed on Saturday for new and more promising fields for evangelistic work. He left just at the moment when, to all human appearances, a great reformation was all ready to burst forth, and although he felt that such was the fact, and although he would have been glad to have remained a week longer, there were reasons (which ought not to have existed) which compelled him to leave when he did. Of course, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, the sweetest and best revival singers ever heard anywhere, went with the Doctor.

But Dr. Munhall's mission here was very far from being a failure. There was a great deal more accomplished by his labor than was generally imagined because so little hue-and-cry was indulged in over the many souls saved. In all, 160 persons arose in the meetings, proclaimed their desire and intention of becoming Christians, gave in their names for record, and designated the church which they preferred to become members of. Many others solicited the prayers of Christians. Now, we suppose anyone who has got real, genuine religion in his heart will not hesitate to say that the winning of only one soul to Christ would be worth a million times more than Dr. Munhall's and Mr. and Mrs. Lowe's services cost here. The value of one human soul can't be measured in dollars and cents, and yet under Dr. Munhall's preaching, praying and exhorting during the two weeks he was here, supplemented by the gospel songs of the Lowes, 160 people were converted and that number of souls saved! It was mete then that the Christian people in the Woburn churches should adopt the following resolution when the evangelists left here last Friday night:

Resolved, That the thanks of the committee and of the united churches are tendered to Dr. L. W. Munhall and Mr. and Mrs. Lowe for their labors with us for the past two weeks. While parting with them with regret, we desire to record our appreciation of Dr. Munhall as a faithful soldier of Jesus Christ, whose clear interpretation of Scripture, and whose marvellous familiarity with its word and truth, have been a delight and a refreshment to our souls. The tender spiritual songs of Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, and their devotion in service in behalf of the children, have greatly endeared them to us, and we wish for all these servants of God a great and increasing success in their work, and an abundant entrance into the heavenly kingdom.

The Woman's Club.

Mrs. Annie Sawyer Downs of Andover lectured before the Woburn Woman's Club on Friday afternoon, May 1. Her subject, "A Tour in Kentucky including Mammoth Cave," was presented in her own delightful way and it contained much valuable information. In the mountains of Kentucky yet exist heroes and heroines of unwritten books. Mrs. Downs's descriptions of Louisville, of Ashland—the home of Henry Clay; of Lexington—named in honor of that town where was shed the first blood of the American Revolution; of Frankfort—full of memories of Aaron Burr—were graphic. The schools for the colored people of Kentucky are commendable institutions.

In Kentucky the colored people and the white people occupy the same cars, attend concerts in common, and the privileges granted the colored people are almost as many as the white people enjoy. Her curiosity to visit the Mammoth Cave was stimulated by the many inquiries concerning it she received while traveling abroad, from Europeans who evince as much interest in this cave, in Plymouth Rock, and in Niagara, as we do in the Alps. The hotel for tourists is built over a portion of the cave and is in every way uncomfortable. The guides are many and they present a pitiful sight wound about with rags and tatters. Mammoth Cave is situated almost close to the Tennessee line and it is thought to be the largest of the five hundred caves in close proximity. The Cave was discovered in 1809, all by chance. As a Mr. Hutchings was in hot pursuit of a bear he came upon the cave which he purchased for forty dollars. This cavern contains three hundred and fifty explored passages and it has two hundred and fifty miles of dark avenues. Here has preached Henry Ward Beecher, here is a Washington Hall—so named by Lafayette; here has burst into song the voice of Jenny Lind, and many other people of note have rejoiced in the wonders of the Cave and increased its fame.

In this Cave a young man was lost, who was discovered after three days so exhausted bodily and disturbed mentally that he passed the rest of his life in an asylum for the insane. There is little danger now of being lost for strict precaution is taken to prevent accidents. In summer and in winter the temperature is 55 degrees. A curtain of mist—the result of the difference in temperature between the cave and the outside world—is drawn over the inside entrance. In form, the cave resembles a large winding river that is constantly being fed by tributaries which in turn are fed by creeks and brooks of varying lengths.

The Star Chamber is a chamber of wonders; its ceiling seemingly studded with brilliant stars is a most exquisite optical illusion caused by the white efflorescence of sulphate of soda.—G. M. B.

Will Not be Reinstated.

Capt. William C. Parker of Company G, 5th Infantry (Mechanic Phalanx), of this city, has received the following:

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
May. 2, 1891.

Dear Sir: I am directed to inform you that the petitioners before the recent hearing by the Judge Advocate-General have been notified by the Commander-in-Chief that, upon the report of the Judge Advocate-General in the hearing referred to, he can see no reason for any action on his part. Respectfully, SAMUEL DALTON, Adjutant-General.

The petitioners were William J. Brown, James Durward, Neil McColgan, three prominent young men and active members who had been discharged by Capt. Parker who requested a hearing and asked to be reinstated.

Capt. Parker says the hearing has covered a period of about two months, and a large number of witnesses have been examined.

For more than a year there has been trouble in the ranks of the Company, and considerable difficulty has been experienced in getting new men to enlist.

The time of ten men will expire before muster, which will occur July 21, and it is said that several members of the Company are talking strongly of joining the Stoneham Company.

It is hoped that Company G will again fall in line with the first-class Companies of citizen soldiery and continue to be the pride of our people as it has been for so many years.

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First-class Hangers furnished.

A Reception and Banquet.

Capt. Luke R. Tidd was very pleasantly remembered last Monday evening by his comrades of Company K, 39 Massachusetts Infantry, the occasion being his sixty-ninth birthday anniversary. It took place at Grand Army hall.

There were present beside Captain Tidd, his friend, the historian of the 39th Regt. Captain Charles H. Porter, ex-Mayor of Quincy; Oscar Persons of Hudson; Ferdinand Spokesfield, Plymouth, N. H.; William P. Brown, Cambridgeport; Charles H. Colgate, Somerville; Joseph W. Garfield, Lynn; Albert S. Leslie, Boston; Micah B. Baldwin, Stoneham, and the following named residents of Woburn: Albert P. Barrett, Alonzo D. Carpenter, Charles K. Conn, Parker L. Eston, George E. Fowle, John Gilcreast, Charles H. Johnson, Andrew R. Linscott, William H. LeBaron, J. Fred Leslie, Timothy Mahoney, Rufus F. Poole, T. Marvin Parker, Newall Z. Tabor, Abijah Thompson, William P. Warren, William Arnold; and Elmore A. Pierce, George S. Hudson, Frank D. Wetherell, press representatives.

For nearly an hour the party divided itself into groups and talked of old times, and at 8 o'clock they set down to a banquet provided by Caterer Gooding.

This was satisfactorily disposed, when Comrade Abijah Thompson who presided, called the party to order, spoke a word of welcome, and, after referring happily to the guest of the evening, introduced Comrade Porter, who explained some of the details of the war, and answered numerous questions.

Comrade Andrew R. Linscott was called on and taking position at the side of Capt. Tidd addressed him, referring to the experiences of the war, and alluding to the fact that the guest always had the affections of his command.

He then presented him a beautiful gold headed cane, suitably inscribed, the gift of members of his Company.

Capt. Tidd in responding said he was pleased to know that he had the confidence and respect of those who knew him so well as did his comrades in arms. The cane was to him a great surprise and he should use it in a practical way as he was now quite lame, the result of injuries in the service. He thanked all who had contributed in the least to the pleasure of the occasion.

Comrade George E. Fowle developed war reminiscences which elicited interest, and Comrade Orcar Persons of Hudson paid an eloquent tribute to Capt. Tidd and was followed by Comrades Garfield, Barrett, J. Fred Leslie, William P. Brown and others, all making pleasant reference to the guest of the evening.

Some letters from absent comrades were read among them one from General Charles L. Pierson:

BOSTON, May 1, 1891.

ALBERT P. BARRETT,

Dear Sir:—I regret very much that I shall be in New York and therefore unable to be present with you to do honor to our comrade and friend, Capt. Tidd, by celebrating his 69th birthday. We honor ourselves when we commemorate any birthday of so good a man so faithful a soldier and so valuable a citizen as Luke R. Tidd. Joining you in all the pleasant things that you will say to Capt. Tidd on this occasion and wishing him and all my friends of Co. K many happy returns of all their birthdays, I am

Faithfully Yours,
CHARLES L. PIERSON.

It was a late hour when the comrades dispersed to their homes, and all pronounced the occasion one of the most pleasant ever held by them.

Mrs. C. P. Lacoste 62 Pleasant St., Malden, has reason to be proud of the success she has achieved in the real estate business.

Woburn Equal Suffrage League.

The regular monthly meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. parlor Monday evening. There was a good attendance of members. Mrs. C. M Murdock gave a comprehensive account of the progress of women during the month. It was a model report of its kind. Mrs. Lucy E. B. Converse gave an interesting paper on the National Council of Women recently convened at Washington. The members of the League certainly felt grateful to Mrs. Converse for giving them such an excellent account of the sayings and doings of that wonderful body of women.

Mrs B. A. Stearns then read in her own pleasing manner a witty selection from Miss Holley's latest book showing how "Josiah" divided the applications of the Constitution between men and women, giving each a just (?) portion.

The remainder of the time was spent in the study of the "Citizen and Neighbor."

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Burlington.

The Assessors are making their annual tour.

Supt. Rounds and his force of men are busy on the roads this week.

A social dancing party was held at the Town Hall Thursday evening April 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reed will soon come to their summer residence here for the season.

Mr. Fred F. Walker and Miss Bertha Wood were married April 29, and have taken up their residence in Burlington at the farm formerly owned by Mr. Walker's father. Mr. Walker promises to make one of our most successful farmers. Our hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walker.

At the adjourned Town Meeting Saturday evening the Selectmen reported that owing to the death of Mr. George Skelton the owner of a part of the land proposed to be bought for the enlargement of the cemetery they had been unable to do anything in the matter. It was voted that they proceed to take further action and report at the November meeting.

A beautiful piece of sculpture from ancient Ephesus has reached the British Museum. The relic forms part of a marble bull, the head being exquisitely carved, while the figure of a goddess appears on the body. It is supposed to be 2000 years old.

A healthy, robust child has a better chance of escaping or of resisting disease than a sickly one. It is therefore the duty of every mother to obtain such a food as will insure the life and health of her little one. Mellin's Food promotes in infants a healthy growth, a full development and a vigorous constitution.

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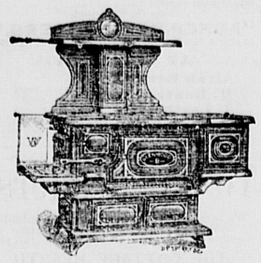

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The eminent Lexington Lecturer will address the people of Woburn on

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IN THE VESTRY OF

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— ON —

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Tickets, - 15 cents.

For sale at the stores of C. Willard Smith and G. R. Gage & Co.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors and all others interested in the Estate of Julia A. Taylor, late of Wilmington in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George L. Taylor of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May instant at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same;

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

CANADIAN HORSES,

Wednesday Next, May 13,

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Will receive his 3d CAR-LOAD of firstclass Canadian Horses within 3 weeks, which will be offered for sale at

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CITY OF WOBURN.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, }
Municipal Building, April 14, 1891. }

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Public Statutes, that Frederic B. Leeds has made an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors of the sixth class, as a druggist, at No. 15 Pleasant St., on first floor and stock in cellar of said building.

DAVID F. MORELAND, City Clerk.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Bond, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Bond, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estates of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks, successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

WOBURN

Co-operative Bank.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A Special Meeting of the Corporation will be held in the BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS, Dow's Block, on

Thursday, May 14, 1891,

At 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of electing a Vice President, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Buchanan; and to transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

A. W. WHITCHER, Secretary.

Executors' Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. George M. Brooks, Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, we shall sell at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the twentieth day of May, A. D. 1891, on the several premises, and at the several times as hereinafter mentioned, the following described lots of real estate, all situated in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., in that part thereof called "North Woburn," such sales to be made for the payment of the debts against the estate of Abigail Winn, late of said Woburn, deceased; the legacies given by her will; and the charges of administration of settling her estate, viz:

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, the Homestead, consisting of a lot of land containing about 36,820 square feet, with the fine dwelling-house and stable thereon, situated at the corner of Main and School streets, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, at the corner of said Main and School streets, the line runs north 9° 30' west, on and by said Main street about one hundred and six and nine-tenths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by said Main street, about eighty-five and five-tenths feet to land late of Printice S. Barnard, deceased; thence turning to the right, the line runs north 84° east, by land last named, about two hundred and eighty-three and seven-tenths feet to land of Joseph B. McDonald; thence turning to the right the line runs south 12° east, by land of said McDonald, about ninety-nine and eight-tenths feet to a corner; thence turning to the right, the line runs westerly by land late of said Barnard and land of Charles Buck, about seventy-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by land of said Buck, about twelve feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the right, the line runs westerly by land of said Buck and land of Hartly J. Tarr, about one hundred and thirteen feet to a corner; thence turning to the right, the line runs south 7° 30' east, by land of said Tarr, about eighty and seven-tenths feet to said School street; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 78° 10' west, on and by said School street, about ninety-one and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about seven thousand nine hundred and fifteen square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Main street, adjoining land of the North Congregational Church, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on said Main steet, at land of said Church, the line runs south 78° west, by land of said Church, about one hundred and five feet to land of the Rumford Association; thence the line runs north 25° 30' west, by land last named, about fifty-nine and eighty-five one-hundredths feet to Minot street; thence north 76° 30' east, on and by said Minot street, about one hundred and thirty-one and one-half feet to said Main street; thence south 2° 40' east, on and by said Main street, about seventy-eight feet to the point of beginning.

At thirty minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about four thousand five hundred and four square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Poole street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southerly corner of the premises, on said Poole street, at land of James Murray; thence the line runs north 32° 34' west, on and by said Poole street, forty-five feet to a stake; thence north 58° east, by other land of said Winn estate, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to a stake at land late of Alfred Eaton, deceased; thence south 32° east, by land last named, forty-five feet to land of said Murray; thence south 58° 30' west, by land of said Murray, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the condition set forth in a deed of Alfred Eaton to said Abigail Winn, dated January 24, A. D. 1876, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1383, Page 13, viz:—"That no building shall ever be erected or stand on said lot within fifteen feet of said Poole street."

At forty-five minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about five thousand eight hundred and sixty-six square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of said Poole street, and bounded as follows, viz—Beginning at the westerly corner of the premises, on said street, at land of John Connolly; thence the line runs north 58° east, by land of said Connolly, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to land late of Alfred Eaton, deceased; thence south 32° east, by land last named, fifty-eight and one-half feet to a stake; thence south 58° west, by other land of said Winn estate, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to said Poole street; thence north 32° 34' west, on and by said Poole street, fifty-eight and seven-tenths feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the condition set forth in a deed of Alfred Eaton to said Abigail Winn, dated January 24, 1876, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1383, Page 13, viz—"That no building shall ever be erected or stand on said lot within fifteen feet of said Poole street."

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Executors of Will of Abigail Winn.

Woburn, April 30, 1891.

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ATTENTION

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Now that the Spring has returned it is time once again to have your Clothing cleaned, repaired, pressed, dyed and made to look as good as new at L. F. Burd's old reliable stand, 34 Winn St. Kid Glove cleansing a specialty, also, Ribbons Laces, and Neckties. Clothing cut and made. Pants made to order. Second-hand Clothing bought and sold.

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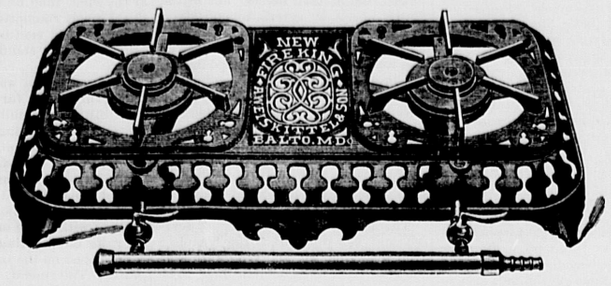

— AND — HEATING.

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" A. B. Barrett,
" Wm. N. Titus,
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" E. A. Wood,
" J. W. Johnson,
" Benj. Hinckley,
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" C. A. Jones,
" Jacob Brown,
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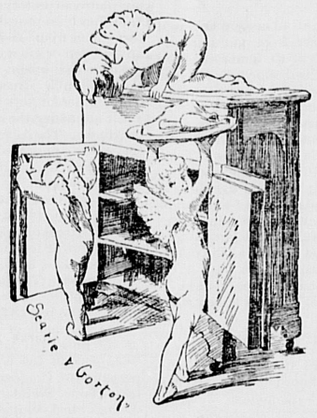

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ISRAEL'S FALL FORETOLD

LESSON VI, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MAY 10.

Text of the Lesson, Amos viii, 1-14. Commit Verses, 11, 12—Golden Text, Luke viii, 18—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "Thus hath the Lord God shewed unto me, and behold a basket of summer fruit."

In our last lesson we heard Jehovah reminding Israel of the many ways in which He had sought to win them back to Himself. In chapter v, 4, 6, 14, 15, they are repeatedly entreated to seek Him and live. Then they are warned of the day of the Lord and its terrors, yet they conspire against the prophet Amos and refuse to hear his words (vii, 10-13). Now, in a vision, the nation is shown to the prophet as a basket of ripe fruit, ready to be consumed; they will not be warned and therefore judgment must come.

2. "Then said the Lord unto me, The end is come upon my people of Israel; I will not again pass by them any more."

Similar words are found in chapter vii, 8, and in Ezek. vii, 2, 3. Long and patiently He forbears, and lovingly seeks in every way to win them back, but there is a point where mercy stops and judgment must fall.

3. "And the songs of the temple shall be howling in that day, saith the Lord God; many dead bodies in every place; they shall cast them forth with silence."

In Isa. xiii, 6-9, and in many other places howling is associated with the Day of the Lord, and the expression "in that day" found in this verse and in verses 9 and 13 also signifies the Day of the Lord (Isa. ii, 11, 12). The Great Day of the Lord is yet future, and is everywhere associated with judgments upon the ungodly and deliverance for the faithful remnant (see Isa. xxxiv, 8; xxxv, 4; lxiii, 4). But the approaching judgment in the days of Amos was a foreshadowing of the Great Day yet future.

4. "Hear this, O ye that swallow up the needy, even to make the poor of the land to fail."

They were panting for the goods of the poor, that they might fall out of the land. They are described in Prov. xxx, 14, as "a generation whose teeth are as swords, and their jaw teeth as knives, to devour the poor from off the earth, and the needy from among men."

5. "Saying, When will the new moon be gone, that we may sell corn? and the Sabbath that we may set forth wheat,"

They outwardly kept these days religiously, but all the time their hearts were longing for the business of the morrow.

"Making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit."

Not only were market days better to them than Sabbaths, but they were full of deceit even in business, giving their purchasers short weight and taking from them more than was due. Not scrupling to cheat God out of His appointed worship, they found no difficulty in cheating their fellowman.

6. "That we may buy the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of shoes, and sell the refuse of the wheat."

Compelling the needy to sell themselves as slaves and eat refuse corn. They sold the righteous for silver and the poor for a pair of shoes (chap. ii, 6). They had no heart for God or His commands or His poor.

7. "The Lord hath sworn by the excellency of Jacob, Surely I will never forget any of their works."

"He will remember their iniquity and visit their sins." "The sin of Judah is written with a pen of iron, and with the point of a diamond" (Hos. viii, 13; Jer xvii, 1).

8. "Shall not the land tremble for this, and every one mourn that dwelleth therein? And it shall rise up wholly as a flood, and it shall be cast out and drowned, as by the flood of Egypt."

This shaking world would be great and sore, but nothing when compared with the great shaking of heaven, earth, sea, dry land and all nations in the day of the Lord (Hag. ii, 6-7, Heb. xii, 26).

9. "And it shall come to pass in that day, saith the Lord God, that I will cause the sun to go down at noon, and I will darken the earth in the clear day."

The physical signs shall happen as accompaniments and intensifications of the awful state of things which the description typifies.

10. "And I will turn your feasts into mourning, and all your songs into lamentation."

The mourning, lamentation, sackcloth, baldness and bitterness of this verse all indicate the great judgment that would overtake them because of their sins.

11. "Behold, the days come, saith the Lord God, that I will send a famine in the land; not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the Lord."

Multitudes in our day would not worry much over that kind of a famine. It was just so in Israel.

12. "And they shall wander from sea to sea, and from the north even to the east; they shall run to and fro to seek the Word of the Lord, and shall not find it."

Blessings lost are apt to be prized when it is too late.

13. "In that day shall the fair virgins and young men faint for thirst."

This is the third reference in our lesson to "that day." In chapter ix, 11-15, observe how it is associated with the national restoration, never again to be broken up, but before that there will be the great tribulation of Jer. xxx, 7; Dan. xii, 1. The sufferings of the captivity were foreshadowings of the time here spoken of as "that day." The fainting for thirst will be because of continued impenitence, for in Isa. xli, 17, it is written, "When the poor and needy seek water, and there is none, and their tongue faileth for thirst, I, the Lord, will hear them; I, the God of Israel, will not forsake them."

In Lam. i, 15; ii, 21, He speaks of His people as young men and virgins.

14. "They that swear by the sin of Samaria, and say, Thy God, O Dan, liveth; and, The manner of Beersheba liveth; even they shall fall, and never rise up again."

In Deut. ix, 21, the golden calf which Aaron made is called Israel's sin. The calves of Jeroboam at Dan and Bethel were also Israel's sin, and are here called the sin of Samaria. While there is a great and glorious future for Israel as a nation, all individuals who sin against God and die impenitent, whether Jews or Gentiles, shall surely perish. The only way to have life now, real life consisting of forgiveness of sin and fellowship with God, and be able to look forward with joy to the future, is to be in Christ by simple faith in Him, and, turning away from all idols, abide in Him and in His love. We must take heed lest we in any way by unbelief turn away from the only living and true God.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

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PUBLIC OPINION.

I see him steppin' by to church
A-lookin' pore an' thin,
His collar 'thout a smell o' starch
An' fastened with a pin.
His coat is ripped along the arm—
I jest can't he'p but see;
I want to mend him up, but, sho!
The town 'ud smile at me.
His wife's ben dead two year er more,
An' folks 'ud gossip, fer
He uster go with me afore
He ever went with her.

I dassent sweep his kitchen out
Or send a batch o' bread,
Or neighbor him no way at all
Fer fear o' hevin' said
Thet I'm a-settin' out fer him—
A widower—whilse I
Am older than I was, ertho'
Onlest there's young folks nigh
I look some like I uster look
When he—when love times were.
He uster go with me afore
He ever went with her.

When he was layin' high an' dry
With janders, this gone May,
I never felt right free to ast
Erbout him day by day.
I uster watch the doctor pass,
'N' skrike him fer the news;
An' onct I sent a glass o' jell—
He never 'spicioned whose.
I know he thinks I harbor spite
Agin' him likely, fer
He knows he uster go with me
Afore he went with her.

Ef he should die I'd hev to miss
The tuner'l, like ez not,
Fer folks 'ud watch me close to see
Ef tears was comin' hot.
An' ef I wep' they'd smile an' wink,
An' ef my eyes was dry
They'd 'low thet some folks wouldn' keer
Ef all their kin shud die.
An' ef I didn't go at all
They'd jedge I dassent, fer
They know he uster go with me
Afore he went with her.
—Eva W. McGlasson in Judge.

He Was a Good Pointer.

In an inward bound Cambridge horse car sat a young lady who carried an oblong pasteboard box. Young ladies with boxes are by no means uncommon in Cambridge cars, but what attracted attention to this particular one was the singular persistency of a pointer dog that had smuggled himself into the car. With head and tail in a straight line, with one paw raised and with attention expressed in every line of his motionless body, the dog pointed to the young lady. The dog's master, who at first did not notice his queer actions, whistled to him and commanded him to come to him. The dog looked round at his master, wagged his tail and immediately resumed his pointing.

"I am sorry my dog is annoying you, miss," said the master. "Come here, Sport! I don't see what makes him act so."

"He isn't annoying me at all," responded the young lady; "but he'd feel awfully sold if he knew he was 'pointing' a dead bird. I've got a parrot in this box. I'm taking it into Boston to have it stuffed."

All the way into Boston the dog pointed the dead parrot with a persistency worthy of the finest partridge that was ever flushed.—Boston Transcript.

The Charge Was Unjust.

A young French advocate, in the course of his address to the court, flourished about his hand in such a manner as to show off a magnificent diamond ring. He was young, good looking and pleading for a lady of quality, who demanded a separation from her husband. The husband, who happened to be present, interrupted him in the middle of a period, and, turning to the judges, exclaimed theatrically, "My lords, you will appreciate the zeal which M. M—— is displaying against me, and the sincerity of his argument, when you are informed that the diamond ring he wears is the very one which I placed on my wife's finger on the day of that union he is so anxious to dissolve."

"The court," said M. Berryer, who relates the story, "was struck, and rose immediately. The cause was lost, and the advocate never had another. To add to the poignancy of the catastrophe, the husband's insinuations had no foundation in fact."—San Francisco Argonaut.

The Mesozoic and the Tertiary Epochs.

The so called mesozoic epoch was brought to a close by the cataclysm, due to contraction and consequent crumbling of the earth's crust, which upheaved the Rocky mountains and Andes on this hemisphere and the Alps, Pyrenees, Balkans and Himalayas on the other side of the world. Incidentally to this tremendous alteration in the face of the earth all the giant reptiles were wiped out of existence. This event opened what is called today the tertiary epoch. It is in the tertiary epoch that we live now. At the beginning of this epoch the only reptiles which survived were the snakes, lizards, turtles and crocodiles, all of them resembling closely those of their kind which exist today.—Professor Cope in Washington Star.

Literary and Intellectual.

Carl is a shrewd observer and something of a philosopher as well, as you will see from the following choice bit of discrimination:

"Papa," he said to his father one day, after scanning reflectively his father's scholarly face, "papa, are you a literary man or an intellectual man?"

"What do you call an intellectual man, and what is a literary man?" asked the father.

"Well," said Master Carl, thinking it out slowly as he went along, "a literary man is a man who writes, and an intellectual man is a man who thinks."

Which is often sadly true, the more's the pity.—New York Evening Sun.

Look Out for the Menagerie.

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It is cheering news that the per cent of gain in public school enrollment in the Southern States during the last decade has outstripped the gain in population. The Democratic party cannot long withstand this kind of thing.

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INCREASE OF BLINDNESS.

The Loss of Sight Is Often Due to the Neglect of Parents and Nurses.

"The latest statistics show that blindness is on the increase in the United States," says Dr. Guernsey. "This increase in New York state is attributable to the failure of carrying out the law which requires midwives to report to the board of health all cases of blennorrhea in new born children. In fact the law is a dead letter, which is a great pity, because in the asylums for the blind there are more people who have become blind from having been neglected when infants than from any other cause. This purulent inflammation of the infant's eyes, which is so often neglected by the poor, is bad for everybody in the house, owing to its decidedly infectious character.

"Children should not be admitted to schools if they have any contageous disease of the eye, to detect which requires expert examination, for it cannot always be seen; for example, granular lids contain an infectious secretion. Just as children in the public schools are required to show a certificate of vaccination before they can gain admission, so should children likewise be required to prove that the condition of their eyes is not such as to endanger the eyes of their little comrades.

"Most persons are born far sighted; some remain so throughout life; the sight of others becomes normal, and still others become near sighted. Americans as a class are not so near sighted as people of older civilizations. The Germans are the most near sighted people, probably because they study the most and with the poorest light. There are at best very few normal eyes—we are all of us generally either near sighted or far sighted. Color blindness is at times congenital, in which case it is incurable, but color blindness may be acquired later in life, and then it yields to treatment. Statistics show that about 4 per cent. of all men are color blind, but only 2 per cent. of all women.

"Too great care cannot be exercised in the marine service and in the railroad service not to employ the color blind, for their inability to distinguish green from red causes them to confound the danger signal, to the great danger of the traveling public.

"I want to enter my protest against badly lighted horse cars, in which reading is both difficult and dangerous. In traveling by rail I do not think that much harm is ordinarily done to the eyes by reading unless the car shakes a good deal. When the jolting movement is easy it is rhythmical, so to speak, and you can almost foresee each jolt and adapt yourself to it. It is too much of a hardship to forbid reading in the cars, unless the road is very shaky.

"Those who travel an hour a day should not be debarred from informing themselves of what is going on in the world. And the same may be said about reading by artificial light in our homes. Of course it is much better for the eyes to read during the day; nobody can deny that. But it will not do to lay down a hard and fast rule not to read at all at night.

"We must take some risk; we can't put ourselves under glass cases. It is with the eye as it is with everything else. If the body is sound and the eye is good I can see no objection to reading moderately at night under a good light. How many people do their best work at night when everything is quiet in the house and they are not disturbed."—Epoch.

The Literary Traitor.

If a clever writer exposes to public ridicule private persons whose likenesses are unmistakable, and whom he is able to draw only because he is their friend, he is a social traitor, a dishonorable man, who deserves to be sent to Coventry quite as much as a man who cheats at cards. Literary talent of this kind is open to immense abuse.

Drawing a portrait which is at once recognized by the circle which is familiar with the original, the artist may weave into the woof of his tale incidents not improbable, and with skill introduce situations which are essentially compromising.

It is a peculiarly malignant treachery, and although no honorable writer can be guilty of it it is an offense sure to be perpetual. The blow is one of masked cruelty; it is poison in a precious ring.—George William Curtis in Harper's.

The Laureate's Dread of Being Mobbed.

Apprehension of being mobbed by the "profane vulgar" amounts, as is well known, almost to monomania with the Poet Laureate. Many good stories are told in illustration of this weakness of his. One of the best of them will perhaps bear repetition.

Lord Tennyson was taking a country walk with a friend, when a fellow creature was espied in the distance. "We must turn back," said the poet, "that fellow means to waylay us." His companion persuaded him, however, to continue on their path. They caught up to the enemy and passed him. He took no notice of them whatever. "What an extraordinary thing!" cried the irate poet; "the fellow seems to have no idea who I am!"—London Tit-Bits.

The Suez canal has a waterway of eighty-eight miles, of which sixty-six miles were made by cuttings and the remainder through existing lakes, which only required deepening by dredging. It is twenty-eight feet deep, with a width of 229 feet at the bottom. The total cost was £17,518,729.

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WHAT THE FRESH AIR FUND DOES.

Though Children Go Back to a Life of Squalor They Never Forget the Trip.

Is there in the fortnight's outing for the poor anything more than a merely pleasant holiday? What good can accrue from taking a child out of its wretched home, and after two weeks of comfort and decent living sending it back to its old surroundings? One minister writes: "It will only make the child discontented with the surroundings where God placed him."

I contend that a great gain has been made, if you can only succeed in making the tenement house child thoroughly discontented with his lot. There is some hope then of his getting out of it and rising to a higher plane. The new life he sees in the country, the contact with good people, not at arm's length, but in their homes; not at the dinner, feast or entertainment given to him while the giver stands by and looks down to see how he enjoys it, and remarks on his forlorn appearance, but brought into the family and given a seat at the table, where as one boy wrote home, "I can have two pieces of pie if I want, and nobody says nothing if I take three pieces of cake;" or as a little girl reported, where "we have lots to eat, and so much to eat that we could not tell you how much we get to eat."

This is quite a different kind of service, and has resulted in the complete transformation of many a child. It has gone back to its wretchedness, to be sure, but in hundreds of instances about which I have personally known it has returned with head and heart full of new ways, new ideas of decent living, and has successfully taught the shiftless parents the better way.

One little girl talked so much of her trip and described the country life in such glowing terms that her father came to inquire where it was his child went, adding, "I should think it was heaven from the way she talks about it."—Rev. Willard Parsons in Scribner's.

Explaining the Case.

Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, who visited America not many years ago, is a man of great ability and wide learning. During his tour through the country he stopped at one capital where he was given a dinner at the expense of the state.

The feast was an abundant one, and all the great men from miles around were invited to it to honor the lord chief justice. His honor had the governor on one side of him at the table, and the lieutenant governor of the state on the other side. As the party sat down the menu cards had already been laid beside their plates. These cards were very fine. They cost twenty-five dollars apiece, and they bore at their heads the state coat of arms, upon which was engraved a motto in Latin.

As Lord Coleridge sat down he took up this card, and looking at the motto, said to the man on his left, "Very good, indeed, and very appropriate."

"What's good?" asked the lieutenant governor.

"I refer to those words," said Lord Coleridge, as he pointed to the motto.

"Yes," replied the lieutenant governor, with a knowing look. "Them words is Latin."—Exchange.

Pleasure of Walking.

There is no need to say that the exercise of walking is good for the deportment. It is incomparably the best kind of motion from this point of view, and the simplest. Though one may be ever so stiff jointed at the outset, after a few miles the stiffness has worn away. Each sinew does its work. One seems to rise an inch or two in height, and the chest swells. How one pities poor fellows who are doomed for their sins, or their father's misdeeds, or their own love of pounds, shillings and pence, or for no reason at all that one can determine—doomed, I say, to sit at desks through the prime of the day!

It is one of the worst of those hard laws which civilization has imposed upon us. The victims may not feel it very much; it is to be hoped they don't. But none the less it seems curious that when the lark—an inferior kind of creature—is choiring away toward the blue in an ecstasy of happiness, man, the lord of creation, is toiling under a plasterer's ceiling some six or eight feet only above his brain pan. —All the Year Round.

The Stockholders' Idea.

Treasurer Below Par Railroad—Let me help you to some more of the money.

First Director—No, thank you, I have all I can spend without attracting attention.

Treasurer—Permit me——

Second Director—No, no! Thanks, no. I couldn't carry another cent. Pockets all bursting now. Same way with all the others.

Treasurer (in despair)—What shall I do with all this pile? It's ten times too much for the sinking fund.

First Director (after deep meditation) —By Jove! I have it. Let's declare a dividend.—New York Weekly.

Cured.

The following is a Chinese joke:

In a certain house there was a baby that annoyed every one by its continual squalling. At last a physician was called in. He administered a bolus of the soothing virtues of which he had a high opinion, and offered to pass the night in the house to observe the effects of his remedy. After a few hours, hearing no noise, he exclaimed, "Good! the child is cured." "Yes," replied the attendant, "the child has indeed stopped crying, but the mother has begun to mourn."

No Other

As good. This is the statement of Professor Smith, Analytical Chemist; I have analyzed all of the popular blood purifiers and medicines now sold. Many of them I found to be worthless, some dangerous to use. Sulphur Bitters contains nothing poisonous, and I think it is the best blood purifier made.

I. R. Greene is still in the active practice of the law at Louisville, Ky. He served in the Black Hawk war, and was admitted to the Bar in 1831.

I am an old man and have been a constant sufferer with catarrh for the last ten years. I am entirely cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm. It is strange that so simple a remedy will cure such a stubborn disease. —Henry Billings, U. S. Pension Att'y, Washington, D. C.

I suffered for more than ten years with that dreadful disease, catarrh, and used every available medicine which was recommended to me. I cannot thank you enough for the relief which Ely's Cream Balm has afforded me.—Emanuel Meyers, Winfield, L. I., N. Y.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

They Are So Delicate That They Have to Be Carefully Protected.

The collection of standard weights and measures preserved in the fireproof building of the coast and geodetic survey in Washington is described by a correspondent. Many of them are now of purely historical interest, the more recent ones only being accepted as absolute standards.

Among the weights are the cruder ones originally used in this country as standards.

Three are of special interest. One, which is nearly cylindrical in shape, with a slight groove around its upper part, is known as the gilt pound, and it represents the British unit of weight. "The committee kilogramme" is a brass weight, and is one of a number made at the same time under the charge of the French committee that near the end of the last century established the original metric standards of measurement.

Its true weight was within one-half milligram at the furthest. It is a cylinder fifty-three millimeters in diameter, the height being equal to the diameter. The committee had a peculiar stamp, which consisted of an eclipse, supposed to represent a meridian section of the earth, with three quadrants shaded, and with the figures 10,000,000 marked within the unshaded quadrant near its outer perimeter. That stamp is impressed on the bottom of the kilogram. The metal now has minute holes.

A weight known as the Arago platinum kilogram is cylindrical in shape, Albert Gallatin, when minister to France in 1821, procured it. In 1879 it was compared with the platinum kilogram, and its specific gravity was determined by Chancy. In 1844 it was taken to Paris for comparison with the international standard.

The national prototype kilogram is kept under a glass case. It was constructed by the co-operation of the principal governments of the world as represented by delegates at a convention in Paris in 1872. The standard meters and kilograms established by them were reproduced and distributed by them in 1889. The reproductions are termed national prototypes.

For the preservation of the original international prototypes a subterranean vault has been provided in Paris to protect them from accident and against any sudden or great change in the temperature that might cause a change in the molecular structure of the metal. Three different keys to the locks of the vault are under the charge of three individuals. The American national prototypes are preserved with similar precautions in Washington.

The kilogram is of standard alloy of 90 per cent. platinum and 10 per cent. iridium, with a tolerance of 2 per cent. in excess of deficiency. The form is that of a cylinder, with slightly rounded edges, its height being equal to its diameter. The national prototype meter is of the same alloy as the kilogram. The bar 1.02 m. long.

The ceremony of breaking the seals of the prototype meter and kilogram took place in the White House in the presence of President Harrison, Secretary Blaine, Secretary Windom and a distinguished company Jan. 2, 1890.

The apartments were represented by officials who signed a memorial to the effect that they had witnessed the ceremony.

The standard yard, as supplied by the government to the states, consists of a yard proper and a template that protects the terminal points.

Snails Are Queer Creatures.

The snail is found everywhere, 3,332 species being known, serving in France as an important item of diet, and in this country an attractive inhabitant of the fernery. Some of the large tropical snails, as bulimas, form nests of leaves, their eggs being as large as a pigeon's.

The snail is extremely skillful in mending its shell, and some curious experiments may be tried with them. Thus I have seen a helix of a yellow species attached to another shell of a reddish hue by cutting off the top whirl of the latter, when the snail will proceed to weld the two shells together and occupy both, using the addition as a door, and possibly wondering at this sudden extension of its house.

In the winter some of the snails hibernate, or lie dormant until warm weather, just as the snakes do in California. A snail of the Philippine islands has a faculty of throwing off its tail when seized; this is also true of a West Indian variety—stenophus.—Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.

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"No, Thanks."

An English traveler who never had learned at home how discourteous is the use of the phrase, "No, thanks," was taught the lesson when he visited Norway and ventured to translate that brief and slangy substitute for "No, I thank you," into Norwegian. The lesson was given him by the waitress in a restaurant at Hamer. The young woman asked him if he would take coffee, and he replied, "Ikke tak," which is a literal translation of "No, thanks."

The young woman, writes the Englishman, answered in quick, strong and unintelligible jargon. I knew that magnates and menials intermix in Norway, and concluded that here was a lineal descendant of some fierce Viking princess. Fearful tragedies might have ensued had not a Norseman crossed over to my rescue, and on bowing to each other I understood him to say to me:

"If you please, what was it that you said, or wanted to say? She says you were not asked to give her anything; and she serves here gratuitously; and she is a free and independent elector; and you ought, at any rate, to have thanked her for her attendance, whereas you would not give her a 'thank you' for her coffee."

"I said 'Ikke tak.' I want no coffee, and I said 'No, thanks,' did I not?" said I in self defense.

"Ah! you should always give 'Tak!'" said the interlocutor, insinuating that I needed instruction.

"Tell me, then, how you say 'No, thank you,'" said I, bewildered.

"Nai, tak! Nai, tak!" said he, bowing himself away.

Work to Do at Home.

Women of slender or reduced income who are compelled by stern necessity to do home work of some kind might secure remunerative occupation by embroidering spangled flowers upon gauze and silk. This kind of material is in great demand, and, being a novelty, is expensive. This question of home work is a very puzzling one, and often leads to much disappointment for those who cannot get employment because they have no real technical knowledge in any branch. Newspapers have daily to refuse "copy" sent to them by women who think that the field of literature is a golden one and that anybody capable of holding a pen and of spelling correctly can make money in that way.

Now this is a great mistake; and, moreover, it is not so much the way of treating a subject as the subject chosen that is of importance, and many a well written article is refused because it treats of matter of small interest to the general public. To succeed in the painting of dainty trifles for sale it is necessary to possess not only talent, but the chic belonging only to true artists. Ordinary embroidery or needlework does not pay at all. China painting as a professional pursuit seldom pays outside of the factories, except in the case of artists of great merit.—New York Tribune.

A Persevering Hen.

I have seen one or two good hen stories, but I think this one beats them. One day it happened that not far from my house a board was resting on two barrels which were about ten feet apart, and somebody had laid an old, discarded straw hat on the board, the crown lying on the board. An old hen, which was a great pet with the family, saw this arrangement and evidently decided that the old hat was just the thing for a nest. So she carefully hopped into it and laid an egg.

We decided to humor her whim, and therefore fastened the hat to the board. She continued to lay in this queer nest for some time. But one day the hat became unfastened in some way and blew off the board. When Biddy saw this she began to sing disconsolately, and we thought she would give up the hat and seek another nest. But we were mistaken. In a little while she seized the hat in her bill and flew with it on the board, where, after a great deal of fussing, she adjusted it so that she could lay in it. After that we fastened it so that it could not blow off.—Cor. New York Tribune.

A Peculiar Fact.

Two young men stood in front of Perry's soda fountain the other evening. They were well dressed and intellectual looking. One of them took something not on the list of sirups, and the other said in response to the interrogatory glance of the fizz drawer, "I'll take some vanella and ceram, please."

"You mean vanilla, don't you?" said his companion.

"Yes, I guess I do, but I'll bet you that one person out of every ten who comes into this store calls for vanella when he wants vanilla."

"What will you bet?"

"I'll give you five cents for every person that calls for vanilla if you'll give me one cent for every one who asks for vanella."

"It's a go."

Within the next ten minutes twenty lovers of the most popular sirup indulged in it. Eighteen called for vanella and two wanted vanilla. The philological clerk declared himself in favor of vanella by inquiringly repeating the word when uttered by soft voiced customers.—New York Sun.

Amusing Liabilities.

Master Thief—What yer so glum about? Didn't yer git ther chap's over coat?

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.50, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.29, 8.29, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.43, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.50, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.33, 6.45, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.**

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.43, P. M. **Return** at 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.29, 8.36, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.48 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 6.43 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 4.30, 6.43 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.21, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.23, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 6.52, 6.23, 6.34, 7.03, 8.02, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 1.08, 2.37, 4.27, 5.21, 8.15, 10.40 P. M.

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RETURNING:

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SUNDAYS.

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56	Main Street, opp. Joseph Buck's
57	Conn Street, Bryant & King's Factory.
61	Main Street opp. Salem Street.
62	Cor. Main and Park Streets.
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[Written for the Woburn Journal.]

SAS-QUA-NA.

A LEGEND OF WOBURN.

By Parker L Converse.

Many years ago, but within the memory of the oldest people of Woburn, there was to be seen in the pasture, on a spot over which Church street now runs, and some 6 to 8 rods from Main street, in Woburn, the remains of an old cellar, over which, in the middle of the 17th Century, stood a little country tavern, which bore the comfortable name of "The Ark" as appeared by the sign over the front door. Now this Inn, like all Inns at that time, had a barroom, in which was a hugh fireplace with chimney throat large enough to allow the stars at night to be seen by looking up, piled in winter time with logs of blazing wood, placed on andirons, against which leaned a loggerhead; while over the fire swung a long crane, from which amid the smoke hung an iron kettle; constituting a nightly place of resort for the male gossips of the neighborhood, as well as for the few travellers putting up there.

Now this loggerhead, or Flip-Dog, as it was sometimes called, consisted of a piece of iron about two feet long, one end being quite thick, while the other dwindled down to a handle; such an article being a main spoke in the furniture of every such place in those days. It was used in making flip, which was a mixture of beer, spirit and sugar, into which the loggerhead, hot from the fire, was thrust, heating the compound and causing a froth on top which usually ran over the sides of the mug.

It was on a cold sleety evening in December that several of the settlers were here gathered discussing the news over their mugs of flip and especially the rumors of suspicious actions by the Indians, which were thought to indicate mischief. "I tell you" said one, "those varmints are tarnation treacherous and sly. Last night as I passed Mianomo (Rag Rock) just at dusk, I saw two of them skulking in the woods under the rock."

"Yes" said R——, "and I saw across Lake Innitou (Horn Pond) one dodging about and evidently reconoitering."

"And" said another, "we all know their trails with remains of recent camp-fires have been seen by the hunters north of here. And it is even told that scouts from the Pequots and Narraganasets have visited the Indians; that war dances have been held, creating so much fear that our officers are quietly taking precautions against the tarnal critters."

Just then the door opened and a tall savage in fur robe and moccasins entered the room, almost frozen, and with a famished look on his swarthy features. At once several guns were raised and cocked, but as quickly lowered as the Indian threw open his robe, showing that he was not armed, and meant no mischief. So all resumed their places around the hugh fire. Susquana, the Indian, begged in broken English to be allowed to warm himself but he was sternly repulsed, while several arose with the intention of ejecting him from the premises as a spy, when C—— spoke up and said: "No, he is cold and hungry; let him be what he will he ought to be kindly treated." So saying he got up, gave him his chair and place at the fire, saying "warm yourself in peace."

The savage looked his thanks as he stretched his shivering form before the heat, while C—— proceeded to the bar, and after mixing a mug of flip he stuck the hot loggerhead into the compound and presented it, all foaming, together with some cold venison and corn cake, to Sasquana, who quietly ate, drank and warmed himself under the protection of his friend.

After having thus refreshed himself Sasquana slowly got up, gave a profound look of gratitude at his benefactor, a scowl at the rest, then strode out, and was soon lost in the darkness.

It was not long before the suspicions were verified; war broke out, and Woburn, with other towns, furnished her quota of troops, among whom were most of those in the barroom that night; and in an engagement that soon followed three of those men, including C——, were taken prisoners, bound to stakes, ready to be despatched the next morning. In the middle of the night C—— saw stealthily approaching a tall savage armed with tomahawk and knife, who after peering into the faces of the prisoners, stopped before him and said, "white man know Injun?" The astonished man answered "No." The Indian replied, "Me know you; you good to poor Indian once: Sasquana no forget." So saying he drew his hunting knife, cut the cords that bound him, then taking him by the hand, ran rapidly with him some distance, then suddenly stopped, placed in his hand a package wrapped in birch bark tied with a willow withe, pointed the direction he should go and quickly disappeared.

C—— ran till daylight when stopping for a moment to quench his thirst at a spring he opened the package and found it contained cold meat and pounded parched maize, which the thoughtful savage had provided him with. Resuming his flight he soon heard noises behind him which grew louder, and found that the Indians were in close pursuit and gaining upon him. In desperation, unarmed as he was, he plunged into a brook and concealed his head in the dense brakes hanging over the edge. Soon on came his pursuers, but before they reached his hiding place he suddenly heard the words in good English, "take to shelter, quick," and soon the whistle of bullets over his head gave him notice that a body of Colonists marching to attack the foe had met them to the surprise of both. The battle soon waxed hot, when C——, thirsting for revenge, sprang out of the water, grabbed the musket of a fallen soldier and rushed into the fight. Soon the redskins began to yield and flee, when he saw a stalwart savage engaged in a desperate struggle with two white men; and while rushing to their support, he recognized his friend and deliverer Sasquana wounded and likely to be killed. With a rapid movement he knocked aside the muskets, stepped between them, crying "stop, stay your hands; he has just saved my life, I now will save his," and told the story of his escape from a horrid death through the interference of the savage at the risk of his own life.

Sasquana returned with the troops to Woburn; often visited the settlements and his old friend; becoming quite a favorite with the Colonists, who allowed him full liberty to go and come at his will till his death which occurred, it is said, in Woburn near the present Wilmington line.

Woburn, May 7, 1891.

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Professor Keyes notes a remarkable effect of gravitation in the form of some shells belonging to the genus Capulus. When the creature existed in situation to cause an attachment beneath, so as to be inverted, as it were, the shells would assume an elongated form. The same species when found where they had to be "right side up," or on the top of a flat surface, had wide, depressed shells. Some would consider these forms as requiring new specific names. Professor Keyes contends that a true description of the species should be so drawn as to allow for such variations.

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A WOMAN ANGLING.

Mr. Izaak, Jr., Takes His Wife Fishing and She Spoils His Day's Sport.

I arrived at the hotel in time for dinner, and having gone through with that formality I at once prepared for a trial angling trip. Mrs. Izaak, Jr., concluded to accompany me, and retired to her room to put on her fishing attire. When she returned she was attired in a rubber ulster and carried a parasol. I mildly argued against the propriety of raising an umbrella in a boat while fishing, but of no avail. And then she wanted to know if she had not better take her knitting along, in case the fish did not bite. I replied, "Certainly, by all means," and kindly volunteered to send for the family sewing machine. I think my satire was useful, for the knitting was left behind.

We finally got safe into the boat, and in the delight of the moment my spirits visibly rose as I rowed away toward the fishing grounds, and I actually smiled to myself at the pretty figure of Mrs. Izaak, Jr., and her parasol as she reclined comfortably in the stern of the boat. Reaching a spot where I thought we might take fish, I "heaved" the anchor overboard and prepared the tackle for business. First I had to put the minnow on Mrs. Izaak, Jr.'s, hook, which operation she watched with great anxiety. "Don't it hurt the minnow to put a hook in it that way?" But I answered that it was no time to moralize when one was on a fishing excursion, and that if a man had a fish on the end of his line and stopped to argue about the hook hurting the fish he would lose the fish, and deservedly too. No, when one goes a-fishing he must leave his society for the prevention of cruelty to animals at home.

By this time our lines were cast, and I settled down to the glorious expectancy of getting a bite. I had my back to Mrs. Izaak, Jr., when suddenly I heard her pole splash in the water, and my heart came into my mouth at the thought that she had the first bite. I turned my head, and—shades of Izaak, Sr., must I say it!—she had let her pole fall into the water while attempting to raise her parasol. I groaned inwardly, and fixed a stony glare at my bobber, which obstinately refused to be pulled under water. With the stubbornness born of disgust I sat and sat. The sun was well down in the western sky. The bell at the hotel was ringing for supper. A big frog set up a croak in the bushes by the shore. The—"I've got a bite!" came thrilling me to my ears.

The parasol tumbled into the lake, there was a struggle with the pole, a splash by the side of the boat, and Mrs. Izaak, Jr., landed a bass at my feet to be unhooked. She looked at me with one of her old time glances and asked if I didn't want to borrow her parasol; maybe I might get a bite then. "Parasol be ribbed," I ungraciously murmured as I impaled another minnow on the hook. But why prolong the story? My score was a goose egg; Mrs. Izaak's was two bass. We were both tired, and I was told that I might go alone in the morning; she "had enough of fishing."

A good supper at the hotel restored our spirits, and as we were strolling on the beach afterward Mrs. Izaak, Jr., remarked to me in her sweetest manner: "My dear, I had a delightful time fishing this afternoon, and I think I will go along with you in the morning." But I determinedly protested against such a course. The morning air was full of malarious vapor, and it was a very rash thing for a woman to go out fishing on an empty stomach at 5 a. m. She retorted that she didn't propose to fish on an empty stomach; she was going to "fish from the boat." I saw it was useless to philosophically discuss the matter, so I dropped it.—Forest and Stream.

Careless People.

Two students of human nature spent ten minutes at the foot of one of the stairways leading to the up town platform of the Park place elevated station Friday afternoon counting the persons who went up stairs with the points of their umbrellas sticking out behind them. The time selected for this interesting observation was between 5 and 6 o'clock, when an almost unbroken stream of humanity was passing up the stairway. Within the ten minutes specified 142 out of perhaps 600 persons climbed the stairs with their closed umbrellas pushed out behind them in such a manner that persons following were obliged to dodge in order to escape being stabbed in the face. Of these 142 careless individuals 106 were men and the remainder women. The proportion of the men to the women in the moving crowd was about two to one.—New York Times.

Gave Himself Away.

"Darling," muttered the young man in pleading tones. The young girl rose to her feet with a gesture of indignation.

"Sir!" she exclaimed haughtily,

"You mistake me," replied the youth coldly. "Darling—present participle of verb to darl—dar to ponder. I got it out of Bohn's Saxon Dictionary.

"Well, Mr. Marks," said the maiden admiringly, "I was darling."

"Was what, precious?" said the young man hastily.—New York Telegram.

A Suitable Dog.

Lady—I wish to select a pet dog.

Dealer—Live in the city, I suppose, mum?

"Yes, I live in a flat."

"Then I would advise an Italian greyhound, mum. No matter how much you feed a greyhound he allers stays narrer."—New York Weekly.

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Literary Notices.

THE MUSICAL RECORD, published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston, for May contains two pieces of new music and many good things beside.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for April 25, and May 2, contain John Wesley, The Anabaptists and their English Descendants, The Influence of Democracy on Literature, and John Wesley, The Fair Ophelia of a Highland Glen, A Suffolk Parson, Ancient Lights in the Gaelph Exhibition, An Irish Landlord, and Archæological Nomads in Rugged Cilicia, A Village Obituary, Butter Making in Jutland, and My Witches Caldron, Sark, Military Tactics of Animals, The Baboo's English, with instalments of My Old Drawing Master, Eight Days, and A Young Wife, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price $8 is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

ST. NICHOLAS for May presents a very tempting table of contents, beginning with an imaginative poem, Morning, by the late Emily Dickinson, whose work has been so cordially praised by the critics. Nora Perry's Siege of Calais, a ballad with striking illustrations by Birch, will delight little students of history, who will also read the second paper on The Land of Pluck, by Mrs. Dodge, with keen delight, supplemented as it is by two very interesting letters on Holland in the Letter-box Department. J. O. Davidson, the marine artist, has written and fully illustrated a short serial of adventure entitled, Chan Ok, which describes the capture of a noted Chinese pirate of the present day; it is based on fact, and, indeed, but a few months ago a steamer was destroyed by these piratical Chinese outlaws in the very waters wherein the action is supposed to take place. The excellent serials by Trowbridge and Noah Brooks are continued. The table of contents offers many other attractions in pictures and letter-press which intelligent readers will appreciate.

The May CENTURY begins a new volume, and in it are begun several new features of what the CENTURY calls its summer campaign. The Squirrel Inn, by Frank R. Stockton, is one of the principal and most popular of these new features. The Inn itself is carefully depicted in a picture which is the joint product of the artistic skill of both the author and Mr. Frost, the illustrator. Mr. Frost brings out also several of the principal characters of the story—which promises to be one of the most curious and characteristic of Mr. Stockton's inventions. The long promised papers (two in number) on the Court of the Czar Nicholas I. are now begun, the frontispiece of the magazine being a portrait of the Emperor Nicholas. These papers are by the late George Mifflin Dallas, in his day one of the most distinguished statesmen of the country. A brief sketch of his life appropriately accompanies this paper. Mr. Dallas describes minutely the social movement and the luxury of the court. He tells of A Court Presentation, the Burning of the Winter Palace, The Russian New Year's, etc. These papers furnish a remarkable contrast to those by Mr. Kennan. Pioneer Mining Life in California is a description from personal experience of adventure and mining methods in 1849 on the tributaries of the Sacramento River and of the Trinity. It is a day-to-day description of the conditions of mining life in '49 and '50. The writer is the Hon. E. G. Waite, Secretary of State of California, and the narrative is supplemented by illustrations of a typical character and by caricatures of the time. These are only a few of the good things which the May CENTURY contains, for proof of which the reader is respectfully referred to the number itself.

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr. Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

Woman's Column.

The Press on Kansas Women.

The women of Kansas are on the right track. They struck out bravely in those municipal elections; and whether they voted right or voted wrong, they certainly spoke for themselves.—*Springfield Republican.*

The ladies acquitted themselves nobly and in no case did they descend to anything unladylike. There was no boisterous talk at the polls, and no lady had cause to feel that she was doing what a true lady ought not to do when she deposited her ballot. There was no preponderance of the lower classes of women among the voters, and some of the very best women in the city were among those who voted yesterdy.—*Topeka Capital.*

Women came out and voted in full in Kansas cities Monday, in spite of the old question which the opponents of woman suffrage always consider a clincher:—who will take care of the babies while the women go to the polls?" It is found in practice that this matter is easily settled. The women engage the same persons to take care of the babies when they go to the polls that they previously engaged when they went to pay their taxes.—*Boston Globe.*

At the the annual exhibition of the National Academy of design, New York, last week, the Norman W. Dodge prize of $300, for the best picture painted in the United States by a woman, was awarded to Mrs. Mary Sargent-Florence, of Nutley, N. J.

Mrs. Lelia Robinson Sawtelle, the first woman admitted to the bar in Massachusetts, is contributing to the Ch

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 5d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE REPUBLICAN BANQUET.

Woburn Republicanism received an impetus from the meeting and banquet given by the party in Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening that will be sensibly felt all through the summer and with still greater force at the polls in November. The meeting which by the way was a complete success in every particular will have an effect to place Woburn Republicans in straight line with the party throughout the State and Nation at once and to so imbue them with life and enthusiasm as to greatly augment their strength, increase their numbers, and insure victory at the ballotbox in the next gubernatorial contest in this Commonwealth.

Nearly 300 stalwart Republicans composed the assemblage and enjoyed the grand banquet. Party enthusiasm reached boiling pitch, and the cheering of the speakers was immense. Baldwin's Boston Orchestra furnished splendid music all through the evening.

Rev. Daniel March, D. D., asked a blessing, and with him at the guests' table on the platform were many leading Republicans of this city including Hon. Edward D. Hayden, who presided; Senator Edwin F. Wyer; Hon. J. G. Pollard; Dr. John M. Harlow; M. W. True, Chairman of Republican City Committee; City Auditor, E. G. Preston, and the distinguished orators of the evening: Hon. F. T. Greenhalge, of Lowell; Hon. W. M. Olin, Sec'y of State; Hon. H. H. Sprague, President of the Senate; Gen. John L. Swift, the Eloquent.

The stage was beautifully decorated with heaps of hydrangeas, palms, geraniums, ferns, and other plants and foliage; there was a great display of bunting; and the illumination of the hall was very brilliant indeed.

President Hayden sat at the head of the guests' table flanked by the gentlemen above mentioned and other eminent party leaders and, after Dr. March's invocation, introduced the orators with a few good, sound Republican remarks. He said:

"It does me good to preside over the this meeting because I am a Republican way to the backbone [applause] and I want to see this good old Commonwealth redeemed. I want to see the Republican party step up to the front, flaunting its banners, and whip the other side next fall. [Voices, 'We will do it!' and applause.] I am a Republican because I believe that, take it all in all, it is the party whose policy will work the greatest good to the greatest number." [Applause.]

President Sprague of the Senate was the first speaker, and in his opening he paid ex-Congressman Hayden and Senator Wyer handsome compliments for their loyalty, leadership and good work for the party in well chosen words.

Next came Gen. Swift who was followed by Sec'y of State Olin; and ex-Congressman Greenhalge wound up the meeting with one of his characteristic and most rousing speeches.

It was a big thing—ringing speeches, fine music, rich banquet, and all.

AN EXPLANATION IN ORDER.

The city, it is said, will lose several thousand dollars by the adoption last Thursday evening week of Ald. Dearborn's motion to reduce the price of a 4th class license from $1800 to $500. We understand that Ald. Dearborn has always claimed to be a temperance man but somehow the course he took at that meeting has a different look to it.

The JOURNAL is opposed to the license plan of dealing with the sale of rum first, last and all the time; but if we *must* have it let us get all the money out of it possible—make the privilege of ruining people as expensive as possible to those would enjoy it.

Ald. Dearborn evidently takes a different view of the matter and champions a cheap license fee.

It would be interesting just now to hear what the people of Ward 6 think of the course of their representative on the Aldermanic Board regarding the license question.

JUDGE ADAMS ELECTED.

The election of Charles D. Adams, Esq., Associate Judge of the Fourth District Court, to the office of City Solicitor was a well deserved compliment to his ability and integrity as a lawyer and a man. The JOURNAL suggested some weeks since that Judge Adams would make an excellent compromise candidate for the office and that the City Council could do no better than to elect him. The suggestion it seems was taken under advisement and last week he was chosen.

Judge Adams possesses good legal talent; he will make a safe public Counselor; and time, we believe, will demonstrate the fact that the authorities made no mistake when they elected him City Solicitor.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. B. Niles—Coal.
Caswell—Lacoste.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
G. F. Jones—For Sale.
Wm. Kimball—To Let.
Wm. Kimball—For Sale.
Judge Johnson—Citation.
Unitarian Society—Drama.
A. & M. Association—For Sale.

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— Strawberries are plenty and cheap.

— Baldwin's Cadet Orchestra of Boston can't be beat.

— Business at Mr. J. F. Ramsdell's tannery has slacked up a little.

— To-morrow the Woburn Juniors will play ball with the Howards.

— A 250 H. P. engine has just been put in at the Electric Light works.

— A brush fire at No. Woburn called out the firemen on Monday afternoon.

— Anglers are taking quite a good many fish from Horn Pond nowdays.

— Everybody said ex-Congressman Greenhalge's speech was a splendid one.

— The Adjt. and Sergt.-Major of the 5th Regt. will inspect Co. G on July 9.

— Thomas H. Marrinan has returned to work at Freeman & Co.'s machine shop.

— The tables were handsomely spread and abundantly laden with the fat of the land.

—Last Sunday afternoon the weather was 87 in the shade. It was fully as warm on Monday.

— Mr. Charles Taylor, whose leg was so badly broken 2 or 3 weeks ago, is getting on finely.

— There are more baseball clubs in this city than a dozen boys can shake a stick at in a month.

— Many prominent citizens were at the Republican Banquet who seldom attend political meetings.

— Mr. Fred A. Hartwell is at his post of duty again after a severe illness of two weeks from the grip.

— The JOURNAL prints another interesting Woburn legend from the pen of Judge Converse this week.

— Miss Livingstone conducted the physical drill at the Cummings School last Friday in the very best of shape.

— A corrected time-table of the B. & M. Railroad Southern Division is presented on page 1 of the JOURNAL.

— The remains of John Lane came here from Methuen on Wednesday and were interred in the Salem street cemetery.

— The employees of the Johnston Electric Train Signal establishment want Saturday afternoon for a half holiday.

— Mr. Hayden was in the best of plight for presiding and his brief speech on taking the chair "brought down the house."

— Don't fail to read the notice of a fine dramatic entertainment to come off at the Unitarian vestry next Friday evening.

— Mr. Peter Kenney was taken suddenly ill on Tuesday evening with pneumonia and his case is considered hopeless.

— So far as we have been able to find out that $20,000 lawsuit against Dr. Harlow has failed to materiaiize up to date.

— Policeman Austin G. French has been assigned to duty at the Highlands. Officer Marrinan will be given special duty to perform.

— Members of W. H. S. Class '91 contemplate the approaching graduating day with great complacency and with out fear and trembling.

— Mr. Thomas Carey of Buckman street, was sent to the Mass. Gen. Hos. last Sunday evening with a broken hip bone caused by a fall.

— By referring to our columns it will be seen that Mr. Gilman F. Jones has some desirable property on Beech street to rent and for sale.

— "Some Old Programmes," an article in which many Woburn old people will be interested, will appear in the JOURNAL next week.

— The Innitou Canoe Club will start from here about June 12 for a week's paddle on the Merrimac. They enjoy the annual cruise very much.

— The May Party by the Ladies Auxiliary of the St. Charles Temperance Society on May 20 promises to be a very high toned and enjoyable affair.

— Miss Antonia Maury, a highly educated lady, will address the Woburn Woman's Club at Music Hall this afternoon on "Lookout Towers of Astronomy."

— The Massachusetts Rifle Association are about to build a magnificent Club house at Walnut Hill Rifle Range. Mr. Charles H. Eastman is the architect.

— We thank Mr. Joseph Kelley of Church street for a copy of the Exeter *News-Letter Supplement* containing the public laws of the last New Hampshire Legislature.

— Smith, the wideawake painter, glazier, and paper-hanger, has newly painted his store on Main street. Smith keeps step with the march of internal improvements.

— The thunder and lightning of Monday night lowered the 90 degrees of heat of the day preceding quite materially and Tuesday morning was cool and comfortable.

— Bonelli, on Franklin street, is selling very stylish dress goods for ladies at exceedingly low prices. Mrs. Bonelli keeps the finest and best wares there are going.

— The remains of Mrs. Kate Lawrence Lothrop, whose tragic death occurred in New Hampshire three weeks ago, were brought here and buried in the Woburn Cemetery.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade and family, Mr. W. F. Kenney of the *Globe*, and many other Woburn people attended the funeral of Rev. Fr. Murphy at Lawrence last Wednesday

— Mr. Moses Bancroft has a stock of ladies and gentlemen's boots and shoes unsurpassed by any in this city. And Manager Lahey says Bancroft beats the world on low prices.

— A bold one got young Mr. Hartwell at the City Market to cash a 20-dollar check purporting to be drawn by J. R. Carter & Co. and endorsed by Mr. Benjamin Hinckley, the other day.

— We should like firstrate to have a suit of Sunday go-to-meeting clothes made out of some of those handsome and very stylish cloths at G. R. Gage & Co's popular merchant tailoring establishment.

— The Boston clothing house who have been looking for a room with power in this city for an overall factory to employ 50 girls will probably locate here. The Board of Trade Committee think so, at anyrate.

— The Innitou Canoe Club are making great preparations for celebrating, on May 20th, the 5th anniversary of their organization. Its chief feature will be a supper at Young's, Boston, with trimmings.

— The hardware, tinware, stove, and building materials store of Mr. Leonard Thompson on Main street, is one of the best filled in Middlesex county. Mr. Waldo Thompson is its General Superintendent.

— Our esteemed friend, the landlord of the Jefferson House near Lake Ave. in this city, has been treated very unfairly this year in respect to licenses, which all comes from his being on the wrong side of the political fence.

— Dr. N. A. Springer has pulled Landlord Thompson of the Central House through in good shape. The patient was in sore straits, but the Doctor's skill was equal to the emergency and health returned to the Landlord.

— The Woburn Workers will tender a reception to Rev. F. W. March and family in the parlor of the Congregational church, on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. It is hoped that everyone who can will attend this gathering.—C.

— Every good temperance person in this city ought to subscribe for *Our Message*, the official organ of the Mass. W. C. T. U., for it is a bright, wide awake, true-blue temperance monthly, the subscription price of which is only 25 cents a year.

— Edward F. Wyer, Homer B. Grant and George W. Buchanan have been appointed Sergeants of G, 5th Mass. Vol. Regt.; and Philip O'Bryne, Clarence E. Littlefield and William S. Murdock have ben appointed Corporals of the same Co.

— The dramatic entertainment given by the Friday Night Club on the evening of May 8 at the Unitarian church was entirely satisfactory to everybody including Mr. Harry B. Brackett who holds the Club's money-bags, and likewise business Manager Thompson.

— Why don't the Cemetery Commissioners, or those who may have the authority to do so, give the Salem Street Cemetery a name? "The Salem Street Cemetery" don't sound well; "The Woburn Cemetery" is meaningless; therefore why not give it a suitable name?

— Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Dolliver arrived in this city last Saturday from San Francisco, Cal., where they have resided for many years. They spend every other summer here and return to the Pacific coast in the fall. Mr. Dolliver is one of the successful business men of California.

— We received a call from Mr. H. W. Pinkerton of Taunton last Saturday in company with Mr. L. W. Cooper of this city. The two gentlemen have been fellow alewive-catchers at Taunton for many years, hence the strong fellow-feeling that exists between them. The visit was an agreeable one to the JOURNAL.

— Medford Rum was made as early as 1735, at which date the civil authorities of the Province of Massachusetts Bay issued an address to the British Parliament in which they said: "Rum is the chief manufacture in Massachusetts, there being upwards of 15,000 hogsheads manufactured in the Province yearly."

— Mrs. Charles A. Fowle, formerly of this city, after a pleasant winter at the American House in Boston, has gone to West Newton to reside for the present. She will be with her son-in-law, George A. Blaney, Esq., one of Boston's successful lawyers, whose home is at the Newtons—the garden spot of New England.

— The operetta of "Gyp, Jr." was most successfully given before a very large audience in G. A. R. Hall, Thursday evening. The stage was hardly suitable for the accommodation of so many children, and there is talk of producing it in the Town Hall some time in the future where it can be given with grand effect.—*Winchester Star.*

— J. T. Freeman & Co., machinists of this city, are building a big gristmill for a Boston Company on the So. Boston Flats, on which they have about 15 men now at work. The job has been underway several months and its completion will take 3 or 4 weeks longer. It is one of the largest mill-building contracts Freeman & Co. have ever handled.

— At the annual meeting of the Woburn Firemen's Relief Association held Wednesday evening, May 13, the following officers were elected: President Albert A. Ferrin; Vice-President, Charles Stewart; Secretary, G. H. Newcomb; Financial Secretary, H. L. Andrews; Treasurer, E. E. Stowers; Auditors, J. C. Larock, J. H. Bates, G. H. Brauer.

— Some time last Thursday night week, the residence of Mr. John M. Willoughby, 38 Sturgis street, was honored with a visit from burglars, who escaped with a sum of money stolen from the clothes of Mr. W. The burglar secured entrance through a back window with the help of a wheelbarrow. Burglars are getting quite plenty hereabouts.

— Mr. Henry B. Wood, Executive Engineer in the Street Department of the City of Boston, has left his home in this city and gone to 35 Linden St., Allston, to reside. In renewing his subscription to the JOURNAL he says: "This will keep me posted in Woburn affairs, in which I shall ever cherish a deep and abiding interest. "Which certainly has a good patriotic ring to it.

— Woburn was well represented last Tuesday evening at the concert in Town Hall Stoneham given in aid of Mr. Edward McKay by Miss Lizzie F. Smith of Montvale Avenue, Woburn. Miss Smith is a talented singer and did much to render the concert a success, for which she received hearty thanks. Thanks were also extended to Mrs. C. E. Smith for her fine piano selections.

— It was announced last Sabbath that the Woburn Workers would give a reception to Rev. F. W. March, son of Rev. Daniel March, D. D., of this city, and for several years a missionary in Syria, and family in the parlors of the First Congregational Church, between the hours of 3 and 5 to-morrow, Saturday, afternoon. Rev. F. W. March and family will sail on the last of this month for their Eastern home and the proposed reception will doubtless be numerously attended as it will be in the nature of a farewell or goodbye to the excellent Christian people in whose honor it is to be given.

— After a sharp contest the will of the late Mrs. Stephen Dow was admitted to probate last week. An appeal was taken by the contestants. The estate disposed of by the will is valued at nearly $500,000, and the 8 grandchildren (3 of whom are children of Mrs. Emma T. Dow of Court street), who are the contestants, if successful in their appeal, will get somewhere in the neighborhood of $100,000.

— To lay out and make a public park of the Capt. John P. Crane lot on the corner of Main and Warren streets, for which a petition has been presented to the Park Commissioners, would be a good thing to do. It would make a pretty spot, a nice opening, a pleasant resort, and its establishment would increase the value of real estate in the neighborhood very much. A city can't very well have too many pretty parks.

— The Mishawum Club observed their 24th anniversary in fitting manner last Monday evening. A nice entertainment was given and a supper served. The newly elected officers are: President, Squire B. Goddard; Vice President, William Beggs; Secretary, Frederic H. Lewis; Treasurer, Edwin B. Blanchard; Directors, the President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, and William F. Davis, George A. Simonds, George Buchanan.

— Mr. Charles Cummings appeared out yesterday morning with a pair of Canada chestnuts whose beauty, style, step and perfect match couldn't but rejoice the heart of any lover of good horseflesh to look at. They were from the car-load of fine animals received by Mr. Cummings from Canada on Wednesday and to say that he felt just a little proud of the span of beauties would be drawing it mild. The horses can be seen at the Cummings farm barns on Cambridge street.

— We had a pleasant call from Associate Editor (Madam) Theodore Wilson of that bright, breezy, and popular weekly, the Winchester *Star*, last Monday. When the very sensible *Star* people get tired of the genteel and highly proper monotony of the delightful little village on the South of us and begin to get just a bit afraid of growing rusty in brain and joints they hop on to a street car and take a trip to this big, bustling, busy, noisy Woburn, and get refreshed, stirred up, out of the ruts and humdrum of super-rural life, and feel better for it. We like to have them come up here too, more particularly the Associate Editor.

— The following members received the Phalanx badges for marksmanship: Sharpshooters, Private John W. Blake; first class, Sergt. George F. Hanson, Private A. W. Nason, Private G. H. Nason; second class, Capt. William C. Parker, Sergt. G. W. Buchanan, Sergt. George S. Cutler, Corp. Clarence E. Littlefield, Privates George Durward, Frank W. Hanson, Harry G. Wyer, George H. Wyer; third class, Sergt. Homer B. Grant, Corp. Winfield S. Fetridge, Corporal William L. Murdock; Privates Irving R. Bancroft, Frank E. Stone, Thomas McCarthy, Thomas Cosgrove, Frank W. Winn, Thomas J. Dunn, John F. McSweeney.

— The Agricultural and Mechanic Association of this city, for many years owned principally and carried on by Mr. John Johnson, are winding up their affairs as rapidly as possible and have got so they can see the end of their career. They have some estates yet to close out, one of which is advertised in the columns of the JOURNAL to-day, and to which we especial attention. The property is very desirable and its central location insures a steady increase in its value, making it a very nice piece of real estate to buy for a rise. The advertisement sets forth the principal facts concerning the property and will be found to be perfectly reliable.

— If we have reckoned right and haven't skipped anybody there is not a single rum licensee in Ward 1 in this city. Just think of it! And it is Ald. Davis's home too! How do Tenney, Dever and other prominent and influential constituents of Ald. Davis who were applicants for licenses think of it? From his frequent speeches before the Board one would naturally conclude that Ald. Davis is a great stickler for right and justice in municipal affairs; for "business" methods in looking after the public interests; a sort of *pro bono publico* Alderman, whose sole end and aim is to serve the people regardless of personal considerations; and yet Tenney and Dever and others in Ward 1 are left out in the cold on the license business. What excuse has Ald. Davis to offer for this?

— It was a grand celebration of St. Tammany Day that Shawsheen Tribe, I. O. R. M., indulged in at their wigwam last Tuesday evening. There was the biggest kind of an attendance and enthusiasm and good cheer reigned supreme. The programme included remarks by Sachem A. T. Webber, lightning drill by J. E. Darmody, recitation, by Master Eddie Bryant, piano solo by Miss Mabel Dickson, song by Don C. Page, reading by Prof. E. A. Pierce, recitation by Miss Lena Harrington, whistling solo by L. W. Britton, recitation by J. C. Knight, piano solo by Miss Winnie Page, song by Master Harry Boutwell, piano solo by Sister Boutwell, recitation by L. W. Britton, banjo and guitar solo by Miss Lucia Patten and Master Frank French, recitation by Miss Edith Bryant, song by Miss Hannah Whitty, reading by A. L. Perham.

— The 1st Div. of the Sewing Class at the Warren Academy Industrial School lately established as a result of earnest and continuous work on the part of Mrs. C. D. Adams of the School Board—its late President—and Supt. Frank B. Richardson, is composed of the following girls: May D. Caulfield, Edna W. Rice, Sarah Graham, Louise Richardson, Ella Kennedy, Marion E. Conn, Bertha W. Tidd, Marguerite B. Dorr, May F. Simonds, Dora Boyle, Ethel Burbeck, Edith M. Leathe, Maude S. Waters, Sybil Shaw, Dory F. Parkhurst, Florence S. Porter, Elsie S. Jones, Annie R. Wyer, Carrie L. Morrill, Alice M. Haynes, Lucia K. Patten, Isabel M. Wetherell, Bertha L. Cutter, Kate Barker, May Barker, Susie Mabel Carlisle, Margaret E. Rix, Winnie Robertson, Marion Holland, and Hattie Robertson. Fifty candidates applied but only thirty of these can be accommodated at present. The others will be placed in the next division, which will be formed soon.

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— The Barbers Protective Union of this city were entertained in royal style at the Windsor Hotel last Monday. The whole-souled proprietors of that popular hostelry threw their hearts and doors wide open and gave the Woburn members of the Union such a feed as some of them haven't laid their jaws to since the year one. They were the jolliest and happiest set of mortals that ever assembled over a feast at any Woburn hotel before. The Windsor will continue to feel the boom for a year to come. The gentlemen who sat at the tables were William Roulo, Louis A. White, B. Mathews, Frank A. McSheffrey, Eugene Sullivan, James Roulo, James Mathews, John Doherty, David Ronco, John Harney, Edwin G. Piper, William E. McDonald, Alexander B. Barrett, James Darmody.

— Mr. Waterman Brown of this city takes pains to inform our paper that on May 8, 1835—56 years ago last Friday—work on cutting down Pemberton Hill in Boston was commenced, and he was one of the crew of men who struck the first blow and removed the first shovelful of the earth from it that now constitutes the foundation of the Boston & Lowell Railroad station in Boston, Causeway and other streets, and many present building sites, in that city. Mr. Sheldon of Wilmington was the contractor to reduce Pemberton Hill, and with big crews of men and oxen (he employed ox-teams altogether) he did the job thoroughly and well. Mr. Brown remembers all about the tri-capped mount, the homes and fine estates on it, the names of the people who owned and lived happily in them—everything concerning it was so indelibly stamped on the tablets of his memory then that it seems as plain to his mental vision now as it did to his physical vision 56 ago.

— George H. Taylor, salesman for Dodge, Haley & Co., ironmongers, Boston, with residence on Pleasant street, this city, had one of his thumbs badly wrenched last Saturday afternoon in a baseball game played on the old Medford grounds by a team from the house he serves and one from the house of Bradlee, Hastings & Co. of Boston. It was thought at first that the thumb was displaced, but happily it was not. The Boston Sunday papers published the result of the game as 19 to 18 in favor of the Bradlee house team, which was not correct—the teams tied each other on a score of 19 a side. The boys from the house of Dodge accomplished this handsome feat nothwithstanding the Bradlees, contrary to mutual stipulations, had professionals among their 9, and also paid the umpire. Everybody knows what that latter statement means without being told by the JOURNAL. Young Taylor's accident didn't prevent him from resuming his duties on Monday morning.

— It was 27 years ago last Friday morning that Charles K. Conn was taken prisoner of war and hustled down to the Land of Dixie. It was at the Battle of Spottsylvania that the mishap occurred to him which kept him confined in a Rebel prison for 4 months and gave him more than a taste of its beauties. In the early stages of that memorable battle Conn fell pierced clear through the body by a Rebel bullet and of course was easily made a captive of. He was reported dead and his family and many friends here at home mourned for him as such. There was no other thought among them but that he had been fatally shot and was filling a soldier's grave in the South until a letter, which he managed to get through the prison guards, addressed to Mr. George H. Conn, a cousin of his, reached its destination here in Woburn. Its receipt caused great rejoicing because the supposed dead soldier was then, as now, well liked and had many friends. In due time he reached his Regiment again and was subsequently promoted. Captain Conn is very reticent on the subject of his retirement from the Rebel prison in which he was confined, but the JOURNAL hopes to be able to tell all about it one of these days.

Obituary.

Mr. Henry A. Aldrich of Mendon, who died very suddenly of apoplexy on May 7th at the age of 78, was appointed Postmaster of Mendon by President Van Buren, and served continuously under every President since, resigning the office only a few months ago. He was probably the oldest Postmaster in the United States in point of service. He was a stanch Democrat. Mr. Aldrich was elected to the Legislature of 1852 and was for many years a leader of his party in the county. He was born in Mendon, Aug 23, 1813, was married in the town and had always lived there. Personally, he was genial and popular. He leaves a widow and two sons, who are in business in Boston.—*Boston Journal.*

The deceased was the father of Mr. Henry M. Aldrich, a prominent and worthy citizen of Woburn.

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The Lynn Field Day.

The Second Massachusetts School Regiment held their annual muster at Lynn on last Saturday and it was a great event for Lynn and the military. The shoe city was alive all day long with music, muskets and martial trappings, and the people thereof made it a holiday. The boys were welcomed with warm cordiality and were treated splendidly by the citizens, although some of the School and civil authorities there seem to have lost their heads a bit and some things went just a little awry. For example: Gov. Russell was compelled to take his entire dinner, from soup to dessert, on the self-same plate; a distinguished local civilian was forced to dine from a single loaf of bread of uncertain age; the School Board women of Lynn were "not in it;" high dignitaries from Lowell, Woburn and other places were not properly provided with carriages for the grand march; but there was no growling—everybody was happy and the goose hung high.

City and country papers unite in giving the Regiment of Schoolboys great credit for fine military deportment, the exhibition of the martial spirit which characterizes the true soldier, for soldierly bearing, and gentlemanly conduct. In respect to these things the Woburn H. S. B. was not a whit behind any Company on the muster field; on the contrary, their deportment was quite generally a theme for complimentary remarks. Mr. John L. Parker said: "it good behavior counts in the award of prizes to-day General Orders for the coming year will be dated at Woburn," which wasn't a bad thing to say about the Woburn boys, by any means. But then, that is just Drill-master Mendum's style of doing things—he would make of his boys fine gentlemen as well as good soldiers.

Hundreds and thousands of deeply interested people, not only residents of Lynn but of Boston and surrounding towns, including municipal and school officials, members of the State Military, the Press, besides Gov. Russell and many Mayors of neighboring cities, with a big sprinkling of admiring damsels and many dames, witnessed the marches and parades of the Regiment during the day and were profuse in their praises of the gallant manner in which the youthful soldiers carried themselves. And none more so than the W. H. S. B.

Lynn opened her doors, hearts and hands to the boys, and wasn't it a galaday, though! Banquets were provided for the soldiery, distinguished civilians, and invited guests of eminence. Through the kindness and enterprise of Mrs. John L. Parker (the better half of Editor J. L. P. of the Lynn *Item*) and other former Woburn residents the W. H. S. B. were the fortunate partakers of a rare good dinner, for which these kind friends received volleys of hearty thanks.

Mrs. Parker was a graduate of the W. H. S, in Class '55.

Our boys started off from here for the muster early Saturday morning with the Woburn Drum Corps, city officials, private citizens, and high hopes of winning the Colonelcy, and in due time landed at the Shoe Town, where they were received with open arms.

During the day they discharged their duties promptly and well, and their personal conduct was worthy of all praise. They marched in the best soldier style and their evolutions elicited words of commendation from officers, judges, and spectators. But it was of but little use for any of the other Companies to try and wrench the honors from the Malden Battalion, and that was plain enough to be seen from the start. Malden won the Colonelcy and Gloucester Lt. Col. They were entitled to the honors, especially so the Malden boys. And this is the wherefore of it: Owing to the school rules in that city the Malden Battalion has devoted twice as much time to the study of military tactics and drill as have the Woburn and most other Companies, and in the business of winning prizes that makes all the difference in the world. The Gloucester soldiers too have had extraordinary advantages which gave them the second place. But they all did remarkably well.

Mayor Bean attended the muster; so did William F. Kenney, Esq., of the Boston *Globe*, Chairman of the Woburn School Board; likewise Ald. Pushee; Drill-Master Mendum, Principal of the W. H. S., was conspicuous among the military, civil, and educational dignitaries present, and other Woburn people were reported as honoring the occasion with their presence.

It was a great Field Day for the Regiment and Lynn, and the W. H. S. B. came out of the trial in the very best of shape.

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This property consist of a large Dwelling-house in good repair and with modern conveniences, a Stable, a large Grain-house (now occupied by Jacob A. Flesh), a large brick building and 102,648 square feet, or about 2½ acres of land. This land has a frontage of 415 feet on the railroad and 402 feet on Main Street. The southerly bound of the property, extending from Main Street to the railroad, measures 325 feet, and the northerly bound 192 feet. The property is valued by the Assessors at $15,600. The sale is peremptory and will take place rain or shine.

The estate will be sold to the highest bidder.

Full possession of the property will be given immediately. $1,000 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the sale. $10,000 of the purchase money may at the option of the purchaser remain on mortgage at 5 per cent. interest. Others terms will be announced at the sale.

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City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Last Friday evening the Board held a special meeting.

Voted to accept the invitation of Post 161, G. A. R., to attend the celebration May 30, also to attend the field exercises at Lynn of the School Battalion.——Concurred with the Aldermen in the choice of Joseph M. Gerrish as Assistant Assessor in Ward 4; laying edgestones and concrete sidewalks; laying crossings at the intersection of certain streets; placing electric lights corner of Pearl and West sts., New Boston st. and Cleveland Avenue, Middlesex and Chestnut; corner of Arlington and Carter sts.; corner Main and Lowell.——W. C. Foster was given leave to withdraw on his petition for a light on Vernon st ——Councilman Larkin introduced an order which was passed, providing for the revision of the City Ordinances, the Mayor and two others to have charge.

ALDERMEN.

This Branch of the City Government held a regular meeting last week Thursday evening over which Mayor Bean presided.

Appointment of Elisha F. Hayward and Arthur E. Gage Registrars of Voters rejected.——The Mayor appointed and the Board confirmed Austin G. French, as regular police officer and James H. Marrinan and John W. Graham, special officers.——Following petitions received and referred: Fred H. Clark, Edward F. Maguire, John Garvin and S. B. Pooley, for license to collect junk; Thomas Marriam and Patrick McLaughlin, to keep pool tables; Philip Haggie to clean vaults; Charles T. H. Kendall for auctioneer's license; Woburn Electric Light Co., for permission to locate poles; W. H. Bartlett and others for electric lights on Mill st.; Cyrus Day, for State Aid; Henry B. Hayes, to have the line of Main street established; Winthrop Hammond for license for Lyceum Hall.——Vote of thanks tendered to Commander Frank W. Graves of Post 161, G. A. R., for invitation of Mayor and Aldermen to a lunch on Memorial Day.

A communication was received from Thomas Moore calling attention to irregularity in regard to the granting of his license, inasmuch as the requisite ten days had not intervened between the advertising of his application and the granting of the same. Alderman Dearborn moved that the licence be revoked, but the Mayor said the revocation was not necessary.——Woburn Gaslight Co. asked for p rmission to open streets.——A communication was received from High School Principal Mendum calling attention to the coming Field Day of the Second School Regiment of Massachusetts, and expressing a desire to have the members of the City Government represented, and as guests of the boys.——F. P. Curran sent word that he couldn't serve as City Solicitor any longer, whereupon Hon. Charles D. Adams was elected to that office in concurrence.——Milk Inspector Leeds and Chief of Police McIntosh submitted monthly reports.——Reports and orders were offered in favor of electric lights on corner of Peal and West streets, New Boston, Cleveland Avenue, corner of Middlesex and Chestnut sts., Chestnut and Willow, Arlington and Carter, and Garfield and Carter.

Committee of Police reported in favor of license to clean vaults etc., to Geo. D Nelson and John B. Davis ——In accordance with the notice previously given by Alderman Dearborn, that gentleman moved the reconsideration of the order fixing the price of licenses. The Board voted to reconsider. Then Alderman Dearborn moved to amend the order as originally adopted, so as to fix the rate of a fourth-class license at $500 whether the applicant took out a first-class license or not. This amendment was adopted by the Board. In the original order the price of a fourth-class license, when the party desiring the same had not taken out a first-class license was to be $1800, exactly the rate of both first and fourth class combined.——On motion of Alderman Walsh the Board went into executive session to take action in regard to the granting of two remaining licenses necessary to complete the requisite thirteen. In this private session Messrs. Shinkwin and Reddy, and John F. Scally, were the parties to whom licenses were granted. The Mayor also signed the licenses of Messrs. John Maloney, Thomas Moore, John H Connolly, A. A Doherty, S. D. Thompson, Peter Kenney & Co., Connolly & Kerrigan, Shinkwin & Reddy, McNulty & McLaughlin, and Thomas G Merriam & Co.——Signatures await to be appended to the licenses of John F. Scally, Martin & Rafferty and Thomas McGovern.

Good Appointment.

The Governor did well in re-appointing Rufus R. Wade, of this city, to be Chief of the District Police. Mr. Wade is a competent and painstaking official, who has kept his office out of politics. No doubt the Governor had plenty of invitations to give the place to a Democrat but by ignoring party claims and re-appointing an efficient officer he has shown far more wisdom than would have been evinced by a different course. He serves his party best who serves his country best.—*Somerville Citizen.*

Mr. Wade has served long and honorably at the head of the District Police and it would have been a grave mistake for Gov. Russell not to have continued him in that responsible office.

Piano-Forte Instruction.

Miss M. L. Bancroft,

12 Franklin Street, Woburn.

Private instruction in Modern Pianoforte Playing. Superior method. Equal attention given to beginners and advanced students.

—ALSO,—

SOLOIST AND ACCOMPANIST.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, May 9, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

H. B. Buck, John Howe, Cherry St., Mr. Wm. Ward.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

Houses for sale in Malden at great bargains. Mrs. C. P. Lacoste 62 Pleasant street.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "Mercy and Truth Meeting Together."

CONGREGATIONAL.—At 10.30 a. m. the pastor will preach. Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evening.

METHODIST—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Prelude, Granting licenses to Criminals. Subject: "Weighed in the balance and found wanting." Epworth League at 6 p. m. Revival Services at 7 p. m. Preaching by Miss Jillie N. Mayhew of Boston. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, May 13, Ellen Cullen, aged 3 months.
In Somerville, May 6, Deborah M. Page, formerly of this city, aged 66 years.
In Methuen, May 10, John R. Lane, formerly of this city, aged 66 years, 10 months.

Spring Medicine

The popularity which Hood's Sarsaparilla has attained as a Spring Medicine is simply wonderful. It is recognized everywhere as the leading preparation for this season, and no other article in the market begins to reach the sale which this medicine has gained. Any druggist will confirm this statement. Hood's Sarsaparilla has reached this position of the people's favorite spring medicine, because it does all that is claimed for it. It contains those properties which are known to medical science as powerful in removing poisonous impurities from the blood, and by their tonic effect to restore waste tissues and drive away weakness and debility.

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At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's **Peculiar** Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it e

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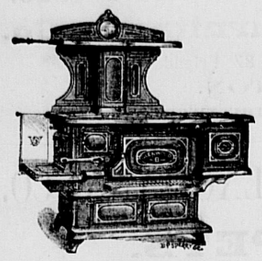

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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

The Other Side.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—It would appear to be the misfortune of Mayor Bean and the Aldermen who have thus far supported him that the local papers have been arrayed against them. The JOURNAL has, however, displayed a disposition to deal fairly with the Mayor and I write this letter because I feel that the public should be told some things which may not be generally known. The Mayor has done well not to notice the attacks which have been made upon him, the motives for which can be easily discerned. The citizens did their own thinking before the last election and may be expected to do so now.

Now with regard to the matter of licenses. There were some 30 or more applicants for licenses. Of these 30, three were known to have supported Mayor Bean last Fall and 27 more or less opposed him. The public has been asked to watch and see whether these three get licenses. Would it not be as pertinent and appropriate to ask them to see how many of the 27 are among the fortunate ones? If it were true that the Mayor proposed that those three should be licensed, would it be a more serious offence than that certain Aldermen were determined that the right to sell liquor should be given only to those selected from the 27?

It has been stated that in order that J. F. Scally might get a license the Mayor would sign 12 licenses to parties selected by the four Aldermen who have opposed him. Has not his course demonstrated the falsity of the claim? It is well known that he has constantly asserted that his action as to the licenses he would not be controlled by the action of the Aldermen as to Scally. It is known that the Mayor has repeatedly stated both in public and private that he had no man for whom he should ask or demand a license, but that he did object to certain parties being licensed. It is known that the Mayor tried to bring about a satisfactory compromise between the two parties in the Board but such effort was futile. It is known that he signed such licenses as he proposed to sign before action was taken as to licensing Scally, and that if he would now sign the licenses which he refused to sign, Scally would get his license at once.

The facts which have leaked out about the first executive session of the Aldermen, when 11 licenses were granted, indicate rather high handed dealing. Under the watchful eye of the leader of the majority 11 licenses were granted, instead of 15; these 11 were voted on one ballot; the four Aldermen each voted for the same list, they refused to grant the other two by a vote of 4 to 3 and gave no reasons. A 15 minute and then a 10 minute recess for consultation was asked for by the minority and each request refused, 4 to 3. No discussion was allowed. The majority wanted none. The thing they were to do was mapped out for them and it was no use to consider the minority.

After this meeting rumor says the Mayor was beset by requests to sign all licenses and requests and advice to sign none. He kept his own counsel. He signed none till the evening when the price of licenses was to be finally settled. To sign before would have done no good. Then he signed nine of the 11 granted. He was ready to give reasons for not signing the other two. He gave them and stood firm upon them. I believe, Mr. Editor, that fair minded men will approve those reasons and commend the Mayor for taking the stand he did and not yield to threats or bluff. He refused to sign McGovern's license because his place which he had built under a promise from some one that he should be licensed was nearer the parochial school than it could by law be to a public school. Those in charge of the parochial school objected to the license and the Mayor took the ground that a private and a public school should be treated alike. He is reported to have refused to sign a license for Rafferty & Martin at Montvale because Martin is foreman of the hose company there, because a licensed saloon in Ward 5 becomes a place of resort from Stoneham and other no license towns near by and derives much of its support therefrom, and because he believes all the licenses should be at the centre where they can be under close police guard. Are these not valid reasons?

Now the disappointed applicants propose, it is said, to apply to the Supreme Court under the inspiring leadership of the Ex-City Solicitor to compel the Mayor to sign common victuallers' licenses and thus force him to sign the first-class liquor licenses. Whatever may be the outcome of this proceeding it seems to me that Mayor Bean is deserving of credit for the stand he has taken in the matter. He has been egregiously misrepresented in this and other matters, but he has conducted himself with dignity; has displayed ability to handle the important question of the city's finances in a competent way, winning the approval of many who did not support him when he was elected; and has endeavored to do his duty as a public official. He has been handicapped and it looks as though a determined effort had been made to discredit him and his acts, but in spite of this the writer believes, as do others who know all the circumstances, that the Mayor has fully justified the confidence reposed in him by the citizens last Fall when they rebuked the same elements in our local politics which are now opposing him. FAIR PLAY.

A JOURNEY

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To Woburn.

800 yards of Straw Mattings have now arrived at C. Willard Smith's Carpet Room, 399 Main St., Woburn.

This is the Largest Stock we have ever shown.

The styles are all new and very desirable.

The prices are very low.

Our 17 cent Straw Matting is as good as many that sell for 25 cents. It is a bargain.

The Mattings we offer at 25 cents are very good styles, and the quality heavy and fine.

At 35 cents we have a fine Seamless Matting.

Our 38 cent Seamless Straw Mattings are a great bargain, and very fine and very heavy.

The usual Boston price on these goods is 50 cents a yard.

We save you twelve cents on every one.

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399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

Found the "Satisfactory Solution."

Woburn is threatened with serious interruption, if not total loss, of her tanning and currying industries in consequence of an order issued by the Supreme Court to restrain Stephen Dow & Co. from discharging the sewage of their tannery into Horn Pond, because by so doing Mystic Pond, from which Boston receives a part of her water supply is thereby polluted.

The injunction is causing much alarm for the future prosperity of the city, as the works are entirely closed in consequence, and should the injunction be made perpetual that firm will look for a location in another town. The Woburn JOURNAL, in an editorial last Friday, called on the Board of Trade to take some active measures to assist the Dow firm in resisting the petition to make the injunction perpetual.

Woburn has comparatively recently adopted a city form of government, having for quite a number of years past made rapid strides in growth of population by reason of her large tanning and currying industries, and not many years ago she was conferred the further boon of being made a main line station of the Boston & Lowell railroad, and to crush her main stay a single blow, as the order is likely to do, would be a serious detriment to her future prospects. Although naturally well fitted for a residential suburb, she is so far from Boston, and so many attractive towns intervene, that many years may elapse before the overflowing tide of population reaches her border. Boston must of course have pure water, but it is to be hoped that Woburn may find some satisfactory solution of the difficulty and retain her hitherto growing and prosperous industry—*Peabody Press.*

Happily all trouble between the Boston authorities and Stephen Dow & Co., of this city has been brought to a permanent close and leather making will be speedily resumed at the old Dow tannery. Last Friday afternoon Boston's application for an injunction against the Dows was dismissed and those gentlemen were placed *in statue quo ante bellum* by the court with an additional entry on the docket of "no further action for the same cause," providing always the proprietors of the tannery use due care and diligence to prevent the pollution of the waters of Horn, Wedge, Mystic, and other Ponds, which of course they will do.

Thus the trouble is settled not only between Boston and the Dows but other cases will be regulated and adjusted on the same basis and our great industry will have no more headflows of a serious character from Boston to contend with. The come-out of this suit will prove to be a good thing for Woburn and insures her future prosperity. What effect the JOURNAL'S position had on the dismissal of proceedings against Stephen Dow & Co. we are not able to say; but that its influence was felt is fair to conclude.

As to Woburn's future growth the *Press* is respectfully informed that that is assured. There has been no period in the last 20 years when her population was not on the increase, and her growth in the future is morally certain of being much more rapid than it has been in the past.

Death of Rev. Fr. Murphy.

The above well known and popular Catholic priest died at his home in Hopkinton at 2 o'clock last Monday morning after an illness of 48 hours of inflammation of the bowels. He was pastor of St. John the Evangelist church in that town to take charge of which he went from Woburn six years ago after a devoted and successful service of 8 or 10 years. While a resident here he was for several years a member of the School Board and took a lively interest in the affairs of the town and had many warm friends outside of the church. Fr. Murphy was born in Ireland, April 25, 1849, and came to America with his parents when but 16. He availed himself of all the means of education accessible in the land of his birth, and on coming here began attending the public schools of Lawrence. Later he entered Holy Cross College, Worcester, and, after winning scholarly distinction there and at the Troy (N. Y.) Seminary, he was ordained a priest in 1875.

After his ordination he was assigned to labor at Arlington, Salem, Lawrence and Woburn. On June 6, 1885, he was appointed pastor of the Hopkinton parish, and at once threw his whole energies into the upbuilding, not only of the uncompleted church, but of the parish itself. Personally suave, dignified, astute and of winning manners and bearing, he made himself beloved by his charge as well because of his great labor for his flock as for his ability. His face was expressive alike of power and benevolence. His form was sturdy, active and shapely, and his bearing was at all times worthy of his calling.

Burlington.

Great improvements and alterations are being made at the "Pines."

James Russell Reed, Esq., of Boston has come to Burlington to spend the summer.

Mr. Nathan Simonds has returned to Burlington and is occupying for a time the house belonging to his brother, Mr. Otis Simonds.

On Thursday of last week, there was a severe fire in the woods on the Turnpike road, which burned over about fifty acres

At the annual election of the Sunday School last Sunday the following officers were chosen. Thomas I. Reed, Superintendent; Mrs. E. S. Curtis, Secretary and Treasurer; Fred F. Rogan, Librarian. Miss Abbie D. Sewall, Mrs. Leila J. Marion and Mrs. J. Foster were chosen to repair and replenish the books in the library.

About Assessing.

WOBURN, MASS., April 30, 1891.

WM. T. GRAMMER, ESQ., Chairman of the Board of Assessors.

Dear Sir:—I beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, addressed to me as City Solicitor, inquiring what is the legal and proper course for the Assessors to pursue in the matter of assessing buildings erected on leased land.

There are two courses equally legal and equally proper which may be pursued, and a third which, although perfectly legal it is not advisable to follow, having in view the ultimate collection by legal process of the tax so assessed in case of failure upon the part of the person assessed to voluntarily pay the same.

This third course is that of assessing the building so erected to the owner of the building as real estate, and the land upon which stands to the owner of the land. While the building may be legally so assessed, it is difficult to see how, in the event of the tax collector being obliged to sell such building to enforce the payment of the tax so assessed, the purchaser at such a tax sale could get any title to the building for which he would be willing to pay value. And as collection by tax sale is the surest way to enforce collection of taxes upon real estate and as such a method would be impractical under the circumstances described, it seems to me that the practice of assessing buildings erected upon leased land to the owner of the buildings a part from the assessment of the land should be discontinued. Of the other two courses that of assessing the buildings and the land upon which it stands to the owner of the buildings is practical when the building is situated on a lot of land the boundaries of which can easily be determined, but this course is open to some objection for the reason that it leaves to the assessors the, at times, somewhat difficult task of discovering who is in fact the owner of the building. And as the only other course avoids all the objections which can be offered to the two already described, it can safely be adopted by the Assessors with the absolute certainty that the collection of taxes assessed in pursuance thereof is insured by a lien upon the land and the building for two years from the first of October of the year in which such taxes are assessed.

I would therefore advise that hereafter the assessors tax to the owner of the land and the building erected on it through the owner of the building and the owner of the land be different and distinct persons. I have the honor to be

Yours respectfully,
FRANCIS P. CURRAN.

Two Duets.

At the entertainment of the Friday Night Club, given last Friday evening, Mrs. Robert J. W. Phinney and Miss Mabel Davis sang very sweetly indeed: "Breezes of Night," and "Spanish Duet."

Some idea of the amount of coal consumed in this country may be derived from a few statistics in the last report of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company. The total output of this Company for the year ending Nov. 30, 1890, averaged over twenty-three thousand tons per day; the lands owned by it comprise one-third of the entire anthracite coal fields of the world; the value of the property with its equipments is over eighty million dollars; and it alone owns fifty-seven collieries on its own lands and works twelve on leased lands. The new management has been most energetic; under President McLeod's and General Manager Henderson's active administration, so ably seconded by General Coal Agent T. M. Richards, the facilities for sales have been greatly increased, and the demand is constantly growing for the Reading coals, which include every variety of coal that is mined, from the hardest white ash to the famous free-burning Brookside, which is the deepest red ash mined. Mr. Edward Sherwin, the sales agent of the Eastern department, at Boston, has been mainly instrumental in bringing the New England business to its present flourishing condition by his unflagging efforts.

WINCHESTER.

It isn't "thunder shower" any longer: it is "electrical storm."

The Assessor has broke loose again and is abroad in the land.

The general impression is that there will be a great deal of building here this season.

Collections from the street letter boxes are now made at 9.30 a. m.; 3.30 and 5 p. m.

After 40 years of valuable service Mr. Charles T. Symmes has resigned from the Fire Dept.

The new boat house of the canoe club is to be an ornament to the town and a credit to the owners.

Capt. C. D. Rooney has been appointed adjutant of the Massachusetts division, Sons of Veterans.

The Highland Bethany Society are going to hold a Fair on the 17th of June at their chapel at the Highlands. If nothing happens to upset their calculations it will be a very nice thing, and worthy of liberal patronage.

On account of illegalities in former proceedings we have got to have some more Town Meetings here this spring. It is a little singular that, with so much native ability and intellectual training—so many astute lawyers and keen parliamentarians—that Winchester can't hold a simple Town Meeting in legal form, isn't it?

Our most petted fad, the Cooking School, has petered out for lack of financial support. And it is a good thing for the public that it is gone. Hereafter the number of dyspeptics in this town will greatly decrease. Cooking School, Forsooth! Can't Winchester find some other silly "Boston Notion" to imitate?

The gangs of gypsy moth slayers sent out by the State Commissioners struck Winchester last week and now "the woods are full of them." "Commission" business may well be said to be "running to emptins" indeed when it gets down to creating one to fight catapillars—pretty small business for a big Commonwealth to worry itself about. But it is a fashionable fad just now.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

the best in the world. Never gripe or make you sick. They are purely vegetable, and will sure cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists."

The prevalent idea in regard to thick food being the most nourishing is erroneous. Mother's milk is quite thin, yet very nutritious. Mellin's Food, when prepared for use, is thin like breast milk and corresponds physiologically to mother's milk.

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FOR BENEFIT OF THE

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Friday, May 22, 1891,

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"To Meet Mr. Thompson"

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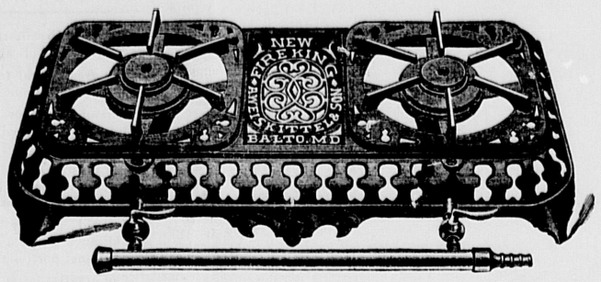

— AND — HEATING.

WOBURN, May 1, 1891,

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" G. F. Jones,
" M. Hayward,
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" Fred. R. Slater,
" A. B. Barrett,
" Wm. N. Titus,
" J. A. Day,
" H. L. Andrews,
" F. A. Winn,

Mrs. J. B. McDonald,
" M. A. Ham,
" E. F. Johnson,
" S. T. Brigham,
" F. W. Crosby,
" Mary C. Blanchard,
" Webster Woodman,
" Chas. A. Nichols,
" Fred. J. Ham,
Miss Hattie A. Kenney,
Mrs. Herbert B. Dow,
" Frank F. Dodge,

Mrs. Frank H. Elliott,
" G. F. Fosdick,
" E. A. Wood,
" J. W. Johnson,
" Benj. Hinckley,
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors and all others interested in the Estate of Julia A. Taylor, late of Wilmington in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George L. Taylor of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May instant at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same;

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Eliza Annie Quimby Stevens, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, William H. Cummings, the Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the est. te of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Executors' Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. George M. Brooks, Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, we shall sell at Public Auction, on Wednesday, the twentieth day of May, A. D. 1891, on the several premises, and at the several times as hereinafter mentioned, the following described lots of real estate, all situated in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., in that part thereof called "North Woburn," such sales to be made for the payment of the debts against the estate of Abigail Winn, late of said Woburn, deceased; the legacies given by her will; and the charges of administration of settling her estate, viz:

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, the Homestead, consisting of a lot of land containing about 36,820 square feet, with the fine dwelling-house and stable thereon, situated at the corner of Main and School streets, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, at the corner of said Main and School streets, the line runs north 9° 30' west, on and by said Main street about one hundred and six and nine-tenths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by said Main street, about eighty-five and five-tenths feet to land late of Prinice S. Barnard, deceased; thence turning to the right, the line runs north 84° east, by land last named, about two hundred and eighty-three and seven-tenths feet to land of Joseph B. McDonald; thence turning to the right the line runs south 12° east, by land of said McDonald, about ninety-nine and eight-tenths feet to a corner; thence turning to the right, the line runs westerly by land late of said Barnard and land of Charles Buck, about seventy-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by land of said Buck, about twelve feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the right, the line runs westerly by land of said Buck and land of Hartly J. Tarr, about one hundred and thirteen feet to a corner; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 7° 30' east, by land of said Tarr, about eighty and seven-tenths feet to said School street; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 78° 10' west, on and by said School street, about ninety-one and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about seven thousand nine hundred and fifteen square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Main street, adjoining land of the North Congregational Church, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on said Main steet, at land of said Church, the line runs south 78° west, by land of said Church, about one hundred and five feet to land of the Rumford Association; thence the line runs north 25° 30' west, by land last named, about fifty-nine and eighty-five one-hundredths feet to Minot street; thence north 76° 30' east, on and by said Minot street, about one hundred and thirty-one and one-half feet to said Main street; thence south 02° 40' east, on and by said Main street, about seventy-eight feet to the point of beginning.

At thirty minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about four thousand five hundred and four square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Poole street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southerly corner of the premises, on said Poole street, at land of James Murray; thence the line runs north 52° 34' west, on and by said Poole street, forty-five feet to a stake; thence north 58° east, by other land of said Winn estate, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to a stake at land late of Alfred Eaton, deceased; thence south 32° east, by land of said Murray, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the condition set forth in a deed of Alfred Eaton to said Abigail Winn, dated January 24, A. D. 1876, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1383, Page 13, viz:—"That no building shall ever be erected or stand on said lot within fifteen feet of said Poole street."

At forty five minutes past three o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will be sold on the same, a certain lot of land containing about five thousand eight hundred and sixty-six square feet, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of said Poole street, and bounded as follows, viz—Beginning at the westerly corner of the premises, on said street, at land of John Connolly; thence the line runs north 58° east, by land of said Connolly, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to land late of Alfred Eaton, deceased; thence south 32° east, by land last named, fifty-eight and one-half feet to a stake; thence south 58° west, by other land of said Winn estate, about one hundred and one-tenth feet to said Poole street; thence north 32° 34' west, on and by said Poole street, fifty-eight and seven-tenths feet, to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the condition set forth in a deed of Alfred Eaton to said Abigail Winn, dated January 24, 1876, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1383, Page 13, viz—"That no building shall ever be erected or stand on said lot within fifteen feet of said Poole street."

Terms and conditions made known at the times and places of sale.

PARKER L. CONVERSE,
LEONARD THOMPSON,
Executors of Will of Abigail Winn.

Woburn, April 30, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Charles Bond, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Daniel W. Bond, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estates of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks, successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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THE CAUSE OF SORROW.

LESSON VII, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MAY 17.

Text of the Lesson, Hosea x, 1-15—Committ Verses, 12, 13—Golden Text, Isa. lix, 2—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "Israel is an empty vine; he bringeth forth fruit unto himself."

In Ps. lxxx, 9-11, and Isa. v, 1-7, Israel is compared to a vine for which everything possible has been done, but which after all yieldeth no fruit, or if any, only sour grapes. In Matt. xxi, 33-41, our Lord Jesus, in the parable of the vineyard, describes God's love to Israel and her treatment of Him and His servants and Son.

2. "Their heart is divided."

"With their mouth they show much love, but their heart goeth after their covetousness" (Ezek. xxxiii, 31). They were like those who try to serve God and mammon, to love God and at the same time love the world that hates God.

3. "For now they shall say, We have no king, because we feared not the Lord."

Jehovah was their king, He brought them out of Egypt, and they accepted Him as such; but when they wanted a king like other nations then they were guilty of rejecting the Lord as their king.

4. "They have spoken words, swearing falsely in making a covenant."

In chap. i, 1, we read that Hosea prophesied in the days of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz and Hezekiah; and in II Chron. xxvi, 16, we read that Uzziah, although for a while trusting in God, afterward transgressed against the Lord his God. And although Jotham did right in the sight of the Lord, yet the people did corruptly (II Chron. xxvii, 2). In the reign of the next king the Lord brought Judah low because of Ahaz, king of Israel (II Chron. xxviii, 19), and even the great and good Hezekiah failed sadly before he died.

5. "The inhabitants of Samaria shall fear because of the calves of Beth-aven."

The abounding judgment spoken of in the last clause of the previous verse (with which compare Amos v, 5, 12) would cause both people and priests to turn to their idols, the golden calves at Dan and Bethel, here spoken of as Beth-aven (the house of iniquity), but they would find no help.

6. "Ephraim shall receive shame, and Israel shall be ashamed of his own counsel."

Ephraim seems to stand here for the ten tribes, and Israel for the whole nation. Ephraim had relied upon Jareb the Assyrian instead of upon Jehovah (chap. v, 13), and the result was that the Assyrian would receive for himself that which Ephraim so highly prized.

7. "As for Samaria, her king is cut off as the foam upon the water."

Quickly cut off as the crest of the wave which is gone in a moment. In chap. vi, 4, the goodness of the nation is compared to a morning cloud and the early dew. In Jas. iv, 14, it is written: "What is your life? It is even a vapor which appeareth for a little time and then vanisheth away." If we have Christ as our life, and delight to trust in Him and do His will, then, come what may, nothing can affect our welfare; but the ungodly when taken from this present life lose everything. See this in Deut. xxx, 19, 20.

8. "They shall say to the mountains, Cover us; and to the hills, Fall on us."

In I Kings xii, 30, the calves at Dan and Bethel are called a sin. While God may bear long with sin He will in due time surely destroy it.

9. "O Israel, thou hast sinned from the days of Gibeah."

The earliest story of Gibeah is in Judg. xx, where the sinful people gained two great victories over those who wanted the sin put away. The sense of this verse seems to be that because God in mercy restrained His wrath, Israel, instead of being by His goodness led to repentance, only increased in sin.

10. "It is in my desire that I should chastise them."

The last clause of this verse is in the R. V. translated, "When they are bound to their two transgressions," referring, no doubt, to Dan and Bethel as the two centers of their idol worship. He will chasten them that He may win them back to Himself, as when He says in Amos iii, 2, "You only have I known of all the families of the earth, therefore I will punish you for all your iniquities." "Whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth" (Heb. xii, 6).

11. "I will make Ephraim to ride, Judah shall plow and Jacob shall break his clods."

The R. V. says, "I will set a rider on Ephraim." The people have been unsubdued, left to themselves, enjoying God's goodness to the full, but rebelling against Him. But now if they will not turn to Him, He will by their enemies subdue them.

12. "Sow to yourselves in righteousness; reap in mercy; break up your fallow ground."

The expression "fallow ground" is found only here and in Jer. iv, 3; but the same word is found in one other place and translated "tillage." "Much food is in the tillage of the poor, but there is that is destroyed for want of judgment" (Prov. xiii, 23).

"It is time to seek the Lord till he come and rain righteousness upon you."

"The righteous Lord loveth righteousness" (Ps. xi, 7), and the righteousness which He loves and requires of His people He provides for them.

13. "Thou didst trust in thy way, in the multitude of thy mighty men."

And therefore they reaped iniquity and ate the fruit of lies. On sowing and reaping see Gal. vi, 7, 8; Hos. viii, 7, and contrast John iv, 35. As to the folly of our ways and thoughts see Isa. lv, 8, 9.

14. "Therefore shall a tumult arise among thy people, and all thy fortresses shall be spoiled."

Their God and King is the Prince of Peace; the Lord will bless His people with peace; He will speak peace unto His people (Isa. ix, 6; Ps. xxix, 11; lxxxv, 8). But if they will not have Him, and choose lies instead of truth, they must accept tumult and spoliation as the consequence. "The hail shall sweep away the refuge of lies, and the waters shall overflow the hiding place" (Isa. xxviii, 17). Happy the one who can truly say, "The Lord is my rock."

15. "So shall Bethel do unto you because of your great wickedness; in a morning shall the king of Israel utterly be cut off."

While this had a literal fulfillment a few years later, we are carried forward in thought to the great fulfillment when "the prince that shall come," "the man of sin," "the one coming in his own name" (Dan. ix, 26, 27; II Thess. ii, 3; John v, 43), shall make the seven years covenant with Israel, break it after three and a half years, and bring in the time of Jacob's trouble, after which he (the beast of Rev. xi, 4-6; xix, 20) shall go to the lake of fire, cut off in that morning when Jesus shall appear in power and glory as Israel's Messiah, and then shall He bring in everlasting righteousness (Ps. xlv; 5, margin; xlix, 14; Dan. ix, 24; Isa. xiv, 17).

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Rev. Asher Moore, formerly pastor of the Roxbury Universalist Church, died at Hammonton, N. J. Mr. Moore was pastor in Roxbury, Mass., about 1838-39, and went from there to Philadelphia. He was over 80 years of age.

KORNER'S BATTLE PRAYER.

Father! I cry to thee!
Round me the billows of battle are pouring—
Round me the thunders of battle are roaring;
Father on high, hear thou my cry—
Father, oh, lead thou me!

Father, oh, lead thou me!
Lead me, o'er death and its terrors victorious—
See, I acknowledge thy will as all glorious;
Point thou the way, lead where it may—
God, I acknowledge thee!

God, I acknowledge thee!
As when the dead leaves of autumn whirl round me
So, when the horrors of war would confound me,
Laugh I at fear, knowing thee near—
Father, oh, bless thou me!

Father, oh, bless thou me!
Living or dying, waking or sleeping,
Such as I am I commit to thy keeping;
Frail though I be, Lord, bless thou me—
Father, I worship thee!

Father, I worship thee!
Not for the love of the riches that perish,
But for the freedom and justice we cherish
Stand we or fall, blessing thee all!
God, I submit to thee!

God, I submit to thee!
Yea, though the terrors of death pass before me—
Yea, with the darkness of death stealing o'er me,
Lord, unto thee bend I the knee—
Father! I cry to thee!

—Eugene Field.

He Was Ahead.

As we swung into line at the battle of Williamsburg to advance on the Confederate sharpshooters posted in a slashing, the regiment halted to dress. I was within one man of the extreme right in the front rank. To the right of us was a narrow lane, and about forty rods up this lane the Confederates were getting a gun into battery.

"That's for us," said the man on the right.

"Yes."

"Solid shot, probably?"

"Guess so."

"It'll hit me first?"

"Of course."

"How much'll you take to trade places?"

"How much'll you give?"

"Five dollars."

"Couldn't think of it."

"Ten."

"Not enough."

"Will you take twenty?"

"No."

"Well, I'll give you twenty-five dollars cash down and my note——."

At that moment the gun was discharged and the missile went screaming twenty feet above our heads, and my comrade finished——

"—For not one durned cent! Thankee, Johnny—I'm fifty dollars ahead on this!"—Detroit Free Press.

Much Passing.

When a stranger comes upon a person living in a lonely place he is usually struck by the complete identification of the man with his locality, and the effect is often droll enough. An illustration of this is given in a scrap of conversation between a traveler and a man who lived in an isolated house on a western prairie.

"You must find it terribly lonely here," observed the visitor, who was prospecting with a view to establishing a cattle ranch. "I suppose there is never any passing?"

"Oh, yes," was the reply, "sometimes there is considerable. Why, only day before yesterday there was three hundred went by."

"Three hundred people!" the visitor exclaimed in amazement. "I shouldn't have thought it possible."

"Oh, not people," said the other, equally surprised at being so mistaken. "Three hundred head of cattle."

"I see," the stranger answered, smiling at his own error. "I have not become part of the country yet or I should have known what you meant."—Youth's Companion.

A Mother's Eyes.

Mistress—Do you like children?

Domestic—Depends a good deal on the children, mum.

"Well, yes, I presume it does. Where did you work last?"

"With Mrs. Goodheart, mum. She had only one child."

"Oh, well, if you could stand that horrid little brat of Mrs. Goodheart's I'm sure you will not object to my six little darlings."—Good News.

A Harmless Symposium.

Spriggs (who is bald)—What makes your whiskers so thin on the right side of your face?

Figgs—Oh, that comes from always sleeping on my right side. That rubs away the hair.

Bliggs—If that's the rule, then I suppose Spriggs must sleep while standing on his head.—Exchange.

The simplicity of mechanism and the total absence of all reciprocating parts make the electric motor peculiarly adapted to the operation of a high speed car, and to these features its decreased weight, in comparison with the steam locomotive, lends additional value.

As the peasant woman of Europe, by her universal application of the handkerchief, suggests its origin in the Dark Ages, so the small boy, who exists forever in a state of barbarism, is by the use of his sleeve also a reminder of the primitive uncleanliness of the past.

Don't treat the hotel clerk as if he were a personal enemy because he does not give you the best room in the house. There is only one best, and the other honored guest arrived first and agreed to pay the price for the room.

Martin Luther, the sturdy old reformer, informs us that the devil appeared to him and so enraged him that he threw a heavy inkstand at him, whereupon the father of all evil vanished.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

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Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Everett, Pa., says: "I suffered for years from kidney and gravel trouble. No physicians or medicine at home did me any good. I finally visited my former home at Rondout, N. Y., and began using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. A few words tell the result. I am a perfectly well and happy woman once more."

HOW HE WORKED IT.

A Boy Sells His Newspapers and Charitable People at the Same Time.

As I was ascending the steps of the "L" road station, not long ago, I nearly stumbled over a very small boy seated at the bottom of the second landing. He was an Italian, about eight years of age. Under his arm was a couple of newspapers, although the hour for selling them was late—10 p. m.

Stopping on the landing above to finish my cigar before boarding the train, I again noticed the boy, who had settled his head comfortably upon his arm and lay apparently fast asleep.

A man came up stairs, lingered a moment at the lad's side and then softly slipped a coin in the boy's hand, making no attempt to awake him. When his benefactor's footsteps died away the urchin started up to examine the coin, spat upon it for luck and stored it away.

The rumble of a downcoming train caused him to prick up his ears and fall back again into his somnolent attitude. A certain infantile grace peeped forth from his smudgy face as it lay upturned, partially revealed by the flickering glare of the gas. His papers dangled carelessly under his left arm, that hung limply and dejectedlike by his left side.

It was an effective pose in its pathos.

Interested, I still watched the artful little fraud.

Passengers began to ascend. The first, a prim, spinsterlike female, stopped short, handed him a coin, bade him keep the change, took a paper, advised him to go on, and went on.

After her tripped an airy, fairylike miss, amid a great rustling of skirts, radiant in beauty that set off to advantage sparkling jewels and rich raiment. She threw up her hands in dismay and emitted a little cry of horror.

"Oh, George," she cried, "see there!"

George was her escort.

He gallantly rose at once to the situation. Diving into his pocket he transferred therefrom quite a little sum of jingling change into the boy's hand.

Sympathy seemed contagious.

Other passengers contributed liberally and went their ways leaving the boy alone.

He sat upright, carefully counted the spoils and then settled down again for more business. How long this lasted, whether the little fellow had evolved this scheme from his own inner consciousness or been padroned, so to say, into it I had no time to ascertain.

This is but one incident in a thousand in metropolitan life which reveals that charitable people are hoodwinked very often in their indiscrimate almsgiving—New York Herald.

Portable Bath.

An ingenious arrangement has been designed to enable a stream of water to be thrown in any direction by means of a pump worked by the feet of the person using the arrangement. A small platform is provided, on which two pedals are fitted in such a way that the heels of the user can rest upon them, and by the pressure set up and a slight muscular action a small pump is operated. This enables the water to be drawn from a vessel detached from the main device and ejected by means of a nozzle. This device is adapted for several purposes, one of which is a portable bath.

In this application the platform is placed in the middle of a tray, in which the water can be received after use, and the outlet pipe terminates in a combined brush and rose. The chief feature in this arrangement is that it leaves both hands free, the mere swaying of the body being sufficient to give the necessary power for pumping. The contrivance is also being applied to such purposes as window cleaning, garden sprinkling and carriage washing.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

What He Was Trying to Think Of.

The doctor had been called to see a German who hadn't been able to retain anything on his stomach. In the examining interview he was telling of how he had tried milk in lime water and so forth, but he could not remember what kind of milk it was.

"Oh, how I do wish I cud tole vot kind of milk dot vas!" he exclaimed.

"Wasn't cow's?"

"No."

"Goat's?"

"No."

"Maybe it was mare's milk.

"No; oh, how I do vish I cud tole vat kind of milk dot vas, anyhow."

Then after studying awhile he suddenly turned to his wife and said:

"Vive, vat vas der shackasses' vife's name?"

That was the kind of milk he was trying to think of.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Descent of Man.

She—How terribly shabby looking that man is? Who is he?

He—Sh! He is descended from one of the oldest families in England.

"I thought he looked rather come down."—St. Joseph News.

First Impressions.

First impressions are always important, and I once knew a dear old gentleman who told me that he "had quite given up calling on a lady because her butler never looked glad to see him."—Fortnightly Review.

Her Choice.

Mr. Charles Clasper—Dearest, of all countries, which is your favorite?

Miss Clara Cuddlesome (softly)—I rather think, Charlie dear, that I prefer Lapland.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

According to the latest observations which Dr. Finsterwalder has published, as stated in the Scottish Geographical Magazine, the region occupied by advancing glaciers is extending from west to east, and has lately crossed the limits of the eastern Alps. The glaciers in this region have been receding during the last thirty years, but now there is undeniable proof that those of the Ortler group, at any rate, are in a state of progression.

Shrewdly Done.

"Some time ago I was trading in a village store," says a correspondent, "when one of the clerks came to the junior partner, who chanced to be waiting on me, and said: 'Won't you please step to the desk a moment. Pat Flynn wants to settle his bill and insists on having a receipt.'

"The merchant was evidently annoyed. 'Why, what does he want of a receipt?' he said; 'we never give one. Simply cross his account off the book; that is receipt enough.'

"'So I told him,' answered the clerk, 'but he is not satisfied. You had better see him.'

"So the proprietor stepped to the desk, and after greeting Pat with a 'good morning' said, 'You wished to settle your bill, did you?' to which Pat replied in the affirmative.

"'Well,' said the merchant, 'there is no need of my giving you a receipt. See! I will cross your account off the book;' and suiting the action to the word he drew his pencil diagonally across the account. 'That is as good as a receipt.'

"'And do ye mane that that settles it?' said Pat.

"'That settles it,' said the merchant.

"'And ye're shure ye'll never be after askin' me fur it again?'

"'We'll never ask you for it again,' said the merchant, decidedly.

"'Faith, thin,' said Pat, 'and I'll be after kapin' me money in me pocket, for I haven't paid it yet.'

"The merchant's face flushed angrily, as he retorted, 'Oh, well, I can rub that out.'

"'Faith, now, and I thought that same,' said Pat.

"It is needless to add that Pat obtained his receipt."—Youth's Companion.

The Attachment Was Accidental.

The cars on the Fourth street cable running east were almost deserted on Saturday afternoon, when one, with fewer passengers than any that had preceded it, was passing Lafayette park. It had almost reached the corner of Mississippi avenue when a young lady of attractive appearance and genuine refinement boarded it. She was evidently a young schoolma'am. She had reached the center of the platform and was facing the interior of the car, where a pleasant faced police officer of Hibernian extraction was seated, together with one or two other passengers. As she was about to step into the car it started with that sudden jerk peculiar to the Fourth street cable. She was of course thrown forward, and in trying to fall into a seat fell into the police officer's lap.

Every one in the car saw just how the accident had occurred, and there was nearly a smile at the young lady's predicament? She, however, was not the kind to be overcome by an accident of this kind. By the time she was on her feet again she discovered that the lace of her dress had become entangled on the brass buttons of the officer's uniform. The officer saw it at the same time, and while trying to disengage it said, "Madam, I am attached to you." The young lady fully appreciated the situation and pertly answered, "Sir, the attachment is mutual."—St. Louis Republic.

He Was Fresh but Obtuse.

A merchant in St. Louis had been annoyed by a New York drummer until he felt that the time had come to give him a lesson. He was a good man in every other respect, but his freshness more than counterbalanced his merits. One day when he was in the store the merchant asked him to step into the back office. "I've got something to show you that will do you good if you will take it."

Together they walked back, and then suddenly the merchant opened his vest, and over the front of his shirt he had a placard fastened on which was printed in large letters:

"You're too fresh!"

The drummer burst into a hearty laugh, and, slapping the merchant on the back, said: "That's a good one. That fills the bill exactly. Say, let me have that for tonight, will you? I know a fellow up at the hotel who needs that thing badly. He's the freshest duck you ever saw. Let me have it, and I will spring it on him when the boys are all there."

The merchant gave up after that. He said, "Nothing short of a cannon would do that fellow any good."—Dry Goods Retailer and Buyers' Guide.

Getting a Bigger Fee.

Jovial Uncle L., of Poughkeepsie, visits New York about four times a year, and he is a loyal patron of a cozy and conservative hotel not far from Union Square. The waiters there know and like him because he is a cheerful dispenser of dimes. Uncle L. was in town a few days ago for the first time in four months. He enjoyed a comfortable dinner at his favorite hotel and tendered the waiter the customary dime, remarking, "Here's ten cents to get you a cigar."

"Thank you, sah," said the sable attendant. "I s'pose you know, sah (insinuatingly), that cigars hev gone up."

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Had Enough.

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The great Lick telescope, of California, reveals about 100,000 of stars.

Senator Matthew Stanley Quay, of Pennsylvania, earned his first money sawing wood.

The most beautiful unmarried royal girl in all Europe is Princess Alix, of Hesse-Darmstadt.

General Hawley declares that he would much prefer a seat in the Senate to a Cabinet portfolio.

The greatest ocean depth ever found by measurement was in the Atlantic near Puerto Rico, 4651 fathoms.

Mr. Justice Stephen, who resigned from the British bench a week or two ago, will have a pension of $17,500.

Mr. Ernest Morris, a naturalist, died at Indianapolis. He was the author of several important works on entomology.

It is stated that uncleaned tin plates will give an electric current in common water when one is exposed to the light and the other screened.

Bishop McIntyre, the Catholic bishop of Prince Edward Island, died suddenly at the house of Bishop Cameron of Antigonish, P. E. I. He was 73 years of age.

Mr. Archibald Andrews, the oldest men in North Carolina, died near Hillsborough, that state, aged 107 years. He leaves a brother, now over 100 years old.

Dr. John Frederick May, an eminent physician of Washington, D. C., died of pneumonia, in the 79th year of his age. He was a son of Dr. Frederick May of Boston.

Jerome C. Burnett, chief of the national bank division of the United States treasury department for 15 years, died of paralysis, resulting from the grip, aged 58 years.

Mr. Milton Griffin, a well-known Lynn, Mass., business man, died suddenly in this city. He was 47 years old, a native of Epsom, N. H., and went to Lynn in 1861.

Bill Nye and James Whitcomb Riley, who fell out a year or two ago while on a lecture tour because of Riley's over-fondness for the flowing bowl, met in Indianapolis a few days ago and made up.

A new roofing paper is made by applying to the paper a composition of boiled linseed oil and pulverized charcoal. The paper so prepared is said to be perfectly air and water proof under all circumstances.

When Mrs. Ye Cha Yan, the wife of the Corean charge d'affaires at Washington arrived in this country a few years since she knew no English. Now she can converse fluently in the language on any current topic.

The residuum of petroleum distillation, which at one time was a by-product of little value, has now, owing to the increased demands for lubricating oils and wax, become more valuable than the first product.

It is proposed doing away with the old system of lightning rod protection and replacing the rods with narrow ribbons of copper, which will use up the energy of the lightning and save the building from destruction.

An English engineer has designed, and is now manufacturing, a portable cross-cut saw; that is, a large two-man saw that can be folded up into small compass. It is really a flexible chain of saw-teeth riveted together.

Henry H. Smith, the journal clerk of the National House of Representatives, is considered the most able legislative expert in the country, and his knowledge of parliamentary law is unexcelled. He has held his place for twenty years.

The Salem *Gazette* admonishes Massachusetts Republicans not to waste their energy and ruin their prospects by a partisan contest between the friends of candidates, and it suggests that it is safe to look with mistrust upon any "legislative" candidate.

The ratio to the circumference to the diameter of the circle was computed by Archimedes as 22.7, and P. Metius made it 355.112. After a tedious calculation Shanks has now fixed it as far as 530 decimals, and Rutherford has verified the result up to the 440th decimal.

Mr. Joseph H. Sanford, who died in Chelsea, Mass., aged about 70, was a member of a Boston firm over thirty years ago, and for the past eighteen years has been connected with the house of Williams & Coburn on Federal street as book-keeper. He was a native of Brewer, Me.

The Philadelphia *Press* says the census returns show that Philadelphia leads all the cities of the country in the value of their annual product. The city has risen from a "bad second" in 1880, when New York led by $150,000,000, to first place in the present census, in which Philadelphia leads by about $58,000,000.

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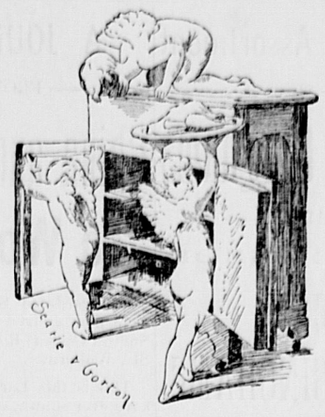

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The Woburn Journal

A HERO OF MARBLEHEAD.

In the year 1808, the good people of Marblehead were aroused to indignation and compassion by the arrival among them of a lad of about eighteen, rescued from a horrible death by one of their own captains.

For a while Robert Jeffrey, for such was the boy's name, was quite a hero, and, ere long, not only the seaport town but all England was ringing with his name. There is a bit of a love story woven with this tale, in which one Dorothy Cutter figures, to which we listened, as we drank from cups of "rare old china, quaint and blue," with one of her descendants, but of that hereafter.

As the good ship V— was passing the island of Sombrero, the captain ordered her hove to, that he might examine the birds that were flying in great numbers around it.

A more naked, desolate and barren spot than this island, one of the Carribean, could not be found. The Atlantic hurled its billows against its rocky sides as if threatening to engulf it. Life was not on it except as the sea gulls made it a resort and the turtle sought it as an occasional playground. Lonely and melancholy, without brooks, springs or verdant vegetation. Great was the surprise to find on it a human being, dying from hunger and thirst. Left to such a fate, by the commander, of his Majesty's sloop of war, the Recruit, on the 13th of December, 1807.

He was picked up by the American "skipper," as the captain was familiarly called, on the 22d of the same month.

His condition may be imagined when we consider that the only food he had partaken of was a dozen limpets that he picked off the rocks, and some bark that was cast ashore. Had it not been for a providential shower of rain that fell, he would have died of thirst. By inserting a quill into the crevices of the rocks, he was enabled to suck up a sufficient quantity of the precious fluid to allay his thirst for nine days.

Let us inquire the cause of this inhuman punishment.

Robert Jeffrey was born in Polperro, a village in Cornwall; he was of a nervous, retiring temperament; but physically strong, as he was brought up to the trade of a blacksmith in his father's shop.

Little did any of his masters think that Bob Jeffrey's name would be brought before the nation until public interest was at fever heat; and a ship, under command of a captain of the navy, would be sent to Boston to find him and bring him home. But such was the case, for at the age of eighteen he was seized by a pressgang, which carried him on board the Recruit, where he was made armorer's mate.

She sailed for the West Indies. Her stock of water ran so low that the crew were allowanced to a small quantity daily.

Jeffrey's crime was drawing off about two quarts of spruce beer in a bucket, a part of which he drank. For this he was landed on the island without food or drink, shoes or stockings, and without covering. A strip of canvas, on which was painted thief was sewed on his back. One of the boat's crew humanely gave him his shoes, another a knife and handkerchief.

When the Recruit joined the admiral's squadron the cruel deed came to the admiral's ears, and he not only severely reprimanded Captain —— for his cruelty, but commanded him to return and look for the man. What were the feelings of the same officer and men who landed the poor victim, as they climbed the craggy, sharp ascent, traversed the flat summit, naked unless a little wire like grass can be termed a production. A thin coat of sand covered the rocks, but the many sparkling pools of water were salt of the ocean.

A rude tomahawk handle and a pair of ragged trousers convinced them that Jeffrey had met a violent death.

The Recruit again quitted Sombrero for Bardadoes, and captain L— assured the admiral that the lad was safe, in all probability picked up by some passing vessel.

For two years the matter rested; then some one, having a pique against the admiral, appealed to a member of parliament.

Then followed a court of inquiry, court martial, and the dismissal of captain L— from his Majesty's service.

The verdict received the entire approbation of the country, but where was the victim, was he dead or alive? A report went out that an American ship had rescued him.

In the meantime, what was our hero doing, and why did he not write to his poor mother?

He charged the men who landed him on Sombrero not to tell her of his fate. Surely if he were living he would seek to let her know it, thus reasoned the simple folks of Cornwell.

He was soon restored to health, and the people of Marblehead supplied him with clothes, work and wages. In the worthy smith's family, where he found a home, were no children; but the good wife's niece, mistress Dorothy Cutter, was staying with her aunt.

Dorothy was the daughter of a wealth farmer and distiller in Connecticut. Her home, by the pleasant Housatonic, was dear to her heart, but she loved the seaport town, we are told.

Doubtless Rob sat in the gallery in the "strangers' seat" on Sundays, and he watched the fair maid as she sat demurely, with eyes fixed on the sounding board and a sprig of fennel in her hands. Perhaps he lunched with her on "seed cakes" in the graveyard "between meetings." Tradition saith not.

Possibly her skill in adjusting a huge kettle on the crane, or handling the long shovel and oven broom, won his heart.

The only description of her that has come down to us is that she was comely to look upon." Rob was musical perhaps, and could whistle the Battle of Prague, Blue-eyed Mary or Flueve du Tage, for music had its power over the feminine heart then as now.

In the Times for Feb. 13, 1810, appeared the full particulars of this singular cose, and in Cobbett's famous Weekly Register articles that showed public excitement to be extremely great.

A popular leader in the House of Commons made a motion that further inquiries be made.

Official instructions were forwarded to the plenipotentiary in the United States. Jeffrey was found, taken before a magistrate, made his declaration which he signed with a cross.

This appeared in all the newspapers in England. Public news paper interest was at once rekindled by a letter, which was published, from hi smother, declaring it to be a fabrication, as her son could write a good hand.

The cross was a confirmation of this opinion.

Mr. Cobbett fanned the flame to a fierce blaze by asking:—

"Is this the treatment our 'jolly tars' are to expect?"

This proved the climax in young Jeffrey's history.

Those in authority took a decisive step, and a ship was sent to bring him home.

An announcement, after due time, appeared in the Morning Post!

"Jeffrey, the seaman, was this day discharged from the navy, by order of the Lord Commissioners of the Admiralty. He was immediately brought on shore and set off for London."

All was joy, the bells of his native village rang out a joyous welcome and the Times of that date says "It is scarcely possible to express the cordial greeting and exulting transports that attended his arrival."

The meeting between mother and son was affecting.

There are several circumstances in this curious history that require explanation.

The tomahawk was a part of a fisherman's hatchet, the trousers did not belong to Jeffrey.

The signing with a cross, instead of writing his name, was the caprice of a moment.

This wonderful fellow was so engrossed with his mother and the warm-hearted villagers, that he forgot (or was he saving postage?) to write to his little sweetheart until she was the wife of a worthy young Welshman, with a Cambrian name and a marked tinge of the Welsh dialect. If this was fiction, Dorothy would have died of a broken heart instead of living to good old age. Or the jolly tar would have crossed the Atlantic in a cockle shell to wed his beloved.

But such is life.

While Robert was in London, he became one of the metropolitan lions, and was visited by crowds of persons to his pecuniary advantage. Captain L—— came to an agreement by which Jeffrey was compensated for all his wrongs, on condition that he should remove to his native village.

So you see, gentle reader, he could not go back and marry Dorothy, or was she a myth, born of the hour and the enchantment of old china?

As we drained the last drop of tea from those precious little blue cups, my heart was filled with admiration for Dorothy.

Daughter of the land of "blue laws" believer of "what is to be will be," you are a model for the girls of the nineteenth century.—*Portland Transcript.*

THEY ALL HAD SOAP.

Chicago Politicians Fall Easy Victims to the Persuasive Fakir.

The other evening as a representative of The Post walked down the corridor leading to the Mayor's office he met Private Secretary O'Neil wending his way homeward. The genial Tom carried under his arm a lengthy and somewhat peculiarly shaped parcel. On being asked passingly what it contained Mr. O'Neil blushed, but, like the father of his country, he couldn't lie about it, so in a low tone he answered:

"It's a bar of soap."

A moment later Deputy Comptroller Frank Barrett was encountered. He, too, carried a parcel. The curiosity of the reporter was aroused. "What's that?" Frank was asked. Mr. Barrett glanced around him, and he replied hastily:

"Oh, it's only a bar of soap."

Just then Alderman John Summerfield was stepping out of the city clerk's office. Deputy Clerk Van Cleave brushed past him quickly; both carried parcels.

"Bet a quarter I can tell you what you've got under your arm," shouted the alderman after Van's retreating figure.

"I'll go you," said Van.

"It's a bar of soap," interrupted Mr. Summerfield.

"Right you are," interrupted the deputy city clerk. "I owe you a quarter."

"So's mine," mutered the alderman, as he decended to the street floor.

A scene enacted in the mayor's office in the early morning explains this mysterious occurence. About nine o'clock a picturesque looking gentleman, carrying a huge cage, entered and placed the cage on John Fitzsimmons' desk. John took a look at it, and then beat a hasty retreat. The object that had disturbed the equanimity of Mr. Fitzsimmons was a bat of enormous dimensions, with gauzy, filmy wings, each at least two feet long, and the head and body of a monstrous rat.

"What's that?" exclaimed Tom O'Neil in horror stricken accents.

"The great vampire of South America, whose food is the blood of sleeping victims and whose home is"— and the gentleman with the cage talked until he ran down.

"What do you feed it on?" asked Alderman Summerfield, who had just happened in, and was glancing timorously at the cage. "Raw beef and liver," was the prompt reply.

By this time a crowd of goodly proportions had gathered round the vampire and its owner. Just then the latter drew from his pocket a long slab of something that looked like a sheet of cork and placed it against the cage. It was gnawed on one edge, and everybody thought it was the vampire's food. With that wonderful unanimity which, like the proverbial "touch of nature," often shows the whole world to be kin, the entire crowd cried out:

"What's that?"

This was the vampire man's opportunity. "That, gentlemen," he exclaimed, while a ray of luminous intelligence played round his countenance, "is a piece of bark of the soap tree of South America. From it has been manufactured a preparation unrivaled in cleaning gloves, taking grease spots from hats"— And before any one could break away the fakir had the respective hat of at least six in the crowd, diligently rubbing away at them with his preparation. That's how the alder men, the deputy city clerk, the mayor's private secretary and the deputy comptroller went home that evening each with a bar of soap under his arm.—Chicago Post.

Formation of Coal.

There are half a dozen or more theories to account for the formation of coal, each of which differs from all the others in some particulars. It is known, however, that most of the coal was formed in what the geologists call the carboniferous age, which was far earlier than the appearance of the higher animals or man upon the earth. In that period large areas of the globe were covered with a vegetation much more luxuriant than is found even in the tropics now. The atmospheric conditions were favorable at that time to the formation of beds of peat from this vegetation after its death. This peat, being submerged by the downward movement of the earth's crust and eventually buried under an immense weight of sediment, lost much of its moisture by distillation, and at last, after hundreds of centuries of time, became hardened and changed into the condition in which it now appears as coal.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

She Stopped for Breakfast.

A Dominican, in vogue in Paris as a preacher, the Rev. Pere Ollivier, is renowned for calling to order, without scruples, his pretty hearers. A lady arrived very late at his sermon. The noise of the moving of the chairs, as she walked up the church, much disturbed the reverend father, who spoke to her ironically in these words: "Madame is late. She doubtless stopped to take her cup of chocolate." At first surprised and embarrassed, she grew very red, and then replied, in a clear voice that resounded in the deep silence of the church, "Yes, my reverend father, and a little roll with it."

Couldn't Have Made One.

Hoffman Howes—I may wemind you, sir, that my ancestaws left me an honored name.

Tom Knox—And a very thoughtful act it was in them, to be sure.—Puck.

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Whiskers.

"You may shave them off—all, all," said a stout man with a wealth of brown beard, as he settled down into the red plush depths of a barber chair in the Burnet House and sighed feelingly as the barber picked up the glittering shears. "I have been worried to death by my beard," the stout man explained, "and I'm tired of it. You may give me a clean shave." He had been referred to so often as "Whiskers" that it had made him tired. That was why he bought a clean shave and sacrificed his beautiful hirsuite chest protector. It seems to be true that a more exasperating epithet than "Whiskers!" cannot be applied to a man. He resents the use of a word which describes his personal adornments a thousand times more indignantly than he would a word of brutal and insulting significance. The word whiskers has become so thoroughly identified with slang that its use in any way at all by a comedian nowadays is sure to call out a howl of laughter from an audience.

Men who wear whiskers are often guyed by the small boys in the street, particularly if the wind is strong. The ridicule of the mob, however, seems to be based on sensible ground. There is a certain amount of attractiveness about a well trimmed and symmetrical mustache, and a look of martial dignity is often imparted by a mustache and imperial. Men wear close trimmed and gracefully fashioned beards with good effect, and the beards are often a great protection to delicate throats. But there is no reason except misguided vanity for the cultivation and nurture of long side whiskers, which are always in the way, and invariably make a man look like an amiable caricature of the late lamented Lord Dundreary.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

All Around the House.

There is upon the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad, just below Conewago, the connecting station of the Lebanon railroad, a house' standing near the broad steel belt, of which every side can be seen when the landscape slides by as the train speeds over the rails. This is an historic old mansion of stone, which has withstood the winds and winters of a century. Just as the train turns the sharp curve below Conewago station the eastern side of the mansion looms into view, and as the distance narrows the southern walls and windows seem to turn toward the eye.

In another instant, as the curve still winds, the western end takes the place of the southern, and while the iron horse speeds on in its rapid passage the train gives another turn and brings the northern side of the house into plain view. This is regarded as a curiosity by railroad men, and though few of the thousands who travel between the east and the west know of this curious location, it is always interesting to hear the engineer talk through the noise and rattle of the train to his fireman, telling him for the thousandth time that "that 'ere crazy house is looming up before."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Why People Like Each Other.

One of the first and longest steps of progress toward intimate acquaintance is made by the discovery of some point of agreement. No matter how small it may be it serves to a certain extent. Jones, who does not like butter, may find that Brown has a similar distaste for it. Immediately a gleam of friendly recoguition shoots from the eyes of each. However slight and weak, there is a link of human sympathy between them. They may even remember each other, although they never meet again, simply because neither likes butter. Then, if it should transpire that there are other points of agreement, the delighted surprise and confidence deepens; Brown and Jones are cronies for life.

Or it may not be Brown and Jones, it may be John and Arabella; then more may come of it, as in the case of the pair in the "Story of an African Farm," wherein the lady asks the swain, "Did you ever have convulsions when you were a baby?" "Yes," said the young man. "Strange," said she; "I had convulsions too; wonderful that we should be so much alike!" And agreement progresses to matrimony.—Boston Transcript.

When Knowledge Is Valuable.

The faculty of having one's mind pigeon holed is of great value. Some people have their mental bookcases and storerooms piled up with a mass of material, all valuable, perhaps, in its way, but jumbled up and piled together so that when any one thing is wanted it is not to be had without overhauling ten times as much other material, which, however valuable it may be in itself, has no particular use at the moment of search. Other people can lay their mental hands on any particular fact or fancy at a moment's notice, and can keep on pulling out other facts and fancies of the same general character until they have told or found all they know. There is such a thing as an embarrassment of riches in one's mental treasury as well as in matters material.—New York Continent.

Hard Work Will Count.

An able man, himself a hard worker, has said, "Fourteen hours' hard work a day will make any man a genius," and in this has added a new epigram to the world's store. It is the plodder who "gets there." This is to be considered no argument in favor of "puttering," for puttering and plodding are as far apart as night and morning. It is simply a point in recognition of the merits of pertinacity as a virtue.—New York Continent.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cures him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

There is no safeguard like a newspaper. Nothing can do more to keep up a town and help business. The town that supports a good local paper is the town that is successful and growing, and the newspaper that keeps up with and a little in advance of the town's growth is the one that will live long and prosper.

The Wonderful Tower.

The highest structure in the world is Eiffel Tower, at Paris, 1,000 feet high. But the great discovery of Dr. Franklin Miles is certain to tower far above it in promoting human happiness and health. This wonderful nerve medicine builds up worn out systems, cures fits, sparms, headache, nervous prostration, dizziness, sleeplessness, monthly pains, sexual troubles, etc. Mrs. John R. Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., and J. D. Ta

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE NEW DISTRICTS.

So far as heard from the Committee's report on the Congressional re-districting of the State under the census of 1890 falls far short of satisfying any considerable portion of the Republican party. Complaints reach the State House from all quarters of the Commonwealth, so it is said, and not without good reason.

It was expected that a Committee composed of a majority of Republicans would make a report that would at least deal fairly by their party and not yield up to them everything the Democrats might ask for. It would naturally be supposed that they would give their own political friends a fair shake but instead of that, if the Democrats on the Committee had had everything their own way, they would not have had the impudence to demand more than the Republicans have given them without asking.

It was generally believed that the Committee would divide the State up in such a way as to make 9 solid Republican Districts, 2 solid Democratic Districts, and 2 pretty evenly balanced ones to be captured by the best fighters and smartest workers. But instead of of doing that almost the reverse of it was done, the Democrats being given 6 or 7 Districts sure for their candidates, 2 or 3 made solid Republican, and the others more Democratic than Republican. On the basis of the last Presidential vote a division such as was expected by the Republicans, to wit, 9 Republicans, 2 Democratic, 2 doubtful Districts, would have been a just and equitable.

What excuse do these week-kneed and weaker-minded Republicans give for surrendering everything to the enemy before a blow had been struck? Simply, that any arrangement of the Districts more favorable to the Republicans would not have commanded the support of the Democratic Senate or the approval of the Democratic Governor, and therefore could not have gone through. It ought to be added that a few sentimental Republicans had insisted from the start that the Democrats should be dealt generously by. Wouldn't it have been a better way to deal justly by all rather than generously by some at the expense of others? The reasons given are too shallow for anything.

The Republicans of this State don't ask for anything but what is fair and right. They are not pleading for any favors from the Democracy. All they want is what actually belongs for them, and on that ground they demand to have the report of the redistricting committee thrown overboard and a new bill brought in. If the Republicans on the Committee (who were in the majority) had had the grit to give their party what in justice belonged to them without fear or favor and regardless of Democratic kicking, they would have done themselves honor and helped the Republican party; but the cowardly manner in which they surrendered everything nearly into the hands of the Democracy comes far short of meeting the approval of the Republican masses however it may be regarded by members of the Legislature.

The bill ought to be killed, and judging from present appearances such is likely to be its fate.

SENATOR WYER'S VIEWS.

"I am just looking over the bill, and exactly what I think of it I am not prepared to say.

"My views on the subject are quite pronounced. In my opinion these endowment orders and bond companies are no more or no better than any enterprise which carries on horse racing, pool selling or gambling of any kind or character.

"What amendments I shall vote for of course I cannot say, but I shall favor any wholesome legislation governing such orders and associations. The promised profits which these companies hold out to unsuspecting persons are ridiculous in the extreme, and are not in keeping with ordinary business transactions."—*Boston Herald.*

Few matters have come up in the present Legislature in which a more lively interest was felt than the subject of endowment companies, and few bills have been fought more earnestly pro and con than that which virtually prohibits such companies from doing business in this State. While the bill was pending Senator Wyer of this District expressed his opinion of it to a *Herald* reporter as above set forth. The opinion which he holds respecting these organizations is shared by at least three-fourths of the people of the State, and the Legislature did a good thing to cut short their career and prevent the farther spread of them.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Caswell—Lacoste.
H. Dodd—Hudson.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
T. C. Evans—Wanted.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
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J. G. Maguire—Citation.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
W. R. Putnam—For Sale.
W. A. Mullett—Wall Paper.
No. 237 Main Street—Dog Cart.
J. G. Maguire—Mortgagee's Sale.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Mr. Williams has got back from New York.

— Read the important change in the card of the Boston Branch.

— Hose 3, Cummingsville, have bought a new horse for their cart.

— The National Band will furnish the music for Memorial Day here.

— Mr. John Burns of York State is revisiting the scenes of his childhood here.

— Mr. Jones is putting our city highways into the best of shape for summer use.

— Mr. A. V. Haynes is laying out some money in repairs on his nice residence on Pleasant street.

— The Celtics will hold their annual picnic in Baldwin's Grove on the afternoon and evening of May 30.

— Undertaker Reade bought a fine span of horses of Mr. Charles Cummings the other day for his hack.

— Miss Maggie Graham of the West Side has been making a pleasant visit among friends in New York.

— Commander Graves and the committee have arranged for impressive ceremonies here on Memorial Day.

— Miss Nellie Platts has returned to Brooklyn, N. Y. She has been visiting Mrs. Miller on Mt. Pleasant st.

— Last week Mr. F. E. Lovell, the popular druggist, enjoyed a pleasant visit from his father, Mr. J. L. Lovell.

— A new shop is about to be built by Gowing and Parker on Broad st., for the manufacture of shoe stock, etc.

— There was quite a heavy frost in this vicinity last Monday night. In parts of New Hampshire it was severe.

— The oldest daughter of City Clerk Moreland, who has been very near death's door with pneumonia, is getting better.

— The Hibernians will hold a grand picnic in Pierce's Grove, Horn Pond, on June 20. Boat races will be a chief feature of it.

— Senator Wyer was quite ill at his home on Warren st. last week. Monday was the first time he was outdoors for several days.

— Charles Cummings of Cambridge street sold some fine Canadian horses to the well known Boston dealers, Moses Colman & Son.

— Miss Elsie R. Francis enjoyed a visit from her cousin Miss Minnie Gray of Lowell last week. They had the best kind of a time.

— Mr. Robert Webber of Court st. has got back from the Provinces. He brought a bride with him who was Miss Maggie M. Johnson.

— Mr. Amos Cummings is making a big cut in the prices of overalls, working shirts, outing shirts, etc. He has run them down to hardpan.

— The Veterans have accepted an invitation from Rev. Mr. Murphy and will attend church at the North Congregational church on Sunday before Memorial Day.

— Gilbert's Concert Company who gave a concert to empty seats here last week Thursday must have learned a lesson in advertising that they will not forget very soon.

— The Friday Night Club gave their annual supper on last Friday evening and as usual it was a complete success. There was great enjoyment all round the board.

— Lovers of a good play well played will be sure to go to the Unitarian vestry this evening and take in the drama to be presented there by the very best of home talent.

— An effort is being made to get Frank White out of prison where he is serving a sentence for forgery or embezzlement, we disremember which. He used to live and run a tannery here.

— The old Dow tannery establishment has resumed business in good shape and every body is glad of it. To have lost that leather manufactury would have been rough on Woburn.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery smote the sumsellers of Woburn hip and thigh last Sunday. He carries a sharp tongue in his mouth and when dealing with rum and its vendors he can say as cutting things as the next man.

— Mr. W. R. Putnam advertises for sale about 3 acres of very desirable land, with buildings, etc., located in one of the pleasantest sections of this city. For a summer residence nothing more desirable can be found anywhere.

— At the competitive drill of the W. H. S. B. in June the past officers will present a regulation sword and belt to the Captain of the Company which makes the best showing in the drill. There will be a good deal of scrabbling for that sword.

— Mr. Porters's lecture on Korea last week Thursday evening netted the Charitable Society of that church $24. That was doing remarkably well, but Mr. Porter is a very interesting and instructive lecturer and nowhere is he more popular than in Woburn.

— At the Innitou Canoe Club's regatta on Memorial Day the chief feature will be a single-stroke race which is already exciting a good deal of interest. The prize is to be a silver cup appropriately inscribed, for the possession of which the boys will make a strong pull.

— The recently elected officers of St. Charles C. T. A. are: President, D. D. Begley; Vice President, Thomas J. Feeney; Recording Secretary, Bernard F. Curran; Financial Secretary, John E. McColgan; Treasurer, James Begley; Trustees, Edward McDonald, J. Carey, D. S. Doherty.

— No contraband was found at the Jefferson House, near Lake Ave., kept by our esteemed fellow citizen Mr. Patrick Tenney, by Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott when they raided it last week. Of course! Mr. Tenney is not the man to sell rum without permit of the Excise Board.

— If Editor O'Neil hangs to it good and strong, or in the familiar old phrase, "like death to a defunct darkey," and repeats it often enough, he will be likely to make somebody believe between this time and next Christmas that Mr. Charles E. Eaton has sued Dr. John M. Harlow for $20,000.

— Mr. Thomas J. Feeney has left the Boston *Record*, on which he has served for a year and a half as reporter, and secured a good situation on the Reportorial Staff of the Boston *Herald*. He is an uncommonly smart young man and bids fair to reach the top rung of the journalistic ladder at an early age.

— A copious rain on Friday night and Saturday did a deal of good, for everything, but our Woburn saloons, had become very dry. On Saturday morning there was considerable thunder and lightning and the rain poured in torrents. On Sunday the weather was cool and windy but clear and very bracing.

— We learn with regret that Mr. Benjamin B. Brown has, after 25 years of faithful and efficient service, retired from the position of Sexton of the First Baptist Church in this city. After 25 years of the old one we should think it would come rather hard for the church to be obliged to put up with a new Sexton no matter how good a one.

— At 4 o'clock to-morrow, Saturday, afternoon will be sold at public vendue the N. J. Simonds homestead on Main st., for the A. and M. Association of this city, as is more particularly set forth in the Association's announcement in another column, to which the reader is respectfully referred. It is a fine piece of property and will doubtless fetch a good price. The gathering at the sale will probably be a large one.

— At the regular monthly meeting of the Woburn Co-operative Bank held last week Thursday evening Mr. George Buchanan was elected Vice President in place of Mr. J. W. Hammond. All the money that the Bank had in hand—$2000—was readily sold at 5 and 10 cents premium per share, and more was wanted. This money was taken for building purposes. The affairs of the institution are in a very healthy condition.

— Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Atwood of No. 13 Lawrence street, this city, last Wednesday morning were cordially congratulated on the first appearance at their home of a bouncing boy, hale and hearty, and as lively as a dozen crickets. During the forenoon Mr. Atwood was busy "set'n 'em up" for "the boys," and it is expected that "Old Jed Prouty," a Bucksport (Me.) neighbor of Mr. Atwood, will stand as god-father to the lad.

— Mrs. Susan T. Converse's property, 35 Sherman Place, would make a good one for the firm of Boston clothing manufacturers who want to start a factory in this city. Having been engaged for some years in the manufacture of woolen underwear Mrs. Converse can furnish a plenty of room for the new enterprise with steam power, and everything else necessary for a thoroughly equipped factory. The Committee might think of this with profit.

— The retail traders of this city have organized a Merchants Commercial Agency for mutual protection against beats. At a meeting held last Friday evening an address was delivered by Y. J. McAneney of Chicago, after which a Woburn organization was perfected, and the following officers chosen: President, H. S. Dickinson; Vice-President, A. L. Holdridge; Secretary, L. A. Sylvester; Treasurer, E. G. Clough; Executive Board, W. H. Curtis, N. Z. Tabor, Thomas J. White.

— Speaking in last week's JOURNAL of the success of the drama rendered by the Friday Night Club on the Friday night before we unintentionally omitted to state that Master F. H. Lewis and Mrs. Lewis of the Lewis Music School in this city added largely to the pleasure of the occasion by their contributions of pianoforte music which they generously donated for the good of the cause. Their kindness as well as their music was highly appreciated by the Club, its friends, and the many lovers of the piano among the audience, and the highly artistic performances of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis were greeted with warm applause.

— Mr. William A. Mullett has an illustrated advertisement in this issue of the JOURNAL to which attention is called. He has just opened a fine stock of wall papers, borders, shades, mouldings, etc., at his new store on Walnut street, to an examination of which he respectfully invites the public. There is no better stock or greater variety of styles than Mullett keeps, and his prices are very low. As a house, sign and fresco painter he has no superiors, especially as a frescoer, which the new M. E. church, the Mechanic Building, and others will testify to. Mr. Mullett asks and deserves a fair share of public patronage.

— It is reported that the Park Commissioners have received and have under advisement a petition signed by many prominent citizens to purchase and convert into a Park the triangular piece of land lately the site of Capt. John P. Crane's residence, corner of Main and Warren streets, and dedicate it to public uses. We hope the petition will meet with favor at the hands of the Commissioners, for a few hundred dollars of the city's money could not be put to better use than the purchase of that piece of land for such a purpose. The Cummings Schoolhouse, one of the best in Middlesex county, needs and ought to have it for an extension to its lawn, and if it is not put to public Park use in a few years it will be covered with shanties and rumholes, and then how about your beautiful Cummings Schoolhouse?

— Last Friday evening, at W. H. Roulo's rooms on Main st., Mr. James E. Darmody, the lightning drill champion, was presented with a drum-major's baton, which will be christened on Memorial Day. The present was accompanied by an appropriate speech to which the recipient feelingly replied, after which the party adjoured to the Central House where a fine spread was enjoyed. The gentlemen engaged in the pleasant affair were: W. H. Roulo, Thomas Callahan, J. Burke, James McGrath, Dennis Walsh, M. Bowe, J. O. Moffett, George Nason, Charles Brown, John Lynch, William Leary, J. Callahan, Victor Le Counte, H. N. Conn, William J. Brown, James Roulo, Neil McColgan, John McSweeney, Dr. M. H. Allen, D. S. Doherty, Andrew McHugh, J. Mahern, Herbert Bryant, A. Moffett, G. Moffett, P. T. McEleney, L. J. Finn, E. Gendron, P. Duran, G. B. Bere, Thomas McCarthy and A. Dickinson.

— *Corr. Boston Globe:* Last Saturday afternoon Edward, the 11-year-old son of John Warren Johnson, saw the account in a local paper of the scheme by which Mr. F. A. Hartwell was swindled recently, and informed his parents that he was the boy who did the errand for the stranger. The latter is unidentified. The boy's story is that one evening he was sent by his mother to a store near his house, and when returning he met a man who asked him to go on an errand for him. The boy at first declined, but the offer of a quarter of a dollar induced him to take the envelope to Mr. Hartwell's. He was instructed to return what he was given to 38 Warren street. At the store he found that Mr. Hinckley lived at 38 Warren street. He had no trouble in getting the money, and with it started for Mr. Hinckley's, but while on Warren street, he heard a whistle, and turning saw the man who sent him, who said he would take the package and save the boy the journey.

— On the receipt of a neatly engraved card bearing the following words a few days since surprise and pleasure had a severe conflict for the mastery in the JOURNAL's susceptible heart. It read in this wise: "Mr. Willard J. Heacock, Miss Clara Barton Perry, Married, Thursday, May fourteenth, Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-one, Weeping Water, Nebraska, At Home," etc. The Perrys, ancestors of the bride, were true-blue Massachusetts Yankees, her father having emigrated to Illinois not far from the time of the Blackhawk War, in which Abraham Lincoln, then anything but a prosperous limb of the legal profession, served as Captain, where he has lived a prosperous and useful life ever since. In the course of years his father (Dr. Perry of Williamstown, Mass.), mother, brothers and sisters followed him to the broad, beautiful prairies of the Sucker State where they settled, became leading and influential members of society, and some of them and their children still remain, the latter esteemed equally with the parents before them. The bride Clara is remembered as a wee chunk of a damsel when her family and the writer's were neighbors and friends in one of the most beautiful little cities in Illinois, and now here she comes modestly holding out her wedding card and giving us a surprise party just as pleasant as pleasant can be. The JOURNAL feels sorry that the condition of its wardrobe, the diminution of its "surplus," and a very foolish rule of the tailor's which makes full payment a condition precedent to delivery of his work to customers, prevented its attendance at the wedding, but here's hoping the fair bride and happy groom may live long to enjoy together the good things that come to them while pleasantly floating down the stream of life.

General Secretary Bailey Gone.

General Secretary J. P. Bailey severed his connection with the Woburn Y. M. C. A. nearly two weeks ago and left this city on last Wednesday for Freeport, Illinois, to take charge of an Association there. Mrs. Bailey and children have been visiting at Troy, N. Y., since the Secretary's resignation here, where he joined them on his way to the West. After duly considering invitations to take charge of Y. M. C. Associations at various places in and out of Massachusetts Mr. Bailey finally concluded to accept the one from Freeport, and in doing so no doubt acted wisely.

Secretary Bailey is in every respect well adapted to and fully equipped for the successful discharge of the duties of a Y. M. C. A. General Secretary and during his stay of two years or so here he has done excellent work. He is a thoroughly good man; a man of undoubted piety; he always works with an eye single to the salvation of his fellowmen and the glory of God; is deeply interested in the spiritual welfare of young men, youth and boys, and by these of the Woburn Association he is held in high esteem and is warmly beloved. Briefly, Mr. Bailey has accomplished a great deal of good during his tenure of office here, and he will do good in Freeport or anywhere else if allowed freedom of plan and action. Freeport, Illinois, Mr. Bailey's future field of labor, is a beautiful city, with a highly intellectual and cultivated population mainly of New England origin; large, wideawake churches; the best of schools; wealth; business; and within easy hailing distance of Chicago, the metropolis of the rich and growing West. Mr. Bailey in making the change has chosen wisely, but he will be missed here and by the Y. M. C. A. Associations all about Boston, to the General Secretaries, managers and members of which he is well and very favorably known.

Mr. Bailey made many fast friends in religious and social circles in this city and the regret at his leave-taking was general and sincere. As a token of the high esteem in which he was held, last Saturday evening, a number of his good friends presented him with a handsome gold watch. Mr. B. A. Tripp, in neat and appropriate language, presented the valuable gift in behalf of the generous donors, which was happily responded to by Secretary Bailey. It was a delightful episode in his Woburn life and work.

At the Boys Meeting at 3 o'clock and the Mens Meeting at 4, last Sunday afternoon, Mr. Bailey took formal leave of the Association and delivered feeling addresses of farewell to those present. At each the parting scene was very affecting, for the boys and men too loved their Secretary and grieved that necessity compelled them to part.

The "experiences" and "testimonies" at the Men's Meeting showed, in part, the magnitude of the work accomplished by the Secretary, and were a tribute to his piety, efficiency and worth more valuable than all the formal sets of "resolutions" that could have been composed and adopted. Many sinners have been brought to Christ through his instrumentality.

When he left for Illinois Mr. Bailey took with him the best wishes of all the most worthy people of Woburn.

That May Party.

The party given by the Ladies Auxiliary to the St. Charles C. T. A. Society at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening was a highly fashionable and very delightful affair. The great Hall was literally crammed with the youthful beauty and gallantry of our city, and the Grand March was a brilliant and inspiring spectacle. It was one of the most hightoned social events of the season, and as the Inauguration Ball of the recently organized Auxiliary it was a signal and very gratifying success. Many rich and elegant dresses were seen among the dancers; jewels flashed in the brilliant gaslight; many of the gentlemen appeared in full evening dress, while the Reception Committee, Floor Managers, Aids, etc., were handsomely attired for the notable and happy occasion.

To Mr. William McGregor of the Dow greenhouses was due the credit for the superb manner in which the Hall was decked out with flowers, plants, ferns and other foleage.

To strains of lively music by Calnan's popular Orchestra the Grand March began at 9 o'clock and formed a brilliant spectacle. It was led by Mr. Dennis D. Begley and Kate McEleney, and Thomas J. Feeney and Lizzie Calnan, and was followed by the dance, in the charming mazes of which the happy party continued until it was almost time for Aurora to put in an appearance above the eastern hills. A merrier dance or one more thoroughly enjoyed was never heard of in this city.

The Reception Committee were: Miss Mary Regan, Miss Susie McDermott, Miss Rose Murray, Miss Mary Crosby, Miss Mary Hickey; Committee of Arrangements, Miss Susie Burns, Miss Nellie O'Brien, Miss Nellie Dever, Miss Katherine Scally, Miss Nellie McDonough, Miss Nellie Fitzgerald.

The floor was in charge of Miss Katherine McEleney, assisted by Miss Lizzie Calnan, with the following-named aids: Miss Annie Keliher, Miss Maggie McKay, Miss Kate Mahoney, Miss Maggie Farry, Miss Mary McEleney, Miss Katherine Looby, Miss Mary Kelley, Miss Julia Mahoney, Miss Nellie O'Brien, Miss Annie Harris, Miss Nora Burns, Miss Lizzie McGovern.

Large delegations attended this splendid May Party from Boston, Lowell, Malden, Winchester, Stoneham and elsewhere, and all were delighted with it.

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Latest Local News.

No. 237 Main st. wants to sell a dog-cart.

Yesterday the weather was summer-like.

Winter Pond is quite a resort for fishing parties now-a-days.

Prior, auctioneer, sold the Abigail Winn lots at No. Woburn last Wednesday.

Memorial Day and Independence Day fall on Saturday. Isn't that just lovely, though?

According to Auditor Preston's report for April the finances of the city are in good condition.

A large number of Y. P. S. C. E. attended the quarterly meeting at Medford last Tuesday evening.

Officer Thomas Mulkeen is looking after the cleansing of the ditch at Conn st. for the Board of Health.

Mrs. Phillips, Assistant City Collector, has returned to her post of duty after an absence of several weeks.

The authorities at Municipal Building are in possession of plans for the new school house at Central Square.

On Wednesday Mr. Charles S. Parker, Editor of the Arlington *Advocate*, paid us a visit which the JOURNAL enjoyed.

The 5th anniversary of the Innitou Canoe Club at Young's last Wednesday proved to be a most delightful occasion.

The First National Bank of Woburn escaped from the great Davis failure at Lynn with only an insignificant scratch.

Miss Emma Fowle, who is a popular and valuable teacher at the Lawrence school, has had quite a serious attack of the grip.

Prof. E. A. Pierce has just completed a history of the Stoneham Public Library for the volume in course of publication by Whittaker Bros.

Principal and Mrs. F. H. Lewis of the Lewis Music School are preparing for one of their delightful concerts to be given next week, the 29th.

The Board of Trade discussed "Sidewalks" and a most excellent spread last Wednesday evening. A letter of regrets from Mayor Bean was read.

The Fifth Mass. V. Regt. will hold their reunion this year at Salem Willows, on June 26. Co. G will be on hand like a box of Day & Martin's blacking.

Yesterday morning Officer Callahan was assaulted by an intoxicated man with a murderous looking knife near Green st. The chap was locked up.

The Callahans were on the rampage last Tuesday night and on Wednesday Bridget got 18 months in the House of Correction, and the other 5 got $5.00 apiece.

Col. W. T. Grammer made a good practical speech on "Sidewalks" before the Board of Trade last Wednesday evening. The Col. *always* makes a good sensible speech.

Miss Jillie M. Mayhew, a student with Rev. Hugh Montgomery, will preach in the M. E. Church next Sunday evening. She is a highly cultivated lady and a fine public speaker.

A collection of mail from the street boxes at 6.15 p. m. is a new and very handy thing. It gives business men a chance to get their letters into the 7.45 p. m. mail to Boston.

It was said that Mr. Frank Flagg, the great market gardener of this city, had some of his early vegtables nipped by the late frost. Others were heard making the same complaint.

Principal Crocker, Master of the Cummings School, entertained pupils of the 9th grade at his home, 96 Garfield Ave., on Wednesday evening. Plays, games and nice refreshments were enjoyed by all present.

In company with Mrs. Gage, F. B. Richardson, and Dr. Harlow, Dea. G. R. Gage rode out last Wednesday for the first time in 6 or 7 months. Everywhere along the line citizens were overjoyed to see him out once more.

Mr. John R. Carter and family will soon move into their future residence on Winn st., the improvements in which will soon be completed. It is a large house, a pleasant location, and very handy to Mr. Carter's business.

When a hand-car with 6 trackmen on it had just passed the Church Ave. crossing going south last Wednesday noon it gave a flop and car, men, crowbars, shovels, et cetera, found themselves in the ditch and nobody injured. "Wat." saw it all and laughed.

Yesterday forenoon the ladies chosen to perform the duty opened the Mite Boxes containing the Home Missionary contributions of the women of the First Congregational church in this city for the past year and found the sum total to be $236.17.

Lawyer Curran has taken steps to find out whether Mayor Bean can be compelled to sign Martin & Rafferty's license or not. He proposes to test the virtues of a mandamus on His Honor and see how he will like it—that is to say, if the S. J. Court will give him one.

Increase of business necessitates an increase of facilities and that is why Mr. Joseph B. McDonald is putting up a large addition to his coal shed on Jefferson Ave. He is getting ready for a big July, August and September business, and finds he must have made room. Hence the addition.

Co. K received a letter from Capt. Benj. A. Witcher at Point Peter, Ga., yesterday in relation to the reception given to Capt. Tidd of the old Co. two weeks ago, which made pleasant reading. The writer was an officer in the Confederate Army and the gentleman who a few years ago returned a sword to Capt. Tidd which was lost on the field of battle.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery had nine cases in the District Court yesterday afternoon against licensed liquor dealers in this city. He is after their scalps and revocation of their licenses. They say, the Dominie's conduct is making a big fluttering among the rumsellers. They don't like his spies and informers. Pretty likely he will pay his respects to Ald. Dearborn and his letter in the JOURNAL to-day.

By the unexpected breaking down of a staging on a house on Second st. last Tuesday afternoon, Donald W. Stewart and Hibbard Thompson, who were building the same, were thrown to the ground, a distance of 25 feet, and received serious injuries. Drs. Frank W. Graves and Harmon were summoned and attended to the cases of the unfortunate men. Stewart was so badly injured that he was sent to the Mass. Gen. Hospital; but Hibbard, although seriously shaken up, was able to walk to his home.

[For the Journal.]

An Explanation.

In your issue of the 15th of May you call for an explanation from me on the position I took in the Board of Aldermen in regard to granting liquor licenses. I will say that I did not receive my election to the Board of Aldermen upon the temperance issue.

In order to get at the facts in regard to granting the liquor licenses we must go back to the time of the first discussion of the matter, not in open Board but in confidence when it was understood among members of the Board of Alderme. with the Mayor, that we should grant only to those who would take both first and fourth class licenses together; and also the druggists; and that we should place them at a higher figure than they were two years ago. March 31, we passed an order making the price of an innholders license $1000; first class $1300, which was $300 more than two years ago; fourth class $500 or $200 more than the old price; and druggist $10. Mr. Fowle filed a notice to reconsider this action. On April 16, it was voted to reconsider the action taken March 31, and the new order read that the price of an innholders license be $1500, first class $1300, fourth class $500, druggist or sixth class $1. An amendment was made to this providing that when a fourth class was taken alone the price should be $1800, which was the price asked for the first and fourth class together.

After the adoption of the order in its amended form, for which I voted, there seemed to be an unfairness about it in my mind and the next day, April 17, I filed a notice to reconsider our action.

April 29, we voted to grant first and fourth class licenses to 11 applicants namely: John Maloney, John H. Connolly, Anthony Doherty, Peter Kenney & Co., Connolly & Kerrigan, Thomas H. McGovern, McNulty & McLaughlin, Rafferty & Martin, Thomas Moore, Thomas G. Merriam & Co. and an innholders license to S. D. Thompson.

May 7, my notice to reconsider was taken up and we made the price of the fourth class license $500, simply striking out the provision made in the amendment that when the fourth class alone was taken the price should be $1800, then voted to grant the remaining two licenses of the first and fourth class, making 13 in all. All of the parties granted licenses had asked for and were voted first and fourth class licenses together.

Now the point of contention is why did I make a motion to reconsider and make void the amendment to the order passed April 16? My reason is, as I stated in support of my motion, that when a party applied for a first and fourth class license and the Board of Aldermen voted to grant them, it then laid within the power of the Mayor to deprive the applicant of the first class license by witholding his signature from the common victuallers license which must go with the first class liquor license, thus obliging the applicant if he took any, to take the fourth class which had also been granted to him by the Board of Aldermen and does not require the Mayor's signature (for as a matter of fact the Board of Aldermen granted thirteen first and fourth class licenses the two classes being granted together) and he would be obliged to pay as much for it as his next door neighbor who has the first and fourth class together, which we were not justified in doing. There was nothing fair about it, we placed the price of licenses high enough and they were obliged to pay it in order to get them, and it is the duty of the Mayor and Police to see that the provisions of the licenses are lived up to.

I do not think we would be justified in passing an order that would keep money out of the City Treasury, when we might have it as well as not. The applicants would never have paid $1800 for a fourth class license which gives them the privilege of selling by the quantity not to be drank on the premises, rather than by glass as allowed by the first class license, which facts are proved by the refusal of McGovern and S. D. Thompson to take out the fourth class license as the price was so high they could not make it pay.

As for keeping thousands of dollars out of the Treasury that is absurd. There is no money being kept out of the Treasury by any act of mine as the one party who has taken a fourth class license alone was granted a first class by the Aldermen and his victuallers license was signed by them but the Mayor withholds his signature, so it is the Mayor who is keeping the money of the Treasury for the party referred to would not have taken the fourth class at the high price of $1800, so that I figure it the city loses by the Mayor's refusal to sign two common victuallers licenses the price of two first class and one fourth class license or $3,100.

Now bear in mind these dates: we first made the price of licenses March 31; April 16, it was voted, on Mr. Fowle's motion, to raise the price of innholders license from $1000 to $1500; and the provision was adopted to fix the price of a fourth class license when taken alone at $1800; April 17 I filed notice to reconsider; April 29 we granted the first lot of 11 first and fourth class licenses then together and not until May 7 was any action taken on my notice to reconsider when we simply struck out the provision about the price of fourth class when taken alone and left the order in its original form, for it was tacitly understood that the first and fourth class should be taken together and all of them were so granted.

No action has been taken since May 7, when we granted Shinkwin & Reddy and J. F. Scally theirs which made the 13 that the law allowed us to grant. Please notice that all the licenses but the two last were voted upon and granted 8 days before any action was taken on my notice to reconsider and those two applied for and took both first and fourth class at the price $1800.

My contention is when a city votes to grant licenses the price of any license should not be placed beyond a reasonable figure as by so doing it would deter persons from taking them out; but by putting them high and at the same time within reason they may be taken by a better class of dealers.

I am satisfied with the position I have taken and I think those who have the best interests of the city in view will sustain my action. As for the opinion of the people in Ward 6. I desire their good opinion and do not look for a forfeiture of it by the action I have taken in the matter of granting licenses on in fixing the price for the same for I can show them that the receipts for licenses will be $7,800 more than they were 2 years ago; but if the people do think otherwise I shall submit to it and still be of the opinion that I have done what was for the interest of the city.

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At 4 o'clock in the afternoon,

The Simonds Estate so-called, situate on Main Street, in Woburn, nearly opposite the Cummings Grammar Schoolhouse.

This property consist of a large Dwelling-house in good repair and with modern conveniences, a Stable, a large Grain-house (now occupied by Jacob A. Ham), a large brick building and 192,548 square feet, or about 4½ acres of land. This land has a frontage of 415 feet on the railroad and 402 feet on Main Street. The southerly bound of the property, extending from Main Street to the railroad, measures 328 feet, and the northerly bound 192 feet. The property is valued by the Assessors at $15,600. The sale is peremptory and will take place rain or shine.

The estate will be sold to the highest bidder.

Full possession of the property will be given immediately. $1,000 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the sale. $10,000 of the purchase money may at the option of the purchaser remain on mortgage at 5 per cent. interest. Others terms will be announced at the sale.

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By JOHN JOHNSON, Treasurer.

For further information apply to EDWARD F. JOHNSON, 424 Main Street.

Woman's Club.

The Woburn Woman's Club assembled on the afternoon of Friday, May 15, to listen to a scholarly and interesting paper given by by Miss Antonia C. de P. Maury entitled "Lookout Towers of Astronomy." Miss Maury is a bright young woman of twenty-five, a graduate of Vassar College, and a teacher of sciences in Prof. Gilman's school at the Harvard Annex.

In her work as assistant to Prof. Pickering in the Draper Observatory at Harvard College, Miss Maury made the discovery that the star Beta Aurigael, by the doubling of the lines in its spectrum at regular intervals, is a close lunary, revolving once in about five days.

Miss Maury is the niece of Henry Draper, the Astronomer, to whom her aunt, Mrs. Draper, has given the Draper Memorial at Harvard.

To those unfamiliar with the terms of Astronomy this lecture may have seemed deep; yet, all could enjoy the beautiful thoughts expressed in such pure English, the apt quotations, and the many explanatory charts and drawings. It was tantalizing to be told we must fly hastily by all the wonders and beauties of the solar system: only a glimpse could we obtain of the sun's spots, the solar cyclones; only a peep at Mars, and Saturn with his eight moons and accompanying rings, and Jupiter—weird amid his dusky cloud bands—was only a phantom in the distance. We were carried on and up into the deep seas of space—leaving behind us Neptune freezing in the pale sunbeam—way out of sight of the planets, to a distance where the sun has dwindled to a star. We approach Vega which is equal to nine hundred suns, we near Arcturus, three thousand times as large as our sun being eleven million times as far away.

The wonders revealed by the spectroscope were shown us by colored charts. The solar spectram showing by its one thousand dark lines that iron and hydrogen are found in the atmosphere of the sun.

A patient study of these signs of substances such as salt and potassium reveals richer results than a study of hieroglyphics on the Rosetta Stone. We were given a description of double stars, and the methods used to prove they were double.

In the milky way do the stars most congregate, growing fewer in number as we go towards the poles of this circle.

The stars collect in clusters so thick that, as can be seen in the Harvard Photographs, they look "as if pepper had been spilled on the plate."

The handle of the sword of Perseus, the cluster forming Hucules, and the Bee Hive in Cancer, are fine examples. Other cloudy patches of light shine in the heavens of extraordinary forms, like rings or spirals, some globular, others irregular.

"These bodies, the true nebular, are the most interesting objects in the sky" for they are thought to be the material from which all heavenly bodies are made.

A summary of the Nebular Hypothesis was given.

The creation of a sphere, with its planets and moons, was explained.

It has been discovered that not only iron but almost all of the earth's metals, also, belong to the sun.

Mrs. Fleming, assistant to Prof. Pickering, aided by several young women, has made a full catalogue of ten thousand plates, whose spectra belong to as many as four or five types.

The dense black lines seen in their spectra are a clue to the presence of Hydrogen which is the most abundant substance in the entire universe. By means of photography are we enabled to peer deeper and yet deeper into space: the sensitive plate—unlike the human eye—retains the images, and accumulates steadily the faint light until stars not to be seen by the telescope have made their tiny impressions.

The whole number of stars now visible in our telescopes is about 100,000,000. We were shown drawings of the sun in eclipse, the Nebula of Andromeda, the Nebulia in the sword of Orion, and some others.

At the close of the lecture the speaker gladly answered many questions, and exhibited numerous photographs of the starry heavens taken at the Harvard Observatory.

—G. M. B.

The next meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club will be held in Music Hall, on the afternoon of Friday, June 5, at 3 o'clock. It will be an afternoon spent with Mrs. Browning and it will be the summer "home talent" meeting.

It is hoped that each member will be prepared with a short quotation from this poet.

At the close of the exercises a Director's meeting will be called to vote upon a matter of importance. A full attendance is desired.

Going For Them.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery is after the liquor dealers of Woburn with all his might and main. A conference yesterday morning between him, Hon. B. B. Johnson of Waltham, Judge Converse and Clerk Bond, resulted in issuing warrants at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for various alleged violations of the liquor law, against: J. Maloney, J. H. Connolly & Co., Anthony Doherty, Connolly & Kerrigan, T. H. McGovern, Rafferty & Martin, S. D. Thompson, Thos. Moore, T. G. Merriam & Co.

The respondents will be arraigned in the District Court next Wednesday.

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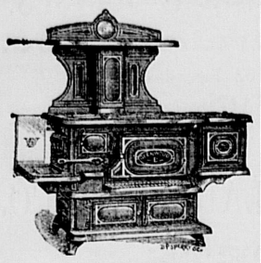

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Mortgagee's Sale
— OF —
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by James McGaffigan to Charles McEleney, dated May 4, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1907, Page 417, and assigned by said Charles McEleney to John G. Maguire by deed of assignment dated May 20th, A. D., 1891, for a breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday, June 13th, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, to wit:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at a stake in the northerly side line of a private way leading in an easterly direction from Main street to the Boston & Lowell Railroad and at land of Garvey; from thence the line runs northwesterly by said land of Garvey and by land of Nelson, one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet, to a stake at land of Edward W. Hudson; thence turning the line runs easterly on and by said land of Hudson forty (40) feet to a stake at land of John P. Crane; thence turning, the line runs southerly on and by said land of Crane parallel with the first line above described and forty (40) feet distant therefrom about one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet to a stake at said private way; thence turning the line runs westerly by and with said private way forty (40) feet to the point of beginning; containing about five thousand (5000) square feet; together with a right of way to and from Main street over the private way above described; being the same premises described in deed of John P. Crane to said McGaffigan, dated March 22, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1896, Page 370.

$100.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid by purchaser at time of sale, other terms will be announced at the sale.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Assignee
and present holder of said mortgage.
Woburn, Mass., May 21, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and others interested in the estate of Annie J. Lafferty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Salmon, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William F. Kenney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Connell, Executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for a license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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Obituary.

In the demise of MR. PETER KENNEY Woburn has lost another of its old landmarks as well as one of its most highly esteemed citizens. Mr. Kenney was an honest man; thoroughly, conscientiously upright; a lover of justice and fair play; and for these characteristics the community held him in high regard.

There was hardly a day in his 40 years residence in Woburn that he was not seen on the streets pleasantly mingling with his fellow citizens, enjoying intercourse with them, for he was of a social nature, courteous and cordial in all his relations with the public. Now that he has gone one of the most familiar figures on our streets will be seen on them no more.

Mr. Kenney was born in County Roscommon, Ireland, June 29, 1826; came to America in 1849; and to Woburn in 1851. He has been in active business here ever since. He died on Friday evening, May 15, and left to sincerely mourn his loss a wife and five children: William F. Kenney of the Boston *Globe*, Thomas W., Peter J., Mary and Teresa, who have the kindest sympathy of this community in their great bereavement.

The funeral was one of the largest that ever took place in Woburn, some 50 hacks and as many private carriages comprising the funeral cortege that accompanied the remains to Calvary cemetery. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. Of these and the funeral the Boston *Globe* said:

At the head of the coffin rested a large floral pillow with a broken pillow in the foreground and at the foot a large harp of roses and evergreen.

On either side were strewn wreaths, garlands and crowns almost without number. Among the latter was a large crown from Volunteer Veteran Firemen's Association and a garland of white roses from Mr. Edward A. Kenney.

Shortly before 9 o'clock the remains were conveyed to St. Charles Catholic church, where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung.

Rev. John Quealy officiated as celebrant, assisted by Rev. James Gilday as deacon, and Rev. Lawrence Slattery as subdeacon. Rev. John F. Kelleher acted as master of ceremonies and Rev. Father Holland of Arlington and Rev. Richard Burke of Lowell occupied seats in the sanctuary. A selected quartet under the direction of Miss A. C. Murphy, rendered the Gregorian Requiem. The quartet was composed of Mrs. F. J. McQueeney, soprano; Mr. W. P. Quinan of St Mary's church Boston, tenor; Mr. C. J. Leary of Waltham, bass, and Mr. W. H. White of Weymouth, second bass. At the offering Mrs. McQueeney sang the the "Dominie" in a most feeling manner.

Among the mourners were ex-Congressman Hayden, Senator John Reade of Charlestown, Senator Wyer of Woburn, Representative T. D. Hever, also of Woburn, City Clerk D. F. Moreland and others of State and National reputation. The pall bearers were Messrs. William Guinan, Thomas Salmon, James McGuire, Richard Carton, Thomas Moore and Thomas Norton. —COM.

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To Furnish the House.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Standard Furniture Co., 23 Washington and 87 Friend St., Boston, which will be found in another column. Although this concern is comparatively new, the members of the firm have a long experience in the trade, and won for themselves a good reputation for honest dealing and polite attention to their customers. Mr. John Rossborough was several years with A. McArthur & Co. Joseph H. Symonds was identified several years with A. McArthur & Co., and the Home Furniture Co. Henry P. Worthley was a member of the old firm of Rossbrough, Symonds & Worthley. The other members have had a long experience in the wholesale trade. We feel justified in recommending any of our readers in want of furniture, carpets, etc., to give them a call before buying elsewhere. With their long experience and large capital we think they can give greater bargains than can be found any where in New England.

House Lots.

For real gilt edge house lots we know of nothing to equal the four just surveyed by W. W. Cummings from Mr. Eustace Cummings's beautiful lawn corner of Garfield Ave. and Green st. They contain 12,000 to 15,000 square feet each. J. I. Munroe, 452 Main st., has plan and prices and can be seen there morning and evening, or at 35 Congress st., room 32, Boston, from 10 to 3 o'clock.

A CARD.

In behalf of myself and family, I desire to thank the members of the Celtic Association, of the Veteran Firemen's Association, and Women's Relief Corps, No. 84, and many kind and thoughtful friends, for remembrances upon the occasion of my late husband's funeral.

MRS. CATHERINE KENNEY.

Woburn, May 21, 1891.

No one would think of feeding an infant on beef or mutton, yet the use of farinaceous foods is scarcely less detrimental to the life and health of the little ones. Mellin's Food is so prepared that it is readily assimilated by the youngest child and forms the only reliable substitute for mother's milk.

Some Old Programmes.

We do not know how much interest attaches to old programmes, but we do know that most people throw them away with the occasion that gave them birth. Once in a while there is a person who makes a collection of them, and such a collection is now before us gathered by a hand that many years ago ceased to perform its accustomed functions, being stilled with its owner by inexorable death. They are the gift of Dr. S. W. Abbott, of Wakefield, to our Public Library, who writes: "The enclosed old programmes turned up among some old papers which my good mother had collected, and if you can find any use for them, please to use them as you think best."

This gift is certainly a useful one to the institution to which it has been given, and we believe the public will be interested in a list of the titles of the ephemeral publications comprising the collection. Some of the earlier ones are very scarce, or in old-book parlance, rare, and some of the later ones are well remembered by the majority of people now living. The earliest dated specimen in the collection is what to the present generation would seem a dismal ode, entitled a "Funeral Piece written for the interment of Mrs. Mary L. Bennett, consort of Rev. Joseph Bennett, at Woburn, February —— 1846, by Rev. Wm. B. Pappan." It contains four stanzas of eight lines each, and is a paraphrase to some extent of the wellknown hymn that used to be sung at funerals to the tune of "China." And it is even more dismal than that, with hardly a ray of hope, and full of decidedly gruesome allusions; needlessly so, we think, in the light of present interpretations of Eternal wisdom and goodness. Still we do not wish to be too hard upon the sentiments expressed in this effusion, for they probably gave satisfaction to the friends of the deceased, or they would not have been printed, as they were, on this single sheet of blue paper within a border of black lines. The writer, who has seen very many Woburn publications, has never before seen a copy of this one, which he esteems, therefore, as very rare.

The next publication in order of date is the "Order of Exercises at the Public Recognition of Rev. John C. Stockbridge, as pastor of the First Baptist Church and Society in Woburn, Jan. 27, 1848." The next, the "Order of Exercises at the Ordination of Mr. Jonathan Edwards, as pastor of the First Congregational church and Society in Woburn, Thursday, Sept. 7, 1848." This is a four page publication, while the former was only one.

The next is a single sheet from the "Woburn Journal Press," entitled, "Order of Exercises at the Public Recognition of Rev. Joseph Ricker, as pastor of the Baptist Church in Woburn, Monday evening, February 14, 1853." Its companion is another issue of the same press, entitled, "Order of Services at the Ordination of Mr. John M. Marsters, as pastor of the First Unitarian Parish in Woburn, on Thursday, April 28, 1853." This is a four-page publication, and the two together, with the ones already mentioned, will restore, we have no doubt, a number of recollections to the minds of a few of our readers.

Next in order is an ode, written for the occasion, at the dedication of Woburn Lyceum Hall, February 25, 1856, by George M. Champney, Esq. The number of stanzas is ten. Next the order of exercises at the installation of Rev. Daniel March, October 1, 1856, from the press of John J. Pippy, printer, Woburn. Next, the programme of a juvenile concert by the children of the "Juvenile Singing School," held in the vestry of the First Baptist Church, on Thursday evening, October 9, 1856. This production was printed by H. N. Hastings, Bank Block, Woburn. Some of the songs sung at this concert were the popular ones of that day, such as "Ellen Bayne," "The Yankee Girl," "A Little More Cider," "Hazel Dell," etc. Some of the titles of the songs have a sober cast, if not a sombre tinge; such as "I have no home," "My Mother's Grave," "O take me home to die," and others. An interesting statement on the programme was, that "Master Frank Ellis will preside at the piano forte." An undated concert programme of this period contained such numbers as "Departed Days," "A Home on the Mountain," "My Father's Grave," etc. Other programmes are those of the "Town of Woburn Celebration of the 82d Anniversary of the National Independence of the United States" [1858]; Ticonderoga Academy, Samuel W. Abbott, A. M., principal, 1858; exercises at third anniversary of Woburn Young Men's Christian Association, June 4, 1860; dedication of Winchester Baptist church edifice, 1864; Woburn High School graduation, 1864; dedication of Woburn Methodist Episcopal Church, 1865; semi-centennial celebration of Charitable Reading Society, Woburn, 1865; fiftieth anniversary of Woburn First Baptist Sabbath School, 1868; Woburn High School graduation, 1868; installation of Rev. Stephen R. Dennen, Woburn, 1868; annual exhibition of Central Grammar school, Woburn, July 2, 1868; also a roll of honor of that school, for November, 1868; semi centennial celebration of Sabbath School of First Congregational church, Woburn, 1868; installation of Rev. W. S. Barnes, First Unitarian Parish, Woburn, 1869; and dedication of Soldiers' Monument, Woburn, Oct. 14, 1869.

There are also a few pieces such as the programme of a "Grand Concert and Exhibition of the New Organ in the Baptist church, Woburn, by Mr. J. H. Wilcox, of Boston, assisted by Miss Annie L. Cary, and Mr. P. H. Powers, on Thursday evening, June 1st, 1865." Miss Annie L. Cary, is now the celebrated Mrs. Annie Louise Cary-Raymond. There is also the printed invitation to a social gathering and pewletting of the First Baptist church, Woburn, on the evening of July 16, 1868, and the Memorial Day programme for Woburn, on May 29, 1869. There are besides two tickets, one admitting the bearer to a social festival in aid of the Woburn Branch of the Sanitary Commission, at Lyceum Hall, Woburn, on Tuesday evening, February 2, 1864, and the other to a Phalanx Associates' supper, at the Central House, on the evening of March 21, 1865. Such articles it is true, as the hand of time touches them, are certainly "worth keeping," and acquire of themselves an interesting value as exponents of the deeds and actions of a now distant past.—C.

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There will be a short street parade by the Veterans escorted by the Mechanic Phalanx and W. H. S. B., preceded by a Band of music.

At 3.30 p. m. public ceremonies will be held at Lyceum Hall, to attend which a general invitation is extended to the public. They will consist in part of Ritual Work by the Posts; Oration by Comrade E. G. Prebble of Webster, Mass.; vocal music by the Apollo Quartett of Boston; Band music, etc.

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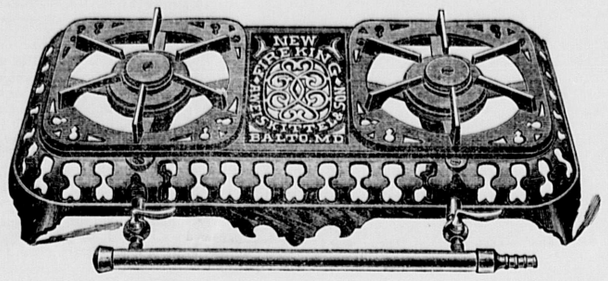

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To the next of kin, creditors and all others interested in the Estate of Julia A. Taylor, late of Wilmington in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George L. Taylor of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of May instant at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same;

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Eliza Annie Quimby Stevens, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, William H. Cummings, the Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the est te of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the Estate under deed given by Oliver B. Coolidge to Ebenezer Lawrence, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Abijah Thompson and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, the Trustee under said deed, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by him as such trustee;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

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CAPTIVITY OF ISRAEL.

LESSON VIII, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MAY 24.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings xvii, 6-18. Commit Verses, 16-18—Golden Text, II Chron. xxiv, 20—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

6. "In the ninth year of Hoshea, the king of Assyria took Samaria, and carried Israel away into Assyria."

After more than 250 years of continued rebellion against God, during which time nineteen kings reigned over them, not one of whom did right in the sight of the Lord, Shalmanezer, king of Assyria, besieged Samaria, the capital of Israel (I Kings xvi, 24) in the sixth year of Hoshea, and after three years took it and carried Israel into captivity (vs. 1-5). That God would do this if they refused to obey Him He had plainly foretold by His servant Moses (Lev. xxvi, 27-33; Deut. xxviii, 63, 64), and by the prophets He had given them many a warning, so that they were without excuse.

7. "For so it was, that the children of Israel had sinned against the Lord their God, which had brought them up out of the land of Egypt, etc."

God through Moses, and through his servants Hosea, Amos and Jeremiah, makes frequent reference to His bringing them out of Egypt as a reason why they should obey.

8. "And walked in the statutes of the heathen, whom the Lord cast out from before the children of Israel."

9. "And the children of Israel did secretly those things that were not right against the Lord their God."

Not only publicly but secretly were they "mingled among the heathen and learned their works" (Ps. cvi, 35). In the dark they did wickedly, saying, "The Lord seeth us not; the Lord hath forsaken the earth."

10. "And they set them up images and groves in every high hill and under every green tree."

Even Judah did this also in the days of the son of Solomon (I Kings xiv, 22, 23), and then followed the plundering of the temple by the king of Egypt, only thirty-four years after its dedication (I Kings vi, 38; xiv, 25, 26). When we consider the plain commands of God not only not to set up these places, but to destroy all such things and places which the heathen had set up (Deut. xvi, 21, 22; xii, 2), we are apt to ask, "How could they thus fly in the face of God?" But we had better ask our own hearts.

11. "And there they burnt incense in all the high places, as did the heathen whom the Lord carried away before them; and wrought wicked things to provoke the Lord to anger."

12. "For they served idols, whereof the Lord had said unto them, Ye shall not do this thing."

Besides the second commandment recorded in Ex. xx, and Deut. v, listen to Lev. xxvi, 1, "Ye shall make you no idols nor graven image, * * * to bow down unto it, for I am the Lord your God." Jehovah their creator and covenant keeping God desired to be their portion. He wanted them all for Himself, and He would be wholly for them. He would be their shield and their exceeding great reward, as He said to Abram.

13. "Yet the Lord testified against Israel, and against Judah, by all the prophets, and all the seers, saying, Turn ye from your evil ways."

See some of His pleading with them in Isa. i, 16, 17; lv, 7; Jer. iii, 12; xxv, 5; Ezek. xxxiii, 11; Hos. xiv, 1. "Thus saith the Lord God, the Holy One of Israel, In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence shall be your strength; and ye would not" (Isa. xxx, 15).

14. "Notwithstanding they would not hear, but hardened their necks, like to the neck of their fathers, that did not believe in the Lord their God."

On the last verse we quoted from Isaiah the sad words, "And ye would not." It was the same all through their history, till Jesus Himself uttered the same words shortly before they crucified Him.

15. "And they rejected his statutes, and his covenant, and they followed vanity and became vain."

He is wisdom, and wisdom is the principal thing, better than rubies or gold or silver; but folk despise wisdom; it is too high for them (Prov. iv, 7; viii, 11, 19; i, 7; xxiv, 7). In Jer. x, 8, 14, 15, idols and idolatry are called lies and vanity. When the people of Lystra took Paul and Barnabas for gods, and would have worshiped them, Paul exhorted them to turn from these vanities unto the living God who made all things (Acts xiv, 15).

16. "And they left all the commandments of the Lord their God, and made them molten images."

The calves at Dan and Bethel, and the idol groves everywhere, proclaimed their folly. They turned their backs on the Creator and worshiped the works of His hands, sun, moon and stars, rather than Himself. It seems to me that if we as believers think more of the gifts of God than of Himself; if it is Heaven or happiness, or our own personal welfare we are chiefly seeking, we are in danger of committing Israel's sin. God Himself is our salvation, and His commandments should be our delight because He has given Himself to us; and obedience to His last command, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature," should give us the greatest joy of all. But if we are more concerned about our idols, our own peace or happiness, or it may be the molten images we carry in our purses, what does He think of us?

17. "And they caused their sons and their daughters to pass through the fire, and sold themselves to do evil in the sight of the Lord."

The Molochs of today are society, fashion, pleasure, the dance, the theatre, the card table, and to this destroying fire from the pit how many sons and daughters are consecrated God only knows. For an evening's pleasure many who bear the name of Jesus will for the time being sell themselves to the devil. Jesus has bought our bodies and souls, and He wants all there is to us for His glory. Neither the world, the flesh, nor the devil has the least claim on us, nor any right to us.

18. "Therefore the Lord was very angry with Israel and removed them out of his sight."

He could see them as well in Assyria as in Samaria, so in that sense they were not out of His sight, but His face did not shine upon them, nor did they enjoy His favor (Num. vi, 24-26). They despised Him and His blessing, so he finally withdrew and left them to the idols they had chosen. So will He do with all who persistently turn their backs upon Him.

"There was none left but the tribe of Judah only."

These He would spare a little longer, for they had not sinned as grievously as Israel, and they had not been without sincere repentance on the part of some. Hezekiah, who did right in the sight of the Lord, was now their king (chap. xviii, 1-3), while in past days such kings as Asa, Jehoshaphat, Joash and others had led them in the right way.

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No matter what role you are giving,
No matter what skill you betray,
The everyday life you are living
Is certain to color the play.
The thoughts we call secret and hidden
Are creatures of malice, in fact,
They steal forth unseen and unbidden,
And permeate motive and act.

The genius that shines like a comet
Fills only one part of God's plan
If the lesson the world derives from it
Is marred by the life of the man.
Be worthy your work if you love it;
The king should be fit for the crown:
Stand high as your art, or above it,
And make us look up and not down.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Oysters on the Maine Coast.

Though epicureans will say warm water is against a good flavor, I found oysters at the mouth of the St. Johns river, Florida, very fine. They were extremely fresh, the only trouble, and one easily rectified. Formerly oysters were common from Maine to Florida, but now Long Island is the most northern point. This is somewhat singular Some years ago while doing the Maine coast I pushed up a small river about ten miles to the town of Damariscotta, where there was an Indian mound. The latter I found made up entirely of oyster shells of remarkable size, piled one upon another for fifteen or twenty feet up, a big pine tree growing in the mass.

This showed that several hundred years ago the coast abounded in fine oysters, which had been carried up the river year after year until the pile of shells had reached the proportions of a hill. In it I found charred deer bones and fragments of simple Indian implements. That the Indian had exterminated the oyster is improbable, and I assume that the beds were destroyed by an exceptionally cold winter.—Cor. San Francisco Chronicle.

Kept Drinking the Tea.

Many years ago a French gentleman was invited to 5 o'clock tea at Bath, where the guests sat around the room in a stiff circle holding their teacups in their left hands and eating hot buttered waffles and chipped smoked venison with the fingers of their right from plates in their laps. Waiters handed about tea and coffee, and the French gentleman, unaware that the position of the teaspoon in the empty cup returned to the waiter indicated whether or not it was to be replenished, politely drank fourteen cups of tea, and then in despair pocketed the cup and saucer, until the general rising of the company enabled him to rid himself of them.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Thought Tables Were Free.

In a certain restaurant there is kept a supply of newspapers which are given free to customers. These newspapers are on a fancy table near the door. Above them is a card on which is the legend, "Take one." One man read the invitation, "Take one," but the supply of newspapers had been exhausted. "Bless their hearts," said the man, in the fullness of his heart, "and they give tables away with every meal. That table is just what we want down at the farm." He was making tracks for the depot, with the table under his arm, when a breathless waiter overtook him and explained matters.—Philadelphia Record.

With the ancients the parrot was not a bird to be revered, so far as can be learned. It is not depicted on any of the sacred scenes in stone that tell the strange stories of the religions of the nations of old, nor has it ever been found mummified in the tombs of Egypt. Most likely the ancients thought it an uncanny bird, and also a dangerous one, with its capabilities of repeating what it heard.

If you have a cold on the chest the hot sandbag is the best thing applied over the lungs. Aches of the abdomen fly before a thorough heating by a hot stone and hot flannel or silk after, and one of the best remedies for the sleeplessness of nervous persons is to lay a hot soapstone against the stomach on going to bed.

As sand consists largely of silex, which water at the ordinary temperature does not dissolve, the water of a sandy region is comparatively pure. The "hard" water of other regions is due to earthy matter held in solution. This earthy matter, however, is seldom harmful to those who drink it.

An engineer on a Texas railroad found a big flock of sheep huddled together in a cut to get out of the storm, and in driving through them killed seventy-eight. Pieces of mutton were found on the platforms of the last car.

In London there are not less than forty manufacturing perfumers, some giving employment to over a hundred hands. In Paris there are some eighty establishments, which employ two or three thousand people.

The largest bell in actual use is at Moscow, and is said to weigh 128 tons. The great bell of Pekin, China, is recorded as weighing fifty-three tons, and that of the Cologne cathedral weighs over twenty-five tons.

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It is well known that vegetable and animal oils are unsuitable for cylinder lubrication, and recently in France where colza oil was used it was found necessary to burn out the deposits in the ports of the locomotive cylinders.

A Fortunate and Grateful Woman.

Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Everett, Pa., says: "I suffered for years from kidney and gravel trouble No physicians or medicine at home did me any good. I finally visited my former home at Rondout, N. Y., and began using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. A few words tell the result. I am a perfectly well and happy woman once more."

HOW GOODS ARE SOLD AT A LOSS.

The Profit Comes in on the First Lot and the Remainder Is Closed Out.

We were talking with a leading up town retailer a few days since whose annual sales run up into the millions, and among other questions came up the one of "drives" or special bargains. "How is it," we asked, "that you people can every now and 'then advertise and sell some line of garments or fabrics or articles at prices which, on the face of them, show a heavy loss on the cost of the manufacture itself?"

The merchant smilingly replied: "With the enormous outlet which a business such as ours affords we are in a position to handle quantities which would stagger the average retailer. For instance, we closed out for cash 2,180 silk umbrellas, all the stock of one of the smaller manufacturers, who needed cash for the time being more than he did the umbrellas. The price, as you may readily understand, was a low one or we would not have closed the bargain.

"The goods we placed in stock, marking them in three different grades, viz., $2.50, $3.50 and $5. We advertised them in the daily press, and in a few days sold over 1,500 of this 'special drive,' every one of which was a bargain.

"Now, we said, 'we have made a handsome profit on those already sold. We will create a little excitement on the balance and stand a loss ourselves.' So we advertised 500 silk umbrellas at one dollar each. Every one of those we put in this special sale was worth from $2.50 to $5 at retail.

"The morning the sale took place the people flocked in as soon as the doors were opened, and in one hour and twenty minutes the last umbrella was disposed of. We sold one umbrella only to each individual purchaser at this low figure, and consequently placed this bargain with upward of 500 different persons.

"The actual loss to us on this sale was several hundred dollars, but on the whole lot of 2,180 umbrellas we averaged a very handsome profit, besides making ourselves talked about and bringing 500 special customers into the store who, it is safe to say, bought more or less in the other departments of the house at a profit."—Dry Goods Chronicle.

French Sentiment.

However soon the Frenchwoman may exchange the memory of her dear husband for that of another still dearer she may be trusted to do the decent thing by his grave. In some of the small towns in France it is the custom for the widow to put the favorite plant of her husband upon the grave. A woman recently returned from France tells of seeing a grave in one cemetery bearing a small cherry tree upon it because that had been the favorite fruit of the departed husband. In another corner she saw a grave that was a beautiful bed of rhubarb, and in still another a plot of cresses and another of cabbages.

"Ah, madame," said the keeper of the pension—herself a widow, when the amused American woman commented upon this to her—"Ah, madame, you Americans, you haf no nice little sentiments. My own husband he is planted wiz onions."—New York Evening Sun.

A Suggestion.

They were friends, and how they loved each other.

Scene: A public dinner. Brown is seated next to Smith, whose shirt front is decorated with three magnificent diamond (?) studs.

Brown—Excuse me, Smith, but I really can't help admiring those studs of yours.

Smith—Yes, I think they're pretty good.

Brown—Don't you run a great risk with them? I suppose you have them insured?

Smith—Insured! No. I should be glad to do so; but there isn't a company in existence that will take a risk of that sort.

Brown—My dear fellow, I beg your pardon, there are several plate glass insurance offices to be found.—London Tit-Bits.

The Easier Way.

Edwin Booth is quoted as telling this story: "I went one night to hear Fechter in a melodrama of a tragic cast. In one part of the play Fechter had to count out money. He was very deliberate and said slowly, 'One, two, three, four, five,' and so on. The interest of the play was hanging on the tragedian's having enough money and paying it over to the villain. He kept slowly counting and the audience grew more restless and anxious for him to finish. A witty son of Erin, in the topmost gallery, getting tired, yelled, "Say, Mister Fechter, give him a check!"

A Graceful Rebuke.

A rebuke administered graciously and in good temper is always a pleasure to me. It was at an "afternoon tea," so the story at the club ran, that Miss Beacon Street, ancient in lineage, said to the hostess as she was about leaving: "What a crush you have today. Hardly the 'cream,' I fancy," whereupon the hostess with delightful composure replied, "I always feel that I have the 'cream' when Miss Beacon Street is present." Noblesse oblige —Boston Post.

Sociability.

"That beggar there is a sociable fellow."

"How do you know?"

"Why, he extends a hand to all."—Kate Field's Washington.

Thousands Poisoned.

In a recent work on Heart Disease, Dr. Franklin Miles—the noted specialist—gives many new and startling facts. Thousands of people are slowly poisoning themselves, weakening their hearts by the use of tea, coffee, tobacco and alcohol These are Heart Whips, causing it to beat rapidly, thus gradually wearing it out, producing shortness of breath when exercising, pains in side and shoulder, hungry and faint spells. Finally heart failure and sudden death. For weakened and irritated hearts the press everywhere highly recommend the New Heart Cure discovered by Dr. Franklin Miles, which is for sale by Charles H. Buss.

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A Pelican's Queer Appetite.

For several years a couple of patriarchal pelicans have fished for a living just off the end of my wharf. I have repeatedly begged their lives of sporting tourists, and so accustomed them to my presence that I could row within an oar's length of them without their taking flight. I have often watched their operations with curious interest, and was really much attached to the solemn looking couple, who, with their smooth pates and beard like pouches, reminded me of feathered caricatures of Father Time. One day on going down to the beach I discovered one of my pelican pets drifting helplessly toward land. When he came within reach I found that he was dead, while in his pouch, with its head completely closing the bird's throat, was a catfish still alive and measuring fourteen inches in length.

Its horns stuck out through each side of the pelican's pouch, and thus the unfortunate bird had been unable to either swallow or reject its unwelcome prey. The pelican's pouch was also torn and perforated in a number of places, showing that the struggle between the would-be-swallower and the wouldn't-be-swallowed had been a long and desperate one. The fish died a few minutes after being removed from the trap into which he had fallen. The bird measured 7 feet 8 inches from tip to tip of his extended wings, and, from his general appearance, was evidently a patriarch of his race.—Forest and Stream.

An Interesting Island.

A naturalist says: "One of the best shell collecting grounds it was ever my good fortune to visit was Long Key, in the Tortugas group of islands, about six miles from Cuba. This was the shell-picker's paradise, as an examination of the island (an island by courtesy of the ocean) showed that it was made up of shells, their broken fragments principally, the residue being plates of a line secreting alga and bits of coral. I have often sat here and picked until tired before moving from the spot, the treasures being mainly small univalves of many species.

"A curious and interesting feature of this picking was that numbers of the shells, especially the little periwinkles, as we called them, were inhabited by hermit crabs that, during the operation of collecting, made not the slightest demonstration, but once in the pocket of the finder they would assert themselves, and soon the shells which you had placed in these receptacles would appear streaming out—conchological processions that were productive of much interest and amusement to bystanders. After a gale I have seen the shore of this bay so lined with the beautiful purple ianthina and the little pearly coiled spirula that the white line could be traced for a long distance away."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Words That Sail Under False Colors.

Suppose we take up a few of the words that seem to be sailing under false colors.

The antelope is not akin to the industrious ant, nor is he given to eloping except when the hunter is after him with a gun. He is partly like a deer and partly like a goat, and received his name from two Greek words—an-thos, beauty; ope, eyes. Antelope means the animal with the beautiful eye.

Tulip suggests two lips, and has served the punster well on that account for many years; but it is the Spanish tulip, derived from the Persian dulband, a turban. The flower and the Persian turban are much alike both in form and in name.

Tenpenny nails are not sold at ten for a penny; nor do you pay ten cents apiece for them. Penny is in this word a queer corruption of pound. A tenpenny nail is so called because 1,000 of that particular size weigh ten pounds. Fourpenny nails weigh four pounds to the thousand.

Miniature is not a picture diminished, but (originally) one colored with minimum, or red lead.—Harper's Young People.

A Great Painter Surprised.

Meissonier, the great French artist, used to relate the following incident with great gusto:

One day while walking in a provincial town where he was unknown he entered a coach builder's establishment and began negotiations for the purchase of a dog cart which had taken his fancy.

"It is elegant enough," said the artist, but it is very badly painted."

Judge of his surprise when he received the following answer delivered in a contemptuous tone:

"If you don't like it paint it yourself, and then it will be sure to look nice."—London Tit-Bits.

The Transmigration of the Soul.

"That dog of mine sometimes makes me almost a believer in the theory of transmigration of souls."

"Yes; when one looks into the eyes of a faithful dog with their almost human expression"——

"Oh, that isn't it. But sometimes I got the idea that it must be the soul of some forgotten poet that inspires him to get out and howl at the moon for two hours at a stretch."—Indianapolis Journal.

Direct Answers.

In a Sunday school. "What did the Israelites do when they came out of the Red sea?" drew forth the answer, "They dried themselves." "Where was Bishop Latimer burned to death?" was immediately answered, "In the fire."—Cassell's Journal.

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Teeth an Index of Character.

A leading dentist says: "To determine a person's character by the teeth take the upper front teeth. They are a true index of the nature of a man or a woman. "Here," he said, "is the tooth of a young lady who has a lovely disposition and is universally beloved. See how regular and dainty the formation is, and yet possessing all the requisite points for a perfect tooth. Here you see the tooth of a man who is cruel, although his cruelty is of the refined kind; notice that the tooth is white and rather sharp and long. Then this tooth, stumpy and coarse in form, denotes brutality. It is from the jaw of a man of brutal nature. Here is a curious tooth from the mouth of a peevish, fretful woman. The crown has a sharp, fretful turn to it.

"Now we have the tooth of a sensuous woman. You see it is square, although of good shape, and depressed in the center. Now we come to one that belonged once in the mouth of a lady who is noted for her refinement and intellectual development. It is slender and perfect in shape—one of the kind of teeth going with long, slender fingers. Again, this tooth is from the mouth of a much grosser nature. This woman is selfish, but has, on the whole, a kindly nature and would not willingly hurt another's feelings, but it is her nature to be regardless of others."—New York Ledger.

The Heroism of a Child.

In the Bodleian library at Oxford is a most touching record of heroism and self sacrifice on the part of a child.

The lower door of St. Leonard's church, Bridgeworth, was left open, and two young boys, wandering in, were tempted to mount to the upper part and scramble from beam to beam.

All at once a joist gave way. The beam on which they were standing became displaced. The elder had just time to grasp it when falling, while the younger, slipping over his body, caught hold of his comrade's legs. In this fearful position the poor lads hung, crying vainly for help, for no one was near.

At length the boy clinging to the beam became exhausted. He could no longer support the double weight. He called out to the lad below that they were both done for.

"Could you save yourself if I were to loose you?" replied the younger lad.

"I think I could," returned the elder.

"Then goodby, and God bless you!" said the little fellow, loosing his hold.

Another second and he was dashed to pieces on the stone floor below.

His companion clambered to a place of safety.—Chatterbox.

Sublime Confidence in the Waiter.

In these days of popular cynicism as to the reliability of human nature an incident that occurred at a down town hotel a few days ago cannot be too widely disseminated.

A gentleman in the breakfast room who had just finished the extended perusal of all the morning papers, was startled by the unexpected reappearance of the waiter with his meal.

Warmly grasping the hash hander's disengaged hand he said in a voice choked by emotion:

"I knew you would return. They started a runor a couple of hours ago that you had eloped with the cook or something, but I said: 'No, give him time, gentlemen—give him a chance. It will all come out right in the end.' I knew you would turn up again, if only to bring me the oil cruet with a fly in it."

And the excited guests gave the lightning waiter an enthusiastic send off as he left again in ballast for an invoice of buckwheat cakes.—San Francisco Examiner.

A Cow with a Hobby.

The Parsons (Kan.) Sun tells this remarkable calf story: A cow belonging to Joseph Rowe, a Labette county farmer, recently gave birth to a calf which lived only a few days. After it died the cow transferred her affections to the fourteen-year-old son of the farmer, for whom she manifests a strange fondness. She licks him just as she would a calf, and no one but the boy can do anything with the dumb creature.

The other day young Rowe had occasion to go to town, and as he remained away until after milking time his sister put on a suit of his clothes and went into the barnyard and succeeded in deceiving the cow until she (the cow) happened to see the boy coming up the road, when she kicked the pail over and made a bound in the direction of the youth, showing the most unmistakable evidences of delight.

Juvenile Definitions.

Being asked what conscience was, a boy replied, "An inward monitor," Asked what a monitor meant, the ready answer was, "An ironclad vessel."

Another lad was asked what he understood by "celerity," and, perhaps from experience, he described it as "something to put hot plates down with."—Exchange.

Escaped the Greater Evil.

Gargoyle—In sixty-two years Mexico has had fifty-four presidents, one regency and one empire.

Glanders—What of that? It never had a baseball club.—Munsey's Weekly.

Fill Him Full.

Mrs. Larkin—Here's a paper which says, "The burglar should not be turned away empty."

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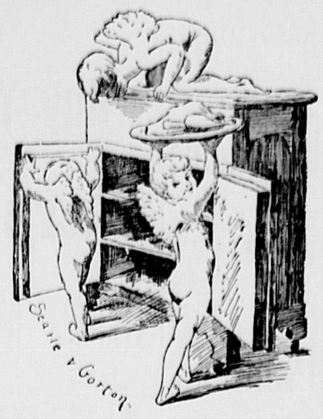

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 5.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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THE CORSICAN'S REVENGE.

Toward the close of September, in the last year of the last century, a foreigner, accompanied by his wife and infant daughter, stopped in front of the palace of the Tuileries. He stood for a considerable time near the ruins of a house recently pulled down, with folded arms, and head almost reclining upon his breast; or, if he raised it, it was to gaze successively upon the consular palace and his wife, who was seated upon a stone by his side. Although the female seemed to devote her whole attention to her child, who was about nine or ten years of age, and whose long black hair she drew through her fingers, not one of the glances which her husband threw around escaped her notice. One same feeling, but not of love, appeared to unite them together, and to inspire their movements, gestures and thoughts by the same anxiety. Misery is, perhaps, the most powerful bond of union.

The stranger had one of those strongly marked heads, abounding with a forest of hair, large and stern, which the Carrachis delighted to put on canvass; but his raven-colored locks were plentifully varied with gray hairs, and his noble and haughty features were distorted by an unrelenting and cruel expression. He was tall and athletic, notwithstanding his age was about sixty. His tattered clothes showed that he had just arrived from a long and painful journey.

His wife was ten years younger. Her once lovely face seemed to be faded by sorrow and privation. He attitude indicated that she was a prey to deep and hidden sorrow; but when her husband looked upon her, she made an effort to smile, and tried to assume a calm and undisturbed aspect. The child was standing near her, although her young countenance, embrowned by the sun and weather, betrayed symptoms of weakness and fatigue. The tone of her features was decidedly Italian; large black eyes beneath perfectly-arched eye-brows, native nobility, and indefinable grace.

More than one passer-by felt moved and interested at the sight of this group, the parties of which did not attempt to conceal the marks of a despair which was as deep as its expression was simple and evident. But the spring of that transient and fugitive feeling which Parisians give way to, was quickly dried up; for as soon as the stranger observed that he had become the object of the marked attention of any lounger, he returned his gaze with so fierce a glance, that the most intrepid and inquisitive hurried on their way as if they were walking among serpents.

Suddenly the foreigner passed his hand across his forehead, as if to chase away the gloomy thoughts which had furrowed it with wrinkles. He seemed to nerve himself to some decided and desperate resolution. He turned a piercing look upon his wife and daughter, drew from under his coat a long poniard, which he handed to the woman. He then said to her in Italian.

"I am going to see whether the Bonapartes will remember us!"

So saying he moved with a slow and firm tread toward the entrance of the palace. He was, of course, stopped by a soldier of the consular guard, with whom the discussion did not continue long, for, perceiving the obstinacy with which the stranger persisted in his design, the sentinel presented his bayonet to his breast as a last and conclusive argument. It so happened that the relief was then going the rounds, and the corporal very obligingly pointed out to the adventurer where the officer who commanded the post was stationed.

"Let Bonaparte know that Bartolomeo di Piombo has something to say to him," was the stranger's address to the captain of the guard.

Persons who have energetically made up their minds to a thing, are frequently admirably seconded by accidents in its accomplishments. At the moment when Bartolomeo seated himself upon one of the stone posts which are at the entrance of the palace, a carriage drove up from which Lucien Bonaparte, then Minister of the Interior, alighted.

"Ah, Lucien!" cried the stranger; "Bartolomeo is very lucky to meet you!"

These words, pronounced in the Corsican *patois*, made Lucien stop, as he was hurrying under the dome. He looked at Bartolomeo, and instantly recognized him; the latter whispered into his ear; Lucien nodded to the sentinel, and they then ascended to the First Consul's apartment.

They went as far as the closet without stopping. Murat, Lannes, and Rapp were there. When they saw Lucien come in, accompanied by so odd-looking a person, their conversation ceased. Lucien took Napoleon's hand, and led him to a window; after a few moments' conversation, the First Consul waved his hand, and Murat and Lannes immediately withdrew. Rapp pretended not to notice it, and stayed behind. Bonaparte called to him sharply, and the aid-de-camp went into the adjoining room, grumbling. The First Consul, hearing Rapp's footsteps, passed hastily into the next room, and noticed Rapp walking up and down by the wall which separated the closet from the apartment.

It was in vain that the officer took much trouble to make the stranger understand that it was not the custom for the First Consul to receive anybody, unless an audience had been previously requested in writing; he continued to insist that the captain should go and personally inform Bonaparte of his visit. The officer, after again explaining the rule of the service, positively declined attending the wish of the pertinacious intruder. Upon this Bartolomeo knit his eyebrows together in such a manner as to make them meet, and cast an awful frown upon the captain, as if to make him responsible for any untoward event which might happen, in consequence of his refusal.

He did not utter another word, but crossed his arms fiercely upon his breast, and posted himself beneath the portico, which serves as a communication between the courtyard and the gardens of the Tuileries.

"You will not take a hint, then?" observed the First Consul. "Did you not perceive that I wanted to be alone with my fellow-countryman?"

"He's a Corsician! So"—responded the aid-de-camp. "That's additional reason why I should stay. I distrust all the tribe—"

The First Consul could not repress a smile, and gently pushed his devoted follower from the wall. Rapp then left the room.

"Well! what are you doing here, my poor Bartolomeo?" inquired the First Consul of Piombo.

"To beg an asylum and assistance from you, if you are a true Corsican," replied Bartolomeo, in a hoarse and impatient tone.

"What misfortune can possibly have driven you from the country? You, who six months ago, were the richest, the most ——"

"I have killed all the Portas!" said Piombo, with deeply modulated accents and drawing his brows together convulsively.

"Would you betray me" said Bartolomeo, casting a sombre glance at Bonaparte. "Remember there are four more Piombos left in Corsica!"

Lucien took his countryman's arm, and shaking it lightly, whispered to him. Surely you do not come here to threaten my brother?"

Bonaparte gave a nod to Lucien, who was instantly silent; then looking at Piombo, he said—

"Why did you kill the Portas?"

The Corsican eyes glared like a flash of lightning.

"We had made up our quarrels, and agreed to be friends through the mediation ofof Barbantini. On the day but one after we had dined together to drown all animosities, I was forced to leave them at my house, as business called me to Bastia. In my absence, they set fire to my vineyards at Longone—murdered my son Gregoria—and my daughter Ginevra and my wife only escaped their hands, doubtlessly, because they had that very morning taken the communion, and were under the protection of the Virgin. When I returned I could no longer find my home; I searched for it, while I trod upon its smouldering ashes!"

Bartolomeo paused, and appeared to be oppressed by the recollection of his sorrows.

"Suddenly I trod upon Gregorio's body, and, by the light of the moon, I recognized him. Oh! said I to myself this is the Portas' handiwork. I instantly made off to the mountians—collected together some persons to whom I had done service—do you understand, Bonaparte?—and we marched to the vineyards of Portas. We reached the spot at nine o'clock in the morning, and at ten they were in the presence of the God who made them. Giacomo pretends to say that Eliza Vanni had saved a child, the young Luigi; but I am sure I tied him securely to his bed, before we set fire to the house. To be brief; I left the island with my wife and child, before I could verify the report that Luigi was still living.

Bonaparte stood motionless, looking at Bartolomeo with curiosity, but without any indication of surprise.

"How many of them were they?" asked Lucien.

"Seven," replied Piombo. "They once persecuted you," resumed he; but the observation did not draw any expression of animosity from the brothers.

"Ah! you are no longer Corsicans," said he, with a bitter and despairing tone. "Adieu! I once sheltered and protected you," he added reproachfully. "If it had not been for me, your mother would never have reached Marseilles alieve," said he, turning to Bonaparte, who stood deep in thought, resting his elbow on the mantelpiece of the chimney.

"In very conscience, Piombo," answered Napoleon. "I do not see how I can hide you under my wing; for I am the head of the republic, and it is my duty to see that its laws are executed."

"Ah! ah!" said Bartolomeo.

"But I can shut my eyes" resumed the consul. "The predjudice of the Vendetta will long prevent the supremacy of the laws in Corsica," added he, speaking to himself. "It must be eradicated, however, at whatever cost."

Bonaparte kept silence for a minute, and Lucien made a sign to Piombo not to interrupt him. The Corsican shook his head disapprovingly.

"Stay here," said the consul to Bartolomeo, and we will not meddle with the affair. I will cause your estates to be purchased for you; at a fitting opportunity we will see what can be done for you. But no more of the vendetta. Remember there are no mountains to fly to in Paris and if you handle your poinard here you cannot expect a mercy which I should not dare to grant. Here every citizen is protected by the laws, and no one takes justice into his own hands."

"Very well!" said Bartolomeo, taking Lucien's hand and grasping it. "We are yours for life and death, and you can dispose of every one who bears the name of Piombo."

So saying, the brow of the Corsican relaxed its sternness, and he looked around him with pleasure and complacency.

"You are not badly off here," remrrked he, smilingly, as if he should like to live there. "It is a palace!"

"It depends upon yourself to be the most welcome here, and to have a palace of your own in Paris," said Bonaparte, measuring with his eyes the figure and proportions of his countryman. "I shall often have occasion to look around me to find a devoted friend on whose fidelity I can rely."

A sob of transport burst from the ample chest of Piombo. He held out his hand to the first consul and said: "There is still something of the Corsican left in you!"

Bonaparte smiled as he silently examined this man who brought back to him, as it were, the breath of his native ground; of that island, where he had been received with so much enthusiasm on his return from Egypt, and which he was destined never again to behold. He made a sign to his brother, who took with him Bartolomeo di Piombo. Lucien inquired with much kindness about the state of the finances of the old friend of his family. Piombo took the minister of the interior to a window and pointed out his wife and Ginevra seated upon a heap of stones. He then said—

"We came here on foot from Fontainbleau, and are absolutely penniless."

Lucien gave his purse to his country man, and told him to come to his hotel the next morning, to consult about the means to be adopted to secure his property. Bartolomeo filled with hope and happiness, rejoined his wife and Ginevra.

That evening the exiles obtained a refuge, bread and the protection of the first consul.

Great Discoverers.

What Bell and Edison are to the telephone and electricity, says the Pittsburg *News*, Dr. Franklin Miles, the well-known specialist in nervous diseases, is to the nervous system and nerve fluid. Among his numerous discoveries the Restorative Nervine is undoubtedly one of the greatest. It is unsurpassed in nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, epilepsy, neuralgia, backache, melancholly, sleeplessness, change of life, etc. *Free trial bottles* of it may be had of Charles H. Buss, Druggist. All should read his *"New and Startling Facts for the Afflicted,"* a very able, interesting, and finely illustrated book. Free to all.

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A drainage scheme proposed for Melbourne, Australia, by the government engineer is estimated to cost $25,000,000.

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Literary Notices.

Always firstclass. PETERSON'S MAGAZINE continues to increase in popularity. The June number is a capital specimen of its general excellence and the great improvements made at the beginning of the year. To the ladies PETERSON is of special importance at this season when the thought necessarily uppermost in every woman's mind is What to Wear and How to Wear it. These are questions which PETERSON answers in the most simple and satisfactory manner. The beautiful double fashion plates give the newest Parisians toilettes, but give also designs of the freshest novelties in American costumes. PETERSON evidently agrees with Mrs. Cleveland and other prominent society leaders in their determination to make American styles and fabrics dispute the palm with those of France. The magazine caters also in every possible way to the needs of housekeepers and home-makers. In point of literary attractions and illustrations it compares favorably with the highest priced periodicals. A new volume begins with the July number, try it for the next six months. Terms, $2 a year; $100 for six months. Address PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

The May WIDE AWAKE is made by Hon. John D. Long, Susan Coolidge, Margaret Sidney, Mrs. Frances A. Humphrey, Mrs. William Claflin, Alexander Japp LL D., Mrs. Katherine Foote, the author of Dear Daughter Dorothy, Marian Douglas, Kirk Munroe, Mrs. Clara Doty Bates, Miss Amanda B. Harris, Mary Felicia Butts, Edith Black, E. H. Hawley of the Smithsonian Institution, Agnes Repplier, Caroline Hunt Rimmer, Miss McKeag, Margaret Lake, Marietta Ambrosi, Maria Johns Hammond, together with the bright anecdoteretters who fill the pages of Men and Things, and the various picture-makers—Childe Hassam, Brennan, Miss Plympton, Bridgman, Garrett, Miss Rimmer, Virginia Gerson, Mente, and Hiram Barnes. All the stories, articles and poems are capital. WIDE AWAKE is $2 40 a year; 20 cents a number. A specimen (back number) will be sent on receipt of 5 cents. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for June has considerable of the beauty and fragrance of apple blossoms, and June roses, buttercups, and other favorite flowers about it, which is as it should be at this blooming season of the year. The literary contents of the number and their illustrations were never more interesting and attractive nor are they excelled in real merit by any magazine published in the country.

We give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2 a year) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1.50 a year) for $2 payable IN ADVANCE.

Stand Your Ground.

When you make up your mind to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy some other preparation instead. Clerks may claim that "ours is as good as Hood's" and all that, but the peculiar merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla cannot be equalled. Therefore we have nothing to do with substitutes and insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and building up medicine.

Mysterious Mines of Cinnabar.

There are mines of cinnabar at Daghestan, in the district of Kyreen, but no effort and no artifice of the Russian authoritie san as yet avail to ferret out their exact locality. The natives know that the Government will take possession of tse mines as soon as it is known where they are, and, therefore, keep their knowledge secret. They use the mineral as a medicine and sometimes carry it in bags to sell in the neighboring towns. If a native is caught with a bag or basket of cinnabar and asked whence he had taken it, he will tell twenty lies to account for qis possession, and neither by bribes nor by threats can the truth be gotten out of him.

How Repulsive

Is bad breath, and yet how many otherwise attractive, polite, and particular people afflict their friends with the foul odor of their breath. If there was no remedy for this, it might excite our sympathy, but as there is no need of having a foul breath, it is an unpardonable breach of good manners to obtrude such an offence on good society. Foul breath arises from disordered digestion which can be corrected by using Sulphur Bitters, and the result will be a pure, sweet breath.

Ex-Secretary Fairchild's remarks on the silver question at the dinner of the Democratic Club at Providence will not be palatable to the masses of his party, who are irrevocably committed to free silver.

The Derivation of Buckram.

Buckram, so called from Bokhara, where it was originally made in the Middle Ages, was much esteemed for being costly and fine, and fit for use in church vestments and for secular personal wear. John Grandison, Bishop of Exeter, England in 1327, gave to his cathedral flags of white and red buckram, and among the five very rich veils for covering the movable lectern in that church three were lined with blue bokeram. As late as the beginning of the sixteenth century this stuff was held good enough for lining to a black velvet gown for Queen Elizabeth.—*Dry Goods Chronicle.*

"A Snail's Pace."

"A snail's pace" need not be used any longer as a term more or less indefinite. By an interesting experiment at the Florence Polytechnic Institute a few days ago the pace was ascertained exactly and reduced to figures, which may now be used by persons who favor the use of the exact terms. A half a dozen of the mollusks were permitted to crawl between two points ten feet apart, and from this the average pace was ascertained. In working the calculation into feet, yards, rods, furlongs and miles it was found that it would take a small snail exactly fourteen days to crawl a mile.—*St. Louis Republic.*

When a child, by any unusual symptoms, shows that it is suffering great pain, use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. It will soothe the little sufferer.

The simplest means are generally the safest and surest. Hence the great demand for Laxador, for liver disease, dyspepsia, headache, etc. Price 25c.

Ex-Governor Evans of Colorado has presented the University of Denver with $100,000 for its further endowment.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

MEMORIAL DAY.

As is highly proper Memorial Day will be duly observed by Veterans and people in this city to-morrow. By reference to the official programme published in to-day's JOURNAL it will be seen that a series of exercises befitting the solemn occasion will be carried out.

Commander Graves of Post 161 in his appeal for Comrades to turn out in force tells them that the ranks of the Veterans grow thinner and thinner every year; that erelong the last one of them will take up his march for another camp; and when he does that the Order of G. A. R. will exist no longer. Let that thought animate the old soldiers and cause them to be found on the march, in the cemetery, the hall and at the feast to-morrow. On each successive Memorial Day some familiar face is sure to be missed; some who participated in the solemn services in 1890 are not here in 1891, nor can their places be filled. Next year others will be absent from the ranks; and thus will the Order grow less and less until there is no one left to keep it up any longer.

If good weather should prevail there will doubtless be a large turnout of the Veterans here to-morrow, and the day will be properly observed by our people, as it deserves to be.

THE NEW CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

There appears to be a hitch in the Congressional redistricting of the State—several of them, in fact. The sailing of the Committee's plan is not as smoothe and comfortable as its authors thought it was going to be. The Republicans have got their eyes open part way and are likely to get them open wider yet before the matter is settled. We should say that some of the Republican members of the Legislature have heard from their constituents.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
E. D. Hayden—Citation.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
P. L. Converse.—Ex. Sale.
T. C. Evans—Ivers & Pond.
John I. Munroe.—Real Estate.
Washburn & Bennett—Waldron.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Yesterday was summery in very deed.

— The Celtic Association will hold a grand picnic in Baldwin's Grove to-morrow.

— The 4th of July falls on Saturday this year.

— Wonder when that new daily is to put in an appearance?

— There will be no Band Concert on the Common tomorrow evening.

— The office of Messrs. J. M. Ellis & Son is at No. 19 Pleasant street.

— Post 161, G. A. R., visited Post 75 at Stoneham last Sunday evening.

— Mr. C. E. Eaton is at Winthrop Beach. His home is Hillside Cottage.

— There is to be much ball playing in this city and about here to-morrow.

— The peace and safety of Montvale demand an efficient night policemen there.

— The Social of the S. of T., last Tuesday evening was a very agreeable affair.

— McGregor, the florist, was a little under the weather last week, but is better.

— J. J. Skinner is putting a Hodge boiler into Mr. J. K. Murdock's carrying shop.

— The postoffice will be open to-morrow from 6.30 to 10 a. m.; and from 6 to 8 p. m.

— G. W. Kimball & Son are building five fine residences at Medford Hillside for parties there.

— Representative Hevey of this city voted for the Salary Grab. The scheme failed, though.

— It is expected that Mr. Will W. Crosby will win the cup in to-morrow's regatta on Horn Pond.

— The Friday Night Club didn't have an annual dinner, and the same was postponed to 1892.

— Many employees of the tanneries are out of work at the present time. It is very hard on them.

— Mr. N. S. York and family will leave this city next week for their seaside home on Cape Ann.

— The future home of Mr. John R. Carter and family will be on Winn st., a step or so from Pleasant and Main.

— Mr. C. M. Strout has not fully recovered from a severe pull with la grippe but he is so's to be around again.

— Ten shares of the 6th series of the Woburn Co-operative Bank are held for sale. See Treasurer Whitcher about them.

— Mr. Arthur Dalziel has a gang of men putting in a big tank at the glue factory of Bæder, Adamson & Co., Montvale.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery "goes for" Ald. Dearborn in this issue of the JOURNAL. His reply "makes very interesting reading."

— At 3 o'clock last Tuesday afternoon the wind blew so fresh and there was such a storm of dust that some feared a whirlagig was coming.

— Mr. Charles Lund is putting his fine residence on Warren street into the best possible livable shape. Wonder if it means anything in particular?

— Among the big games to be played to-morrow will be the Burkes *versus* Weafers on the Hudson street grounds. It's going to be a tough one.

— The Equal Suffrage League will hold its last regular meeting before the summer recess on Monday evening, June 1, at 7.30, in the Y. M. C. A. parlor.

— The Painters and Decorators Union, 193, gave a very fine entertainment at their hall last Monday evening. Union No. 95 of Medford were their guests.

— Both G. A. R. Posts of this city attended divine services at the No. Congregational church last Sunday on the invitation of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Murphy.

— Under the skilful and careful treatment of Dr. Springer Landlord Thompson of the Central House is nearly as good as a man completely restored to health.

— Rev. Dr. March favored us with a copy of the Statistical Report of the Woburn Conference for 1891, from which extracts will be made for these columns in due time.

— Mrs. Blake, wife of Mr. F. D. Blake of Canal st., this city, is visiting in California where she will remain until September next. Her headquarters are at Oakland.

— The trial of Charles Brown, an Italian in the employ of Mr. Jacob M. Ellis, for alleged assault with a revolver on a trio of the Gillises will take place to-day in the District Court.

— Andy Roddy's horse ran away on our streets on Wednesday and smashed things. Fortunately there were no collisions. He didn't stop until his home at No. Woburn was reached.

— The Innitou Canoe Club regatta to-morrow is expected to be a very interesting affair. Thousands of good people will line the banks of Horn Pond as spectators of the lively scene.

— Mr. M. Down's of Cummingsville is canvassing this city for subscribers to "The Massachusetts Gazetteer"—a useful and valuable publication. Mr. Downs ought to do well with it.

— Mrs. Benjamin Champney had only just got up from a protracted illness from pluresy and grip when the family left for North Conway. She expected to derive much benefit from the change.

— Beginning next Sunday cars will run to Medford and return every half hour from 10.45 A. M. to 8.45 P. M., on Sundays, in conformity with an order issued by Supt. Sewell of the N. W. S. Railroad.

— Mr. J. W. Hammond was the gentleman elected by the Co-operative Bank Vice-President to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. George Buchanan instead of vice versa, as stated last week.

— INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL. There will be no session held at the Industrial School to-morrow (Saturday) because it is Memorial Day. Supt. Richardson has so ordered, and this is an official notice of the same.

— Herbert Sellars, 12, was thrown from his father's grocery team on Fowle street last Wednesday morning and so badly injured that Dr. Springer who was called advised his removal to the Eye and Ear Infirmary in Boston.

— Mr. J. B. McDonald, President of the Weston Lumber Co. of Boston, returned to his home in this city late last week from a business trip to Canada. He spends considerable time up there and at his sawmills in New Hampshire.

— "They say" that about half dozen of the runsellers whose scalps Rev. Hugh Montgomery is after with a pickled rod are down in Maine fishing. They will not return, so rumor says, until after the Superior Court gets fairly to running.

— A company of good friends of Bridget McIntire of Water street surprised her last Monday evening at her father's house with a present of two steel engravings and a handsome oil painting. A delightful evening was passed by the large company of young ladies.

— Mr. Donald W. Stewart of this city died at the Massachusetts General Hospital last Saturday morning from injuries received from a fall from a staging he and Hibbard Thompson were putting up on the Bean place on Second st. on the 19th. He left a wife to mourn his loss.

— Mrs. George S. Dodge of the Maternal Society connected with the First Congregational Parish in this city will address the S. S. children at the vestry of the church this afternoon. No doubt the young people will be very glad to see their good old friend Mrs. Dodge again.

— C. E. Smith, our local painter, is painting the residence of Dr. J. H. Conway, Winn street. When completed it will be one of the finest residences in this city. Smith has lots of business, and employs only practical workmen and his prices are reasonable which makes it a success.

— Mr. E. J. Gregory, the popular auctioneer of this city, has opened an office in Boston to accommodate his large and growing business there. He may be found in his Main street office in this city every morning until about 10 o'clock, and every evening after about 4. Gregory is full of business.

— A note from Miss Eleanor S. Pippey, whose home is at Nyack-on-Hudson, informs the JOURNAL of the death at sea of her brother Henry J. Pippey at the age of 41 years. The father of Henry and Eleanor was Editor and proprietor of this paper and a gentleman highly esteemed in this community several years ago.

— Benjamin Champney, the artist, and family have gone to their home at North Conway, where for more than 30 years Mr. C. has spent the summer months and enjoyed life to the brim. From fall to spring at Woburn, and from spring to fall at No. Conway, is the family's way of passing the year, and no wonder they like it, for each place has attractions which are equalled by few, if any, others in the country. The JOURNAL hopes Mr. Champney and family will have a pleasant summer of it.

— Judge E. F. Johnson has gone to No. Conway for pleasure. On July 1 the Judge will take his seat on the Bench of the Fourth Mid'x. District Court, gather the Ermine about him, and then proceed to business. At the same time Judge Converse, who has filled the position with credit to himself and profit to the community, will step down and out.

— A very fine concert will be given this evening at Music Hall under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis of the Lewis Music School of this city, which will, no doubt, be attended by a large number of people. They have taken great pains in preparing and arranging for this concert and it is safe to say that it will be a very fine one indeed.

— W. P. Defriez, M. D., formerly a popular and flourishing physician of this city, writing to the JOURNAL from his pleasant home in rich and aristocratic Brookline, says: "The good old paper [JOURNAL] is read with interest and its weekly arrival is anticipated with pleasure. Here's to it's health and prosperity." And the same to yourself, good Dr. D.

— The May Party of the Ladies Auxiliary St. Charles C. T. A., yielded money abundantly, to wit, $156, slick and clean. It was a splendid success socially and financially, and now the young ladies have a pretty bunch of greenbacks in the bank to go and come on. Their party beat out and out any thing the boys ever got up, and for its grand success they deserve high credit.

— No doubt that the dramatic performance at the Unitarian vestry last Friday evening for the benefit of the Unitarian Sunday School was as mirth-provoking as anything could be. There were a great many people present, everyone of whom went away perfectly satisfied with it. Treasurer Harry B. Brackett said it was a financial success, and everybody else said the performance couldn't well be excelled.

— Just 56 years ago last Wednesday morning the first locomotive ran over the Boston & Lowell Railroad. The passage from Lowell to Boston was made in 1 hour and 17 minutes, which was thought big speed, and so indeed it was for a trial trip of the first locomotive that ever drew a car in New England. It was 4 weeks after before the road was opened permanently for travel.—*W. Brown an employee of the Company from the start.*

— The friends of Miss Carrie M. Winkley will be pleased to learn that her progress at the school of the Museum of Fine Arts has been such as to gain for her in the Portraiture Concours of this year the prize of fifty dollars given by Mrs. J. Montgomery Sears. When the high quality of the competitive work at this Concours is taken into consideration this prize, which stamps Miss Winkley's work as superior to all others, carries with it the assurance of unusual talent on the part of its winner.

— Capt. W. C. Parker of Co. G., 5th M. V. M. (Woburn Mechanic Phalanx), sent his resignation to the Governor last Wednesday morning, having on the evening previous turned over the Company property to Lieut. Charles F. Spear. Capt. Parker had fully determined to resign last fall and was all prepared to do so, when some unpleasantness arose in the Company which induced him to change his mind and he concluded to remain at its head until the trouble was over. This he did, and everything being now favorable the Captain has resigned. It is understood that the reason for his resignation is the demands of business on his time and attention. The Company is in a bad plight and unless great wisdom is used in its management there is danger that it may go to pieces.

— The Parish Committee of the First Congregational Church in this city entertained the choir thereof at the very pleasant and commodious residence of Hon. J. G. Pollard and sisters, No. 18 Green st., on last Tuesday evening. Quite a large party, including Dea. O. F. Bryant and Luke Warren Fowle of the Committee, Mr. Frederic A. Flint, Mayor Bean and lady and other prominent church and society people, were present, by whom an evening of rare pleasure in music and social greetings and familiar converse was passed. A choice spread was announced at a seasonable hour—a compliment to the choir—which everybody partook of and relished. Such little amenities and exhibitions of good will and kind regards one towards another help wonderfully to smooth the rough places in the path of life.

— Ald. Finn could not have paid THE JOURNAL a higher compliment than he did at the last meeting of the Board in moving the publication of McGovern's petition for a license. The only wonder is that he and his rum sympathizing colleagues should have consented in the first place to the selection of THE JOURNAL in which, with another paper, to publish the applications for licenses. Although Finn is not a very hefty man he happened to see "the eternal fitness of things" and when it came to the publication of McGovern's application THE JOURNAL "wasn't in it." But how is Finn going to get over the fact—and how are the Mayor and Board going to too—that at a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held on the evening of April 13, "An Order from Ald. Fowle was passed providing that all advertisements of liquor licenses be printed in THE JOURNAL and *News*?"

— Mr. B. F. Tripp, Receiver of the Middlesex Investment Company (now no more), has been engaged for a week or so in signing checks to pay off the 40 percent due to shareholders in conformity with the decree of Hon. Lewis W. Clark, Judge of the Supreme Court of New Hampshire, in the case Henry B. Hayes et al *versus* the Middlesex Investment Company, promulgated from said Court on May 18, inst. It was a big job. There were 514 certificate holders and it required nearly as many checks as there were names on the books—anyhow, there was such a large number of them that Cashier Day of the First National Bank declared on his honor that on Tuesday he had a stack of them in the Bank not as large as a meetinghouse, and the back towns hadn't all been heard from. Prest. Tripp of the Co. comes out of the unpleasant business perfectly clean-handed, and nearly everyone connected with the institution seems to be entirely satisfied with the method of its winding up.

Latest Local News.

Gage & Co. have a change of card this week.

The National Band Association will hold their annual assembly this evening.

Quite a good many classes in the lower departments of our city schools have had their pictures taken en groupe lately.

Last Saturday afternoon Mr. E. Prior sold at public auction for the benefit of the A. & M. Ass'n the N. J. Simonds homestead on Main St., to Messrs. John Winn and John W. Johnson and E. Gerry Barker, for $15,550. It was one of the largest auction sales that ever took place in Woburn, and the property went for a very good price.

We are indebted to Major H. C. Hall, of the milling firm of Hall & Jaquith, for a copy of the latest issue of "The Maine Bugle,', the organ of the First Maine Cavalry Regt. Association published quarterly under the direction of J. P. Cilley, Treasurer, at Rockland, Maine. It is a very interesting number, and we thank Major Hall for a copy.

Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, who delivered the Memorial Day oration in this city with so much pleasure and satisfaction to Posts and people last year, will deliver the Memorial Oration at Waltham to-morrow afternoon, and at Natick on to-morrow evening. When they get through with him the people of both places will find out that they "secured the right man for the right place.

An Esteemed Contemporary down the street says: "the best players among the ladies are Mrs. H. B. Clewley of Pleasant st. and the Misses Brown of Canal st." Ah? These ladies are tennis experts no doubt, but, Lord bless you, Man, there are many other No. 1 players in this city, and in the van stands Miss B. of Mt. Pleasant st., and the fair R. sisters of Glenwood st. and other "Highland lassies," besides almost numberless damsels nearer the Centre who are *au fait* at the fashionable pastime.

All About Going Fishing.

There are fish and fish. "There are as good fish in the sea as were ever caught." If fishers had the majority of fishers had better luck than a local Reporter for a Boston daily had the other morning at a noted fishery not a thousand miles from the Centre. Yea, fish everywhere. Our Reporter was astir betimes and ere a very early breakfast was ready for him he had dug the garden well over and filled his pockets with worms. He sought the waterside as soon as he had broken his fast, and there he fished and fished and fished. We have seen no more pitiful sight this season than that presented by our Reporter when he came back and by taking unfrequented streets tried to hide from public gaze the one little "minny" he had caught and strung on a crooked stick large enough to hold 100 pickerel. He looked so disappointed and forlorn-like.

The other morning some city officeholders, ex-holders, and their friends went to Cummings's pond in the edge of Burlington on a big angling expedition. They hired a boy to dig the worms and got some fat ones. They will not attempt to prosecute him in the suit which the proprietor threatens to bring against them for trespass, but show that they paid so much for the worms and the fish were "thrown in."

Several esteemed citizens went to Mystic River last week for Alewives. How it happeend nobody seems to know but, all of a sudden, the men and horse and wagon rolled off the bank into the river, or possibly it was Lower Mystic Pond they rolled into—anyhow, it was where they catch Alewives. The horse and the men floundered about in the salt tidewater fearfully and were in much danger of being drowned until rescued by some stranger or somebody. They came home that night but the wagon was fished out and hauled home last Sunday. It was a great piscatorial adventure.

A K. of P. Party.

The JOURNAL was cordially invited to sup with and enjoy a musical and literary entertainment tendered last Monday evening by Ionic Lodge, K. of P., to friends in this city, and felt duly grateful for it. It was as pleasant an affair as has been given here in a twelvemonth and as highly enjoyed. The supper, which followed the literary and musical feast, was composed of many choice viands, temptingly spread, with here and there a bunch of posies, and nosegays many, the whole producing a strong appetizing effect. Every part in the programme was perfectly executed especially Mr. E. A. Pierce's readings, and Mrs. H. C. Allen's oratory, etc. But this was the programme:

Selections. Selected.
Vocal Duett, Dashing Husband. Varney Family.
J. F. and Miss A. Varney.
Instrumental Duett. Selected.
M. C. and Miss J. Varney.
Remarks by Past Grand Chancellor, C. B. Martin and Grand Vice Chancellor, C. C. Egerton.
Selections. Selected. Varney Family.
Reading, King Robert of Sicily. Mr. Elmore A. Pierce.
Remarks by Grand Master of Exchequer, H. C. Allen.
Comic Song. S. George. Master H. C. Varney.
Remarks by Grand Chancellor of the Pythian Sisterhood, Mrs. H. C. Allen.
Duett. The Patrol's Cry. W. A. and Miss J. Varney.

A Kindergarten.

Late in the eighteenth century, Friedrich Froebel invented and propounded a new system of education for very young children. He reached his principles by a systematic study of the ways and doings of infants from their birth and by noting the kind of mental food and bodily activity nature prompted them at each stage of their existence to prefer. As a result of his study has come the Kindergarten or "garden of children." It has become a well-established fact through the experience of the many educators who have promoted its usefulness throughout the U. S. and foreign countries, that, for the little child, there is no course of moral, intellectual, and artistic training so complete. The child is taught to reason from certain evidence and is prepared to cope with the problems which meet him as his education progresses. It is hoped that in the early Fall a Kindergarten will be opened in Woburn and we trust that all parents, even those who cannot send their children to such a school will become so far interested in the work as to study its principles and know whereof they speak. Miss Lucy Wheelock, Principal of the Kindergarten Training Department connected with the Chauncy Hall School, Boston, will soon speak in Woburn upon this subject. The date of her coming will be announced later, and we hope many will try to hear her.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a regular meeting on Thursday evening, May 22, at Municipal Building. Mayor Bean presided.

Eugene B. Williams, A. J. Hobbs and Stillman J. Hanfield were confirmed as railroad police.——Francis Thornton and Martin Ellis were drawn as jurors for the next term of the Superior Court.——A petition from people of Montvale for night policeman referred to proper committee.——Petition of proprietors of Windsor Hotel for right to project a sign over the sidewalk referred.——N. J. Burke and Benjamin Cullen's request for licenses to collect junk referred.——Owen O'Rourke and John Garvey petitioned for license to run a pool table. Referred.——Thomas H. McGovern has moved from 254 to 40 Main street and wanted his license to sell rum changed accordingly. Referred.——Concurred in order of Common Council that a committee, with Mayor Bean as Chairman, be appointed to revise the city ordinances.——Street from Main to Church street at Kenney & Murphy's tannery accepted as a public highway.——F. B. Leeds was granted a druggist's license.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, May 27, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the date and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. John Bond (Forwarded from Somerville Mass.), Mr. S. Crone, Miss Nora Ford, Winn St.; Mr. John Gillispie, Miss M. Kelley (Forwarded from Plymouth N. H.), Miss Annie McMackin (261 Highland Ave.), Joe Pollen, Mr. A. G. Smith, 351 Main St., Miss Hattie Tidd, care of Wm. Tidd, Mr. E. S. Walker.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

Circular for Memorial Day.

In accordance with orders from Department Headquarters, Saturday, May 30, 1891, will be observed as "Memorial Day."

Comrades of G. A. R. will assemble at their respective headquarters at 8 o'clock, A. M., with white gloves and belt.

At 8 30, Post 161, accompanied by the National Brass Band, will march to the Headquarters of Post 33, taking that Post under escort, and proceed up Main street to Charles, up Charles to the Cemetery by way of west gate to the Soldiers' Lot, where the usual Memorial Services will be held. The Posts will then perform the sacred duty of placing flowers on the graves of our fallen comrades.

The procession will leave the Cemetery by the east gate, where they will take horse cars for Calvary Cemetery at Montvale, where the same exercises will be carried out. Returning to the Common the members will be dismissed until afternoon.

At 2 P. M the comrades will again assemble at their Headquarters. At 2 30 the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx and High School Battalion, with the National Brass Band, will take under escort the two Posts and march over the following route: From the Common via Main st. to Hammond Square, Johnson to Franklin, Franklin to Winn, Winn to Pleasant, Pleasant to Canal, countermarch to Soldiers Monument, where prayer will be offered by Rev. W. J. Murphy. After the services at the Monument the Posts will march to Lyceum Hall, where there will be a public memorial service to which the public are cordially invited.

PROGRAMME AT LYCEUM HALL.

Reading of Orders. By S. F. Hathaway, Post 161.
Response of Commander.
Ceremony of "Saluting the Dead." By the Post.
Address of Welcome.
By F. W. Graves, Commander Post 161.
Music. Apollo Male Quartette of Boston.
Prayer. (G. A. R. Ritual).
By J. H. Nason, Chaplain Post 161.
Music. Apollo Quartette.
Oration.
By Comrade Rev. E. G. Preble of Webster, Mass.
Music. Apollo Quartette.
Benediction. Rev. W. J. Murphy.

At the conclusion of the public exercises the Posts, with invited guests, will return to their respective Headquarters, there to partake of a collation prepared by the "Woman's Relief Corps" connected with the G. A. R.

The National Band will give a concert on the Common at 1 30 o'clock, P. M.

F. W. GRAVES, Commander Post 161,
J. F. LARKIN, Commander Post 33,
Committee.

Special Order.

Headquarters Burbank Post, 33, G. A. R.
Woburn, May 27, 1891.

Special Order No. 1.

The following is published for the information and guidance of Comrades:—

1. At the conclusion of the exercises in Lyceum Hall the Annual Banquet will be held in G. A. R. Hall, at which the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx and Associate Members of Post 33 will be present as invited guests. Comrades are requested to contribute for the same.

2. Associate members will assemble at G. A. R. Hall at 3 P. M., from which they will be escorted to Lyceum Hall where seats will be reserved for them.

3. None but Comrades of the G. A. R. will be allowed to parade or take part in the exercises of the day.

4. Comrades will appear in the G. A. R. uniform: Blouse, Belt, Gloves, and Blue Pants as far as practicable, and White Pants for the afternoon parade.

J. F. LARKIN, Commander.
W. H. MATTHEWS, Adjutant.

New England's Seashore.

The passenger department of the Boston & Maine Railroad, with its customary enterprise, has just issued another of its summer books. It is a beautiful portfolio of coast-views from Boston to Passamaquoddy, bound in embossed covers and handsomely illustrated in six colors. Gems from Whittier, Longfellow, Trowbridge, and other poets descriptive of the illustrations, are a pleasing feature of the work. Mr. M. F. Sweetser, who has already practically written a small library of books for the Boston & Maine people, gives the work a very graceful introduction. The portfolio, as a whole, is an excellent piece of work in every way. Printed on fine paper, with colors harmoniously blended and poetical selections most appropriate, freed from every hint of advertising, it becomes a book to be preserved as an artistic and literary gem. Copies can be had upon application to the Boston & Maine passenger department—*Boston Traveller.*

For some years the Passenger Department of the Boston & Maine Railroad Company have been noted for the elegance of their publications but the little book lately issued by them called "New England's Seashore" eclipses everything heretofore published in the same line. It is a beauty, the most cursory examination of which will be enough to set everybody to longing for the seaside nooks and corners reached by the B. & M., as soon as the hot weather sets in.

Each page contains an artistically executed picture of some one of the innumerable charming scenes traversed by this popular railroad route accompanied with apt quotations from eminent American poets and finely written prose descriptions of the same. It is a very handsome little illustrated guide to and among the most delightful ocean scenery in America.

General Passenger Agent Flanders will please accept the JOURNAL's hearty thanks for a copy of "New England's Seashore.

A Neat Notice.

Last Friday's issue of the Boston *Evening Traveller* contained an elaborate notice of Albert Thompson, the eminent landscape and cattle painter of this city and Boston, and an able and highly judicial criticism of his work, from the facile pen of Mr. Frank T. Robinson, for many years Art Critic of the Boston *Advertiser* and other leading publications, which was illustrated by a reduced reproduction on wood of two of Thompson's most notable pieces of work, both landscapes with bunches of ruminant cows conspicuous on the canvas. In the 2-column article the critic paid the painter a handsome compliment for the possession in a marked degree of those qualities which go to make a great artist, which praise, we have no doubt, was worthily bestowed, for if it were otherwise Mr. Thompson would hardly find such constant employment for his brush as he has for a year or two past. His landscapes and cattle pieces are in demand all the time. They not only sell readily but they fetch handsome prices, which, after all, is about the best recommendation of his skill and task that an artist can have. Mr. Robinson's article was candid, fair, and smoothly written.

Meeting of the School Board.

At the meeting of the School Committee, held last Tuesday evening, applications for positions as teachers were received from Jean Gillian and Miss May Eaton. The matter of a speaker for the High School graduation was referred to the High School Committee.

Voted to reserve 300 seats at Lyceum Hall on graduation day for officials and friends of graduation.

An appropriation of $50 was made for the High School Battalion drill.

Voted that the High School graduation take place Friday, June 26.

The exhibition of drawings will take place June 22, 23 and 24, to which the public is invited.

June 17 will be a holiday.

Messrs. Kenney, Carter and Dodge were chosen to meet the City Council to consider the matter of the Central Square schoolhouse.

"Common sense is the gift of Heaven;" then use yours in getting Old Saul's Pile Ointment for Piles. Don't take any other.

"Conduct and courage lead to honor." Old Saul's Catarrh Cure leads to cure of catarrh and influenza. Sold by all dealers for 25 cents.

Copy of Record.

RESOLVED: That the Thanks of the Woburn Board of Trade be extended to the Committee of Ladies who rendered valuable services in assisting the Board at their recent Anniversary by Decorations, and Arrangements about the Rooms and tables. Also, specially to Miss M. G. Whittemore for her excellent Vocal Contributions during the Exercises following the Banquet.

An Open Letter to Alderman Dearborn.

ALDERMAN DEARBORN: My attention has been called to certain statements made by you in a letter addressed to me. In that letter you have tried to build up a bulwark behind which you might shield your reputation and yourself from the mortification and indignation of a constituency which had a right to expect better things of you. I believe the general opinion to be, that your ingenious, but not *ingenuous* defence, can hardly be dignified by the name of argument and that the facts when simply and calmly stated will condemn you in the eyes of all fair-minded men.

You were elected to the Board of Aldermen as a temperance man, there can be no doubt of it. You were and are a prominent member of a church which gives no uncertain sound on temperance—a church which expects its members to stand up for temperance under all circumstances. It does not and neither does the community which elected you expect that you must be under surveillance at all times lest you go over to the enemy and side with rumsellers and those who favor the extension of the liquor traffic. I repeat that you were elected as a known temperance man. To say that there was no temperance issue when you were elected is to juggle with words. Your Ward was overwhelmingly for prohibition. You would have been entirely justified in the eyes of right thinking men in totally refusing to vote for any license whatever and your constituents would have upheld you as they do not now. No law compelled you unwillingly to vote a license for any man. As an honest temperance man, coming from a strong temperance constituency you have no right to plead, as you practically do, that you were bound to see that the rumsellers were fairly treated in the distribution of licenses. You were not elected as the champion of the saloon.

Neither have you any right to question the petition of the citizens of Ward 5 and to say, what you do not and cannot know, and which does not all affect the facts set forth in the petition, that the petitioners voted for no license and therefore had no right to petition against a runshop in their midst. You knew perfectly well that there is a young ladies school there which would be seriously annoyed and you know that the petitioners represented the respectability and the property of Ward 5. You cannot throw dust in the eyes of honest men as you seem to believe, by any such foolish plea as that you must respect the rights of those who wanted the saloon there, but not of those who oppose the saloon.

This noble sentiment of yours is worthy to be quoted, "that the petition from Ward 5 had no more influence upon me than a petition from the small license majority in Ward 6 would have had if it had petitioned for a license. The voice as expressed at the polls was what I looked at." Who made you, Alderman, the judge of the motives and actions of the people of Ward 5? "The voice at the polls" forsooth! Why, then, if you desired to be so impartial, did you refuse the six applicants for license in Ward 1—a ward which went two to one for license! The answer is not far to seek—because the ring in the Board of which you are a conspicuous member decreed that these applicants for licenses should not have any. So much for your consistency.

Remembering all the time that you are by your own acknowledgment a temperance man and that you have proclaimed far and near that you favored a high license, and remembering the Prohibition Ward you represent and which alone elected you, how does this argument coming from you sound? "My contention is when a city votes to grant licenses the price of any license should not be placed beyond a reasonable figure as by so doing it would deter persons from taking them out!" Why pose always as the defender of the saloon? Why not occasionally appear in your true character of a temperance man, if you are such in reality?

With reference to the issue between you and Mayor Bean I have nothing to say except that while I did not support the latter at the polls I feel that in the case of Rafferty & Martin he has acted as a gentleman of integrity, and in refusing to license a saloon in the dooryard of the parochial school he has shown a proper sense of the rights of others.

With reference to your votes in the Board of which you speak so glibly it is perfectly capable of demonstration that you stultified yourself by reversing your votes when they were right and sticking to them whenever they were wrong. You do not deceive any one who cares to learn the facts by your disingenuous statements in your quotations of votes and dates or by trying to throw the blame upon others. The matter is simple enough. As a Christian man and a known temperance man you had no right to vote to grant licenses to well known criminals as you did, and you had no business whatever to identify yourself by your votes and your acts as you did with the spread of the saloon in our midst. You have asked, I am told, why you have been selected as an object of special criticism in this matter. The reply is that we, one and all, looked to you from your putative professions, as an exponent of the convictions of a Christian and a temperance community to stand for the defence of our homes and our families against the damning influence of the saloon.

In closing I quote from the law to show that you were under no obligations, as you assume, to vote for any license whatever.

No person shall sell or expose for sale, spirituous or intoxicating liquors, except as authorized in this chapter. Chapter 100, Sect. 1.

Section 5, Chap. 100. In any city which at its annual municipal election, or in a town which at its annual meeting, votes to authorize the granting of License—Licenses may be granted.

Observe it is not *shall* be granted, but *may* be granted.

Cap. 100, Sect. 6. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen, or the Selectmen, may, at any time, refuse to issue a license to a person whom they deem unfit to receive the same. But nothing herein shall be so construed as to compel said Mayor and Aldermen or Selectmen to grant licenses.

What does this mean? It means that Aldermen or Selectmen when they decide to license, should carefully scrutinize the fitness or unfitness of the applicants. If they find no man "qualified" for selling, what then? Are they obliged to license? No. The language of the law is clear and unequivocal and so plain that even a wayfaring man though a fool could not draw any other interpretation from it.

A single word more. Your statement that I charged in my address that money had been used to influence votes in the Board is not true, as the verbatim report in the Boston *Journal* of May 18, will show.

Yours, for suffering humanity,
HUGH MONTGOMERY.

Woburn, May 25.

A Broadside.

ALDERMAN DEARBORN: Your two letters in the JOURNAL and in the *News* have excited considerable comment both because of what you say and what you leave unsaid. In common with others, the writer thinks that in justice to yourself at least you ought to inform the public how you reconcile the two paragraphs quoted below from these two letters:

JOURNAL. "I do not think we would be justified in passing an order that would *keep money out of the City Treasury* when we might have it as well as not. *The applicants would never have paid* $1800 *for a fourth class license.*"

News. "The Mayor threatened retaliation when he found some of his favorites were likely to be left out in the cold and, had not my motion to reconsider been made and passed, he could have prevented the granting of a single first-class license *and still secured the same amount of money for the treasury.*"

VOTER OF WARD 6
and former supporter of Ald. Dearborn.

See J. I. Munroe's Ad.

In another column of houselots for sale in Eustice Cummings's beautiful lawn, Garfield Ave. and Green street; Cummings Park, Kirby and Winn sts.; Hart Estate Wyman st.; Montvale Park, Pine st.; W. U. G. & I. Co's plant, N. W.; Fosters Park, Vernon st.; also residences and farms small and large, some of them very near the Centre and at *real bargains.* Woburn office 7 Mechanics building, Boston office 35 Congress st. room 35.—X.

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Annual Price Drill of W. H. S. B.

The annual prize drill of the Woburn High School Battalion will occur next Friday evening, June 5, in the Rink. The exercises will begin at 7.45. The two companies will compete for a flag and there will also be a drill in the manual of arms for a gold and a silver medal. The public will be admitted by ticket and any person may secure tickets by applying to the Principal of the School or the Major of the Battalion. Members of Posts 161 and 33 will be welcome and can secure tickets on application to their respective commanders. By the kindness of the Association of Past officers a sword and belt has been offered to the Captain of the winning company, a feature which makes the contest this year an especially exciting one.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblainsr Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

Memorial Day.

GRAND G. A. R. SOUVENIR EDITION OF THE BOSTON DAILY GLOBE.

BOSTON, May 26.—An important notice is made today by the *Boston Daily Globe*, which will issue a grand G. A. R. souvenir edition on Saturday, May 30, of this week. It will include a history of more than 200 heroes for whom the posts of the G. A. R. in Massachusetts were named, showing the battles in which they engaged and recalling events, memories and reminiscences which will thrill all old soldiers and soldiers' familes. It will also interest and instruct all who have been born since the war. It will be a souvenir you will want to keep, and also one to mail to your relatives and friends. Order it in advance of your newsdealer.

Allen—Hoover.

On May 21 inst. at Paris, Ky, the former home of the bride, Montresser T. Allen, E q., a lawyer of excellent standing in this city and Boston, and Miss Lizzie Hoover of Boston, several years ago a resident of Woburn, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock. The bride is highly accomplished and posseses many rare charms of person and mind. The groom is a prominent gentleman in this city (where his family mostly live) and has been honored with the confidence and trust of the people by being elected to high official positions. The JOURNAL extends congratulations.

It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Allen will take up their abode in Boston.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure billousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 50 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss Drug Store.

Stores to Close.

There was a full meeting of business men at the B. of T. Rooms last Tuesday evening to talk over and do something about things on Memorial Day. Mr. Frederic A. Flint was Chairman and Frank Wetherell was Secretary. All branches of industry were well represented and the meeting was very harmonious.

It was voted unanimously to close all stores (except drugstores), shops, offices, etc. and to keep and observe Memorial Day in a manner befitting its solemn and sacred character. With this the meeting adjourned.

P. S. Some business places will be open in the evening.

Ivers & Pond Pianos.

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A catalogue describing and picturing these pianos will be mailed free if you send a request and your address on a postal card to Ivers & Pond Piano Co., Masonic Temple, 183 Tremont St., Boston.

North Woburn.

No. Woburn never looked lovlier than at the present time. As a residence village it has no superiors in the vicinity of Boston

From next Sunday morning until further notice cars on the No. Woburn St. Railroad will run to Medford on Sundays every 30 minutes.

The music at the No. Church last Sun

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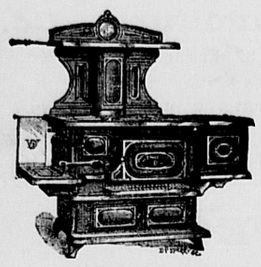

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by James McGaffigan to Charles McEleney, dated May 4, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1907, Page 417, and assigned by said Charles McEleney to John G. Maguire by deed of assignment dated May 20th, A. D., 1891, for a breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday, June 13th, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, to wit:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at a stake in the northerly side line of a private way leading in an easterly direction from Main street to the Boston & Lowell Railroad and at land of Garvey; from thence the line runs northwesterly by said land of Garvey and by land of Nelson, one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet, to a stake at land of Edward W. Hudson; thence turning the line runs easterly on and by said land of Hudson forty (40) feet to a stake at land of John P. Crane; thence turning, the line runs southerly on and by said land of Crane parallel with the first line above described and forty (40) feet distant therefrom about one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet to a stake at said private way; thence turning the line runs westerly by and with said private way forty (40) feet to the point of beginning; containing about five thousand (5000) square feet; together with a right of way to and from Main street over the private way above described; being the same premises described in deed of John P. Crane to said McGaffigan, dated March 22, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1896, Page 370.

$100.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid by purchaser at time of sale, other terms will be announced at the sale.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Assignee
and present holder of said mortgage.

Woburn, Mass., May 21, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and others interested in the estate of Annie J. Lafferty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Salmon, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William F. Kenney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Connell, Executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for a license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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J. H. TYLER, Register.

FINE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

The subscriber has for sale about three acres of land finely located for a Summer Residence, being on a high elevation, on a good street, with water and electric light. There is now on the premises a good house and small stable. The land is well adapted for building or gardening purposes.

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Executors' Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. George M. Brooks, Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, we shall sell at Public Auction, on Tuesday, the sixteenth day of June, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, the Homestead, consisting of a lot of land containing about 36,820 square feet, with the fine dwelling-house and stable thereon, situated at the corner of Main and School streets, in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., in that part thereof called "North Woburn," and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, at the corner of said Main and School streets, the line runs north 9° 30' west, on and by said Main street about one hundred and six and nine-tenths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by said Main street, about eighty-five and five-tenths feet to land late of Prinice S. Barnard, deceased; thence turning to the right, the line runs north 84° east, by land last named, about two hundred and eighty-three and seven-tenths feet to land of Joseph B. McDonald; thence turning to the right the line runs south 12° east, by land of said McDonald, about ninety-nine and eight-tenths feet to a corner; thence turning to the right, the line runs westerly by land late of said Barnard and land of Charles Buck, about seventy-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by land of said Buck, about twelve feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the right, the line runs westerly by land of said Buck and land of Hartly J. Tarr, about one hundred and thirteen feet to a corner; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 7° 30' east, by land of said Tarr, about eighty and seven-tenths feet to said School street; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 78° 10' west, on and by said School street, about ninety-one and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the taxes thereon for the year 1891.

At half past two of the o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, will be sold on said Homestead above described, a certain other lot of land situated in said Woburn, known as the "Brooks Tay lot," near to and easterly of said North Woburn, containing about two acres, with the water privilege thereto pertaining, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Middle street; northerly and easterly by land now or formerly of heirs of Elijah Richardson; and southerly by land now or formerly of Col. Stone.

Said premises will be sold subject to the taxes thereon for the year 1891.

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PARKER L. CONVERSE,
LEONARD THOMPSON,
Executors of Will of Abigail Winn.

Woburn, May 28, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Charles G. Lund, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Charles G. Lund and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, D. H. Sweetser and E. D. Hayden, the trustees under said will, have presented for allowance the third account of their trusteeship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustees are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of George Skelton, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased, intestate;

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. Johnson of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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WINCHESTER.

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The change made by the redistricting of the State for Congressmen does not suit some of our Winchester people, and no wonder.

Supt. Sewell has ordered that cars run between here and Medford Sundays every half hour beginning on next Sunday morning. This will be good news.

Memorial Day will be duly observed here. Hon. John J. Donovan of Lowell will deliver the oration. The exercises at the Town Hall at 7.30 p m. will be very interesting. A double Quartet from Boston will sing.

One of the early June weddings of interest to Winchester and Boston friends, will be the marriage of Miss Alice N. Quimby and Mr. John D. Blanchard of Cumberland, Me., which will occur June 3, at the home of the bride's parents on Mt. Vernon street, Winchester.

In all human probability as soon as the West Side Syndicate's Addition to Winchester is got into shape to be settled on the West End will extend their line from Arlington to the B. & M. (So. Div.) station here, and run electric cars altogether. It's a big scheme for Winchester!

We have met the Gypsy Moth Commission and it is ours. It struck this town one day last week, but one of our brave old matrons struck back so vigorously and bravely that the Commission didn't stand on the order of its going but got. Winchester don't want any Gypsy Moth Commissioners in hers.

All the papers contain well-deserved obituary notices of Luther R. Symmes who died on Wednesday 13, inst. aged 69 years. He was a man worthy of all esteem and received it from all who knew him. He was prominent in the affairs of this town; a member of an old and respected Winchester family; and a man highly esteemed by everybody.

Competent parties contemplate the publication of a volume at an early day which will contain a brief historical sketch of our town, a geographical description of it, a chapter on its advantages as a place of residence, and the remainder (the bulk of the book) to be filled up with biographics and portraits of prominent citizens, living and dead; their homes; public buildings; local views, etc. It is expected that the leading and wealthy men of the town will take hold and give the enterprise a big boost. The proprietors of the Stoneham *Independent* are now engaged on the publication of a similar work.

Burlington.

Many farmers in town suffered a serious loss by their crops being nipped by the frost last week.

Memorial Sunday was observed by an appropriate service at the church, Sunday morning. The Veterans attended and Rev. Mr. Hersey made a short address to them. The rostrum and desk were decorated with flowers and the national colors.

The Ladies Benevolent Society held their annual meeting and election of officers in the church parlor Thursday afternoon. The following officers were chosen: Mrs. Mary B. Reed, President; Mrs. L. Woodman, Vice President; Mrs. Elizabeth Sewall, Treasurer; Mrs. Abbie Walker, Secretary.

The Memorial Day services will be held at the cemetery, Saturday morning at half past nine o'clock. The programme will be as follows:

Children's Marching Song.
School Children, escorting Veterans
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Recitation. Miss Mary Foster.
Oration. Rev. John H. Larry, Providence, R. I.
Prayer. Rev. C. F. Hersey.
Chorus. "The Blue and the Gray." Church Choir
Decoration of Graves.

Next Sunday evening at half past seven o'clock there is to be a lecture at the church by Mr. Tomyoshi Murai of Japan, who is now studying at Andover. Mr. Murai was a pupil of the late Mr. Neesima, who is well remembered in this vicinity. He is an especially interesting speaker and no one should fail to hear him. He will probably dress in Japanese costume and will also bring a collection of curios from his native land. No admission fee is to be charged but a collection is to be taken for Mr. Murai's benefit and it is expected that everyone will be glad of the opportunity to help him in his studies for mission work. The following item is taken from a Saco, Me., newspaper; "Mr. Murai, a Japanese theological student who has been in this country only a year, spoke to a crowded house last night in the Saco Congregational church. He was a man of high caste in his own country and was well educated in the government schools. During his lecture, he recited some curious Japanese poetry telling the story of its composition and then translating it into English. He afterwards sang a Japanese hymn."

A Rebellion.

To go to work seriously and solemnly to raise by legislative enactment a Commission to kill worms is about the smallest business we ever heard of a great State going into. And yet that was what Massachusetts did two years ago and the Gypsy Moth Commission is still extant.

Because after more than a year's experience and practice the Commissioners were unable to discover the "difference between a side of sole-leather" and a Gypsy Moth, and by a too liberal use of paris green had killed a cow, several dogs and some hens in Medford, besides keeping the people of that town in deadly fear of their lives all summer from the same cause, and the Gypsy Moth all the time growing more numerous and formidable, Gov. Russell turned them all out of office this spring and put in another lot who have yet to demonstrate their ability to discharge the duties of the Commission more intelligently or in better shape than their predecessors. So far all they have done that their predecessors failed to do has been to send to Europe or Asia for a barrel of parasites which, it has been found out, are a dead-open-and-shut on the Moth.

But we object. If the State esteems the Gypsy Moth of sufficient importance to require a Commission to take care of it, it is only fair play that the worms to be found at this season on one or more trees in every orchard in Middlesex county should have one too. Sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

But to the point: In Medford and Malden, the principal scene of the Commission's official operations, a furious rebellion has broken out against the whole business and war to the knife has been declared against the law. One man is awaiting trial for trying to drive the State's servants from his premises with an axe the other day. A secret organization has been formed to fight the Commissioners; and the Medford Selectmen are going to call a Town Meeting in a few days to see what can be done about it. And the excitement in Malden is not a whit less intense.

In the meantime Winchester is in a state of fear and trembling lest the Commission or the Moth or both should come sweeping along and interrupt the peace and repose in which that beautiful town perennially basks.

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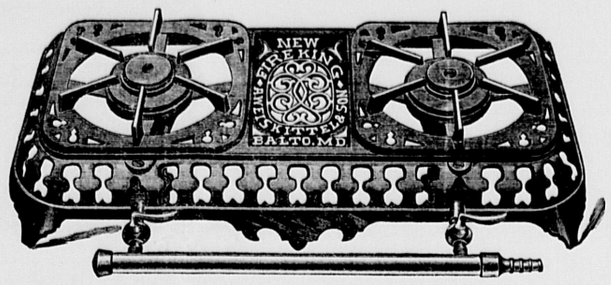

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Eliza Annie Quimby Stevens, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, William H. Cummings, the Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the Estate under deed given by Oliver B. Coolidge to Ebenezer Lawrence, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Abijah Thompson and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, the Trustee under said deed, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by him as such trustee;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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LESSON IX, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MAY 31.

Text of the Lesson, II Chron. xxiv, 4-14. Commit Verses, 8-10—Golden Text, II Cor. ix, 7—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

4. "And it came to pass after this that Joash was minded to repair the house of the Lord."

We now go backward in the history to a period about a hundred years earlier than the last lesson. Joash was the seventh king of the two tribes, and began to reign about a hundred years after the death of Solomon. Only seven years old when he began to reign, he reigned forty years (vs. 1).

5. "And he gathered together the priests and the Levites."

"Go out unto the cities of Judah, and gather of all Israel money to repair the house of your God from year to year, and see that ye hasten the matter."

This would have been a sort of compulsory taxation for the house of God, and was contrary to the principle laid down in Ex. xxv, 2—"Of every man that giveth it willingly with his heart ye shall take my offering." And again in Ex. xxxv, 5, "Whosoever is of a willing heart let him bring it, an offering of the Lord."

6. "And the king called for Jehoiada, the chief, and said unto him, Why hast thou not required of the Levites to bring in out of Judah and Jerusalem the collection?"

The priest and the Levites probably understood their business better than the king did. It was not in their commission to go out collecting money, but it was commanded that the people should bring in their offerings according to their ability (Deut. xvi, 16, 17; Mal. iii, 10).

7. "For the sons of Athaliah, that wicked woman, had broken up the house of God."

This was the woman who counseled her son Ahaziah (the last king) to do wickedly, and who, after his death, reigned six years (chap. xxii, 2, 3, 12). See her miserable end in chap. xxiii, 15. She was the daughter of Ahab (xxi, 6), and when we remember that Jezebel was Ahab's wife we cannot wonder at her conduct and that of her sons.

"And also all the dedicated things of the house of the Lord did they bestow upon Baalim."

8. "And at the king's commandment they made a chest, and set it without at the gate of the house of the Lord."

There was a hole in the lid of this chest, and it was set beside the altar on the right side as one cometh into the house of the Lord (II Kings xii, 9). Things are looking better now; this is more like God's way, and there will surely be a blessing.

9. "And they made a proclamation through Judah and Jerusalem, to bring in to the Lord the collection that Moses, the servant of God, laid upon Israel in the wilderness."

This is more fully stated in II Kings xii, 4, 5, and carries us back to Ex. xxx, 11-16, where all who were numbered were to give a half shekel as an offering unto the Lord to make an atonement for their souls, the rich not giving more and the poor not giving less than half a shekel.

10. "And all the princes and all the people rejoiced, and brought in and cast into the chest until they had made an end."

This pleased the Lord, for "God loveth a cheerful giver," and "if there be first a willing mind, it is accepted according to that a man hath, and not according to that he hath not (II Cor. ix, 7; viii, 12).

11. "Thus they did, day by day, and gathered money in abundance."

As the chest was filled it was emptied, counted, put up in bags and set in its place again (II Kings, xii, 10). At the building of the tabernacle of Moses the money and material from the willing hearted offerers came in so abundantly that orders had to be issued to restrain the people from bringing, for they brought much more than enough (Ex. xxxvi, 6, 7).

12. "And the king and Jehoiada gave it to such as did the work of the service of the house of the Lord."

And they laid it out to the carpenters and builders, and to masons and hewers of stone, and to buy timber and hewed stone to repair the breaches of the house of the Lord (II Kings xii, 11, 12). They did not, like many nowadays, get the work done first and then look for the money to pay for it, but they first saw the wherewithal on hand and then went forward with the work. It does seem so unscriptural to have a debt upon any building dedicated to God, or to undertake any work for God without seeing how to pay for it.

13. "So the workmen wrought, and the work was perfected by them."

King, priest, people and workmen, all laborers together. So now every preacher, teacher, missionary, evangelist, or the humblest scholar who gives a penny to help send the gospel to others, are all laborers together in building up the great temple, the church or body of Christ, which shall in due time be perfected (Eph. ii, 19-22; I Cor. iii, 9). A strange thing is written concerning the overseers of this work to whom the money was given to pay the workmen, which is also written of others in the days of Josiah—viz., that they dealt so faithfully that no reckoning was kept with them (II Kings, xii, 15; xxii, 7).

"And they set the house of God in his state and strengthened it."

In the margin of the R. V. "His state" is "according to the proportion thereof." The Spirit had given David the plans for the temple (I Chron. xxviii, 12-19), and they now repaired it according to the design of the Spirit. When we by the Spirit act and speak according to His will we shall then glorify God.

14. "And when they had finished it they brought the rest of the money before the king and Jehoiada."

Why did they not use up all the money, or put in a bill for extras? What fools they would be in the eyes of many to-day! How easy to say that the work cost more than they expected! But see their faithfulness. The surplus was made into vessels of gold and silver for the house of the Lord. Let the surplus of wealthy Christains be devoted to sending forth vessels of mercy to the unsaved, and what joy such faithfulness would bring both in heaven and on earth!

"They offered burnt offerings in the house of the Lord continually all the days of Jehoiada."

This good priest lived to the extraordinary age of 130 years, but when he died there was a sad change in Judah, both on the part of the king and the people. See the rest of this chapter, and notice the idolatry, and the murder of the priest Zechariah, the son of Jehoiada, and also the murder of Joash, the king. How sad a termination to a reign that began so well! We are Christ's disciples, indeed, only if we continue in His word (John x, 27-29). If, on the other hand, we are only good because an older and wiser friend is controlling us then when we lose that friend we shall be apt to fall. Let us hide in Jesus, Rock of Ages, our Great High Priest, lean only on Him, trust Him fully, and all will be well.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, *820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

At Pittsburg the Second Avenue Electric Street Car Company is equipping its lines with vestibuled trains.

He—"So Jack isn't devoted to Kate any more. Did they fight?" She—"Yes; they had an engagement."

CHANCE AND CHANGE.

Though dull and dark the skies, what boots despair?
'Tis but the moment, which will soon be o'er;
The morrow's dawn may be as bright and fair
As though the clouds were past forever more.

Nor be thou overjoyous if the day
Is glad and bright, and Nature hath her face
Enwreathed in smiles; the morrow may be gray,
And leaden clouds come driving on apace.

Darkness to light, and light to darkness yields;
Night unto day, and day again to night;
E'en while the cloud shades hover o'er the fields,
Triumphant through them bursts the sun's glad light.

So 'tis with life. Be not too much cast down
If darkness rests upon thee, nor elate
If bright be all thy pathway; smile and frown
Flit swiftly o'er the countenance of Fate.

And that thy mirror is. She frowns on those
Who weakly murmur and who fear the strife;
But smiles on him who mocks at all her blows,
And bravely bears him through this changing life.

—Exchange.

Drugs in the Stable.

The extent to which drugs are used gratuitously and without pathological cause by unscrupulous grooms is a matter for surmise rather than for direct evidence; but many of our readers may recall the alteration for good or bad in the condition of their horses which has become apparent before long upon a casual change of grooms—where one predecessor or successor, as the case may be, has indulged in this practice of useless drugging and the other has abstained from it. Hunters for which no day seemed too long a year ago now "stop" and give out half way in an ordinary run, and chance fences at which they used to rise freely; or phaeton horses sweat profusely at the end of a quarter of an hour at eight miles an hour with the thermometer only temperate.

When such symptoms disclose themselves the master may begin to suspect that something is wrong, and that antimony is superseding the brush and currycomb in his stables. If a direct accusation does not elicit confession and a promise of reformation he will do well to give notice and to look out for a new servant before the health of his stable is ruined. The drug thus administered for this special purpose begins to lose its former efficacy after repeated doses; the groom then probably increases the dose, and perhaps before long some valuable animal is hopelessly ruined in health, if not absolutely poisoned and taken to the knacker's.—London Field.

Machinery Run by Foot Power.

A mechanical power has been invented by Mr. William Riley Hunter, of Afton, Ia., which is intended to run any light machinery by foot power, such as buzz saws, scroll saws, lathes, etc., and consists of a main frame carrying a main shaft on which is mounted a fly wheel, carrying a belt adapted to convey power to a saw mandrel or lathe head adjusted at top of frame. Two friction clutches are on said shaft, a rope passing over two idle pulleys at top of frame, thence over and several times around the peripheries of said clutches, the ends of rope being fastened to treadles. By sitting upon the seat and operating the treadles in the usual way with the feet the machine is put in motion.—New York Telegram.

The Modern Greek.

The average normal Greek is a wide awake, active, shrewd individual. They are proud of their ancestry, and this pride finds expression in the naming of their children. It is a common custom for them to name them after the gods and demi-gods of the heroic period. You hear on the streets one ragged, dirty urchin hailing another of kindred appearance with, "Hi, Themistocles," or "Oh, Phidias." You behold Plato, Demosthenes and Theseus indulging in noisy games at the street corners, while mothers come to their doors shouting at youthful Socrates to "stop pulling Aphrodite's hair," or for Athene to "stop making faces at Apollo."—Professor D'Ooge in Pittsburg Dispatch.

When a newly wedded pair commence life in a home of their own, it is customary to issue "at home" cards, for a few afternoons or evenings at no distant date, unless the marriage occurs in early summer, when these informal receptions are deferred until the autumn. Only such persons are invited as the young people choose to keep as friends, or perhaps only those whom they afford to retain.

Stoves should be kept in a dry place when not in use. Stove pipe flues and elbows must be well cared for, or they will rust out in a single season. If there is no dry place for them, they should be well rubbed over with tallow or other grease, which will do much to keep them in good condition.

Charles Louvier, a carpenter of Paris, found it child's play to roll a tin basin between his fingers into a cylinder. On one occasion he carried off a soldier on guard who had gone to sleep in the sentry box, and deposited both box and soldier on a low churchyard wall close by.

The scents commonly used by men are Opoponax, Jockey Club and Eau de Chypre. Men use a great deal of scent nowadays. Roxana was the favorite scent of Charles II. It is a very pleasant bouquet. I had almost forgotten to mention the Smokers' Pastils.

A report on electric lighting of trains in Germany leads to the conclusion that such lighting must be independent of the locomotive, and that it must be on the accumulator system.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the Liver be inactive, you have a Bilious Look, if your stomach be affected you have a Dyspeptic Look and if your Kidneys be affected you have a Pinched Look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples, Blotches, Boils and gives a good complexion. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore, 50c per bottle.

We are forging along toward the time of year when it will be in order to inform our national bird the mosquito that he is persona non grata.

A Fortunate and Grateful Woman.

Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Everett, Pa., says: "I suffered for years from kidney and gravel trouble. No physicians or medicine at home did me any good. I finally visited my former home at Rondout, N. Y., and began using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. A few words tell the result. I am a perfectly well and happy woman once more."

An hour for yourself, the rest of the day for others.

DOG AND COUGAR IN A FIGHT.

A Mail Carrier's Canine Companion Makes a Good Show Against Odds.

Jim McMahon, who carries the mail into Vance, was riding leisurely along the trail with the mail pouch slung over his horse's back, and his dog, a big, courageous animal, brimful of fight, and ready to tackle anything from a mouse to a bear, was trotting ahead of the horse, occasionally making short excursions into the forest through which the roads winds on the trail of some wild animal.

Suddenly, after having made a dash through the brush, the dog came tearing out into the road, uttering savage and fierce barks, his hair bristling and evincing unmistakable signs of terror. Jim at once surmised that the cause of the dog's retreat must have been due to an apparition of some unusually large wild animal.

Spurring his horse he rode up to the point where the dog was still growling, and encouraged the animal to attack the unseen cause of the commotion. The dog responded by a fierce rush into the brush, and in a few minutes appeared near the road in savage conflict with a large cougar. After a short, fierce round both went down, the dog on top. His master knew, however, by his screams and growls that the dog was not having the fight all his own way.

The cougar had leaped and fastened his gleaming fangs on the dog's head, while his hind feet, with sharp claws, were tearing into the dog's side, and were making the hair and the blood fly. The horse, which had now seen the wild animal, was plunging and rearing in terror. Jumping from his saddle, Jim drew his revolver and went to the dog's rescue.

Cougar and dog were rolling around and round, now one on top and then the other, and moving so swiftly it was hard to distinguish them. They were all tangled up in a maze of hair, blood and blood curdling yelps and screams. Jim wanted to kill the cougar, but didn't want to kill the dog. So he waited for an opportunity, and then, raising his big revolver, pulled the trigger, but the gun missed fire. Again he aimed and pulled, with the same result. In his excitement he had forgotten that several of the chambers of the pistol were empty. Luckily for man and dog the cougar at this time released his hold on the dog and sprang into the brush and disappeared. Remounting and whipping up his horse, Jim rode off with the dog to a safer place. An examination of the faithful animal's injuries revealed the fact that one of its eyes had been gouged out, the side of its head lacerated and its neck and body badly cut and torn by the fangs and claws of the cougar.—Chehatis Nuggett.

Why Shoemakers Demand Deposits.

"If we didn't secure a deposit with orders," said a custom shoemaker while trying to explain why it was that "something on account" was needed, "we should soon have to start misfit parlors on our own account. It is not that gentlemen deliberately order shoes without intending to call for them, but it is a certain thing that quite a large number of measurements are taken, shoes made, and then never asked for. When a deposit has been left, there is of course less danger of this, and if the shoes are not called for we can be sure of a prompt sale at a price high enough to secure us from loss.

"Then there is another trouble about this business. Almost every one who comes wants his order filled by a given date, generally a very near one, but half the time a week or more elapses before the shoes are called for. This naturally encourages a habit of procrastination on our part, and unless this is carefully checked delays and disappointments would be very general indeed. Nearly all custom work is done out by shoemakers at their own homes, and these men are far more autocratic and independent than we dare to be."—St. Louis Star Sayings.

Joaquin Miller's Great Work.

"For four years," says Joaquin Miller, "I have been getting ready for the work of my life—namely, my life of Christ in verse. As nearly as possible I will follow Bible lines, and will incorporate the best of the parables, together with Psalms and Proverbs. I will invent some parables, of course, fitting them in the places where they belong. There is so much romance, beauty and poetry in the Bible that it will not be at all difficult for me to select my themes and subjects. Christ was a beautiful man, lived among the most beautiful of women and the noblest surroundings. I can imagine those tall, dark skinned, beautiful Jewish girls, beautiful women, who can be painted in poetry and in song. I expect it will take me several years to complete the work."—Exchange.

The Winnemuckee.

The Winnemuckee is a beautiful lake lying just east of the Sierra Nevada mountains. It is famous for its salmon or wine colored fish, the term "winnee" signifying in the old Indian, "wine colored" or tinged with color. Winnee is the aboriginal name of a river in South Carolina, its waters so darkly tinged that it is now commonly called the Black river.—Detroit Free Press.

It is one proof of the power of Christianity upon modern life that animals receive more humane treatment at our hands than formerly. Queen Elizabeth with her maids of honor delighted to see a bear torn to pieces by dogs, but if an American maltreats a horse or cat he can be heavily punished for it.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers everywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

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THE OGOWE DWARFS.

They Are Even More Diminutive Than Those Described by Stanley.

At a meeting of the Paris Geographical society a letter was read from M. Paul Crampel, the explorer of the Ogowe basin, giving an account of the Bayagas, a diminutive people who inhabit the great forests extending to the north of the Ogowe and are probably nearly related to the Wambuttis described by Stanley.

The Bayagas live scattered among the M'fangs, to whom their relation is one of semi-servitude. When a M'fang chief becomes powerful enough he surrounds himself with a band of these "Bohemians" of the forest. They become his hunters and ivory seekers. In return he supplies them with manioc and bananas. Changing their places of abode every four or five days, the Bayagas are not able to cultivate the soil.

They are great hunters. The elephant is their principal game, their sole weapon of attack being a very sharp two edged spear about 5 1-2 feet in length. Physically there is a great contrast between the Bayagas and the M'fangs. The former are dwarfs compared with the latter, whose height is often from 5 feet 9 inches to 5 feet 11 inches or more. The average height of the Bayagas is 4 feet 7 inches. They are stout, well proportioned and muscular. The color of their skin is a yellowish brown.

What strikes the observer most at first sight are the prominence of the superciliary arches, the great thickness of eyebrows, which are continuous, and the projection of the cheek bones. The neck is very short, the head set into the shoulders, chest broad and well developed, the arm strong and wrist stout, the legs crooked. The dominating characteristic of their physiognomy is an expression of fear.

The traveler had not much opportunity of studying the women. He noticed, however, the mutilation of their ears, the lobe of which is pierced by pieces of wood or ivory, and in this way is gradually enlarged until it touches the shoulder. The Bayagas, although polygamists, do not imitate their neighbors or masters, among whom a large number of wives is considered to be the greatest evidence of wealth.

Among the Bayagas there is a paucity of married women, owing largely to the family organization, which tends to prevent marriages. A man has often only one wife; the chief two or three. The family is "patriarchal." The chief (the patriarch) lives with his children and grandchildren; sometimes, but rarely, one of his brothers joins the community, which never contains any but blood relations.

A young Bayaga when married stays with his wife's family, and he only has the right to return to his original community and remove his wife thither when he has a son, and when that son has killed an elephant. The son always remains with his mother's group to replace her. A Bayaga woman never marries any one of another tribe. Their language is utterly incomprehensible to a stranger, even to the M'fangs.—London Times.

To Be a Good Neighbor.

To be a really good neighbor demands the possession of many excellent qualities—tact, temper, discernment and consideration for other people's feelings; and, if we possess all, or some of these qualities, innumerable and never ending are the benefits we may confer on each other, and a great deal of pleasure will be the result. But because we are neighbors we need not necessarily be close friends. We may be friendly enough to enjoy the pleasure of doing them little kindnesses and receiving the same in return.

Being kindly disposed to all by no means implies that our house is to be open from morning till night to visitors. The typically good natured person, who is at every one's beck and call, is likely to be greatly imposed upon and to please no one really; one must be able to say "No," and to decline being made use of by every one.—New York Ledger.

Hard on the Cook.

Sometimes a hotel man will encounter a refinement of sarcasm that pierces even his blunted sensibilities. A public man who was in the city not long ago is noted for his information and good taste in gastronomic matters. The landlord was smiling an affable greeting when the guest emerged from the dining room, but the latter merely inquired whether he could have a messenger boy summoned.

"Certainly," was the reply.

"All right, and when he comes tell him to go over to the Blank hotel and get me a porterhouse steak."—Washington Post.

A Guiding Rule.

Fix this in your mind as the guiding principle of all right, practical labor, and source of all healthful life energy—that your art is to be the praise of something you love. It may be only the praise of a shell or a stone; it may be the praise of a hero; it may be the praise of God. Your rank as a living creature is determined by the height and breadth of your love; but be you small or great, what healthy art is possible to you must be the expression of your true delight in a real thing better than your art.—Ruskin.

Early Punctuation.

Teacher—Freddy Fangle, you may tell us about the antediluvian period.

Freddy—The antediluvian period is the full stop that the flood brought on the world.—West Shore.

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The Heroism of Childhood.

There is something very pathetic about the heroism of childhood, where we mean by heroism something of really independent daring and presence of mind, something beyond mere steadfast trustfulness which is a sense natural to childhood. The inquest held before Dr. Macdonald, M. P., coroner for northeast London, on Henry James Bristow, aged eight years, illustrates precisely what we mean. Mrs. Bristow, who lives at Walthamstow, had left this little boy alone in the room with a younger sister of only three years of age in order to go on an errand. She returned before 6 o'clock to find that the little girl had climbed on a chair to reach a small paraffine lamp, and had upset it over her clothes, which of course caught fire at once.

The boy immediately tore them off her, and laid her upon the bed, but in lifting her on the bed his own clothes caught fire, and it took the child a long time to tear them off. At last he succeeded, but not till he was so seriously hurt that, though taken at once to a hospital, he died within a week from the result of the injuries. His little sister's life he had succeeded in saving; at least she was said to be doing well at the time of the inquest on her brother.

The coroner very justly spoke of the boy as quite a little hero, and he was a hero in precisely the sense in which it seems to us that the word, as applied to a child of eight, carries a profound pathos with it, because it implies a presence of mind, a promptitude of purpose, a self command and fortitude and steadfastness which are usually quite beyond a child's imagination, much less its practical achievement. — London Spectator.

Where Flowers Look Best.

There is no place where flowers show to such advantage as in the home. The flowers and plants should be placed in their proper shading so as to produce the best effect. Never overcrowd in floral decorations. This is very important. The most popular way of decorating the home consists in placing beautiful foliage plants in different shades of green in corners on small stands and etageres. Flowers are used with long stems and their own foliage, put in cases. A very neat thing is a small number of miniature vases and cut class bowls, placed on little tables and filled with different colored carnations, lilies of the valley, mignonette or other seasonable flowers. Each specimen should be set by itself. This produces an exceedingly pretty effect.

The fireplaces should be well filled with potted plants, such as ferns and variegated foliage plants. Over pictures and doors a neat effect is obtained by draping long trailing ferns and passion vines in bloom. To keep flowers fresh as long as possible be sure to cut a little of the stem each day. A hard crust forms on the end of the stem which prevents the water from ascending, and this should be cut away each day. A little charcoal in the water in which the flowers stand will sweeten them and keep them fresh longer.—C. F. Klunder in Ladies' Home Journal.

He Loved Sausages.

A correspondent sends from Michigan a true story of a farmer's dog who has been found guilty of obtaining goods under false pretenses.

He is extremely fond of sausages, and has been taught by his owner to go after them for himself, carrying a written order in his mouth.

Day after day he appeared at the butcher's shop, bringing his master's order, and by and by the butcher became careless about reading the document. Finally, when settlement day came, the farmer complained that he was charged with more sausages than he had ordered.

The butcher was surprised, and the next time Lion came in with a slip of paper between his teeth he took the trouble to look at it. The paper was blank, and further investigations showed that whenever the dog felt a craving for sausage he looked round for a piece of paper and trotted off to the butcher's.

The farmer is something out of pocket, but squares the account by boasting of his dog's intelligence.—Youth's Companion.

John Smith's Queer Name.

There is a quaint old man in Manchester, England, who goes by the unique name of Gagadig Gigadab. His original name, so the story goes, was John Smith, but many years ago he began to brood over the possibilities of mistaken identity involved in such a common name. The name figured frequently in the criminal records, and he became abnormally apprehensive lest he might be confused with some of these bad John Smiths.

At last what he feared so much actually happened. One morning the papers recorded the capture of an accountant in a bank for embezzlement, and through some blunder of the reporter the identity of the embezzler was confused with the subject of this paragraph, who was also a bank accountant. Then and there he determined to assume a name like unto no other ever borne by mortal man. And in Gagadig Gigadab most people will agree that he has done so.—Chicago Herald.

Laughing Gas.

Aunty—Did the dentist give you laughing gas?

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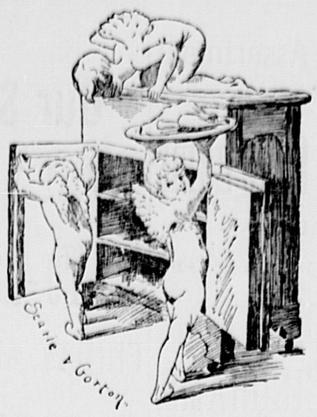

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, *8.10, 8.35, *10.10, 10.40, *11.10, A. M., *12 M., *1.10, *2.10, 2.40, *3.10, 3.40, *4.10, 4.40, *5.10, 5.40, *6.00, *7.10, 7.40, *8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.56, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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J. I. MUNROE has a large amount of real estate for sale, much of it at prices that are real bargains: choice house lots in all parts of the city from Eustace Cummings's magnificent lawn to the N. W. lots: farms from 2 to 200 acres: located close in to the centre and 2 miles out: residences of all sizes and prices and from 2 to 20 minutes walk from the station. Purchasers will consult their interests by looking over Munro's lot before closing any trade. No. 415 Main street, morning and evening; 35 Congress street, Boston, Room 35, 10 to 3 o'clock.

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"CONFIDENCE."

TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH BY SYBIL PAGET.

If thy faith seems gone from thee,
And the tempest rageth hard;
Be calm,
For God keeps guard.

If as common laws decree,
Falls to nothingness the day;
Be calm,
For God doth stay.

If from care thy heart's ne'er free,
If despair within you lives;
Be calm,
For God forgives.

If dread Death with fear you see,
And its darkness overtakes;
Be calm,
For God awakes.

Margaret of New Orleans.

"I wonder if it idealizes her?"

We stand beside the statue of this famous woman, Margaret of New Orleans, and, after the manner of strangers, conjecture on what we for the first time see.

"Not at all," a voice answers in the soft southern tongue. "It looks just like her."

"She was a working woman—a servant here. When I first remember her I was living near here, and she was taking care of the cows in a stable that stood almost on the very spot where her statue stands now. She was working then for the sisters of the asylum. She fed and milked their cows, and sold milk in a cart about the city. She was a strange looking person—remarkable in her appearance. I think now as I recall her she had a broad forehead, serious eyes, a pleasant, broad smile, a rather short, stout figure. I do not suppose she ever in her life wore any dress better than a Guinea blue calico; she always wore heavy shoes, and a black straw bonnet trimmed with a neat band of black over the top. From my residence I could see her many times a day while she was at her stable work, or coming back or forth with her milk cans.

"What was her name? Her name was Margaret Hauggery; she had been married and was at that time a widow. Her husband and little child died just after she came to New Orleans, so we learned after she became famous. She was alone and poor, in a strange country, and went to work in the stables for a living. Somehow everybody liked Margaret; her smile was sweet and her words shrewd. The children called her Margaret, and she knew their names and answered their salutations along the street as she drove by in the milk cart.

"After some years Margaret saved enough to buy a bit of ground that had on it a small bakery. The place was sold for a trifle, but now Margaret was in royal trim; a landowner and a manufacturer; for she opened the shop and began bread and pie making for the neighbors. Presently there was a large bakery built; soon bread carts were running over the city bearing the words 'Margaret's Bakery.' It became the fashion to buy at Margaret's place. During war pestilence and disaster Margaret's fires were never out, and the delicious rolls kept up their weight and quality, no matter what else in life failed.

"Then she began running her free bread carts during the fever panic. No one went hungry who was within sound of her cart wheels. From that time on no one need go hungry in New Orleans—those too poor to buy were given a loaf fresh and white as the best, and it was given heartily, with a 'God bring thee better times.' There was no distinction in Margaret's favors. She gave to white and black, of any church or none. 'Are you hungry?' that is all that was necessary. 'Here is bread take it with God's blessing.' There have been in this city dread days, which seemed as if God and everybody had failed us but Margaret; days when she almost literally fed the city. During the yellow fever panic Margaret began her noble work of taking the children from the homes of death and putting them into a house under good care, supporting them herself in every particular. Soon the one asylum grew into many; the dozens of her little charges were numbered by hundreds—and at the time of her death, thousands.

"At the gate of every orphan asylum in the city Margaret's bread cart, with its smoking rolls, was seen daily; at every charitable institution whatsoever she took the privilege of giving her bread freely, and Margaret's name headed the list for every charity. Our grand charity hospital one of the most famous famous in the world, was largely the gift of Margaret. You must visit that hospital. It will make you better all your life for having seen it. Right through the trees there at the right, do you see that magnificent building with its four galleries running around the first four stories of the house? Its gate tells in golden letters that this is a children's home, given by Margaret, where to the end of time orphans will be cared for and educated by her bequests. Many of our cemeteries contain in form of handsome tombs Margaret's simple yet munificent thoughtfulness. Here, you know, all are buried above ground in crypts or ovens of masonry; and when you visit our cemeteries—as strangers always do, for there are no burial places like these in America—you will see stone tombs (containing a dozen, two or four dozen bodies, maybe) inscribed: 'Given to the Little Sisters of the Poor by Margaret,' 'The Strangers' Tomb, given by Margaret.'

"I suppose Margaret spent more money for the city than the richest man in the history of the State; and of the sympathy and discernment of the needs of the poor, the half could never be told. She spent nothing on herself. A clean, blue calico, stout shoes, a black straw bonnet, a knitted jacket or shoulder shawl, an iron bedstead in a room without even a rocking chair, and overlooking the bakeshop. She had no time to enjoy luxuries, even had she possessed them. As long as there was a weeping child or friendless woman in the city, what time had she to fold her arms in a rocking chair? While there were unburied, coffinless forms, could she adorn her home of the living? And so it happened that to the end of life Margaret spent neither time, care, nor money on herself. She forgot there was such a mortal as Margaret.

"And when one day the news went around that Margaret was dead the great city arose and put on mourning; the business houses were closed; all the employments of the city stood still. The day of the burial thousands of her little orphans followed her bier as mourners; every church sent delegations of honor-bearers; the public school children joined in the throng; the houses were draped along the line of march; all the bells of the city tolled; civic and military joined in the procession with ecclesiastics; there never was here a funeral like Margaret's.

"Afterwards it was found that her possessions had been so disposed that had death come at any moment the affairs of this life were well and intelligently wound up. There were no personal effects of value, but even her few garments she left to the poor, and with the proceeds of her wise investments her charities are royally endowed.

"This statue is the gift of the city, to show in this public way the esteem in which she is held. It is very like Margaret. The motherly figure, seated with one arm encirling a standing child at her side; the untrimmed dress, coarse shoes, the little crocheted shawl about her shoulders are homely, but who would change them for finer clothing? The smooth hair with its old-fashioned French parting; the strong chin, the pleasant mouth, the serious eyes—is there not something fascinating in the contradictions of the face?

"Did you ever see such a head on a woman's shoulders? Massive, wonderful. That is the head of a statesman and financier, while its mouth, with its pleasant smile, telling of the tact and natural suavity of Margaret's character, proclaim the elements of a born diplomat. Yet, look again at the broad, massive brow, and see the earnest, loving eye that speaks of a true womanhood; look once more at the coarse garments and you will see that poverty added her load to the ordinary burden of womanhood, while ignorance, bereavement, affliction, loneliness join hands with poverty against this soul. But the massive brow conquered; the untaught brain triumphed, and under the leadership of the sad, gentle eyes gave to the suffering what might, had she been a man, born in other circumstances, have been the gain of nations and the glitter of the trappings of a diplomat.

"When I consider what Margaret did for one city, under such desperate disadvantages, I wonder what she could have done for the world if all the environments had been right. I was thinking of that as I looked, passing for the hundreth time, at the strong, fascinating face this morning, when your question met my ear.

"Yes, it looks like her, and there will never be another in marble like it to the end of time. She was a grand character—tender, strong, original, pitiful, helpful, wise."

We are to ourselves like a closed book.

Woman's Column.

Giving Away the Bride.

A custom much more honored in the breach than in the observance is that of giving away the bride at the marriage ceremony. This custom, however, still exists.

When women were estimated at such a value as Petruchio put upon his newly wedded wife Kate there might have been some propriety in giving away what was merely a commodity. Petruchio said:

"She is my goods, my cattels; she is my house,
My household stuff, my field, my barn,
My horse, my ox, my ass, my anything."

But in these days, when women stand as individuals, able to hold college degrees, to carry on business, to make contracts, to serve as lawyers, clergymen and physicians, it seems the extreme of silliness and unfitness that such a person should be given away, as though she were incompetent to dispose of herself. The custom is a survival of base and belated ideas. Wherever it appears, it is like a signpost pointing to the past degradation of women.

This custom and the folly of it were conspicuously manifest at a recent wedding, widely noticed in the press, where a capable woman of mature age was given away. She was in all respects a superior person. She had business interests which she managed herself. She was a dispenser of charities. She was looked up to in her neighborhood. But at her wedding, yielding to the force of an absurd custom, she let herself be given away. If a man of equal ability had suffered himself to be disposed of in the same way he would have been greeted with derision and laughter. Probably his example would not have been followed. In the case of women it equally deserves to be laughed out of sight. LUCY STONE.

There are eleven women County Superintendents of schools in California.

In the late school election at Missoula, Montana, out of 2,300 votes cast, 1,500 were cast by women.

The New Hampshire M. E. Conference has voted in favor of admitting women to the General Conference, 57 to 28.

Miss Hayden has modified her plan for the Woman's Building at the World's Fair by adding two aerial gardens, one at either end of the building, 40x100 feet.

Grace Greenwood (Mrs. Lippincott) is about to leave New York and make Washington her permanent residence. She is afflicted with a cataract which causes partial blindness, only to be relieved by an operation.

The increasing interest in matters of health is shown by the fact that the Mary Institute, the most aristocratic girls' school in St. Louis, announces a course of six lectures on Public Health and Emergencies, to be given to the young ladies by prominent St. Louis professors.

Miss Jeannette L. Gilder, an editor of the New York *Critic*, and the "Brunswick" of the Boston *Transcript*, lately gave an interesting reminiscence of her early career. Among her first journalistic efforts was the furnishing of the Newark, N. J., news, murders and fires to the New York *Tribune*. Mr. Greeley died during her connection with that paper. She worked under the city editor and drew her weekly stipend for three years, and then, Miss Gilder says: "Mr. Reid learned that this 'Newark man' was a woman, and I was allowed to resign, as there might arise an occasion when the work could not be done so satisfactorily by one of my sex."

Mrs. Aletha Coffin of Hadley, Ind., is a pioneer of that State, whose ninety-three years are full of honor. Left a widow sixty-three years ago in North Carolina with three small children to support, she managed by hard labor and economy to save a hundred dollars in six years. Leaving her children, she rode on horseback to Hendricks County, Ind., a distance of seven hundred and fifty miles, through a sparsely settled country, and across mountain ranges. She selected eighty acres, and then rode to the land office at Crawfordsville, nearly thirty miles distant, and entered her land with her hundred dollars. After resting a few days, she returned for her children. She gave them an unusually good education for that day, earning the means by tending her farm with her own hands. The land makes her a pleasant home in her old age, and is the only piece of real estate in the county that has never changed hands. Mrs. Coffin was for many years matron of Guilford College, N. C., and later held the same position in Earlham College at Richmond, Ind. She has filled many important positions in the work of her church and locality. She is well informed, and her memory remains good.

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For Variety, Excellence and Durability our Stock is far superior to any shown in this vicinity.

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Literary Notices.

The June number of HARPER'S MAGAZINE contains 7 interesting papers illustrated with some 70 or more engravings, which is a contribution of literature and art that any magazine might well be proud of. The papers are all seasonable and entertaining. In the article entitled Town and Village Government by Theodore Child a comparison is drawn between Woburn (Mass.) and a town in New York State of about the same size, as to the annual public expenses of each—for streets, police, fire, etc.—which is very flattering to Woburn, showing that we get a great deal more for our money than the N. Y. town does.

*** HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Co., Franklin St., Boston, and by Sparrow Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

A new subject is taken up in the article on the Development of American Industries since Columbus, in the June number of THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY. This is The Manufacture of Wool, which is handled by the author, Mr. N. S. Dexter North, in a notably attractive manner. The present paper describes early forms of the industry, and, like the rest of the series, is appropriately illustrated. Dr. Andrew D. White concludes his chapter on Miracles and Medicine in this number, dealing with theological intolerance of Jewish and other physicians, inoculation, and anæsthetics, changes of vogue in regard to saintly relics, the royal touch, etc. There are many entertaining and instructive papers in the number, among which may be mentioned Our Grandfathers Died too Young, Questions Concerning the Minor Planets, The Natchez Indians, The Pearl of Practice, The Future of the Dry Land, The Music of the Birds, etc. New York: D. Appleton and Company. Fifty cents a number: $5 a year.

Marvellous Endurance.

The vast amount of labor performed by the heart in keeping all portions of the body supplied with blood is not generally known. It beats 100,000 times, and forces the blood at the rate of 168 miles a day, which is 3,000,000,000 times and 5,150,880 miles in a life time. No wonder there are so many heart failures. The first symptoms are shortness of breath when exercising, pain in the side or stomach, fluttering, choking in throat, oppression, then follow weak, hungry or smothering spells, swollen ankles, etc. Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure is the only reliable remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Talking about Yankee love for the almighty dollar, can the following, narrated by a Maine paper, be surpassed: "There is a French family in Biddeford, living behind a blacksmith shop, which consists of husband, wife and 14 children, all young. The father works in the cotton mills for very moderate wages, and on account of the numerous family the mother has never been able to do any other than the housework and it has only been a few years since the oldest of the children were able to work. Yet this large family has not only been reared upon the wages of the father, but to-day the mother, who has been the financier of the household, has $4000 in the banks.

The Spring Medicine.

The popularity which Hood's Sarsaparilla has gained as a spring medicine is wonderful. It possesses just those elements of health-giving, blood-purifying and appetite-restoring which everybody seems to need at this season. Do not continue in a dull, tired, unsatisfactory condition when you may be so much benefitted by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood and makes the weak strong.

In purple and fine linen.—A bandaged black eye.

Electricity runs a Wurtemburg (Germany) iron works.

"Keep It Out of the Paper."

"Keep it out of the paper" is the cry which the local newspaper publisher daily hears. To oblige often costs considerable, though the party who makes the request thinks the granting scarcely worth saying "thank you" for. A newspaper is a peculiar article in the public's eye. The news gatherer is stormed at because he gets hold of one item, and is abused because he does not get another. Young men and often young women, as well as older, perform acts which become legitimate items for publication and then rush to the newspaper offices to beg the editors not to notice their escapades. The next day they condemn the same paper for not having published another party doing the same thing they were guilty of, forgetting, apparently, their late visit to the printing office. The subscribers expect to read the news, and there is always wonder when, for charity's sake, an item on the street and in everybody's mouth is not found in the next issue of the paper.

Col. Clark,

U. S. Army, writes: For the last two years, my health has been excellent; this, I think, is due to my using Sulphur Bitters, as formerly my health was miserable, owing to the frequent changes of climate, etc., so incident to a soldier's life.

Everybody Is Interested in It.

No paper can be published without home patronage, and every man is interested in keeping up a home paper. If a railroad or factory is wanted, the newspaper is expected to work for it. If a public meeting is wanted for any purpose, the newspaper is called upon for a free notice. If any of the societies have a supper or reception of any kind, the newspaper is expected to give the necessary notice. The newspaper must puff the schools and everything else to advance the interests of the business men of the place, and then give them a handsome notice when they pass away. And yet some of them do nothing to keep up a home paper.—*Gladstone (Mich.) Express.*

A Fortunate Man.

I had severe attacks of kidney disease. My stomach also troubled me very much. I was prevailed upon to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. After using five or six bottles, I was cured. I consider it an invaluable remedy for Kidney Disease, Stomach trouble, and all diseases of the blood.—John Vandersliee, No. 1 Gregory st., Rochester, N. Y.

A California paper says that multitudes of blue cranes are now setting on nests of eggs along the sloughs near Buena Vista Lake. The crane invariably selects a willow tree, the lower part of which is under water—and there are abundance of such this time of year—as if its instinct taught it to guard against predatory animals. In the topmost limb it builds of sticks a loosely woven nest, about 18 inches in diametar, and in that it composes its long legs and curious body to the patient duty of hatching out the twin eggs.

The weary and woe-begone expression of the dyspeptic is soon changed into one of health and hilarity by using Laxador. It only costs 25 cents.

When your child is suffering, give it Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, which will at once relieve and permanently cure by its soothing action. Price 25 cts.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE PUBLIC BAR BILL.

The saloons won an important victory in the House of Representatives last Tuesday by securing the repeal of what has been known as the "Bar Law," that is to say, the statute which compelled the whiskey drinker to take his tipple sitting at a table in Dutch style instead of standing at a bar in the good old Yankee fashion. On this question the Rum party carried the day by a big majority.

The average Massachusetts Legislature can be depended on every time to help the saloons out of any trouble they may happen to get into, and the present one has proved that it is no exception to the general rule.

The question itself was of no particular consequence to anybody. The difference to the Rum seller or the drinker between the Bar and the Table was about the same as that between tweedledum and tweedledee. The drinker could drink himself drunk sitting at the Table, and he can do the same thing standing at the Bar. Men will find ways to sell Rum and drink it so long as cupidity and appetite exist in the human race.

But the saloonists had got the idea into their heads that the Table law ought to be repealed and they found a Legislature of sufficiently easy virtue to yield to their demands.

FOR GOVERNOR.

The Democrats experience no difficulty in finding a plenty of gubernatorial candidates for the Republicans to vote for this fall. They have nominated nearly a dozen, not one of whom have the Republicans seen fit to accept, and probably will not, although some good men have been mentioned.

It is not unlikely that the Republicans may fail readily to unite on a candidate this summer. Premonitions of this are in the air.

In view of the probable difficulty of finding "the right man for the right place," and of his eminent fitness for the same not only as to ability but as to vote winner also, why not try and pursuade Hon. E. D. Hayden, late Congressman from the Fifth District, and now Vice-President of the Boston & Albany Railroad Company, to reconsider his determination and consent to run. He would win the election with less difficulty than any other prominent member of the Republican party.

THE REDISTRICTING BILL.

Yesterday was the date fixed by the House for the consideration of the bill for the Congressional redistricting of the State but we go to press too early Friday morning to give the result of the vote on it if any was taken.

The Committee's bill has met with strong opposition from almost every body except the Democrats who appear to be very well satisfied with it, as well they may be. What will become of it in the end would be hard to say.

☞ THE BOSTON NEWS is a new venture in the morning paper business and judging from a specimen copy of Vol. I, No. 1, it has come to stay. It is a penny paper that made its first bow to the public on last Monday morning bright and early. Its appearance is said to have kicked up quite a bobbey among the 2-centers of the Hub. THE BOSTON NEWS is a 7-column folio presenting a neat appearance mechanically, and is a bright, fresh, clean, newsy 1-cent candidate for journalistic honors and wealth. Success to the new enterprise.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Ad.—Bicycle.
Journal—Dog Lost.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
F. Hinckley—Citation.
C. Cummings—Horses.
C. M. Strout—Business.
S. B. Goddard—E. L. A. C.
Horace Dodd—Masten & Wells.
Pettengill & Co.—Con. Shoe Co.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Read "A lost dog" in this paper.

— Read the change in the ad. of C. Willard Smith.

— Buy your Ranges and Cook Stover of C. M. Strout.

— Mr. J. F. Ramsdell's factory is undergoing repairs.

— Miss Hannah Melville will revisit her old home in England soon.

— "When Music is Sweetest" will appear in the JOURNAL next week.

— "Ward 6" touches up members of the City Government again this week.

— Last Tuesday was truly a summer day. It was about as hot as they make 'em.

— Now is the time to have C. M. Strout put your furnaces in repair for next winter.

— Read about Gregory's auction sale in this paper. Take it all in and then go to the sale.

— Mr. Edward L. Shaw returned from Europe last week. He was away some time on business.

— Mr. S. B. Goddard declines a re-election to the office of President of the Mishawum Club for 1891.

— Mr. Curtis Greenwood has again made his appearance on the streets about as well as ever. Good!

— After an absence of three years Mr. Henry U. Dean and wife are back home here again from California.

— What, may we ask, is the probable consensus of ideas as to celebrating the next 4th of July in this city?

— Any person wishing to buy a very fine bicyle will do well to call on Cooper & Rand, this city. See ad.

— Henry Young was not the Woburn man crushed to death on "run" of Charles River bridge Tuesday night.

— John McSweeney pitched for the Trimonts at Melrose last Saturday. He knows how to "play ball"—John does.

— The Woburn Brass Band furnished music for the Memorial services at Reading last Saturday, and it was good music too.

— The 17th of June, the 116th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, will fall due one week from next Wednesday.

— The Woburn Co-operative Bank will have about $6,000 to sell at its next regular meeting on next Wednesday evening.

— It rained powerfully all Wednesday night and Thursday's east wind was cold enough to "freeze the hair off from a dog."

— Mr. Chester R. Smith, at C. Willard Smith's dry goods and carpet store, visited friends in Athol last Saturday and returned home Monday noon.

— Remember that the Prize Drill of the W. H. S. B. will take place at 7.45 o'clock this evening. Principal Mendum will furnish tickets on application.

— Victory perched on the standard of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, the Temperance Champion, yesterday morning. Rafferty got $50 and 4 months in H. of C.

— At a meeting of the New England Woman's Club at Chauncy Hall School building in Boston last Saturday Miss M. E. Carter was chosen one of the Directors.

— Messrs. Copeland & Bowser make an interesting announcement concerning dry goods in this paper. It needs to be read carefully and then the goods examined.

— There is to be a grand Temperance Rally at the M. E. Church next Sunday evening. Hugh Montgomery, Griffin Place, Hon. B. F. Whittemore and others will deliver speeches.

— The Ladies' Auxiliary, Y. M. C. A., will hold a Strawberry Festival in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on next Tuesday evening, to which the admission will be free. Everybody should attend.

— Auctioneer Gregory won the *City Press's* prize gold watch by over 3,000 majority. His vote was 14,904, and Letter Carrier E. E. Foss polled 11,725. "Greg" is a hustler and very popular.

— The residence of Mr. C. P. Kendall on Salem street, Button End, was badly damaged by fire last Saturday night. The firemen were promptly on the scene, but a good deal of damage was done.

— The summer meeting of the Bay State Agricultural College will be held at Amherst on June 11 and 12 inst. It is to be an important one. The fare from Woburn and return has been reduced to $3.10.

— Miss Charlotte Willard of Sturgis street, and Miss Mary Parker of Canal street, are back home again from Nahant, the "gem of the ocean," where they have been agreeably entertained by Woburn and Winchester friends.

— Rev. F. W. March, son of Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational church in this city, and family sailed on the Catalonia last Saturday for their home in Syria, where Mr. and Mrs. March have labored for several years as missionaries.

— Mrs. Abbie A. Nicholas, who was the daughter of William D. and Abigail Warren, formerly residents of Woburn, where the deceased was born 48 years ago, died at her home in Stoneham last Tuesday deeply mourned by all who knew her. She was a graduate of the W. H. S. Class '63.

— With Bert Hartwell, James Haggerty and perhaps others, David Ronco attended the bicycle tournament at Worcester last Saturday and had a big time. "Dave" is a bicycle enthusiast and there are only a very few boys who can tread on his heels when he gets his "second wind" and buckles right down to work.

— Mr. S. B. Goddard advertises the Employers Liability Assurance Corporation in this issue of the JOURNAL and manufacturers and others who employ workmen will do well to read and consider the matter. A large number of the above class of people in this city have taken out insurance of Mr. Goddard and are warm friends of the system.

— We are very glad to be able to announce to our readers that Hon. John Cummings of this city is in an advanced state of convalesence after a severe attack of influenza. He has a robust constitution and is temperate in all things, to which facts was probably due his victory over the grip, a disease which has proved itself a very bad one to battle against.

— The Equal Suffrage League met in the Y. M. C. A. parlor Monday evening. Mrs. Abbie Watson gave a very full report of the progress of women during the month. Miss Jennie Skinner read an original paper on "Higher Education for Women." Both papers were very interesting. The League adjourned to the first Monday evening in October.

— In buying a team for use of the Police, on recommendation of Chief McIntosh, the city did a good thing. The Police have daily need of a horse and buggy, and the amount that has been paid to stable-keepers every year for the hire of one has been enough to buy the best that could be found. The Chief, we understand, has got for his money a first-class outfit.

— There is a pretty fair prospect for building a new Armory for the Mechanic Phalanx and H. S. B. If the former will only sprunt up now and fill the ranks with good timber for soldiers the city will feel encouraged to go on and give them the best Company accommodations that can be produced; but if they are determined to jeopardize the existence of the organization by keeping up an everlasting quarrel, wrangling and fighting, they will deserve no Armory, and get what they deserve.

— The cemeteries of this city were thronged with visitors last Sunday. Such a profusion of flowers was hardly ever before seen there. Beautiful bouquets were met everywhere. Mr. L. L. Whitney, Superintendent of the Salem street cemetery, and his men had put those grounds into fine, clean, smoothly-shaven shape for Memorial Day, and they looked very nice.

— A copious rainfall took place here last Tuesday evening. It was accompanied by quite vivid lightning and loud thunder. The former struck and disconcerted some of the electric wires in this city, notably the fire alarm connections which necessitated considerable ringing of the fire gong during the evening. The rain was a godsend, for it was getting quite drouthlike and bad for crops.

— The Golden Rod is surely the National Flower. Miss Jennie Skinner, who took such a lively interest in the contest of two years ago and worked so hard in behalf of the Golden Rod, will read these figures with pleasure: At the recent voting contest of public school children in New York, out of 144,562 the Golden Rod received 79,011 votes, a clear majority of 13,460.

— Dr. John A. Cutter, son of Ephraim Cutter, M. D., etc., of New York City, and Miss Sarah A. Wright of Worcester, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at Worcester on May 28 ult. The happy couple will be found "At Home" at the Ariston, Broadway and 55th St., N. Y, in September. Bride and groom will please accept the congratulations and best wishes of the JOURNAL.

— The roundhouse, turntable, a good deal of side-tracking, etc., of the B. & M. Railroad Co., Southern Division, here in Woburn, will go out of commission a week from next Tuesday when Wilmington will be made the point of arrival and departure for trains. Woburn people will thus get shut of a great deal of waiting for trains to back down into the old yards and save considerable annoyance.

— Mr. Charles Cummings is on the way from Canada to this city with the finest carload of Canada roadsters that ever struck this part of the country. They were selected by him especially for this market and he says in his advertisement that they are beauties. Cummings has met with great success in selling Canada horses here this spring, the secret of which is, he buys the best and sells the cheapest.

— Mr. F. C. Farley, Station Agent of the B. & M. Railroad Co. at Concord, Mass., sends word to Mr. G. W. Nichols, the watch-maker, etc., that his watch, which Nichols put in order June 1, 1890, has not varied over one-half a minute by true Cambridge time during the whole year. Which is a big "recommend" for "Nick." It is very seldom that a watch can be made to run so close to the mark as Mr. Farley's has the past 12-month. But that is Nichols's way of doing things.

— Miss Lucy Wheelock, Principal of the Kindergarten Department belonging to the Chauncy Hall School, Boston, will speak in the Ladies' Parlor of the Congregational Church, Woburn, Tuesday, June 9, at 3 P. M. Her address will be informal, and will relate to Kindergarten work. She will explain this system of instruction for chiidren and answer questions relating to it. Miss Wheelock is so well known as a writer and teacher for children it is hardly necessary to urge parents and those interested in little people to avail themselves of this opportunity to hear her.

— Mr. Fred B. Leeds too is quite a railroad and steamship ticket agent. Some of the finest summer seaside and mountain excursions that Woburn people have enjoyed in recent years have been the fruit of Mr. Leeds's enterprise and liberality. Just now he has tickets for almost everywhere, but our principal aim in penning this item is to acquaint "Down Easters" with the fact that Leeds sells them to all points in Nova Scotia and Prince Edwards Island reached either by Steamer "Halifax" *via* Halifax, or Steamer "Boston" *via* Yarmouth, for just the same prices that the Boston agents sell them, thereby saving to purchasers the fare to Boston. "Down Easters" who contemplate visiting the their old homes in the Provinces this summer should see Mr. Leeds about their tickets.

— Last Wednesday evening the mail brought us a copy of "The Illustrated Pacific States," a fine large paper published at San Francisco, which contained an illustrated article on the visit and reception in Monterey and San Louis Obispo counties of President Harrison, Mrs. Harrison, Sec'ys Wanamaker and Rusk, with good portraits of them done in the best style, and other pictures of interest. The paper came by favor of Mr. Oliver C. Bryant, son of Mr. Oliver F. Bryant of Salem street in this city, who is a resident of El Paso de Robles, California, and Secretary of the El P. de R. Land Co. of that place. In an illustrated discription of the town the paper gives Mr. Bryant credit for being one of the principal promoters of its interest, growth and prosperity. We feel greatly obliged to him for his favor to the JOURNAL, and are glad to learn that he enjoys complete health out on the Pacific Coast, and is prospering like a green bay tree.

— Mr. Charlie A. Jones of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank returned last Saturday evening from a trouting trip into northern Maine which was the most successful and satisfactory of any he ever made. He left this city on the Wednesday previous in company with no one but himself and headed for the Dead River region in upper Franklin county, Pine Tree State, which he reached in due time and without accident or startling adventure, and found waiting for him one of the best guides in that part of the country, whose services had been secured in advance. He spent two days with the rod and line in which time he had immense luck and caught all the "speckled beauties" he could carry. His attentions were confined to the denizens of Swift and Dead Rivers, although there are others equally prolific in fish, and was there handsomely rewarded for his trip. The streams he whipped were in sight of Mts. Abraham and Saddleback, on each of which and in the gullies Mr. Jones saw plenty of snow. He enjoyed the outing and fishing very much indeed.

— The good people of Stoneham acted as though they were quite beside themselves over a huge halibut which was on exhibition at Perry's famous fish market there. The other day a party of Stoneham gentlemen went fishing for cod and when a league or so off Swampscott they captured, after much work, with a common cod hook, a halibut which was 7 feet long and weighed 245 pounds. They brought it home and, although offered $30 for it, placed the minny on exhibition and it was the wonder of nearly all Stoneham who flocked in schools to Perry's to see it. When opened there were found inside of the monster a halibut weighing 10 pounds and two skates, which latter discovery led some to think the old fellow was just preparing to visit the skating rink when he was caught. When Bean, Perry's driver, told the story over here, and got as far as the two "skates," our Jenkins made up her mind in a jiffy that the halibut had lately swallowed the patron of a rink, or perhaps a member of a last winter's Lynn skating party, and the pair were all that was left of the poor body. It was well that Stoneham people found something to arouse them from their usual lethargy, if it was nothing more than a big fish.

— Mr. Thomas Mulkeen, for many years School Census taker of Woburn, as well as member of the Police force, Truant Officer, etc., has finished the enumeration of the school children in this city on May 1, 1891. His report shows that, although the leather business has been very dull here during the past year, and there have been not a few removals of workmen to other manufacturing points, our population according to the U. S. census of 1890 is still in tact and is found by Mr. Mulkeen to have increased somewhat during the 12-month next preceding May 1, 1891. This is shown by a slight swelling of the total number of scholars in the city, and was gratifying to Officer Mulkeen for he had looked for a falling off in the totals from last year from causes above mentioned. He found a considerable increase of persons within school age in Wards 1 and 2, but in every other part of the city the returns he got showed a decrease of population. Mr. Mulkeen's figures are as follows:

Pupils between 5 and 15	2885
Pupils between 15 and 16	275
Pupils under 5	1460
Total	4620
Total for 1890	4580
Increase	40

— There is no telling what old junk buyers will not be after next. They take about everything that backyards, vacant lots, and goat pastures have left for sale, but what on earth they can do with old tin cans, especially after the goats have got through living on them, is a conundrum which, with the mercury at 90-odd in the shade, we feel strongly disposed to "give it up." All the same, there was wonderingly gazed at by sundry people, last Tuesday, a cart loaded with at least two tons of tomato, sweet corn, salmon, corned beef, and other (from 1 to 3-quart) cans, every one of them entirely denuded of its original coating of tin and seemingly in the last stages of dilapidation and decay, which cart was slowly making its way up Pleasant street behind a horse that had every appearance of having lived on just such stuff as the cart contained for years. The cart was piled high with the cans; the music which they made as the vehicle rattled over the stones was anything but dulcet; as former depositories of more or less nourishing human fodder —as tin cans—whither were they bound, and what was going to be done with them after they got there? were questions which puzzled the brains of a large number of spectators, one, at least, of whom grows more and more perplexed as he turns the problem over and over in his mind.

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(Reported for the Woburn Journal.)

At the Telephone.

Rev. H. M—y and Alderman D—n loquitar.

M—y. "Hello Central."
Central. "Hello. What do you want?"
M—y. "Call up Alderman D—n."
D—n. "All right, who is it?"
M—y. "My name is M—y, do you remember me?"
D—n. "Well, I should think I did. What do you want of me now? Can't you give me any peace? Haven't I had roasting enough?"
M—y. "I wanted to know if you had heard the news."
D—n. "What news?"
M—y. "Why, that the Judge had decided the Mayor was right in refusing a license to your friends Rafferty and Martin."
D—n. "Oh! (with a groan) They are no friends of mine. They have given me trouble enough. My friendship for them has driven off all my other friends and made me a suspect throughout Woburn."
M—y. "Well, I am sorry for you. The way of the transgressor is hard. But they do say that you stuck to them like a brother through the trial."
D—n. "I admit I was in a pretty tight box. I wish I had been on the other side."
M—y. "It's never too late to mend. You know,

'While the lamp holds out to burn
The vilest sinner may return.'

Hope you will do better in the future."
D—n. "If I don't it wont be for any lack of punching on your part."
M—y. "Good bye."
D—n. "Good bye."
Rings.

City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

This Branch of the City Government held a meeting on the evening of May 28 ult. Business was dispatched with considerable celerity.——The new orders were introduced and promptly carried.——One by Mr. Cutler of Ward 6 was for the transfer of $2,000 from the Miscellaneous Department to be known as "The Special Sidewalk Fund" and to be expended under the direction of the Supt. of Streets.——The other to repeal the order whereby the sum of twenty-five cents per copy is charged for Ex-Mayor Johnson's Record of Deaths, so that such copies as now remain on hand may be furnished free to legal residents of this city upon application.

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Memorial Day and Exercises.

Last week the JOURNAL gave a full and complete official programme of what the ceremonies would be on Memorial Day, and now it is our pleasure to record that they were carried out almost to the letter by the two Posts of G. A. R. of this city. The variation was so slight, if any, that its occurrance went unnoticed.

The weather was all that the heart could wish for such an occasion. Quite a profuse rain fell on the day before, but the storm cleared away in season to give the Veterans a chance to do their marching and decorating of graves (if not in sunshine) without getting wet and in an atmosphere fairly cool and exceedingly comfortable. The streets were a little too muddy perhaps for the good of highly polished boots, but that was far preferable to clouds of dust and torrid meteorological conditions. Heat and dust are the bane of Memorial Day.

There are a great many American Flags in this city, including the schoolhouse flags, and a large share of them were early set afloat at half-mast on their respective staffs and there they waved through the day.

[NOTE: Why is it that the flags are half-masted on Decoration Day? It is very far from being a season of mourning. The brave "Boys in Blue" always rejoiced on seeing "Old Glory" at the peak. It wasn't pleasant for them, and it isn't for any body, to look up and find the old Flag floating at half mast and its sacred folds drooping in sorrow and mourning. Why not change that, and run the Stars and Stripes to mast-head on Memorial Day?]

Well, at a fairly early hour in the morning people from outside the Centre began to come in and take positions on the sidewalks and Common and the steps of churches and other public buildings to listen to the music of the band and get a good look at the Veterans as they issued from their Headquarters, traversed the streets in Company ranks, and finally went off to the cemeteries to pay respect to the memory of their departed comrades, to perform the ritual exercises, and strew flowers over their graves.

At 9 a. m. Posts 33 and 161, accompanied by the National Band, marched through the Charles street gate to the Soldier's lot in the Salem street cemetery where the usual services were held. The graves of the dead patriots were decorated with flowers, the only change in the programme being that instead of the plants being planted by the veterans themselves they were left upon the graves in baskets to be afterwards transplanted by gardeners. After this was finished at the Salem st. cemetery the procession repaired to Calvary cemetery, Montvale, where similar ceremonies were performed, after which it returned to the Common where the members were dismissed.

The Veterans presented a soldierly appearance as they marched through the streets keeping time to the beat of the drum, and their parade was viewed with interest by a great many hundred people.

At 3 p. m. the two Grand Army posts reformed and, under escort of Co. G. 5th Regiment, Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, and the High School Battalion, accompanied by National Band, marched over the route laid down in the programme, and after halting at the Soldiers' Monument to listen to a prayer by Rev. W. J. Murphy, of No. Woburn, entered Lyceum Hall were the memorial services were held as follows:

Reading of Orders. By S. F. Hathaway, Post 161.
Response of Commander.
Ceremony of Saluting the Dead.
Address of Welcome. Com. Graves, Post 161.
Music, Apollo Male Quartette.
Prayer, (G. A. R. Ritual).
J. H. Nason, Chaplain Post 161.
Music, Apollo Quartette.
Oration,
Rev. E. G. Preble, Webster, Mass.

The oration by Mr. Preble was a patriotic one, eloquent, fitted for the occasion, and listened to with profound attention. The orator belongs to a brave and patriotic family; his is an historic name; Commodore Preble was his ancestor; no wonder then his oration was eloquent. Slavery in anti-Rebellion days, the War, Reconstruction, National peace and prosperity, the Veterans and the Country's debt to them, etc., constituted the theme chiefly of the oration —just the theme for the day and occasion. At the conclusion of Mr. Preble's address and music by the Apollo Quartette, Rev. Mr. Murphy pronounced the benediction and the two Grand Army Posts marched to their respective halls where a collation was served to the Veterans and invited guests.

The guests of Post 33 were the National Band and the Phalanx who were royally entertained by the Vets. G. A. R. Hall 33 was beautifully decorated and the tables presented a splendid appearance. The dinner was all that the most exacting Epicure could reasonably ask for. Commander Parsons of Hudson said grace, and Commander Larkin of 33 gave the order to fall to and open the battle of knives and forks.

After dinner eloquent and patriotic speeches were made around the banqueting board by Lieut. Charles F. Spear of the Phalanx; Mrs. Sarah Woodside, President of the Womans Relief Corps; Chaplain Charles A. McDonald, Capt. Horace W. Cook, E. F. Parker, who was followed with a stirring address by Commander Oscar Persons of Hudson. The speaking closed with a neat speech by Charles S. Hennessy.

The exercises at the Headquarters of Post 161 were exceedingly interesting. Concert Hall and the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium were handsomely decked out and crowded with people at the tables, at the head of which presided Commander of the Post Dr. Frank W. Graves, flanked by a large number of invited guests including many members of the Press. The Hall company were cordially welcomed by Commander Graves in a pleasant speech after a blessing had been invoked by Rev. D. D. Winn, and then the Apollo Quartette of Boston furnished some very delightful music. The feast was excellent, abundant, and highly enjoyed.

The postprandial addresses were made by Capt. Edwin F. Wyer; Mayor Bean made a very happy and eloquent effort; Hon. J. C. Pollard, spoke in fine spirits and Rev. D. D. Winn, Principal Samuel W. Mendum of the W. H. S., Supt. Frank B. Richardson of the Woburn Public Schools, followed in stirring speeches.

Everything pertaining to the occasion passed off in the finest manner, and by 8 o'clock p. m. Memorial Day, 1891, had passed into history.

About Rumselling.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL: Rafferty & Martin are now selling liquor in this Ward under a fourth class license which does not allow drinking on the premises. Consequently it has become common for parties to buy their beer and other liquors at this place and go out into the fields and highways to drink it, thus creating a nuisance. Mayor Bean refused a first class liquor license to these parties thereby ensuring the thanks of the best citizens of this Ward.

The Superior Court has upheld his action.

He was obliged to sign the fourth class license, but protected the Ward as far as was in his power.

I desire to suggest to good citizens of this Ward, of Ward 6, and the rest of the city, that Alderman Dearborn is responsible for the infliction of the fourth class license and the consequent drunkenness and public exhibition of beer guzzling. Alderman Dearborn moved to reduce the price of 4th class licenses when taken alone from $1800 to $500. He did this after Mayor Bean had signed all the licenses then granted except Rafferty & Martin's and McGovern's. He therefore deliberately paved the way for these two parties to get for $500 the license which the Mayor could not control. If he had allowed the price to remain at $1800 Rafferty & Martin would not have paid that price, and this Ward would have been spared the curse and disgrace of the rumshop it now has. But Alderman Dearborn, (a friend of temperance forsooth!) did this favor for Lawrence Martin. Intelligent people ought to know these facts, and knowing them they will condemn such a course.—A CITIZEN OF WARD 5.

The Glorious Fourth.

For many years the firm of Masten & Wells, of Boston, have given special attention to the manufacture of reliable Fireworks. Towns and individuals should send for their catalogue, and see the economical manner in which they make up "Collections," by which purchasers can also save all express or freight charges. Every patriotic son of liberty wishes to honor the day, and no day's celebration is complete without winding up with *Fireworks*. For particulars, see advertisement in another column.

The Stars and Stripes in Richmond.

At this season of the year when the Veterans of the G. A. R assemble together to pay tributes of respect to the memory of those gallant men who were their companions in arms when the North were fighting on Southern battlefields to put down treason and save the life of the Union, but who went above—some from the scenes of sanguinary conflict; some from hospitals; and others from peaceful homes which their loyalty and courage had helped to save; in these Memorial days when the Union survivors of the Great Rebellion march in companies through our streets and visit the cemeteries and strew the graves of their dead Comrades with flowers; and then return to listen to well-merited encomiums from the eloquent lips of the Orators of the Day; then eat the Memorial dinners; and at evening tell War stories and sing War songs and smoke the Memorial pipe—at such a time and under such circumstances the publication of the following important bit of history will not, we think, go amiss: but on the contrary, it will be quite an appropriate accompaniment to the JOURNAL's account of the Memorial exercises which were conducted by Posts 33 and 161, G. A. R., in this city last Saturday.

The intrinsic value of the article is not the sole reason for reproducing it in these columns at this time; but because a strong personal interest attaches to the incident in the somewhat circumscribed circles in which knowledge of it exists we deem it proper to give the people of Woburn an opportunity to read it for themselves. Major Stevens, mentioned in the following account of planting the first flag over the Virginia State House at Richmond, was the father of Mrs. Clara Sanborn, wife of Dr. S. H Sanborn of this city; of Mrs. Pettengill, wife of Amos Pettengill, formerly connected with the Woburn Waterworks; of Mr. Will Stevens, Lieutenant Col. of the Mass. Regt. S. of V., and of other children living at Chelsea, this State, and Minneapolis in Minnesota. The "flag" which Col. Stevens raised over the Rebel Capitol after hauling down the Confederate colors when Lee had surrendered was his Regimental guidon, which was replaced by a handsome silk one which the loyal ladies of Richmond made and presented to the Colonel in appreciation of his bold and gallant act.

This silk guidon is now the property and in the possession of Mrs. Sanborn above mentioned, who also has the sword her father wore through the Rebellion and prizes it above money. Her brother Fred has the Rebel flag which his father removed from the flagstaff of the Confederate Capitol to make room for his Regimental guidons. This is a trophy of the Rebellion captured by a heroic act of one of the "Boys in Blue" that is and deserves to be sacredly guarded by the freinds of the officer whose bravery won it. It would be well if these relics of the great strife could find a permanent home in some public depository, like our own fair Library, for instance.

But we make haste to give the extract from the CENTURY article, which is as follows:

In the CENTURY for December, 1889, occurs the following in the Lincoln History:

"A small detachment of white Union cavalry galloped into the late Rebel Capital and proceeding directly to the State House, raised the National Flag over it." And in a foot note to this passage it is stated that: "The flag was raised by a young officer named Johnston Livingston de Peyster, who had carried it at his saddle-bow for a week with this purpose."

The facts are as follows: Major Atherton H. Stevens, Jr., of the 4th Massachusetts Volunteer Cavalry, raised the first National Flag over the State House in Richmond on the occasion referred to in the text. Major Stevens was the Provost Marshal of the Twenty fifth Corps (colored troops) commanded by General Weitzel.

Major Stevens was that morning in command of the most advanced party of the Union Army. It was to him the Mayor surrendered the city in the first instance. After receiving the surrender Major Stevens galloped into town at the head of the "small detachment," and ascending to the roof of the State House, hoisted two small National Flags; in fact, they were the guidons of the squadron of the 4th Massachusetts Cavalry which he commanded. It was several hours after that before Lieutenant de Peyster came on the ground in company with Weitzel's staff. This officer (Lieut. de Peyster), accompanied by myself, went to the roof to hoist the Flag brought by him. We found the guidons at the mast-head; these we lowered and replaced them with his Flag, which was, by the way, I believe, the same one that had been first hoisted at Mobile on the capture of that city.

There was no personal risk whatever in raising the second flag, but at the time when the "small detachment" galloped in the streets were filled with disorderly characters and the chances were thought to be many for a collision with them, or of a shot from an ambushed enemy. Therefore, whatever credit may be due to the officer who first raised the National Flag over Richmond should be given to him ungrudgingly. That officer was MAJOR ATHERTON H. STEVENS, JR., of the 4th Massachusetts Volunteer Cavalry.

LOOMIS L. LANGDON,
Colonel First U. S. Artillery, late Chief of Artillery Twenty-fifth Army Corps.
San Francisco.

Eleventh Term Concert.

It rained last Friday quite violently at intervals which, it was thought by some, would interfere with the success of the grand instrumental concert advertised to be given at Music Hall on the evening of that day under the auspices of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lewis who are at the head of the large and prosperous Lewis Music School in this city, but it did not.

Leastwise, it was reckoned that 400 people —"Woburn's 400"—all of them lovers and competent judges of good music, were present, which number fills the fine hall just about full enough for the comfort of performers and spectators, and we feel that the prevailing opinion as to the attractiveness and pleasantness of the place was in unison with the JOURNAL's on those points, that is to say, they could not very well have been surpassed. The rostrum was profusely bedecked with choice plants in pots, and looked very fresh, vernal and inviting. This was due entirely to the fine taste, good judgment, and liberal hand of Mr. William S. McGregor of the Dow greenhouses.

The ushers were Charles S. Lund, N. A. Webster, H. W. Deans, and H. P. Davis, and a more genteel quartet of young gentlemen the reporter thinks it would be difficult to produce. The box-office deity was a stalwart gentleman of color who looked extremely taking in a full evening dress suit (swallowtail included), and discharged the duties of his position very kindly and with marked suavity of deportment.

Five or six of the Lewis School pupils participated in the concert, namely, Grace B. Stetson, Grace Bonebrake, Charlotte W. Willard, Grace A. Soule, Mary E. Dunklee, by whom some 10 or 12 numbers, principally operas—all classical—were very artistically executed on the pianoforte. Principal Lewis accompanied his pupils in nearly everyone of the musical exercises of the evening with all his old time vigor, art and skill.

A highly appreciative audience pronounced this one the best of the series of delightful concerts given by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and their pupils during the last two years or so in this city.

When the fact is taken into account that each of these rare entertainments costs considerable money to prepare and present to the public; that the tickets to them are free; and that the expense is borne entirely by Mr. Lewis; this community perhaps may be able to appreciate more fully the benfits which they are reaping from the establishment and carrying on of such an institution as the Lewis Music School in their midst, and how much credit and praise is due to the Manager thereof.

Woburn Drainage Commissioners.

Last Tuesday afternoon the State Senate passed a bill to create a Board of Sewerage Commissioners for this city and empowering the Mayor to appoint the members thereof within 30 days after the passage of the act.

The bill had previously passed the House and will become a law as soon as the Governor affixes his signature thereto.

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North Woburn.

If the people who now live here are alive next election day there will be fun, and don't you forget it.

Mrs. Linscott, wife of the old school master, Mr. Andrew R. Linscott, has returned from a trip to and visit in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Tidd are the most extensive tourists in Woburn. Every year they take a journey somewhere, and knowing how to travel, they enjoy it. They have tramped all over the eastern part of the Union, through the Canadas and Provinces, and now the question is, where will they go *this* year?

ED. JOURNAL: The recent decision of Judge Morton is not only a notable triumph for Mayor Bean but for the cause of temperance. It will give renewed courage to all other temperance-loving Mayors who are disposed to defend law-abiding citizens against the inroads of the saloon.

It throws a calcium light, however, on the course of Alderman Dearborn without whose protecting care Ward 5 would now have been without a saloon. Messrs. Rafferty & Martin, by grace of the Alderman's motion, were encouraged to take out their present fourth class license which they would not have done had it remained as originally at $1800.

The zeal of the Alderman for his new allies was also a remarkable feature of the recent trial.—WARD 6.

SILVER WEDDING. A party of 25 or 30 ladies and gentlemen spent a delightful evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Call in this village on the 27th ult., the same being the 25th anniversary of their wedding day—a fact which their kind neighbors and many friends had taken particular pains to remember. Sylvester Call and Mary E. Walker were married 25 years ago, in which time both have satisfied themselves that "marriage is *not* a failure." During 10 of these 25 years Mr. Call has been a driver on the No. Woburn St. Railroad cars, in which capacity he has made himself very solid indeed with the public. The fact is he is one of the most popular men on the road, and "Johnny" Russell is the other. The party enjoyed their visit and attendance on the celebration very much, and so did Mr. and Mrs. Call. The evening was passed in all sorts of agreeable ways, not the least of which was in discussing the merits of a fine supper which would have afforded pleasure to a larger number of persons had a larger number been aware of the approaching event in season to have got ready for it, but no invitations were sent out, so the knowledge of what was going on was extremely limited. But it was a very pleasant affair indeed. Many beautiful, useful and appropriate presents were received by the bride and groom of 25 years ago, among which were a silver pitcher from a brother of Mr. Call in New Hampshire; Mary Call sent in 25 silver dollars; the Street Railroad men remembered their companion in the shape of a silver-lined shaving mug and brush; Charles E. Hunter, Station Agent at this place, presented the bride with a silver nut-dish; about $100 in silver coin was received, and there were other fine wedding gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Call duly appreciated the kindness and presents of their friends, and the party were equally happy in bestowing the same.

Mayor Bean Victorious.

Mayor Bean won his case before the S. J. Court last Tuesday, or more strictly speaking, he prevented Counselor Curran from winning his. The Mayor refused to sign a license for Rafferty & Martin of Montvale so Counselor Curran brought a suit in Equity for a Mandamas to compel His Honor to subscribe his name to the documents.

The decision was given by Judge Morton who held that the Mayor has the discretion to sign the license or not as he pleases under the statute. The other objection raised by the Mayor to the petition of the plaintiffs that a majority of the Board of Aldermen did not appear to have signed the license was a sound objection.

The Mayor refused to sign this license for the reason that it did not appear that the applicants had the necessary utensils and apparatus requisite in such cases.

The chief ground on which the argument in support of the demurrer was that the Mayor had discretionary powers in the matter of signing a license must be in the exercise of his judgment.

The Mayor's vindication and triumph were complete.

Burlington.

Last Friday night our people were anxiously watching the clouds and fearing a rainy Memorial Day. They were happily disappointed, however, and on Saturday morning large numbers assembled in the cemetery for the service of commemoration. Mr. C. H. Walker, our tasteful and enterprising florist, had been busy for several days arranging plants and flowers and many of the lots were adorned with them. The cemetery committee also had put the grounds in fine order. The programme printed in last week's JOURNAL was presented successfully. Comrade G. L. Tebbetts presided as officer of the day. The orator of the occasion, Rev. John Larry

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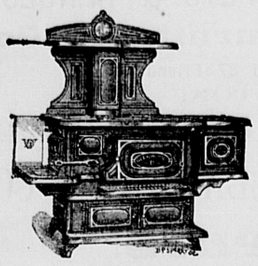

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed given by James McGaffigan to Charles McEleney, dated May 4, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1907, Page 417, and assigned by said Charles McEleney to John G. Maguire by deed of assignment dated May 20th, A. D., 1891, for a breach of the condition of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday, June 13th, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, to wit:—A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn; bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at a stake in the northerly side line of a private way leading in an easterly direction from Main street to the Boston & Lowell Railroad and at land of Garvey; from thence the line runs northwesterly by said land of Garvey and by land of Nelson, one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet, to a stake at land of Edward W. Hudson; thence turning the line runs easterly on and by said land of Hudson forty (40) feet to a stake at land of John P. Crane; thence turning, the line runs southerly on and by said land of Crane parallel with the first line above described and forty (40) feet distant therefrom about one hundred and thirty-four (134) feet to a stake at said private way; thence turning the line runs westerly by and with said private way forty (40) feet to the point of beginning; containing about five thousand (5000) square feet; together with a right of way to and from Main street over the private way above described; being the same premises described in deed of John P. Crane to said McGaffigan, dated March 22, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1806, Page 370.

$100.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid by purchaser at time of sale, other terms will be announced at the sale.

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Assignee
and present holder of said mortgage.
Woburn, Mass., May 21, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Kenney, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William F. Keaney, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the Estate under deed given by Oliver B. Coolidge to Ebenezer Lawrence, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Abijah Thompson and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, the Trustee under said deed, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by him as such trustee;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of George Skelton, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased, intestate;

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. Johnson of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the Estate of Lucy A. Barnard, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frederic Hinckley of Boston in the County of Suffolk, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Charles G. Lund, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Charles G. Lund and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, D. H. Sweetser and E. D. Hayden, the trustees under said will, have presented for allowance the third account of their trusteeship; You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustees are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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WINCHESTER.

The Womans Auxiliary, Y. M. C. A., will hold their quarterly meeting on June 9.

Winchester grows more and more to be a beautiful suburban residence town every year.

The West Side Syndicate are booming their handsome residence property for all it is worth.

Rev. Fr. O'Brien of St. Mary's (R. C.) church has commenced a bold warfare against rumselling in this town and proposes to put a stop to it if it is a possible thing to do so. Pity there were not many more like Fr. O'Brien in this town.

Memorial Day was duly observed here last Saturday. A. D. Weld Post 148, Commander Edwin Robinson, assembled at its hall at 3.30 o'clock P. M., and escorted by the Malden fife, drum and bugle corps, the town officers and soldiers and sailors, visited Wildwood and Woburn cemeteries, where the graves of 45 soldiers and sailors were decorated. Memorial services were held at the Town Hall and embraced addresses by Hon. J. J. Donovan, Rev. J. W. Suter, chaplain of the day, and Hon. Samuel J. Elder, who presented a gavel from Little Round Top, the wood bearing marks of bullets.

A new arrangement of the courses of study at the High school was made, by which diplomas are to be granted for two, three or four years of satisfactory work, in at least three courses each year, and a copy of the courses is to be printed and sent to the parents of pupils about to enter the school.

There will be seven graduated from the High School this year. About fifty pupils will enter the school in the fall making about one hundred and twenty-five as the probable number, about forty per cent. larger than the largest number ever attending at any time previous and nearly as many as in the High school of Medford, with population double that of Winchester.

The school census shows 924 children in town, on May 1, between the age of 5 and 15 years, an increase of 24 during the year. —*Star.*

On Friday, May 22, Mrs. Nancy S. Howe, died after a protracted illness, aged about 67 years. No woman in town commanded keeper or more general respect than Mrs. Howe. She left hosts of good friends to mourn her loss. It is reported that Mrs Howe bequeathed to the town the homestead lot on Main street, extending through to Washington and opposite to Dr. Brown. She stipulates, however, that the town will erect on the land either a town house or a library, and in case of non-acceptance on these conditions, the property will pass into the hands of the American Board of Foreign Missions. The lot comprises the house and over 80,000 feet of land and at an exceedingly low estimate is worth $20,000. It is also reported that the Congregational Society has been handsomely remembered. The will is to be read next Tuesday, when the accuracy of the above will doubtlessly be verified.

At the regular meeting of the School Committee, May 22, the following teaches were elected for the school year beginning next September:

High School—Principal, Edwin N. Lovering; 1st Assistant, Bertha G. Young; 2nd Assistant, Maria A. Parsons; 3rd Assistant, M. Bertha Noyes.

Wadleigh School—Principal, George A. Tyzzer; 1st Assistant, Nellie A. Hanson; 2nd Assistant, Marian Stone; 3rd Assistant, Elizabeth E. Marston.

Wyman School—Principal, Mary A. Emerson; Lower Grammar, Mary E. Patten; First Primary, Inez M. Dernier; Second Primary, to be filled.

Gifford—Principal, Mary S. Spurr; Lower Grammar, Hattie M. Sawyer; Lower Grammar, Eugenia D. Bearse; Primary, Minerva K. Johnson.

Chapin—Principal, Mary F. Riley; Lower Grammar, Mary A. Lyons; First Primary, Mary A. Sweeney; Second Primary, Mary A. Hovey.

Highland—Principal, Kate A. White; Primary, L. Edith Hammond.

Rumford—Principal, Margaret L. Mosley; Primary, Bessie H. Brown;

Washington—Elizabeth C. Richardson.

Mystic—to be filled.

In the death, on Monday, May 25, of Mrs. Nancy Wyman Cutter, relict of the late Henry Cutter of this place, Winchester lost one of its oldest and most highly respected people. The deceased was born in Woburn 86 years ago, and on her second marriage in 1827 to a brother of her first husband, who lived only a few months after his wedding, she moved to that part of the town (and since 1850) Winchester, where she has resided in peace, plenty and the esteem of her fellow towns-people ever since. Her funeral was largely attended by old friends and neighbors, among whom was Mr. Stephen Cutter, her brother-in-law, who at 94 years of age retains the old times gentlemanly manners of more than a half century ago, and other aged people. The religious services and music were very impressive. Mrs. S. Holt, a most estimable lady of this town, was one of the two daughters of the deceased.

Obituary.

Dr. A. C. Faden, a prominent physician of this town [Sutton, Mass.], died suddenly Tuesday forenoon at his home, age 35 years. Dr. Faden had practiced medicine here for some 13 years, and was well known in this and adjoining towns, particularly in Millbury. Monday he was in Millbury, in his usual health to all appearances, calling upon Thompson, the apothecary, and ordering goods. He left for home in the afternoon, and was soon after taken ill, but nothing of a serious nature was anticipated. Tuesday morning he was taken worse. Dr. Webber of Millbury was summoned, but Dr. Faden died before his arrival. The cause of his sudden death was heart failure. —*Sutton Corr. of Worcester Gazette.*

The deceased was a son of Mr. A. M. Faden of this city, and a brother-in-law of Mr. F. B. Dodge, the jeweler.

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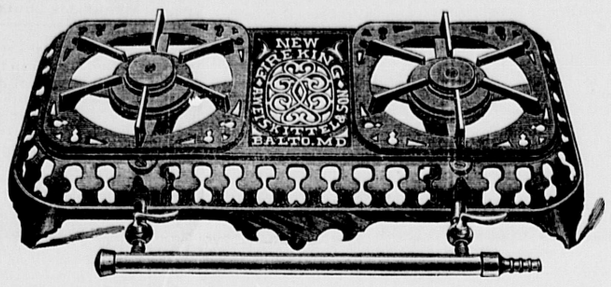

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Executors' Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Hon. George M. Brooks, Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County of Middlesex, we shall sell at Public Auction, on Tuesday, the sixteenth day of June, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, the Homestead, consisting of a lot of land containing about 36,820 square feet, with the fine dwelling-house and stable thereon, situated at the corner of Main and School streets, in Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Mass., in that part thereof called "North Woburn," and bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises, at the corner of said Main and School streets, the line runs north 9° 30' west, on and by said Main street about one hundred and six and nine-tenths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by said Main street, about eighty-five and five-tenths feet to land late of Prinice S. Barnard, deceased; thence turning to the right, the line runs north 84° east, by land last named, about two hundred and eighty-three and seven-tenths feet to land of Joseph B. McDonald; thence turning to the right the line runs south 12° east, by land of said McDonald, about ninety-nine and eight-tenths feet to a corner; thence turning to the right, the line runs westerly by land late of said Barnard and land of Charles Buck, about seventy-eight and twenty-five one-hundredths feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the left, the line runs still by land of said Buck, about twelve feet to an angle; thence turning slightly to the right, the line runs westerly by land of said Buck and land of Hardy J. Farr, about one hundred and thirteen feet to a corner; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 7° 30' east, by land of said Farr, about eighty and seven-tenths feet to said School street; thence turning to the left, the line runs south 78° 30' west, on and by said School street, about ninety-one and one-tenth feet to the point of beginning. Said premises will be sold subject to the taxes thereon for the year 1891.

At half past two of the o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, will be sold on said Homestead above described, a certain other lot of land situated in said Woburn, known as the "Brooks Tay lot," near to and easterly of said North Woburn, containing about two acres, with the water privilege thereto pertaining, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Middle street; northerly and easterly by land now or formerly of heirs of Elijah Richardson; and southerly by land now or formerly of Col. Stone. Said premises will be sold subject to the taxes thereon for the year 1891.

Other terms and conditions made known at the times and places of sale.

PARKER L. CONVERSE,
LEONARD THOMPSON,
Executors of Will of Abigail Winn.

Woburn, May 29, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and others interested in the estate of Annie J. Lafferty, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Salmon, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Connell, Executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for a license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

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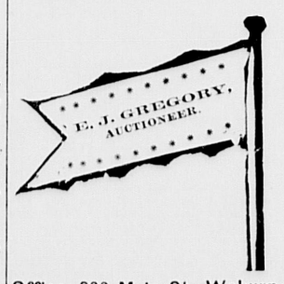

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LESSON X, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JUNE 7.

Text of the Lesson, II Chron. xxix, 1-11. Commit Verses, 10, 11—Golden Text, I Sam. ii, 30—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "Hezekiah began to reign when he was five-and-twenty years old, and he reigned nine-and-twenty years in Jerusalem."

Having in the last lesson stepped back about 100 years to consider the revival in the days of Joash, we now return to about the time of the lesson of two weeks ago, for it was in the beginning of the reign of Hezekiah that the ten tribes were carried into captivity (II Kings, xviii, 10). He was the last but one of the good kings of Judah. His father Ahaz was a wicked king, and his son Manasseh was the worst of all (xxviii, 19, 22; xxxiii, 9,10).

"And his mother's name was Abijah, the daughter of Zechariah."

2. "And he did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, according to all that David, his father, had done."

3. "He, in the first year of his reign, in the first month, opened the doors of the house of the Lord, and repaired them."

What a grand beginning he makes, and how promptly! He does not allow a month to pass after he becomes king without attending to the house of the Lord. Ahaz, his father, had destroyed the vessels, shut up the doors, and made altars in every corner of Jerusalem (xxviii, 24). Hezekiah now seeks to undo his father's sin, and he loses no time about it.

4. "And he brought in the priests and the Levites, and gathered them together into the east street."

There was a time when the head of each family acted as the priest of the household, offering sacrifice unto the Lord (Job i, 5; Gen. viii, 20; xii, 7, 8). But since the building of the tabernacle at Sinai the house of Aaron and the tribe of Levi were set apart to stand between the people and God and to offer sacrifice.

5. "And said unto them, Hear me, ye Levites; sanctify now yourselves, and sanctify the house of the Lord God of your fathers, and carry forth the filthiness out of the holy place."

It took them sixteen days to cleanse the temple on this occasion (vs. 15–17), but it takes much longer than that to cleanse some believers from the filthiness of flesh and spirit which clings so closely.

6. "For our fathers have trespassed, and done evil in the eyes of the Lord our God, and have forsaken him, and have turned away their faces from the habitation of the Lord, and turned their backs."

So, also, said Jeremiah a little later in their history (Jer. ii, 13, 17), and so said Moses ere the nation was yet forty years old (Deut. ix, 8, 24). Their history might be called a continued forsaking of the Lord who redeemed them.

7. "Also they have shut up the doors of the porch, and put out the lamps, and have not burned incense, nor offered burnt offerings in the holy place, unto the God of Israel."

8. "Wherefore the wrath of the Lord was upon Judah and Jerusalem, and he hath delivered them to trouble, to astonishment, and to hissing, as ye see with your eyes."

In Lev. xxvi and Deut. xxviii it was clearly foretold that the wrath of the Lord would thus come upon them if they were disobedient, and Moses added, "I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life that both thou and thy seed may live (Deut. xxx, 19). As God by His servant foretold so it came to pass.

9. "For, lo, our fathers have fallen by the sword; and our sons and our daughters and our wives are in captivity for this."

One hundred and twenty thousand fell in one day, and 200,000 women, sons and daughters were carried captive because they had forsaken the Lord God of their fathers (chap. xxviii, 6, 8). This also had been plainly foretold (Deut. xxviii, 25, 32), and so it came to pass. Think for a moment at the more than 100,000 who in heathendom are dying every day, without a knowledge of God, besides all in Christendom who have heard, but do not believe.

10. "Now it is in mine heart to make a covenant with the Lord God of Israel that his fierce wrath may turn away from us."

So did Asa, and at a later period Nehemiah (chap. xv, 12; Neh. x, 29), and each obtained blessing from the Lord. See the encouragement to act thus in II Chron. vii, 14. David found comfort in the unchangeableness and fullness of God's covenant with him, and God's faithfulness should ever be our resting place (II Sam. xxiii, 5; Ps. lxxxix, 1, 2; I Cor. i, 9; x, 13). Yet let us do as Hezekiah did, and enter into a covenant with the Lord to present our bodies a living sacrifice, with all we are and have, that, like the lad's loaves in the hands of Jesus, we may be blessed, broken, multiplied and made to feed hungry souls with the bread of life, that so the Gospel may be preached in all the world for a witness, the body of Christ hastened to completion and the kingdom come. Let us covenant to be wholly His for His service.

11. "My sons, be not now negligent."

Cursed be he that doeth the work of the Lord negligently (Jer. xlviii, 10, margin). Whatever we do in His service should be done most thoroughly as unto Him, and if we live as in His sight how can we be negligent or deceitful?

"For the Lord hath chosen you to stand before him."

Not before men, to please them or rely on them, but before God, in humble and whole hearted reliance upon Him. He said to Abram: "I am God Almighty. Walk thou before me and be thou perfect" (upright or sincere). Gen. xvii, 1, and margin, Elijah in great fearlessness said to Ahab, "The Lord God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand." And Gabriel said to Zacharias, "I am Gabriel, that stand in the presence of God" (I Kings xvii, 1; Luke i, 19). Thus consciously to stand before God is the great secret of strength for fearless service.

"To serve him, and that ye should minister unto him."

While serving people and ministering unto them, in a sense, yet we are as priests of God ministering unto Him, for whatever is done unto the least of His, He counts as done to Himself (Matt. xxv, 40). But our motive must always be to please Him, and not those little ones to whom we minister, except in so far as pleasing them, we please Him first. If, on the other hand, we live to please people, we cannot be servants of Christ (Gal. i, 10; Rom. xv, 3; John viii, 29).

"And burn incense."

Incense being, as we said in verse 7, a symbol of prayer, we are here reminded of such words as these, "Pray without ceasing;" "praying always with all prayer and supplication in the spirit, and watching thereunto;" "in everything, by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God" (I Thess. v, 17; Eph. vi, 18; Phil. iv, 6).

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An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

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"Everybody in the place was interested. The items appeared from time to time concerning the customs and peculiarities of the people, and in the Sunday edition an account of the opposition which the Englishman was obliged to overcome before he finally came off triumphant. His narrow escape from assassination, secret flight—all was worked out in a most interesting and careful manner, until there was not a woman in town who was not fairly wild to meet the hero and heroine. The expected couple arrived on the day after that on which they were due, and, getting into a coach at the depot, they were driven at once to the —— hotel, which is near the store.

"It did not take long for the reporters to learn that the veiled lady was the one whom they wished to interview. It was impossible to see her, they soon found out, but her husband was a very agreeable fellow, it appeared, and he entertained the newspaper men in great shape, and gave them lots of matter which was sure to be 'cut.'

"The next day the gentleman with his wife, closely veiled, wandered past the stores in the street, looking into this window and into that, until they came to my place, where, after a short inspection of the windows, they entered and made several purchases, a crowd of curious folk following. The lady remained all this time closely veiled, so that no one could see the remarkable and peculiar beauty of which the paper had spoken.

"After leaving my store they went back to the hotel. This game was kept up for nearly a week, a few purchases being made in some of my rivals' stores, but I was without doubt the favorite. It gave me a great boom, and I would have liked to continue it a little longer, but the bride made a great kick and said that she had enough of the veiled beauty business. So they went away to St. Louis, it was supposed, but they were back to my house in two days, he minus his beard, for the weather was getting hot, and she minus the heavy veil.

"He was my brother, and she was his wife, and it was a little plan of his to boom trade for me and have a lark himself. He was going to spend a portion of his vacation with me, and he thought that business might be combined with pleasure. A little coaxing made his wife an accomplice, and no one in my place was any the wiser.

"If you want any new advertising dodges go up to see him when he is not on the road."—Dry Goods Retailer and Jobber.

Florida's Labyrinthian Waterways.

"Where have you been?" said a guest at one of the hotels as a friend walked up the steps, well laden with souvenirs from south Florida.

"Oh!" was the reply, "I've been down to Charlotte harbor and up that river with the unmentionable name."

"Caloosahatchee?"

"Yes, that's it. I spent six days trying to pronounce it and haven't succeeded yet. These indian names are beautiful names, but they are deucedly hard to pronounce. By the way, where have you been?"

"Well, I went over to the Suwanee river, cut over the country, and shot 'gators on the Withlacoochee, fished for bass in Tsala Apopka, sailed on Thonotosassa, skipped over to Okonlockhatchee, walked by the shores of the Weohyakapka, plucked flowers by Hickpochee's limpid waters, visited the sugar fields on Tohopekaliga, sailed on the tortuous Kissimmee, was buffeted by the waves of Okeechobee, and have also captured tarpon on the Caloosahatchee. I expect to visit Istokpogayoxie, Lockapepka, Hatcheneecha and Ecautockhatchee before I leave the state."

"Gosh!" ejaculated his companion, as he stepped into the hotel.—Florida Times-Union.

A Hotel with Many Locks.

The new Hotel Metropole at Brighton has been provided, according to Sir George Chubb's address to the visitors at the Wolverhampton works, with between 800 and 900 locks. Each is said to be different, but a single "master key," as it is called, opens the whole number. There are also, it appears, several sets of sub-master keys. Thus the manager or proprietor of a hotel can have access to every room in the building, but each tenant can only get into his own room, while the officials can each have "master keys" to the particular sets of rooms of which they have charge. The rather stringent views which our judges have taken of hotel keepers' liabilities makes the question of hotel locks more than ever important from the hotel keeper or manager's point of view.—London Tit-Bits.

All on Account of a Tart.

"Was such a thing ever heard of," exclaims the indignant Bedreddin Hassan in the oriental story, "as that a man should be impaled for not putting red pepper into a cream tart? The law gives you no right to pronounce such a sentence upon me for such an offense." "Possibly," replies the imperturbable cadi; "nevertheless you will observe that I have pronounced this sentence upon you for this offense."—Fortnightly Review.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

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The Father

Of all diseases is impure blood, when loaded with foul humor. How important then that the blood should be pure, rich, and strong, without which there can be no health. To purify the blood Sulphur Bitters is incomparably the best medicine that it is possible to obtain.—The Editor.

EARLY ENGLISH DOCTORS.

They Had to Attend Three Dissections at Which a Body Was Opened.

The earliest record of a school of physics at Cambridge university is in 1421, but the first definite provision for anatomical teaching was made by John Caius somewhat later in the same century. He was followed by W. Hardy in the Sixteenth and by a brilliant galaxy of anatomists in the Seventeenth century, of whom one instructed Newton and another tried his hand at writing plays.

From the time of Caius we were intimately connected with the corporation of surgeons in London, who sent us a scholar receiving £40 a year for his maintenance and £3 a year to provide himself with books. In order to qualify as a practitioner in those days it was necessary to have attended three dissections, at which a body was opened and "the physicians present discoursed at random concerning the interior."

The first separate professorship of anatomy was founded at Cambridge in the year 1707, but the immediate effect of the endowment appears to have been a cessation of all interest in the subject. It was the time of the Resurrectionists, however, and we read of the watchmen being allowed to search in Emmanuel for a missing body. This was illegal, be it remarked, and really an act of coercion, as may be seen from the following tale. A giant once died in Dublin, thereby exciting the desires of an anatomical professor and his students, to whom he said:

"Gentlemen, I understand that your feelings are excited toward the seizure of this body, against which I must certainly counsel you. But in case your zeal should overcome your discretion, I will tell you the exact case of the law, which is that you may take the body, but that for the removal of the least rag or shred of covering therein you may be hanged. Therefore, if you should remove the body, be careful that it is utterly unclothed." Needless to say that professor was given the opportunity of experimenting upon that giant.

A more melancholy anecdote is associated with the memory of our Professor Collignon, who once invited two friends to the dissection of a body, in which one of them recognized the features of an acquaintance. It was the body of Lawrence Sterne, "whose final return to his university formed a tragic ending to the sentimental journey of his life."

Professor Haviland made the first collection of anatomical specimens, while the first museum was founded by his successor, Professor Clark, who raised it to be the first in the world. We have entered upon a goodly heritage, and in the stimulating presence of Sir George Paget and Sir George Humphrey may we not learn to penetrate yet farther into those regions of knowledge where the unknown still far exceeds the known?—Knowledge.

A Four Footed Bird.

There is a four footed bird, the Opisthocomus cristatus, which has such anomalies of structure that it is impossible to class it along with any other family. It is one of those survivors which tell us of extinct groups of whose past existence we would otherwise have remained forever ignorant. These, the only species of four footed birds, inhabit the island of Marajo in the Lower Amazons. It is only during infancy that this remarkable feature of these birds is seen, the two fore feet appearing early in the development of the embryo, and continuing perfectly formed for several days after hatching, when they are gradually shed. It is also known as the hoactzin, or evil-smelling bird, the flesh having an unpleasant odor, making it unpalatable to both man and carnivorous animals, which is probably one cause of its survival.—London Tit-Bits.

Something About Swords.

Major Pettibone, of Cincinnati, says that, notwithstanding the profound peace which this country enjoys, that city alone turns out on an average 10,000 regular army swords every year. All swords made in this country are dull except at the point, barbarous nations only making sharp edged swords. The idea of refined and beautiful warfare is to kill without mutilation, and a blow from a sharp sword might make a horrible wound without causing death. The finest swords turned out in Cincinnati were a complete outfit for the late King Kalakaua and his retinue. Swords range in price from $8 to $500.—Charleston News.

What She Wanted.

Some weeks ago at one of our libraries a young woman walked up to the desk and said, "Give me a good shaking." The young man who was in attendance blushed to the roots of his hair, and after a moment's hesitation pulled himself together sufficiently to stammer, "Er—er—who—who is it by?" "George Macdonald, I think," came the answer. Then he hustled around for a time, and at last found out that what she wanted was a book called "A Rough Shaking." The young man's nerves were unstrung for the rest of the day.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

She Had Arrived.

The wife of a Boston broker sailed for Peru to visit her sister, and when she arrived there she sent him a cablegram which cost him $700 to announce the fact. The most of the message, however, told how her dog fell overboard and could not be saved.—Detroit Free Press.

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RELICS OF CLAY.

Also of Washington, Boone, Benton and the Duchess of Devonshire.

Early in February, 1891, an art and loan exhibition was opened to the public in Lexington, Ky., for the benefit of the Protestant hospital of that city. The exhibition was one of the most remarkable of its kind ever given in Lexington. Among other articles in the Henry Clay cabinet were a scroll of ebony, ivory and silver containing resolutions on the death of Mr. Clay, a solid gold snuffbox, razors, coral rose set with diamonds, jeweled knee buckles, stone cameo pin cut from one of Canova's heads, a bronze idol, solid bronze candlesticks presented by France to Henry Clay when secretary of state.

There was an urn from the tomb of Baira, autographic letters from Daniel Boone and Washington, a bell made from the old Independence bell at Philadelphia, the seal presented to Henry Clay in 1813 when he was in London, and used by him until his death; the attested will of George Hudson, Clay's maternal grandfather; the medal presented by Louisville friends to Young Harry Clay just before he went on the Howgate expedition in 1840, and a miniature of him when an infant, painted at Naples in 1851.

In another cabinet was a silver mug which once belonged to Lord Morton, solid silver candlesticks found nailed to the altar of an ancient monastery, and a nautilus vase, whose original is in the green vaults at Dresden. In a cabinet at the rear were a Spanish dollar of 1780, an amber necklace nearly 100 years old, a solid silver seal of the Confederate States, a miniature of the Duchess of Devonshire (Gainsborough) set with jewels, a memorial bracelet clasp containing some of Patrick Henry's hair, two bracelets made of Turkish sequins, a bracelet of carnelian with Turkish mottoes, stone from the Pantheon, with a cameo of Raphael upon ivory.

It also contained a portrait of Colonel Thomas H. Benton, a cameo of the Prince Consort, a Waterloo coin and a cross of the Legion of Honor made in the reign of Henry IV, King of France and Navarre, and bestowed on M. Mentelle by Louis XV.

There was also a collection of funeral tickets, several thousand in number, dating back to 1812, loaned by J. M. Duff. This collection was made by Cyrus Jones, a colored man.—Jewelers' Weekly.

She Knew a Good Deal.

Two young girls, art students, were talking about some sister students the other day. Now, as a general thing, the art student makes little enough aspiration to fashionable life or a knowledge of society's doings. Her profession is enough for her, and it makes little difference to her whether the wind of fancy sweeps those persons whose profession is fashion. But there is one young girl, it seems, up among the students at the Art league whose relatives in the city are of the ultra fashionable set, and who goes about more or less with the fashionable world. It was of her that the students were speaking especially. "Is she really so well up in things?" asked the first one.

"Up in things!" echoed the second. "Well, I should say so. Why, the other day we were in a silver shop and she knew what all the different spoons were for!"—New York Evening Sun.

To Solder Porcelain and Metals.

M. Cailletet has devised a simple method for connecting glass tubes to metal work in the construction of physical apparatus which may be of service to our readers. The end of the glass tube is gently warmed, and then covered with a few drops of a solution of neutral platinum chloride and camomile oil. On gently warming the tube to a dull redness the platinum salt is reduced to the metallic state, and a brilliant deposit of the metal is formed on the end of the tube. The tube is then connected to the negative electrode of a battery and immersed in a bath of copper sulphate, when the copper is deposited as a malleable adherent coating on the platinum flux, and thus forms a material which can be brazed on to brass or copper in the ordinary way.—Industries.

The Giant of the Mesozoic Epoch.

The biggest of all animals known to the world from the beginning thereof to the present day was the "camarasaurus." It went on all fours, and the vertebræ composing its backbone were hollow—mere shells in fact—filled with warm air from the lungs, just as is the case with the bones of some birds today. Undoubtedly it lived in the sea, walking along in water deep enough to cover its back. It fed upon the vegetation along shore, and its neck was long and cranelike.—Interview in Washington Star.

Mrs. Langtry's Pincushion.

One of the most marvelous pincushions belongs to Mrs. Langtry. It is a silver framing that in years gone by, when Ireland claimed kings, held the wooden bowl in which the steaming hot potatoes were brought on the table to delight royalty. It was found tarnished and dark in an old shop in Dublin, bought for a small sum, cleaned up, and now the center is filled with a fat, blue velvet cushion, in which are stuck pins little and big, black and white, and of all sizes and sharpnesses.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Ne Plus Ultra.

She—He has an acute case of Anglomania, hasn't he?

He—Yes. He's even got to dropping his H's when he writes.—Epoch.

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One Idea of Dinner.

A Buffalo woman tells this little incident illustrating the peculiar conservatism of the British provincial matron: "My brother married a young Canadian girl, the daughter of a colonial family with whom the old English formality has the sacredness of Holy Writ. They had been boarding at a hotel for several months, but had taken a house not far from my home. I saw Caroline a day or two before they took possession, and with friendly intent said to her, 'Dine with us, Carrie, you and Jack, the day you move. It will save you trouble.' She thanked me and said they would.

"So on that Thursday I had two extra covers laid, and expected these moving relatives of mine for a hasty snatch between van loads. As I knew they were aware that we dined near midday, when I o'clock and my husband came we only delayed the meal for five or ten minutes. Then, no one appearing, we sat down. I supposed my sister-in-law was too busy to come even so far as my house, and thought no more of her coming.

"We were eating our simple dessert, for it was quite my ordinary home dinner, when the bell rang and 'Mr. and Mrs. ——' find my sister-in-law and brother, both in conventional dinner dress, she with gloves and a pretty apology on her lips for tardiness, because, forsooth, she had to go back to the hotel to dress, as her 'personal luggage' was still there. My brother had been dragged from his business, and here they both were.

"I did the best I could, but Caroline of course saw that there was not much ceremony about the engagement she had put herself to such pains to suitably meet. To her a dinner invitation is a solemn matter in all circumstances."—Her Point of View in New York Times.

The Fetish Man Abroad.

When abroad the fetish man is always a conspicuous figure in a village. He wears a tall hat of animal skin, around his neck hang suspended by strings a few small specimens of his wares, and slung around his shoulders are little parcels of charms, into which are stuck birds' feathers. Metal rings, to which mysterious little packages are attached, clash and clang as he walks, serving, together with a liberal supply of iron bells fastened to his person, to announce the Nganga's presence; and as if his body did not offer a sufficient surface to display all his magical outfit he carries, slung over his left shoulder in a woven pocket, a load of wonder working material.

A peep into a fetish man's sack discloses a curious assortment of preventives—eagles' claws and feathers, fishbones, antelope horns, leopard teeth, tails and heads of snakes, flint stones, hairs of the elephant's tail, perforated stones, different colored chalks, eccentric shaped roots, various herbs, etc. There are sufficient reasons for his carrying these with him; if he left them in his village some one might steal them, and, again, provided as he is, he can administer at a moment's notice to suffering humanity some devil proof mixture.—E. J. Glave in Century.

After Dinner Speakers.

Impromptu speeches generally are prepared beforehand, however, although some men are so clever at concealing the fact that nobody "catches on." When a speaker begins this way:

"When I accepted the invitation to attend this dinner tonight it was with the distinct understanding that I should not be called upon to make a speech, and I was thoroughly surprised and very much embarrassed at being told two minutes ago that I was expected to make a few remarks"——

When a man begins that way look out! He has been preparing his speech for a week and he isn't going to spare anybody. As he progresses and gets warmed up to his work, and as the minutes slip by, it is pleasant to look around the table and observe several individuals who do not participate enthusiastically in the applause. They laugh at the jokes absentmindedly. They have a preoccupied, troubled look. These are the other gentlemen who expect to be called on themselves, but are afraid that the man who is speaking will never leave off.—Washington Star.

Know Your Own Capacity.

If the people about you are carrying on their business or their benevolence at a pace which draws the life out of you resolutely take a slower pace; be called a laggard, make less money, accomplish less work than they, but be what you are meant to be and can be. You have your natural limit of power as much as an engine—ten horse power or twenty, or a hundred. You are fit to do certain kinds of work, and you need a certain kind and amount of fuel, and a certain kind of handling.—George S. Merriam.

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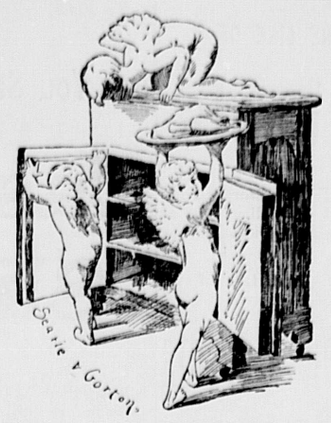

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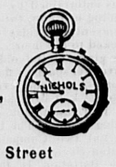

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WHEN MUSIC IS SWEETEST.

BY FRANK WALCOTT HUTT.

After the goals, all run, are won,
After the day well-sped, hath fled,
And every task's fulfilled,
And every clamor stilled,
Then gently lean thy harp's low arch upon
And let love's spirit be interpreted.

When wrinkled cheek, so frail, so pale,
Love's smooth hand hath caressed to rest,
And night-dews gently come,
With all the loved at home,
Let music mingle with the oft-told tale
And waken carols that the old love best.

When dear, dear hands so old, I hold,
After their patient toil and moil
And lay their cares aside
At early eventide,
Then for each sigh a plan of hope unfold,
And every tear with song of joy despoil.

The Higher Education of Woman.

Written and Read Before the Woburn Equal Suffrage League, on June 1, 1891,

BY JENNIE E. SKINNER.

In speaking of the higher education we are, obliged to retrograde from the principles laid down by the Great Apostle to the Gentiles, and speak of this Eden of humanity as though an entrance were granted to women by special and generous favor, a sort of "new departure," as it were.

Strange as the affirmation may be regarded, it nevertheless has been verified times innumerable, that there is one Book cycles in advance even of this wonderful 19th Century.

We quote from Paul, in his Epistle to the Colossians and the Galatians. "Renewed in knowledge, after the image of the Creator, where there is neither Greek nor Jew, Barbarian, Scythian, bond nor free; there is neither male or female, for we are all one in Christ;" blessed platform of quality! intellectual, moral, spiritual.

As the leaven of these grand principles works its way into society there will be no hedges of prejudicial building, or as Paul, filled with the Spirit, phrases it, "no male nor female;" but all can enter the golden vistas that lead to the "green pastures" of a "renewal in knowledge after the image of the Creator."

How thin the walls are becoming! how low and prone the barriers! how broad the work accomplished by women as they tread the labyrinths of the "higher education."

In our own land, one who knows whereof he affirms is glad to make public facts that lead him to conclude that at the present rate of progress the women of the country will at the end of the present century be better educated than the men: this from Dr. Seelye, the well-known college president.

The Queen of Denmark gratefully bows her acknowledgment of and admiration for the genius of the American writer, Mrs. Julia McNair Wright, who has just published the only Danish story ever written in this country, "Fru Dagmar's Son." A copy of this work splendidly bound in white watered silk has been sent to the Danish Queen by the National Temperance Society.

If the ballot is according to ex-Gov. Long, at the New England suffragists banquet last week in Boston—the 22d annual meeting—merely an expression by which citizens make known their preferences and convictions, then women are making known their opinions and preferences to-day.

They are in the ranks of every profession and there is no limit to their capacity and advancement.

Rev. Henry Blanchard, President of the Maine Woman's Suffrage Association, said at the banquet referred to "In our modern fight against the Goths and Vandals of our civilization the shadow of the woman falls on all things and the Commonwealth where she is respected and is supreme is the Commonwealth of God."

The graduation of nine women physicians from the New York Medical College for Women was followed quickly by the same event in the lives of fourteen women lawyers from the University of the City of New York.

All the reasons which support the fitness of women for the bar can be urged in favor of their entrance on the field of medicine. The keenness and quickness of an educated woman's mental processes, the ability in which she surpasses men in intuitively grasping truths, her hatred of wrong and her prompt sympathy for every kind of suffering, all point to her capacity for both the great professions of law and medicine. But there are other arguments to be urged in favor of women physicians. By far the greater portion of medical patients in the United States are women.

Women have been greatly hampered by inadequate educational facilities, and the forces of conservatism. But the paths of the higher education are being opened to women and the prejudices against her work outside the home circle are lessening rapidly. The teachings of the New Testament are being glorified.

In England, the women now pursuing University studies are numbered by the hundreds. Since 1869 one college after another has admitted them to share the privileges offered to men. The beginning of this good work was made by Cambridge University, others quickly followed, first Girton College with its standard of examinations the same as that for the B. A. of Cambridge: then followed Newman College.

In 1878 London University opened all its grades to women; and numerous colleges for their exclusive use have been established throughout the kingdom.

The Universities of Zurich, Geneva, Berne and others in Switzerland have all since 1867 admitted women.

Italy's Universities followed the good example in 1876.

Scandinavia with its three kingdoms of Sweden, Denmark, and Norway, respectively in 1870, 1875 and 1880, took the first steps in the same reform movement. In Copenhagen women may take all the degrees open to men save that of D. D.

The Dutch universities are all open to women; the first lady student of Holland was enrolled in the University of Amsterdam in 1880. In the same year Belgium University at Brussels admitted women.

Russia, in 1878 arranged special courses by which women could follow university studies and prepare for examinations; many availed themselves of this opportunity in St. Petersburg, Moscow and in other colleges in the Empire.

In Austria women are admitted to colleges to certain courses of study, but are not allowed to work for a university degree. Hungary is watching the earnest attempts of her women to enter the universities at Buda-Pesth, and they are likely to open their doors to all their demands.

In France between 1866 and 1882 one hundred and nine academic degrees were won by women. In 1890 there were in France fifty-one preparatory schools to fit women for advanced work.

Helene Lange in her recent book, Higher education of Women in Europe, shows what has been done in this direction by all the other leading European nations, by way of comparison, and aims to rouse Germany from its persistent inactivity.

American women are nearing complete victory in this battle, and what is being done for their sisters over the sea is of deep interest. Miss Lange's book, in its prefatory statements, shows how American women can look back and bid good cheer to other struggling aspirants.

Two hundred and seventeen out of a total of three hundred and fifty-seven colleges of liberal arts in the United States have opened their doors to women, as have also twenty out of a total of thirty-two independent colleges endowed with the national land-grant, making at the present time the number of co-educational colleges two hundred thirty-seven.

There are nine colleges and universities exclusively for women.

In 1887-8 twenty-nine per cent of the whole number of students in universities and colleges, and fifty-two per cent of those attending high schools were women.

Germany, ranking so high in its ability to furnish the world with the highest type of scholars of the sterner sex, positively refuses to allow its women to share them.

In another case we would contrast Germany's position in this important issue, and glance at the new Australian Commonwealth with its veneer of monarchy, a Republic in spirit; here we note advancement all along the line.

The other week at Melbourne University a blind girl matriculated, taking a first position in Algebra, Arithmetic, French, Latin and other subjects. At the examinations her papers were transcribed into the ordinary characters by a teacher from the Blind School, she having written them by the aid of the Braille system.

There is nothing but encouragement in the future, and let us build well when the foundations are so broad and deep. And can we not hope that from the educated women of our land there may be felt an influence for good, sweet and abiding.

When the Mosque of St. Sophia in Constantinople was built, more than a thousand years ago, the stones and brick were laid in mortar mixed with a solution of musk, and the building has been fragrant with the odor ever since. So may our lives breathe out a spirit of devotion to duty, and gratitude fill our hearts, that so much of good has been done for our women in this Republic of the Northern Columbian continent.

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To Newspaper Borrowers.

Did you ever pause to reflect that you are a nuisance of the first water? Do you know that the neighbor from whom you borrowed this very paper you are now reading is often inconvenienced by you? He subscribes and pays for the paper for his own individual use and benefit; it is not done for your pleasure, education or comfort. He may not tell you so to your face, because the class of men who subscribe and pay for a newspaper are good, kind hearted fellows; but they do a good deal of thinking all the same when you ask for their newspaper. Stop borrowing, and you will stop making a nuisance of yourself.—*Exchange.*

They All Failed.

The following letter from Mr. W. A. Thomsom, of Columbus, Wis., is peculiarly interesting: "My wife," says he, "has been treated for her head, stomach and nervous prostration by three doctors in New York, two in Chicago, one in Philadelphia, one in Cincinnati, and at the large institute in Buffalo for 16 months. They all failed. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine helped her wonderfully." This should be used in all headaches, backaches, changes of life, nervous disturbances, fits, rheumatism, etc. Ask at Charles H. Buss drug store for a free trial bottle and Dr. Miles' new book on the Nerves and Heart.

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Col. Clark,

U. S. Army, writes: For the last two years, my health has been excellent; this, I think, is due to my using Sulphur Bitters, as formerly my health was miserable, owing to the frequent changes of climate, etc., so incident to a soldier's life.

The Local Papers.

The city papers are all right if you want them, but it is the local paper that advertises your business, your schools, your churches, your numerous societies, sympathizes with you in your affliction and rejoices in your prosperity. In short, it is your local paper that mentions the thousand and one items in which you are interested during the year and which you do not find in the city papers.

A Fortunate Man.

I had severe attacks of kidney disease. My stomach also troubled me very much. I was prevailed upon to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. After using five or six bottles, I was cured. I consider it an invaluable remedy for Kidney Disease, Stomach trouble, and all diseases of the blood.—John Vandersliice, No. 1 Gregory st., Rochester, N. Y.

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The Brain of the Lunatic.

If there is anything which has been taught to us by the most advanced stage of science as applied to the anatomy, the physiology and the pathology of the brain it is the fact that the utmost degree of mental aberration may exist without there being the slightest change perceptible to our senses in the normal structure of the central organ of the mind. Of course there is some alteration, such, for instance, as a pernicious education may effect, such as may be induced by indulgence in ignoble emotions, degrading trains of thought or vicious practices; but it is so slight and perhaps so evanescent as to be entirely beyond the reach not only of our unaided senses, but of all the instruments of precision or of analytical processes that are at the present day at our disposal.

The brain, therefore, of the most pronounced lunatic may not differ, so far as we can perceive, from that of one who during life had stood at the very summit of human mental development. At birth the two brains might have been identical, not only in all the elements that entered into their composition, but also in their tendencies and proclivities. One, however, started in the course of life under disadvantageous circumstances; the other had everything in its favor. One was left to its own guidance and to the influence of circumstances detrimental to its well being; the other, among beneficial surroundings, was carefully trained and developed. Would it be a matter of surprise if the possessor of the one should be an enemy of society and a perpetrator of acts of fraud and violence and the other a leader in all honorable and virtuous purposes?—Dr. W. A. Hammond in North American Review.

A Month's Vacation.

Once upon a time some years ago I made a great walk. I had a month on my hands, and I was young and eager, and I determined to go afoot from Devonshire into Scotland. Since then I have been here, there and everywhere about the surface of our old earth—by steamer, sailing ship, express train and slow train, on horseback, muleback and donkeyback; but I remember nothing with so much pleasure as I remember my daily courses through the different counties of England during this 500 or 600 mile walk.

Every morning I woke in a new village or a new market town. There was a different chambermaid, with her sweet "If you please, sir, the hot water is at the door," and a different kind of boniface. I did not rush over the ground. Twenty or five-and-twenty miles a day contented me. Thus I could dine after a ten mile spin, and arrive each evening fresh and fit at the next "Red Lion" or "White Cow" inn, upon which I relied for a bed.—All the Year Round.

The Servant Question.

It is a curious fact that there is nothing which is so wholly unanimous as the desire that other people's daughters should be cooks and chambermaids. We never think of it as a thing desirable or perhaps supposable for our own, and this fact seems to damage most of our arguments for others.

Artemus Ward was willing to send his wife's relatives to the war, but we are not inclined to contribute even these to the kitchen, for we should hold, rightfully, that it was "menial service." Now if we draw the line at menial service for ourselves and our relatives, why should we speak severely of those who dray the line at just that point for themselves and their own relatives? The whole difficulty of this much vexed question seems to lie precisely there.—T. W. Higginson in Harpers' Bazar.

Politeness the Key to His Success.

There is a suave and popular gentleman in this town who owns two drug shops. He is a member of several social organizations, and is personally acquainted with every prominent politician and man about town in New York. Up to within a few years ago he was night clerk in a down town pharmaceutical dispensary. How did he get his feet on the upper rounds of the ladder of prosperity? Simply by being polite. During his long term of service as clerk he never let a customer depart without a pleasant inquiry as to the customer's health and the inexpensive courtesy of "Won't you have a drop of perfumery on your handkerchief?"—New York Times.

Hard on the Chairs.

Among the ancestors of Wendell Phillips were several Puritan clergymen. Perhaps it was a push of heredity which made him at five years of age a preacher.

His congregation was composed of circles of chairs arranged in his father's parlor, while a taller chair, with a Bible on it, served him for a pulpit. He would harangue these wooden auditors by the hour.

"Wendell," said his father to him one day, "don't you get tired of this?"

"No, papa," wittily replied the boy preacher, "I don't get tired, but it is rather hard on the chairs!"—Youth's Companion.

Story of a Tenderfoot.

A young man from the east was hired to plow a field near Madeira. One day he found himself surrounded by seven hungry coyotes. He left his team and broke in a swift run for the house, and quit work right there. The team was found all right by the owner, a woman, who told the tenderfoot to go back home to his mother, while she finished plowing.—San Francisco Call.

Numerous accounts have been given, both in ancient and modern times, of the sacrificing of dogs for religious purposes. They were immolated at certain periods by the Greeks and Romans to almost all their dieties, particularly to Mars,

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FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 1891.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE REDISTRICTING BILL.

Last Tuesday the Senate passed to be engrossed the Congressional redistricting bill reported some time ago by a special committee appointed to attend to the business. All amendments were voted down and the original draft went through as slick as grease.

Why shouldn't it? Every Democrat in the Legislature was in favor of the bill; it was as "fair" to their side as they could reasonably ask; and of course they voted for it solid. Several sympathizers among the Republicans were found to go with them and so the committee's report, notwithstanding its injustice to the Republicans, was adopted, and Gov. Russell will be only too glad to sanction the act and put his signature to it.

Verily, the way of the average Massachusetts legislator is past finding out!

FIFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

According to the new Congressional Districts arrangement Woburn remains in the Fifth, but, oh Lord! what a change it has undergone at the hands of the Legislature! The new No. 5 contains the following cities and towns:

Andover, Dracut, Lowell, Lawrence, Lynnfield, Methuen, North Reading, North Andover, Peabody, Reading, Tewksbury, Wilmington, Woburn—solid Democratic!

STRONG BACKING.

It is understood in political circles that Collector Beard and Congressman Lodge favor the nomination of Hon. J. Q. A. Brackett for Governor again this fall. If this is true his prospects for another term or two in the Chief Executive chair may be regarded as highly encouraging, for a stronger team than Beard and Lodge make when they pull together it would be hard to find in this State.

A SHEET ANCHOR.

A Republican triumph in this State next November will depend mainly on the work of the Republican Club of Massachusetts this summer. It is unquestionably the strongest organization the party have ever had. It is going to be their sheet anchor this fall, their Moses, their Gideon's Band, their valiant host, their leader to victory. Depend on that!

A LAW.

When the redistricting bill was presented to Gov. Russell for his signature last Wednesday he let no grass grow under his feet until his signmanual was safely on the document.

☞ A few days ago we received from Mr. Charles S. Parker, Editor of the Arlington *Advocate* and Secretary of the Massachusetts Press Association, an invitation to join in their five days annual summer excursion to Montreal, Quebec, up the celebrated Saguenay River, etc., and would be delighted to accept the same were it convenient to do so. A large number of newspaper men, their wives, sweethearts, and other companions, have signified an intention of joining the excursion. If they all enjoy the outing as well as they deserve to do there will be a plenty of fun and pleasure in it for all.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Ad.—Bicycle.
F. H. Lewis—Music.
Advertiser—Wanted.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
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— Read farm hand wanted in another column.

— Found—a nice linen handkerchief. Call at this office.

— The Board of Trade has a legal notice in this paper.

— Observe carefully the new timetable on the N. W. S. Railroad.

— City Clerk Moreland says dog license fees came in very slowly this spring.

— A small blaze in Dr. Sanborn's office yesterday morning did about $10 damage.

— Capt. Simonds don't want any Phalanx in his under present circumstruces.

— Mr. E. C. Colman, proprietor of Woodside, offers a mowing machine for sale. See ad.

— Mr. Leonard Thompson keeps a full line of the best oil stoves for summer use made.

— Mr. A. T. Young is building a fine cottage at Bayside, a place of general summer resort.

— Deputy Sheriff Tidd is attending the criminal term of the Superior Court at Cambridge this week.

— The Womans Auxiliary, Y. M. C. A., gave a pleasant strawberry festival last Tuesday evening.

— Our M. Ds attended the annual meeting of the Mass. Med. Society in Boston last Wednesday.

— There was an entertainment at Hibernian Hall last Wednesday night for the benefit of Philip Doran.

— We print on page 1 of the JOURNAL Miss Jennie Skinner's paper on "Higher Education for Women."

— It is proposed to name the Salem street cemetery "Galilee Cemetery," a very appropiate and musical name.

— S. H. Patten & Son will run a firstclass icecream saloon in Mechanic Building this summer.

— Mr. Arthur Dalzeil is putting in 16 new leaches at Shaw's tannery and making important repairs on the plant.

— Hall & Jaquith are promptly supplying a big demand for meal, grain, feed, etc. these days at fair prices.

— Have C. M. Strout do your plumbing and water piping. He is a No. 1 workman and reasonable in his prices.

— Mr. Warren N. Blake has had a severe time with an abcess on one of his feet, but is now able to get outdoors again.

— Mr. C. M. Munroe is selling straw hats of all sorts of material, color and pattern at astonishing low prices. See his ad.

— Judge Converse has several of Hugh Montgomery's liquor cases under advisement, and the balance of them will be tried next week.

— The clump of rhododendrons near the Salem st. entrance of the Cemetery, now in full flower, make a magnificent appearance.

— Principal Lewis of the Lewis Music School calls public attention to an important fact through the columns of the JOURNAL this week.

— Mrs. Charles Converse has been engaged as bookkeeper at the Nantasket Hotel, Nantasket, for the summer. It is a very desirable situation.

— Does anyone second the motion for a 4th of July celebration in this city this year? Perhaps a motion to that effect has not yet been made.

— Supt. Gilcreast ought to sell heaps of gas stoves this weather. They are just the thing for hot days, and they save such a heap of fuel too.

— Mr. M. Downs of Cummingsville is selling a new soap that appears to be just what the public want. It will be found true to recommendation.

— William Cox, one of T. E. Sleeper's drivers, was quite severely kicked by one of his horses last Tuesday. His injuries were not dangerous.

— We have had this week considerable weather closely resembling the dogdays article. Great weather has prevailed most of the time this spring.

"Algæ in Horn Pond?" What of it? It is as harmless as meadow grass. If it is ever baneful it is only when undergoing decomposition in the fall of the year.

— Yesterday was a scorcher and made one long for "a lodge in some vast wilderness, some endless contiguity of shade," with a plenty of "ice cool lemonade."

— Mr. D. W. Kelley will place the management of his Malden drugstore into the hands of his brother John and give the Woburn store his individual supervision.

— Mr. William S. York and family left last week for their pleasant seaside home at Rockport where they have summered for many a year in peace and comfort.

— Mr. Charles H. Taylor, who had one of his legs so badly broken a few weeks ago, is getting on so famously that he will soon be walking around outdoors on crutches.

— About 325 boys and girls were consecrated at St. Charles church last Sunday. Rev. Fr. Gilday made an appropriate address and gave the medals to the children.

— There is to be a Band Concert on the roof over McSheffrey's barber rooms this evening—the second of the season. In all human probability a big crowd will be out to enjoy it.

— We have been told (in strict confidence) that the entire cost of the graduating gowns of the young ladies of W. H. S. Class '91 will not exceed $8.00? And other things in proportion!

— Mrs. Tyng Fogg of Bowdoinham, Me., and her daughter, a bright, jolly, Harvard Annex girl (*not* from the Rio Gran-*dee*) visited relatives and friends in this city last Tuesday afternoon.

— It was not Bert Hartwell who rode his bicycle to Worcester in company with Ronco and Haggerty but his brother Harry. Bert was then and has since been very sick, but is now much better.

— Mr. J. M. Ellis's foreman and employees made a strip of firstrate concrete sidewalk from Woodbury's Corner to Dodge's jewelry store last Tuesday. They know how to do that sort of a thing.

— Last Friday morning a citizen of Stoneham was thrown from his carriage near the Salem st. watering trough in this city and was thought to have been fatally injured. He was taken to his home in Stoneham.

— Successful raids on kitchen barrooms were made by Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott on last Sunday. Unlawful sellers were found on Hudson and Buck streets, and their cases will be duly attended to.

— Rev. H. Montgomery has chosen an appropriate theme for his next Sunday's discourse—Swearing. If ever anybody needed a scoring and a scouring for the sin of swearing it is this present generation.

— Mr. Frank H. Elliot and wife will sail for Europe on June 24 for a vacation outing. A pleasant voyage over and back and a good time are what the JOURNAL hopes this very worthy couple will enjoy.

— The public are working Judge Converse rather hard these times. He holds all-day sessions and gets pretty sweaty along towards supper time. He will hold his last term on June 30, and is probably glad to quit.

— The funeral of Mr. John McFeeley took place on Wednesday morning. It was a very large one and the floral tributes were simply magnificent. He had hosts of warm friends, for he was an excellent young man.

— The reason why Wilmington has been adopted as the end of the suburban route and Woburn abandoned was the Company's wish to get rid of the turn-table at the latter to admit of straightening the track at that point.

— Miss Mertena Bancroft, the accomplished organist at the First Baptist Church, has had her salary raised from May 1. The Music Committee of the church evidently appreciate musical talent and are not slow to reward it.

— Mr. J. B. McDonald has not sold his coal business here as reported, but is likely to do so at short notice. His occupation in Boston requires his whole time and undivided attention which is the reason for selling out his coal trade here.

— The following are the newly elected officers of Div. 3, A. O. H.: President, John J. Short; Vice President, John C. Meehan; Fin. Sec., Francis J. McPartlin; Recording Sec., Peter Kenney; Treasurer, Thomas Quinn.

— M. T. Allen, Esq., and bride returned from their wedding tour to this city last Friday evening. They will probably make their home here, although that is not yet fully settled. Many congratulations awaited their return.

— Mrs. Lizzie Carroll, nee McDonough, died last Monday afternoon quite suddenly and left many warm friends to mourn her loss. Her funeral on Wednesday morning was largely attended and a great number of beautiful flowers were contributed.

— The June number of *The Health Monthly* contains an article on "Hygienic Bread Making" written by Mrs. Susan T. Converse of 35 Sherman Place in this city. It contains several culinary recipes which we have no doubt can be relied on for the best results.

— Last week Mr. Charles Cummings had a carload of 18 of the best roadsters that ever left Canada, and to-day will arrive 15 more of the best workers and roadsters. They are splendid horses. They can be seen at Cummings's stables on Cambridge street.

— Several brethren and sisters of the Unitarian Church attended the 69th regular session of the South Middlesex Conference of Unitarian Churches which was held at Lexington on last Wednesday. They enjoyed a refreshing season. Rev. Mr. Parker made an address.

— Mr. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., a member of the Editorial Staff of the Boston *Globe*, and lady have taken up summer quarters at Marblehead Neck, which for some years has been the seaside home of Mr. Charles H. Taylor, Sen., proprietor and Editor-in-Chief of the *Globe*.

— For several months Hon. E. W. Hudson has been quite closely confined to his home on Canal street but since the warm weather set in he is seen up town nearly every day. Having got rid of his old enemy, neuralgia, Mr. Hudson's health is excellent and he is enjoying life to the brim.

— Warren Teel, the old Davenport (Iowa) Assistant P. M., took his first vacation in 30 years the other day and when he returned Uncle Sam's things were in such utter confusion that he then and there foreswore vacations to the end of time. At least, thus allegeth a reliable Chicago paper.

— There is a gang of street pavers at work right down in front of THE JOURNAL office, so if the original matter in this issue should seemed to be rattled and all broken up the reader will know what to attribute it to. Supt. Jones is bound to have good streets, Editors or no Editors.

— Hon. Benjamin F. Whittemore of Montvale, one of the ablest and most telling temperance advocates of this city, made several very strong points in his eloquent appeal for sobriety and good order at Rev. Hugh Montgomery's temperance symposium at the M. E. church last Sunday evening.

— Charlestown patriots are making extensive preparations for the proper observance of the 17th of June. Probably a goodly number of Woburn boys will go down and help them celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill seeing as how Woburn was 250 years ago an offspring of the Charlestown church.

— There is no better place in Middlesex County to get old clothing rejuvinated and made as good as new than at L. F. Hurd's, No. 24 Winn street The establishment has been going for quite a number of years and it has, by doing the best kind of work and dealing fairly, become a great success. Read card in another column.

— Auctioneer E. Prior sold the Thomas McLean estate at North Woburn to Mary E. Gallagher for $495. On Monday he vendued a large lot of household furniture for William Courts on Buckman street, and on Wednesday he went to Malden and sold a house at auction. He seems to be doing a big business with his hammer.

— Returning from the Concord Reformatory, where he had taken a subject Saturday P. M., Mr. Edward Simonds, the Keeper of the Lockup, walked from Lexington Common to Woburn Common, just 5 miles, in exactly 1 hour and 5 minutes. He is 70 years old and if he has at that age a match in walking, or running, or wresting, we would like to see him. He is just as nimble as a cat.

— Proprietors of tanneries and other manufacturing establishments who are liable under the laws of this State to pay damages for injuries sustained by their employees while in their employ ought, in justice to themselves and for their own safety, consult Mr. S. B. Goddard on the most admirable workings of "The Employers Liability Assurance Corporation," of which he is the local agent. See his card.

— Miss Celia Reade, ex-postmaster Reade's daughter and his late Ass't P. M. and Right Bower, is revivifying the Woburn Mutual Benefit Association by securing a large increase of membership and swelling the treasury. Within a short time Miss Reade has been instrumental in securing applications for membership of over 40 persons which is regarded as a handsome piece of work. There are now 112 members of the Association which, through Miss Reade's efforts, will be largely increased in the near future. It is a good institution and the JOURNAL bespeaks for it abundant success.

— The St. Charles C. T. A. Society and its Ladies Auxiliary will hold a sociable for members only on next Wednesday evening. Mr. Thomas Feeney, a graduate of the vocal department of the WOBURN JOURNAL, has been selected for Prima Donna on the occasion and will doubtless charm the company with some of his sweetest songs. The Auxiliary, we are glad to learn, is prosperous and growing.

— Last week the Management of the Boston & Albany Railroad invited a select company of prominent gentlemen to enjoy the trial trip of the Company's new train between Boston and Chicago called the "Chicago Special," and among those who accepted invitations and were royally entertained on the trip to Worcester and back were Mr. C. A. Burdett of this city, proprietor, with his brother, of the Burdett Business College of Boston.

— Mr. Vilruveus Hurd is 93 years old and on last Sunday quite a company of friends met at his home on New Boston st. and in a quiet, pleasant way, observed the anniversary. He is a remarkably smart and active person for his age and retains his faculties in nearly their pristine vigor. Mr. Hurd enjoys good health which, with a clear conscience, is said to be condusive to longevity. The JOURNAL sends to Mr. Hurd greetings and good wishes.

— Last Monday Dea. Gage took a little spin round town in his buggy and enjoyed it very much. He called on Hon. E. W. Hudson and Jacob Brown, Esq., on Canal street, on Dr. Harlow, and gave his old pastor, Dr. March, a bit of an airing along the road. There wasn't a man or woman on the route who was not glad to see the good Deacon outdoors waving that well preserved and familiar bandanna handkerchief in the lambent June zephyrs once more.

— The Boston *Evening Record* gets up some of the most rib-tickling pictures to illustrate current sayings and doings that are to be found in any other of the Boston dailies. There was one in last Saturday night's issue that was enough to wreathe the countenance of a graven image in broad grins. We allude to one representing a Democratic circus with the figure of our own Mr. Samuel W. Mendum occupying a conspicuous part and place in it.

— There was on exhibition in one of the big windows of Leeds's drugstore, No. 13 Pleasant street, a very fine crayon portrait of Capt. J. Chester Hanson which was done by by Mr. W. F. Shaw of Winn street, this city, who is a Boston photographer. Capt. Hanson is dressed in the uniform of commander of Co. B, W. H. S. B., with sword, belt and cap, etc., and thus the artist made a fine picture of his materials and also brought out a true portrait of his sitter.

— Last Monday evening the City Council accorded the School Board a hearing on the matter of selecting a site for the Central Square school house. Considerable friction between the two bodies was shown, but as the city had already bought the Eaton lot for the purpose the School Board deemed it unwise to kick against the pricks and as gracefully as circumstances would admit of accepted the inevitable. The institution of learning will be erected on the Eaton ground.

— We are indebted to Miss Christine Kelley of No. 11 Pleasant street for a present of boxberries and leaves, which are a product of the pitchpine plains of Maine and New Hampshire much sought after and greatly liked by the juvenile population of those regions. The effect of the receipt of the big red berries and spicy leaves from Miss Kelley was to bring up afresh boyhood scenes, rambles in piney woods for the young and juicy box leaves, et cetera, further consideration of which lack of space forbids. Miss Christine will please accept our thanks for her kindness.

— Day before yesterday Bean, the driver, brought the JOURNAL office a big chunk of halibut steak cut right from the rump of the monster fellow caught off Swampcott by the Stoneham Deep-Sea Piscatorial Association two weeks ago and which attracted so many people to Perry's famous fish mart in the beautiful, reposeful, and altogether lovely suburban residence place, Stoneham Square. The JOURNAL, with its new castor in hand, makes its profoundest obeisance to Mr. Perry for the fish and hopes his shadow may never grow less.

— Next Sunday the Steamer *Stamford*, Captain E. W. Davidson in command, will make the first trip of the season of the Boston & Plymouth S. S. Co's line between Boston and Plymouth. The sail to Plymouth Rock and return is unequalled for beauty and pleasure by any in the vicinity of Boston and when it is taken on one of the splendid boats of the B. & P. S. S. Line, it is simply delightful. The *Stamford* leaves Lincoln's Wharf every morning at 9.30 A. M., and Plymouth at 3 P.M. On Sundays she leaves Boston at 10. Thanks for press courtesies.

— The Temperance Mass Meeting held at the M. E. church on last Sunday evening to express public approval of the course of Rev. Hugh Montgomery towards the violators of the State liquor laws was a rousing affair. The commodious church was filled to overflowing with deeply interested listeners, among whom there prevailed a spirit of confidence and enthusiasm such as is seldom manifested or felt in any public assemblage. Rev. Montgomery was the principal speaker and the way he poured broadsides of hot shot into the violators was a caution to that class of citizens. He just raked them fore and aft, and the pity of it all was that there were none of them present to take his broadsides. Besides the Parson, there were other earnest, sincere and godly speakers for temperance, among whom were Hon. Joseph G. Pollard who is always ready for every good word and work where temperance is concerned; Griffin Place, a fighter; Luke Warren Fowle, a bitter foe to rum, and several other honest, active temperance advocates, all of whom delivered eloquent speeches against Rum and in approval of Mr. Montgomery's crusade against the men who break the laws of the State. There was the very finest of music, and, all in all, it was the best temperance meeting that has been held here for a great while.

— "On that lovely day in June," Thursday, the 11th inst., William Lorraine Murdock of 47 Montvale Avenue, arrived at the age of full fledged citizenship and stands ready to to cast the local and National ballot for the best man. William feels and acts like a sage young man, and on that particular day, the 11th, his wisdom assumed and had in it the mature developments of the "Seven wise men." A goodly number of friends, fair ones and otherwise, dropped in upon him in the evening and the hours flew! How merry they were! and how dignified the new citizen of the Republic received both friends and gifts. A long life, a good life, and happiness rare, we wish you, friend Will, and may purpose and character grow strong as the years go by.

— Mr. John McFeeley, a young man of this city about 29 years old, went for a short drive with Mr. Patrick McIntire early last Friday morning after the wedding which was celebrated that night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLaughlin on Water st., and when near Swanton St. Bridge in Winchester was thrown from the buggy and so terribly injured that he died at the Massachusetts General Hospital on the following Monday morning. On making a turn a wheel of the carriage caught in a rail of the street railroad and the two young men were thrown violently to the ground. McIntire escaped with but slight injury, but McFeeley suffered a fracture of the skull and fatal internal injuries. He was taken to the Mass. Gen. Hos. where he lingered unconscious until early on Monday morning when death came to his relief.

— Mr. Nathaniel S. Watson, a much esteemed citizen of North Woburn, was painfully injured at the sawmill of the Woburn Lumber Company in this city one day last week, from which he is still suffering. There was an unfinished order for a lot of certain parts of shoe lasts—small pieces of peculiar shaped wood—which the Company manufacture a great many of for shoemakers, and Mr. Watson concluded to take hold and finish it up. While at work over the rapidly revolving circular saw one of the pieces came in contact with the saw and was hurled with such force against Mr. Watson's forehead that it knocked him down and rendered him insensible. It was a tremendous blow he received but fortunately no further injury was inflicted by it than a long, deep and very severe cut, into which Dr. Chalmer's found it necessary to put three or four stitches to sew it up. The doctor said it was a wonder Mr. Watson's skull was not broken by the blow, and so indeed it was. Mr. Watson is getting on quite nicely and will soon be at his post again.

— Lyceum Hall is undergoing changes which will improve it vastly when completed. Mr. J. W. Hammond, who has the management of the property and Company's affairs, has made plans for them which will take the best of $2,000 to carry out, but they will add a great deal more than that sum to the value of the property. Mr. Hammond's idea is a good one, and when it is fully carried through Woburn will have a musical and dramatic hall unsurpassed in size, convenience and fine finish by any in Middlesex County. One of the most important changes is the enlargement of the gallery by extending the front over six feet of the rear of the hall which will not only afford more room for audiences but a much more desirable quality of room. The lighting is to be much better than at present. Instead of four ordinary sized gas burners around the centre of the ceiling there is to be one very large, beautiful chandelier, the same to be supplemented at proper points with gas and electric lights, either to be employed as circumstances may dictate. This will greatly beautify the hall and bring out into stronger relief the frescoe painting above and around. New ventilating apparatus will be put in, and the hall made firstclass in every particular.

— One of the most highly esteemed couples in Woburn are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyman of No. 605 Main street, and the former is one of the oldest of our citizens, being about 85 years, while Mrs. Wyman is about 73. She was a native of Waltham, her maiden name having been Mary H. Rowley; but Mr. Wyman was not only born and raised on this good old historic soil but so also were his father and grandfather, the homestead being located on Wyman street, and house is reported to be one of the most ancient in Woburn—the oldest but one. Mr. Wyman (he is the father of Postmaster Wyman) has always occupied an honorable place in the confidence of his townspeople, whom he has faithfully and intelligently served in more capacities than one. He was sent to the General Court in 1871 and 1874; he has often been called to aid in the administration of Town affairs; and in public situations his judgment and integrity have always been esteemed. Last week the Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wyman was celebrated in a befitting manner at their pleasant residence and it was attended by a great many of the fellow citizens and friends of the venerable couple. The wedding party was a happy one. The visitors were numerous and they were given a warm welcome and the house and grounds were large enough to comfortably hold them all. Many appropriate and valuable presents were made to the bride and groom of 50 years ago; there were palatable refreshments; there was music; also pleasant social intercourse; and they all said the evening had been delightfully spent.

Montvale.

Everything in nature is looking beautiful and inviting over here in this little Woburn hamlet just now, and if it were not for Rum it would be quite a charming little "paradise on earth."

At a meeting of Division 18, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Montvale, the following officers were elected: President, James Cogan; Vice President, Thomas Kerrigan; Recording Secretary, James Scanlan; Financial Secretary, Owen Kerrigan; Treasurer, John Dwyer; Marshal, James O'Brien.

A great many of our young people wandered around and through the beautiful grounds of Hon. B. F. Whittemore on the evening of Miss Grace's lawn party to delight themselves with the brilliant indoor and outdoor illuminations, to hear the sweet music, to see the happy guests, and to witness the joy and pleasure of the rare occasion. Nothing could have been more beautiful, and the Hon. B. F. was "as happy as a clam at high water." Ashley Hall School is a great success, so I am told.

A Brilliant Lawn Party.

Ashley Hall School at Montvale, of which Miss Grace Whittemore, daughter of Hon. B. F. Whittemore, is the accomplished and popular Preceptress, will close its first year of successful existence on to-day, Friday. Ashley Hall is a private and select school for young ladies, designed more especially for finishing them off in the higher branches of learning, in literature and art, and all and singular those accomplishments in these latter days deemed essential to a young lady's "finished education." It was founded a year ago by Miss Grace Whittemore, a thoroughly educated and accomplished young lady, in the large, handsome mansion of her father—one of the most fitting and desirable places for such an institution of learning that is to be found anywhere about in this region of the State.

Preceptress Whittemore has met with the most encouraging success so far in establishing a young ladies select day and boarding school of the highest grade for polishing off the intellectual machinery of those whose doting papas have a plenty of cash with which to do it in the very best of shape and most liberal scale and feels much encouragement to go forward with plans for the permanent establishment of a still larger school. She has had in attendance during the year of boarding pupils who reside in California, Utah, Nevada, Pennsylvania and New York, besides several day scholars whose homes are within hailing distance of the Hall.

All branches of learning and all the polite arts and all the solid accomplishments are taught at Ashley Hall by competent teachers under Miss Whittemore's careful superintendence, the instructor in Music being Prof. F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Woburn Music School, teacher in the New England Conservatory of Music, and one of the Faculty of that far-famed institution, and three or four others who have charge of the different departments of learning and intellectual culture. The pride of Preceptress Whittemore and of her fine corps of teachers is that young ladies are able to obtain as solid and complete an education in the substantials and as high a degree of intellectual polish and as much "Boston cuture" at Ashley Hall as can be obtained at any Ladies Boarding School in the country.

As a vacation goodbye to pupils and public Miss Whittemore gave a lawn party last Tuesday evening which for beauty and brilliancy eclipsed anything that has been enjoyed in Woburn for many a year. Her school term has been delivered and made still more attractive to the young ladies of Ashley Hall by frequent entertainments, parties and socials, but none of them have begun to approach the closing one of last Tuesday evening in brilliancy and enjoyment. A large company were present. There were society people from Boston, Lynn, Salem, Woburn Centre and other places, by whom a most delightful evening was spent.

Ashley Hall is the mansion of Hon. B. F. Whittemore at Montvale, a large structure, well mellowed by age, standing in the midst of one of the most extensive and beautiful lawns in this county, and it is a portion of this fine residence estate that the daughter occupies for her boarding school. The broad grounds are still further beautified with many kinds of trees—stately elms, graceful maples, evergreens in variety—standing in pretty clumps, rows, and singly by themselves; a gem of a lakelet borders one side of it; the Abajonna flows along another; marble statuary in artistic design and finish are scattered among the trees and in out-of-the-way nooks on the park-like estate, and a more charming spot for a Ladies Boarding School or an evening promenade it would be difficult indeed to find.

The large fine mansion—the Ashley Hall—and extensive grounds were magnificently illuminated on this occasion. Hundreds of beautiful Chinese lanterns swung among the foliage, pendent from overarching boughs, in the halls, and along the porches of the mansion, and the whole seemed like a fairy scene, one in the highest degree brilliant and captivating to the senses.

Here and there on the lawn, among the trees, or leisurely threading the gravelled walks, listening to the music of the band on the veranda, or drinking in the other delights of the splendid scene, were guests in pairs, groups, and *solitaire*, and an uncommonly beautiful picture did it all make.

The party opened at 6 o'clock and the first hour was devoted to a view of the charming grounds and surrounding landscapes, wandering amid the grand old trees, and in introductions and acquaintance-making. Delightful instrumental music enhanced the pleasure of everything else, and as darkness approached the Chinese lanterns were hung and shed brilliancy and a charm everywhere.

An elegant repast was announced in due season, and seated about the tables were a very large company of happy people. Besides a great variety of the delicate and dainty edibles of the season for the palate and stomach's sake the spare assumed somewhat the character of a "feast of reason and flow of soul," for the conversation was lively, witty, gay, and in keeping with the lawn party spirit that prevailed.

After supper the gathering of ladies and gentlemen, pupils and teachers, broke up into squads and renewed their strolls through the groves and among the fragrant flowering shrubs, listened to more sweet music, chatted, laughed and sung, and by and by, at an eminently proper hour, the company dissolved and left the delightful scene for their respective homes.

And as the closing party of the Ashley Hall school for the long summer vacation it was a very brilliant and successful affair.

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Woburn Woman's Club.

The Woburn Woman's Club held its last meeting before the summer recess on the afternoon of Friday, June 5. The afternoon was devoted to the study of the life and writings of Elizabeth Barrett Browning. The literary and musical entertainment was given by members of the Club and the daughters of members.

The programme was as follows with a slight change in the order:

I. Paper—Sketch of Mrs. Browning.
Mrs. Vanie B. Dow.
II. Song, "Insufficiency" (words by Mrs. Browning.) Mrs. Sarah C. Phinney.
III. Readings from Mrs. Browning—
1. "De Profundis." Mrs. Mary E. Johnson.
2. "Mother and Poet." Mrs. Mary E. Doyle.
3. "Romance of the Swan's nest." Mrs. Bond.
4. Selection from Aurora Leigh.
Mrs. Evelyn M. Trull.
IV. Song, "Unless." (Words by Mrs. Browning.) Miss Remsdell.
V. Song, "I go to prove my soul." (Words by Mrs. Browning.) Mrs. Sarah C. Phinney.

There followed short quotations from Mrs. Browning's poems given by various members of the Club.

Miss Mary A. Frost gave an interesting account of her visit some four years ago to to the grave of Mrs. Browning at Florence.

Miss Mertena Bancroft added to the pleasure of the vocal music by her graceful piano accompaniments.

Mrs. Estelle M. H. Merrill, President of the New England Woman's Press Association, was present as the guest of Mrs. Phinney; but being pressed for time she was unable to respond to the President's invitation to speak to the Club in regard to the Council of Women recently held in Orange, N. J. But her friendly words of greeting and sympathy were warmly welcomed and she expressed much pleasure in the afternoon's exercises.

Music Hall having its red stage curtain dropped and a temporary platform placed at the foot of the stage seemed cheery; and the vases of beautiful flowers added a homelike grace which the hall had previously lacked.

The Club always enjoys its "home talent" meetings; and it seemed fitting that the "goodbye" gathering of the early summer should be as cosey and social as so well filled a programme would allow—G. M. B.

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Prize Drill of the W. H. S. B.

This notable event, which had been looked forward to with a keen interest not only by the youthful soldiers and their immediate families but by the community at large, took place at the Rink last Friday evening in the presence of the Drillmaster, Mr. Samuel W. Mendum, who is very proud of his "boys;" Mayor Bean; David F. Moreland, Esq., City Clerk; Aldermen Davis, Pushee, Dearborn, Ham, Walsh; the Board of Common Council; William F. Kenney, Esq., Chairman of the School Board, who delivered the prizes in a very graceful manner; and a large company of spectators, among whom were a numerous sprinkling of school girls (some of them to be "sweet girl graduates" this month) who were just more than deeply interested in the results.

The gallant companies marched to the Rink keeping step to the martial music of the Woburn Fife and Drum Corps and when they entered the huge building and stood up straight and proud under the brilliant electric lights a more manly, nicer appearing, or better mannered School Battalion it would be hard to find in Massachusetts. No wonder the good people of the city and the bright, pretty, jolly school girls were proud of Woburn's juvenile soldiery.

Major Irving R. Bancroft, who has a fine military carriage and bearing, was in command of the Battalion; Capt. Edwin K. Porter, who has true military blood in his veins, was in command of Co. A; and Capt. J. Chester Hanson, a straight, handsome lad, with keen eye and quick movement, commanded Co. B.

The exercises were witnessed with marked attention and pleasure.

The programme consisted of guard-mount by details from both companies, formation of line, review of Battalion drill by Maj. Bancroft, competitive Company drill (each Company in charge of its Captain), competitive drill for medals, Adjt. Elliott F. Trull commanding, dress parade.

Quartermaster George G. Barker was Officer of the Day.

The judges were: Capt. W. W. Stover, Company A; Lieut. W. S. Tolman, Company C, and Lieut. Fred McDonald, Company H, all of the 5th Regiment.

The past officers of the Battalion contributed a sword and belt to be presented to the Captain of the winning Company. This was won by Company B, and the presentation was made to Capt. Hanson by ex-Capt. Homer B. Grant of the class of '88.

The medals were presented by William F. Kenney, Chairman of the School Committee, to the following: Gold medal, Sergt. Oliver M. Wade, Jr.; silver medal, Sergt. John Jaquith.

The writer of the following highly complimentary notice of the drill which we clip from the Lynn *Item* of last Saturday evening and reproduce in the JOURNAL with pleasure can be easily guessed:

The fourth annual prize drill of the Woburn High School Battalion took place on Friday evening, June 5, as briefly noticed elsewhere. This Battalion, it will be remembered, was present at the recent drill in Lynn, and was entertained by Woburn friends now residing in Lynn, two or three of whom were present on Friday evening. The rink was packed to the door.

The drill was given at the old skating rink, Montvale avenue, spacious floor room being there afforded for the evolutions. The drill was so marked in improvement over that given in Lynn that it deserves more than a passing notice. The Battalion is composed of but two Companies, and thus strict attention to details is insured. Attached to the Battalion is the High School Fife and Drum Corps, in itself no mean attraction, especially when its inspiring music and the make-up of members is considered. Two little fellows, Johnson and Converse, both imbibing the military spirit of their families, are marvels of proficiency at their ages, and of course "take the cake" at the table of exercises.

Co. A, Capt. Edwin K. Porter, first took the floor after Battalion movements. The boys were heartily greeted, and at once put on a look of business. Their marching was splendid, slightly faulty, perhaps, by column of fours in the dress and distances, yet eliciting warm applause from their many friends present. The Company came into line in fine style, and made some excellent wheels which "brought down the house." The manual of arms, particularly the manual without command, was highly commendable and was continuously applauded, making the veterans present ask "Where are we?" The boys were well cheered as they concluded the drill and broke ranks.

Company B boys, Captain J. C. Hanson, then came upon the boards. They had the advantage over the first Company in appearance in line, being sized to a nicety, and evidently every man in his accustomed place. They put on a "get there" determination to win, and went about their work handsomely. Their marching seemed faultless and the wheels were immense, bringing out rounds of applause. In marching by column the distance was well preserved, and by Company the alignment seemed perfect. The manual, also, was fine, the "silent" exercises being, as with the first Company, of a high order of merit. The "B" boys retired with well-deserved honors, and, as noted, captured the prize.

The competitive drill for medals followed, Adjutant Elliott F. Trull commanding, and was a contest hard to decide after the reduction in numbers. The result, as given in another place, no doubt was satisfactory to all concerned, where general excellence is considered. The entire drill showed care and unremitting labor on the part of the military instructor. Woburn should be proud of these youthful soldiers.

Newspapers.

Our esteemed contemporary, *The Canton Journal*, came out last week with a brand new head. It is very neat and artistic in design and execution and a big improvement on the old one.

The Peabody Reporter has been compelled to increase its size in order to meet the demands of its patrons. The *Reporter* is intensely American; down on the Roman Catholics; feminst foreigners; a sort of Know Nothing paper—and is enjoying a wonderfully prosperous career in our sister leather town of Peabody. It has also put on a new head. Long may it wave.

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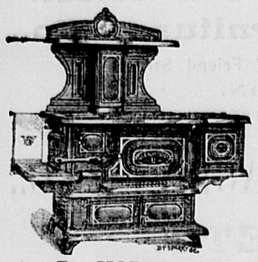

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THOMAS CONNELL,
Executor of the will of Michael Connell.

For futher particulars inquire of J. G. Maguire, Attorney for Executor, 596 Main street, Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, June 10, 1891.

Woburn Board of Trade.

NOTICE.

At the Regular Meeting held May 19, 1891, notice was given of the following changes in the articles of Association to be voted on at the Regular Meeting to be held at 8.30 P. M., June 16, 1891—1st. To change the word "Town" wherever it occurs, to the word "City." 2d. To insert the words, "the Secretary, Treasurer," after the clause, "The Vice Presidents," in article III. 3d. To change the word "Tuesday," to "Monday," wherever it occurs. In addition to voting on the above changes, Reports of Committees will be made, and a discussion on "Streets and Sidewalks of Woburn" will take place.

Signed,
F. H. LEWIS, Secretary.

Woburn, June 12, 1891.

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Post 161 Memorial Service.

As announced in last week's JOURNAL Woburn Post 161, with their invited guests, Burbank Post No. 33, and many ladies and gentlemen of the city, held Memorial Services in honor of four Comrades whom death had removed from the Post during the year, on last Sunday evening at their Headquarters in Savings Bank block. The ceremonies, which were solemn and impressive, being conducted in conformity to the Ritual, were witnessed with deep interest and the strictest attention was bestowed on the proceedings from first to last.

The Veterans of both Posts appeared in uniform. This was the first service of the kind ever held by the Post and it was supposed that the holding of it was largely due to the instrumentality of Commander Frank W. Graves, who, since his election to the honorable and responsible office, has been indefatigable in inaugurating and carrying out business and other important reforms in the Post.

An intelligent and trustworthy reporter of the Boston JOURNAL said this about the services and we take the liberty to adopt his words in this report. After the announcement the writer goes on to say:

"Memorial speeches were made as follows: Comrade J. Fred Leslie, for Comrade Geo. Perkins of the Sixth New York Battery; Comrade E. F. Wyer, for Comrade James W. McDonald, Major of the Eleventh Massachusetts Infantry; Comrade James L. Pinkham, for Comrade Charles Flagg of the Fifth Regiment, Massachusetts Infantry; and Comrade Henry C. Hall, for Comrade George H. Holt of the Sixteenth Maine Infantry. The ritualistic service of the G. A. R. was read by the officers, the Ladies' Schubert Quartette sang appropriate selections and Rev. D. D. Winn of the Baptist Church gave an address. In the front of the hall was a raised altar and four vacant chairs draped in mourning. Post 161 attended in uniform in a body, as did also Burbank Post 33, by special invitation. Besides the veterans, there was a large attendance of spectators. This was the first service of the kind ever held by this Post, as no comrades had passed away previous to last year."

One word more: The music was very fine and could not have been more appropriate. The Ladies Schubert Quartette are winning golden opinions for their excellent work these days.

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Sergeant Ambler.

Finding himself once more on his feet, although not fully restored to his former robust physical condition, Sergeant Isaac W. Ambler will soon be seen again on the rostrum talking about the soldier, and in praise of the soldier from among the people, for the "Old Sergeant" was one of them and is a true friend of the common classes. Years back he was a famous temperance lecturer and champion; a Preacher of the Gospel; a City Missionary; and a friend and advocate of good morals and pure living all along the line.

"The Old Sergeant" is a unique character. When the first shot was fired at Sumpter he was City Missionary at Biddeford, Maine, giving his time, talents and energies to making men better and happier. When the echo of that shot was heard he dropped everything else and made his way to the front. He threw his whole soul into the great, grand work of squelching the Rebellion, and the duties he was set to discharge were those of an Instructor in Military Tactics for the officers and men of the Union Army. In this capacity he taught over 50,000 people, a great many of them the highest officers in the army—from Major Generals down to Corporals—and to his skill and intelligent tuition was due in a great measure the rapidity with which our officers and men mastered a knowledge of the Manual of Tactics. He had gained this knowledge while serving as Sergeant and Drill-master in the English Army.

Sergeant Ambler went to the front—went to this Regiment and to that Regiment, to this Company and to that Company, hither and yon, wherever most needed—to teach officers and men how to become soldiers—to instruct them in the use of the sword and the musket; how to ride; how to march—to make them proficients in military knowledge. He went wherever ordered to go; took up and discharged every duty entrusted to him; served faithfully at the front; and shirked no hardship, toil or deprivation. He was one of the "Boys in Blue," and an honest and faithful one he was too.

But unfortunately for the "Old Sergeant" he was not "mustered" into Uncle Sam's service. In the rush and go of the early days of the Rebellion, when he left the city missionary field for Southern battle-fields, exact legal military steps were not thought so much of as they have been in cases where the poor soldier has tried to get his pay or pension since the War was done. Everybody said Sergeant Ambler would be paid in full by a grateful Nation after the struggle was over, and the Sergeant believed it—or whether he did or not, it made no difference to him in the discharge of his duties to his adopted country while in her big fight for existence.

But when the War cloud had rolled away and the "Old Sergeant" asked Uncle Sam to pay him for his services he was met with prompt denial; there was no money for the brave soldier; the government did not know him because, heedless of forms and ceremonies, the Sergeant had pitched into the fight before his name had been enrolled and he was too busy helping to save the Union afterwards to attend to it.

Governors of States, Union Officers from the highest to the lowest, Statesmen, Editors, Ministers, Distinguished Citizens, Legislators, Senators and Representatives in Congress, Judges, Mayors and private citizens, have asked Congress to pay the Old Soldier what Gen. McClellen, Meade, Hancock, Devens, Blaine, Long, Abbott, Butler, and hundreds of other distinguished military men and civilians have said over and over again honestly belonged to him, but all to no purpose. To be sure, Senator Hoar introduced bills in the U. S. Senate in 1887 which provided for the payment of a just debt due Sergeant Ambler, but there they stopped and will probably stay until the crack of doom, although there is not a soldier in the land but says the Sergeant ought to have his pay, and have it now. Truly, "Republics are ungrateful."

Now, Sergeant Ambler is old and poor. His support is derived almost entirely from the sale of his "Life," which the soldiers readily and gladly buy, and lecturing. He has been roughly and dishonestly treated by the government; he is a good true man, and an American; and the above facts have been stated by us in hopes that a right-minded public—everybody who wants to see fair play, and especially everybody who thinks well of the Veterans—here and elsewhere, would take hold heartily and give the "Old Sergeant" an encouraging boost with his books and his platform efforts to do good and make a living for himself and a dear invalid companion.

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Their Annual Regatta.

The poet assures us that sometimes mistakes happen the best regulated families. The non-appearance of this account of the annual regatta of the Innitou Canoe Club on Horn Pond last Memorial Day was the result of a mistake. In the particulars of it the public would not be interested so we will go no farther than to affirm that it was "an error of the head and not of the heart."

It was a spirited and very enjoyable affair both to the Club and spectators. People called it the most successful and satisfactory regatta that has ever taken place on Horn Pond, the banks of which were alive with men women and children all the time the sport was on. The weather was good, the movements of the light craafts were neat, and everything passed off in fine style.

L. Waldo Thompson was judge, Arthur C. Wyer, starter, and J. Chester Cotton, was stationed at the turn near the island.

The first race was for single paddles, the the entries being; J. Winn Brown, Harry G. Wyer, Edward T. Brigham, Edward F. Wyer, William W. Crosby, Stillman Shaw, William W. Wade. The prize, a silver cup, was won by Brown in 8m. 20s. the distance being about half a mile.

The second was a tandem, the prize a ribbon badge, and was contested for by H. G. and E. F. Wyer, Crosby and Shaw, Brigham and W. W. Wade. Crosby and Shaw won. Nime—7m. 15s.

The third was a double-bladed race, and was won by D. B. Dimick in 8m. 30s.

The trio race was won by Brown, H. G. Wyer and Crosby. Time 7 m. 10s.

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Mrs. Florence Estabrook, wife of Dr. C. E. Estabrook, now a resident of England, is visiting her father Capt. J. F. Rice.

Children's Sunday will be observed at the church by a special service for the children in the morning and a Sunday school concert in the evening at half past seven o'clock.

By a mistake in reporting the public exercises on Memorial Day the recitation by Miss Mary Foster was not mentioned. It was an attractive feature of the programme and reflected great credit upon little Miss Foster.

The teachers and scholars of the Sunday School have for several weeks been preparing to celebrate in an appropriate manner the twentieth anniversary of the election of their present Superintendent Mr. T. I. Reed. Mr. Reed was artfully beguiled into helping Rev. C. F. Hersey receive the members of school when they gave a reception to their pastor Friday evening. After the little folks and older people had been regaled with cake and lemonade, served by the Ladies Benevolent Society, Mr. Hersey made a short address and, in behalf of the school, presented Mr. Reed with a handsome silver and glass berry dish and spoon suitably inscribed. Mr. Reed although completely surprised responded with an expression of thanks and pleasure that they appreciated his long and faithful labor for the school. A large number attended and all seemed to heartily enjoy the occasion.

WINCHESTER.

James Noonan has been elected Captain of Hose 1.

The Episcopalian boy choir is getting on famously.

Jacob M. Ellis has finished the excavations south of the station.

Mr. and Mrs. Abijah Thompson have engaged rooms for the summer at Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richards will summer at Osterville with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hollingsworth.

Last Wednesday p. m. Miss Eva Moore Palmer graduated from the Boston University and took her degree of A. B.

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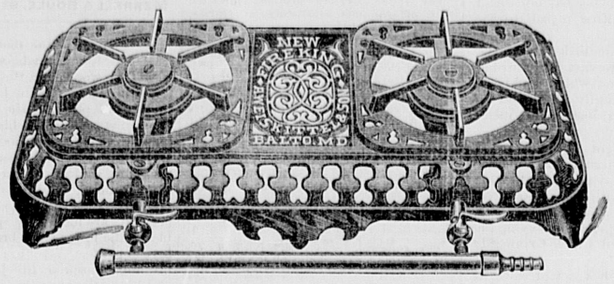

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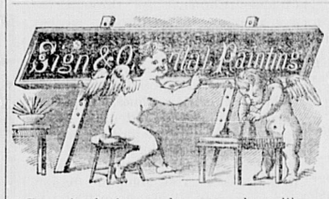

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate under the will of Charles G. Lund, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, testate, given in trust for the benefit of Charles G. Lund and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, D. H. Sweetser and E. D. Hayden, the trustees under said will, have presented for allowance the third account of their trusteeship;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be holden at Cambridge in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said Trustees are ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the Estate of Lucy A. Barnard, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frederic Hinckley of Boston in the County of Suffolk, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of George Skelton, late of Burlington, in said County, deceased, intestate;

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. Johnson of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the Estate under deed given by Oliver B. Coolidge to Ebenezer Lawrence, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Abijah Thompson and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, the Trustee under said deed, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by him as such trustee;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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14. "Hilkiah the priest found a book of the law of the Lord given by Moses."

Hezekiah cleansed and repaired the temple and restored the true worship.

He was succeeded by his son Manasseh, who reigned fifty-five years, and for a part of his reign tried to do as much for the devil as his father had done for God; but being taken prisoner and carried to Babylon, he repented and became a changed man; and being restored to his throne and kingdom, he sought to restore the worship of the true God. His son Amon reigned two years and did evil. He was succeeded by Josiah, his son, in whose reign our lesson is found. He began to reign at the age of 8 years; when 16 he began to seek God; and when 20 he began to cleanse the land of idols. At the age of 26 he began to repair the house of the Lord (see vs. 1, 3, 8), and it was as the priest took the money from the receptacles in the temple into which the people had put it that this old book was found.

15. "I have found the book of the law in the house of the Lord."

Thus said Hilkiah, the priest, to Shaphan, the scribe, as he gave him the book. It is probable that this is the book referred to in Deut. xxxi, 24-26, and if so it would be nearly 800 years old.

16. "And Shaphan carried the book to the king."

As Shaphan went to report to the king concerning the accomplishment of the work he took the book with him, having first read it for himself (II Kings xxii, 8).

17. "They have gathered together the money that was found in the house of the Lord, and have delivered it into the hands of the overseers, and to the hand of the workmen."

18. "Hilkiah the priest hath given me a book. And Shaphan read in it before the king."

19. "And it came to pass, when the king had heard the words of the law, that he rent his clothes."

By the law is the knowledge of sin (Rom. iii, 20), and as Josiah heard the law of the Lord he saw as he never had before how great the sins of the nation were. His heart trembled at the word, and therefore he was a blessed man (Isa. lxvi, 2).

20, 21. "Go, inquire of the Lord for me, and for them that are left in Israel and in Judah, concerning the words of the book that is found."

These men were appointed by the king to ascertain more fully concerning these words. Here is a priest and a king, but a prophet is wanted who will make plain the word of the Lord.

"Great is the wrath of the Lord that is poured out upon us, because our fathers have not kept the word of the Lord to do after all that is written in this book."

There is more than enough in any of the last six chapters of Deuteronomy or in Lev. xxvi to cause Josiah to have uttered these words; and it was manifest to all that many of these curses had already actually come upon the land and upon the people because of their sins.

22. "And Hilkiah and they that the king had appointed went to Huldah, the prophetess."

This was in the eighteenth year of Josiah's reign, or five years after Jeremiah began to prophecy (Jer. i, 2), and we wonder that they did not go to him. Zephaniah also prophesied in Josiah's reign (Zeph. i, 1), but for some reason the messengers go to Huldah.

23. "And she answered them, Thus saith the Lord God of Israel, tell ye the man that sent you to me."

These men were only the messengers of King Josiah; their business was to deliver the king's message correctly and carry back a correct answer. Happy are all messengers who are privileged to carry a "Thus saith the Lord!"

24. "Thus saith the Lord, Behold I will bring evil upon this place, all the curses that are written in the book."

In Jer. ii, 12; vi, 19, the Lord calls heaven and earth to witness against the people because of their sins; and also in Isa. i, 2. In Jer. xix, 3, 15; xxxv, 17, He also repeats what He here says by Huldah, that He will surely bring evil upon them.

25. "Because they have forsaken me, and have burned incense unto other gods."

Many were the entreaties by Moses and Joshua not to forsake God, and solemn the warnings as to what the result would be if they forsook Him (see Deut. xxxi, 16, 17; Josh. xxiv, 20). And yet that very thing they did, so that the prophets and Psalms are full of lamentations because Israel forsook the God of their fathers (Jer. ii, 12; v, 7; ix, 13; xix, 4; xxii, 9, etc.).

26. "And as for the king of Judah, who sent you to inquire of the Lord, so shall ye say unto him."

The evil spoken of was to come upon the ungodly people, but the Lord knoweth them that are His (II Tim. ii, 19), and no evil can befall them. Ezekiel saw in a vision a man with a writer's inkhorn, who was to set a mark upon the foreheads of those who sighed and cried because of the abominations done in the land; and when the destroying angel went forth he was to begin at the sanctuary, but not come near any upon whom was the mark.

27. "Because thine heart was tender, and thou didst humble thyself before God when thou heardst his words."

The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart. A broken and a contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise. God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace to the humble (Ps. xxxiv, 18; lvii, 17; Jas. iv, 6). He observes all who tremble at His word, and is ready to show Himself strong on their behalf (Isa. lxvi, 2; I Chron. xvi, 9). He hears the prayers of such. When we take heed to His word, and ask in accordance therewith, we may be sure that He hears.

28. "Behold, I will gather thee to thy fathers, and thou shalt be gathered to thy grave in peace, neither shall thine eyes see all the evil."

Josiah was not to witness the sufferings of his people nor the desolation of his land. It was God's will for him that he should have a peaceful death and burial, while his spirit went to join the company of the redeemed who had passed over before him. That he died in battle was owing to his willfulness and his refusing to heed the words of God through Necho (chap. xxxv, 22, 23). We bring much evil upon ourselves which God would gladly spare us if we were only obedient. Let us humble ourselves to walk with God, and be in the fear of the Lord all the day long (Prov. xxiii, 17). Let us stand with the faithful few who seek to do right in the sight of the Lord. And may we be able to say sincerely, "The law of Thy mouth is better unto me than thousands of gold and silver!"

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

Fairhaven is having a bitter quarrel over its high school-teacher. Three have already walked the plank, the scholars rule, the school committee weep and gibe another, battles of the tongue are endless, and the end is not yet.

TWO WAYS TO LIVE ON EARTH.

There are two ways to live on earth:
Two ways to judge, to act, to view;
For all things here have double birth—
A right, a wrong; a false, a true.

Give me the home where kindness seeks
To make that sweet which seemeth small;
Where every lip in fondness speaks,
And every mind hath care for all;

Whose inmates live in glad exchange
Of pleasures, free from vain expense;
Whose lives beyond their means ne'er range,
Nor wise denials give offense;

Who in a neighbor's fortune find
No wish, no impulse to complain;
Who feel not—never felt—the mind
To envy yet another's gain!

Who dream not of the mocking tide
Ambition's foiled endeavor meets—
The bitter pange of wounded pride,
Nor fallen power that shuns the streets.

Though Fate deny its glitt'ring store,
Love's wealth is still the wealth to choose;
For all that gold can purchase more
Are gauds—it is no loss to lose!

Some beings, wheresoe'er they go,
Find naught to please or to exalt;
Their constant study but to show
Perpetual modes of finding fault.

While others, in the ceaseless round
Of daily wants and daily care,
Can yet cull flowers from common ground,
And twice enjoy the joy they share!

Oh, happy they who happy make!
Who, blessing, still themselves are blest!
Who something spare for others' sake,
And strive, in all things, for the best!
—New York Ledger.

The Last Gladiatorial Combat.

Gladiatorial games were prohibited by an edict of the Emperor Constantine in A. D. 325, but from some cause, probably the loudly expressed disapprobation of the people, the edict was allowed to fall into disuse, and its penalties were never visited on its violators. During the reign of Honorius the defeat of the Goths in Italy was celebrated by games, but in the midst of the fights in the amphitheater of Vespasian a monk named Telemachus found his way into the arena and parted the combatants with a large processional cross.

The populace swarmed over the barricades and tore the monk to pieces, but the moral effect of the heroic act was permanent, and in A. D. 404 an imperial edict abolished gladiatorial sports in the Coliseum, and shortly after throughout the Roman empire. The fight stopped by Telemachus was the last in the Coliseum, and that structure is now consecrated to the honor of Telemachus and the Christian martyrs who perished in the persecutions by Nero and other emperors.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Marriage Made Easy.

A number of ladies and gentlemen were assembled at dinner to celebrate a friend's wedding. After the banquet, a young barrister got up to propose a matrimonial scheme, which was at once adopted. A president was elected who was pledged to eternal secrecy by a solem oath. All unmarried persons of either sex wrote each on a piece of paper his own name and that of the person whom he desired to marry. The papers were handed to the president, a man of mature age, married and grave as became his office. It was his duty to acquaint the two parties who had mutually selected each other. Result: eleven couples thus had the opportunity of confessing their feelings to one another for the first time, and a month later eight weddings came off. The others followed in a short time. Eccentric, but the end justifies the means.—Le Monde Pittoresque.

Found a Petrified Turtle.

Mr. J. Lewis, of Arlington, has a curiosity that he discovered while breaking up rock to make pillars for his house. He broke a large rock open, and in the center of it was found embedded a turtle. Not a live turtle, but a petrified one. He says it did not crawl off, but it looked so natural he expected to see it do so.—Atlanta Constitution.

The Duke of Devonshire's conservatory at Chatsworth is unrivaled. It covers nearly an acre of ground, measures 300 feet in length, 145 feet in breadth, is 65 feet high, and has 70,000 square feet of glass. There is a carriage road through it fom end to end. The orangery at Chatsworth is 180 feet long, 27 feet wide, and 21 feet high. It is lighted from the top by a glass roof.

There is scarcely a day but sees one or more funeral trains running out of the Grand Central station in New York to Woodlawn cemetery. Two cars have been fitted up especially for funeral purposes by the Central road. They are called Woodlawn cars, and each has a compartment forward for the casket.

There is said to be a large field for the growth and manufacture of tobacco in Victoria, but so far the efforts made in this direction have met only with indifferent success, owing to the defects arising from want of knowledge in the drying and treatment of the leaf after it has been cut.

In the United States there are eaten every day 2,250,000 pies. Each week, 16,750,000. Each year, 819,000,000, at a total cost of $164,000,000—an amount greater than the internal revenue and more than enough to pay the interest on the national debt.

The governor general of India, the viceroy, receives a salary of $250,000 a year, with allowances that include a gorgeous palace at Calcutta and a summer residence, all making his position worth $500,000 a year.

The poisonous elements called ptomaines accumulate in cans and metal vessels of all kinds with great rapidity. A single hour under favorable conditions will develop millions of infinitesimal pests.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

A reward of $25 has been offered by the trustees for the conviction of any person found disfiguring the agricultural grounds or surroundings at Bridgewater.

The Father

Of all diseases is impure blood, when loaded with foul humor. How important then that the blood should be pure, rich, and strong, without which there can be no health. To purify the blood Sulphur Bitters is incomparably the best medicine that it is possible to obtain.—The Editor.

A HAIR CUT THAT WAS TORTURE.

The Barber's Dog Watches During the Operation, Hoping for Flesh.

A subject of frequent complaint among American men who travel in Europe is the lack of skill on the part of barbers, who seldom know how to use their razors without inflicting suffering upon their customers. So few men, comparatively, depend upon barbers to be shaved in the Old World that the art is not always mastered by those who practice it. A traveler in England relates an incident, however, which seems to indicate that barbers in the country districts are no more expert in cutting hair than they are in shaving.

"I was traveling leisurely through Warwickshire, the country of Shakespeare," this traveler says, "when, seeing a rather neat barber shop and being aware that my hair needed cutting, I went in and submitted myself to the shears.

"I did so with some little uneasiness, for these shears were vast and murderous looking weapons, which looked as if they were ordinarily employed in cutting sheet iron instead of men's hair.

"The barber went through many preparations, which gave me a chance to observe that his dog, a wiry looking little bull terrier, with a singular droop in his left eye and a vicious expression about his cropped ears, was eying me intently from a point a little to one side of me, on the floor.

"The barber at last set at work at my back hair very deliberately. The bull terrier still eyed me as a cat watches a mouse, now tipping his head a trifle on one side, now on the other.

"I stood this eager scrutiny in silence for a few minutes, but presently my curiosity led me to speak.

"'Hum!' I said; 'a sharp looking dog, that of yours.'

"'Sharp!' the man laughed. 'No more hintelligent beast than 'im in all War'icksh're today, sir.'

"'Can you tell me why he is watching me in that way?'

"'Ah, there's the hintelligence in him, sir. Sometimes it happens, you know, sir, as 'ow, when I'm a-cuttin' a gent's 'air, sir, as 'ow I chips a little hoff the top of the gent's hear with the shears, sir. An' then you should see, sir, as 'ow Sir Garnet—that's the dog's name, sir—as 'ow he lights on that bit of hear in a hinstant, sir!'

"This very interesting piece of information sent such a cold chill down my back as I had seldom felt before. I did not dare to speak and beg the man to be careful, lest my agitation should cause him to make the unlucky stroke with the shears.

"I certainly did not dare to move. The man took a long time with his hair cutting, and all that time Sir Garnet eyed me keenly and hungrily from the floor, while the cold drops of perspiration were starting out on my forehead.

"Fortunately I escaped mutilation, but in my dreams for weeks I was haunted by the vision of that expectant bull terrier, watching me with his malevolent eye out for the tip of my ear. I see him in an occasional vision still, and I never expect to be quite rid of him."

Some of Cabby's Remarks.

In the matter of free and easy conversation the London Jehu has probably no equal. For shrewdness and originality his observations will compare favorably with the utterances of any other class of men. It is, however, as a street humorist that cabby displays to most advantage his natural gifts; and it is no exaggeration to say that he never misses an opportunity for turning his talent to good account.

One member of the genus was being chaffed once in regard to his baldness. "I was always bald," replied cabby. "Cos why? My mother 'ad so often to pat me on the 'ed an' say, 'Well done, Sam, my boy!' so she wore all the 'air off." Again, a 'bus horse had fallen down on the slippery asphalt in Oxford street, and for a time traffic was greatly impeded. Just then cabby came along on the off side and took the situation in at a glance. Addressing himself to the policeman in attendance, and pointing with his whip to the prostrate steed, he said, "Why don't yer take 'is name an' address, sir?"—London Tit-Bits.

A Question of History.

Quiz—I say, Sophomore, you are posted in the early Germanic history. What color was the hair of the old Germans?

Soph (pompously)—Blonde or red, of course.

Quiz—You are mistaken; the old Germans had gray hair. — Munsey's Weekly.

Correct for Once.

Western Boy—The weather prediction was right today.

Father—Was it?

Boy—Yes, sir. It said "slight changes in temperature."

Father—Humph! The thermometer has fallen a good deal, hasn't it?

Boy—No; only about six inches.—Good News.

A Ritualist.

He (Americanus)—What, you've been here in Rome a fortnight, and haven't been to the Sistine chapel yet!

She—No.

He—Care to go?

She—Yes, if it's high church. Who's the rector anyhow?—Life.

Quite Likely.

"What would have happened if Henry IV of France had not been murdered?" asked a teacher of a sharp looking boy. The prompt reply was, "He would probably have died a natural death."—Cassell's Journal.

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hestitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. F. E. Lovell, Druggist.

It is the fashion in Amsterdam to announce a broken engagement of marriage.

Catarrh of the Bladder.

I had been troubled since 1869 with Gravel and Catarrh of the Bladder. Tried several doctors, but got no relief. Finally, at the advice of E. D. W. Parsons, I was prevailed upon to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. The result was marvelous. After using a few bottles, was entirely cured. S. N. Arnold, No. 563 Plymouth avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

A syndicate has been formed at Eastham for the culture of early asparagus.

Literary Notices.

The June number of OUR LITTLE ONES, published by the Russell Publishing Company of Boston, is as sweet and fragrant as a June rose. Its stories, poetry and pictures must delight the hearts of its juvenile readers, and adults will derive pleasure from their perusal. It is bright issue of a charming little magazine.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the week ending May 23 and 30 contain The New Capvri, Talleyrand's Memoirs, Amours de Voyage, and A Celebrated Frenchwoman, A Learned Lady, Elizabeth Carter, On Quiet Rivers in Celon, and Grasse, Its Perfumes and Pictures, Henry Schliemann, and A Study of Nelson, The Bard of Olney, An April Folly, The Bee and the Wasp, with the conclusion of Eight Days, and poetry.

For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston are the publishers.

The June CENTURY presents a varied table of contents consisting of stories, sketches, accounts of travels, poetry and numerous engravings that illustrate the text and if possible add to its attractive qualities. Some of the numerous papers are: Col William Byrd of Westover, Virginia. Pensions and Socialism. General Sherman's Last Speech. Sherman. Play and Work in the Alps. In Shadow. The House with the Cross. Springtime. The Squirrel Inn II. A Summer Song. The Faith Doctor, continued. The Court of the Czar. Love and Witches. A Miner's Sunday in Coloma. Women at an English University. Law of Lynching. Gettysburg and Waterloo Parnassus by Rail. De Bugle on de Hill. Ernest L. Major, etc., etc.

The frontispiece of ST. NICHOLAS for June is The Little Lovers, a beautiful picture accompanied by a sweet poem. Then come a large number of papers fresh, bright and summery, nearly every one of which is illustrated by charming pictures drawn and executed by the best artists in the land. A few of these papers are: The Little Rovers. The Fortunes of Toby Trafford, continued (a very interesting story). A Talk About Wild Flowers. The Boy Settlers, concluded (this was the story in the early chapters of which the Man from Woburn, Mass., appeared). Grandpa's Sweetheart. The Swimming-hole stories. A Free Circus. To the Winds of June. The Second Kitten's Hunt, and many others equally bright and entertaining.

Weak Women.

The more sensitive nature of the female sex renders women much more susceptible than men to those numerous ills which spring from lack of harmony in the system. The nervous system gives way, sick headache is frequent, the appetite is lost, and other ailments peculiar to the sex cause great suffering. Hood's Sarsaparilla is peculiarly adapted for such cases, and has received the most gratifying praise for the relief it has afforded to thousands of women whose very existence before taking it was only misery. It strengthens the nerves, cures sick headache and indigestion, purifies and vitalizes the blood, and gives regular and healthy action to every organ in the body.

A Rockland man has a dime savings bank and is using it to accumulate cash with which to pay his expenses for a visit to the World's Fair at Chicago in 1892.

Everywhere you go, you are certain to hear of the wonderful virtues of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. All druggists sell it at 25 cents a bottle.

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Young Sprigg: "Mr. Bidquick, I am worth £5000, and I love your daughter." Mr. Bidquick (retired auctioneer): "Sold."

The Massachusetts total abstinence people reckon Easton and Bridgewater as among their very "cheering victories" of the spring elections.

Work will soon be begun on the Rockland-Abington electric light station. A Natick man named True will have charge of the work.

It is said that more newspapers are printed on Cape Cod in proportion to the population than any other section of Massachusetts, excepting Nantucket.

A mayflower party of 200, which visited Marshfield recently, carried off five bushels of mayflowers.

Middleboro is likely to be connected with the long distance telephone system, and the *News* is rejoicing thereat.

The business men of Whitman have petitioned the Old Colony railroad for better freight-house accommodations.

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Ways of the Badger.

Of the few animals which now inhabit the woods and the hillsides, perhaps the badger is the least known to the general public. He is nocturnal, in the first place, and his coloring, being in broken tones, does not readily arrest the eye. His head, chin and neck are white, with brownish black bands running on either side from the nose over the eyes and ears. His upper parts are light gray sprinkled with black; the lower parts brownish black; his fore feet are long and stout, his limbs muscular, his jaw powerful, and his teeth sharp; in fact, he is well set up as far as these formidable weapons are concerned.

The usual length of the animal is a little over three feet, but in his family, as well as in the human race, there are large and small individuals. Take his general appearance as he jogs along, and a small bear is at once suggested to your mind. Many of his ways, too, are bearlike; he will lie up in the winter, and eat vegetable as well as animal food. Some other creatures that are supposed to be strictly carnivorous will eat fruit when they can get it.—Popular Science Monthly.

Too Much Apathy.

Couldock's company was once barn storming through Virginia. It was at Petersburg, and the play was "The Chimney Corner." All through the audience sat in distressing silence, neither laughing nor shedding a tear, although "The Chimney Corner" abounds with humor and pathos, and the company then producing it was of great merit for those times. Couldock appeared to pay no attention to the apathy of his audience until just at the close of the performance. The concluding lines of the play are somewhat to this effect: "You, John, are happy, and so are you, Ellen; so am I, and so are we all. Let us hope that our friends the public share our happiness."

But to the surprise of everybody Couldock fell into a towering passion when he reached these lines, and in thundering tones he said, "You, John, are happy, and so are you, Ellen; so am I, and so are we all except the fools that have been sitting like stoughton bottles in front of the footlights to night!"—San Francisco Argonaut.

Most Arrivals Belong Here.

The men who keep the records at the barge office say that at least 80 per cent. of the arrivals from Europe represent people who live in this country—that is, that not more than 20,000 people during 1890 arrived in New York who did not live here, or who were not returning to their homes.

Furthermore it should be noted that New York has become to so great a degree the port to which transatlantic business tends that not more than 15 per cent. of either immigrants or cabin passengers land at any other port. A few go to Boston or Philadelphia or Baltimore, and a few come in via Quebec and the northern border, but the figures at New York really represent the volume of passenger traffic.—John H. Gould in Scribner's.

Meteors in Mexico.

In an account of Mexican meteorites Mr. L. Fletcher, an English mineralogist, describes fourteen huge masses of iron which have been found within a small section of country. The largest has the form of a beehive, rises four feet above the ground, and is five feet in diameter at the surface of the soil, beneath which it extends to unknown depths. The second mass, estimated to weigh 4,000 pounds, is now in the National museum at Washington. The Butcher masses number eight pieces, weighing from 290 pounds to 650 pounds, and having a total weight of 4,000 pounds. The Sanchez estate mass weighs 252 pounds, and the Fort Duncan mass 97 1-4 pounds. The greatest dispersion is sixty-six miles.—New York Telegram.

Sleeping Under the Snow.

The case of Mrs. Elizabeth Woodcock, who survived long burial under snow, may be known to many readers. This woman, forty-two years of age, of Impington, a village three miles north of Cambridge, lost her way in returning home from market on Saturday evening, Feb. 2, 1799, and was buried seven feet deep in the snow. In this state she continued eight nights and eight days, when she was dug out alive on Sunday, Feb. 10. She retained the full possession of her senses all the while she was immured. She died July 24, 1799.—Leisure Hours.

A Girl's Way of Walking.

The pretty girl is as self conscious in her walk as the self made man. She goes like one on parade—slowly, too, with a peacock's grace—putting one tiny, well shod foot in front of the other, as much that you and I may see it as that it may thereby help her some eighteen inches upon her way. And yet it is possible enough that by and by she may be as demure and self unconscious as the little old lady yonder, and like her may strive rather to escape notice with a veil than care to be the cynosure of all men's eyes.—All the Year Round.

Their Worst Feature.

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Herring has been so plentiful in Taunton river lately that they filled the fish boxes in the stream full, and it was impossible for them to crowd up any faster.

A couple at North Anson, Me., were married in church just before the services on a recent Sabbath and at once went into the choir and assisted in the singing.

Professor of Geometry—"Mr. Bright, what is the shortest line between two points?" Mr. Bright—"A railroad line on its own maps."

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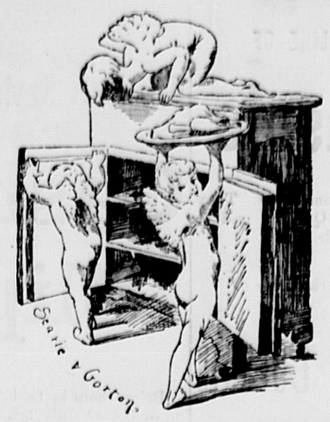

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UNCLE FLAXLEY'S HOBBY.

BY ALLEN FORREST GRANES

The white, vertical light of a February day shone down through the skylight of Julian Dover's studio, its pitiless brightness bringing out every layer of dust on the Venetian red draperies, every spot and stain on the much benicked walls.

The lay figure was doubled up in a most impossible attitude against a big chair, covered with cotton velvet and cheap gilt fringe; a bunch of faded roses, in an old "crackle" vase, hung limply down, and Mr. Dover, in a shabby plum-colored velvet coat, and a Turkish fez perched jauntily on one side of his handsome head, was painting desperately away, intent on economizing every second of the precious winter daylight.

"Oh, the deuce!" he exclaimed, abruptly. "What made you jump so, Clarie? A man don't want the current of his ides disturbed just when—"

The model lifted her large, wine-brown eyes to his face, with a deprecatory smile.

"I hear Kitty Flaxley outside," said she.

"Outside she must stay, then!" remarkeed Mr. Dover, frowning at his palette. "I can't be interrupted; every minute is a lump of gold. Wait!" he roared, as a gentle rapping sounded on the door. "Clarie is posing for me!"

And then one perceived a slight, graceful figure in a coarse lilac cotton gown, and a striped handkerchief carelessly twisted around her rich brown locks leaning in an artistic attitude against a window-sash studded with many small panes that was supported between two standards.

Her fingers were intertwined in her hair; her elbows rested on the sill, where a coarse flower-pot or two were ranged.

She was not Mrs. Julian Dover for the time being for the time being; she was "The Fisherman's wife," destined by good luck and the grace of the hanging committee to figure in the forth coming spring exhibition.

"Oh, Julian, I am so tired!" she pleaded. "Every bone in me is cramped. Mayn't I rest?"

"You've no idea of true art," said Julian, slowly. "You haven't posed half an hour yet."

"I'm so sorry; but—"

"Jump, then!" said the painter—for the first time realizing how pale and worn the delicate, oval face was. "I suppose I can be putting in the distant sea while you gossip with your Kitty."

He caught her hand as she skipped past him, and kissed her—a kiss which was a rich reward for all the cramp and weariness she had endured—and she ran out to the hall, tugging as she went to remove the knotted red silk neckerchief which supplied an element of warm color to the picture.

There stood her quondum schoolmate, Kitty Flaxley, with cheery lips and sparkling eyes.

"Oh, Claire, how odd you look!" said she.

"Yes," said Mrs. Dover, composedly. "I'm 'The Fisherman's Wife.' Every bone in me is a separate pain, with sitting so long watching for my husband's boat."

Both laughed; and then the artist's wife led Miss Flaxley into the studio, where Julian nodded a pleasant salutation to her.

"You won't expect me to stop working?" said he.

"Of course not!" said Kitty. "It's work that I've come to talk about. Such news as I've got! The family fortunes are all made. Our Uncle Flaxley came home yesterday. That is, he isn't our uncle—he's only a sort of cousin; but mamma naturally wants to make the relationship as near as possible; so we are all instructed to call him uncle."

"And who is Uncle Flaxley?"

"That's just it," said Kitty, laughing. "He went to the South Sea Islands, thirty years ago, and took no notice at all of his exit except to say something about good riddance to bad rubbish. He comes back, and you would think him a canonized saint. Nothing is good enough for him."

"Oh!" said Dover. "He's made money?"

"Exactly," nodded Kitty. "But he's the oddest old fish—a little, dried-up, parchment-faced man, who goes about finding fault with everything and everybody, and promulgating the most outlandish theories that ever were heard of. The first thing he did was to upset all our family traditions. You know, Claire, how mamma has brought us up—like the lilies of the field, that toil not, neither do they spin? Now, we are each of us to learn a trade. I'm going into dress-making!"

"Impossible!" cried the artist's wife.

"Theodora is going to tackle art embroidery. Constantine says she hasn't decided yet between telegraphy and typewriting. Oh, you may well look amazed! It's all Uncle Flaxley. He says he'll give us a thousand dollars apiece when we've each learned a real, bread-winning, practical trade. He says it's what every woman ought to do. Dora wants to get a thousand dollars to get herself a stunning set of diamonds. Con would like to go to Canada with the Trelawneys next year and I—don't tell anyone, please, Claire and Julian—but I shall give mine to Rembrandt Alison, so that he can go to Paris and study in the Louvre."

"Good!" cried Julian Dover. "Then it's really true that you are engaged? Kitty, Kitty, an artist's wife is a first class martyr!"

"An artist's wife is the happiest creature in the world, Kitty?" counter asserted Claire, her soft eyes lighted up with love. "A thousand dollars! Oh, I wish I could make a thousand dollars!"

"I'm going down town every day to learn the Graftenburgh system," said Kitty. "I shall have to work three long, endless months before they give me a diploma; but I shall have something to work for, don't you see? And now goodby! I'm off for Graftenburgh's!"

Uncle Elimelech Flaxley walked around the house of his cousin's widow, with his hands hooked under his coat-tails, and his blue spectacles balanced on the bridge of his nose, peering into everything, and finding fault with everything.

Mrs. Peter Flaxley smiled at all his comments. In her eyes his conduct was perfect.

"What!" Uncle Flaxley had cried, "three girls, and not one of 'em taught to earn her living! That's no way to bring up a family, sister Annabel. Every woman should have a trade. Every woman should be able to support herself the same as if she were a man.

This was Uncle Flaxley's hobby. He trotted it out, he bridled it and saddled it and rode it perpetually, and the upshot of it was that the thousand dollar proposition was made and promptly accepted by his three neices.

"It's dreadful!" sighed Mrs. Flaxley; "but of course it is our interest to consult your uncle's wishes in every respect."

"I've always thought I should like to learn dressmaking," said Kitty. "One could clothe one's self at half the expense. And then a thousand dollars all of one's own—think of it."

"I know ever so many nice girls who do type-writing," said Constantine, a tall, willowy girl, with yellow hair and pallid skin. "If one must have a trade I believe there's nothing more genteel."

But Theodora, the beauty of the Flaxley family, turned up her nose.

"Such an absurd idea of Uncle Flaxley's!" said she. "I'm a tolerably decent embroiderer already, and if the woman's exchange accepts a piece of my work, I suppose the old crank will recognize it as a token of being an expert in that particular trade!"

And as she shut herself up with silks and satins and several dozen ounces of rainbow-colored filoselle and crewels, to design a pattern which should take the world of tapestry by storm.

Kitty wrestled bravely with the technicalities of the Graftenburgh system. Constantina worked diligently at the clicking marvel of the nineteenth century. Theodora was the first to look back from the plow-handles.

"I hate it!" said she, pettishly. "I can't make anything out of it! Such wooden-loooking things as my cat-tails and storks are! I mean to go and see Philomel Alison about it."

Young Rembrandt Alison's studio was far smaller and less picturesque than that of his compeer, Julian Dover.

He slept on a sofa under the window of nights, and his sister Philomel, who kept house for him on the most economical principles, occupied a three-cornered closet at the rear, which she called a bedroom, and which, besides the cot-bed, held exactly two band-boxes, and a chair with a wash-bowl and pitcher on it.

She was a skilled embroiderer, and worked her finger-ends off, while her brother, rapt it visions of Titian and Buonarotti, stood before his canvas.

"Children, you work too hard, both of you," said a little old, yellow-complexioned man, who had once known their father on the Mexican frontier, and who came occasionally to the studio, and viewed them with not unkindly eyes.

"It's work or starve, sir," said Alison, with a short laugh.

"What do you ask for this picture?" abruptly questioned Mr. Flaxley.

"Two hundred dollars—when it is finished."

"Tut, tut!" said the old man. "Too much! Two hundred dollars for a bit of canvas eighteen inches square?"

"It's not a mere bit of canvas," said Alison, coloring up; "it's my brains—my ideas—the visions I see nightly in my sleep."

"I'll give you fifty dollars for it," hazarded the yellow-complexioned man.

"I couldn't possibly sell it for that."

"Humph! humph!" snorted Flaxley. "The next I know. Philly here will be wanting to sell her bit of brown-and-yellow needlework for two hundred dollars, too?"

Philomel looked gravely up from her work.

"No," she said. "I'm to receive fifty dollars for it. It is an order."

"What is the world coming to?" cried Mr. Flaxley. "People must be aching to spend their money. What is the thing, anyhow—ducks paddling in a pond?"

Philomel shook her head.

"Herons," said she, "in a marsh full of reeds and rushes. Those lines of yellow silk—see?—are where the sunshine strikes the water.

Flaxley peered dubiously at the mass of bright colors.

"One has to exercise considerable imagination," said he.

"I wonder," said Philomel to her brother, after the fussy little visitor was gone, "if I ought to have told him that I was doing this work for his niece in Redcliffe street?"

"Speech is silver, silence is golden," said Rembrandt Alison, mechanically. "It's always best not to talk. Do you think, Phil, I've got the red too deep in this peasant's jacket?"

Mr. Flaxley, making his way home, thought of the studio he had just left, with a softening of the heart.

"They are nice children," he pondered. "Their father was a nice man. He took me into his ranch and cured me that time I had the gulley fever. I might have died if it hadn't been for him."

Time passed on; the three months expired. Constantia copied some letters for her uncle on a typewriter with such skill and rapidity that he wrote out his check for a thousand dollars on the spot.

Kitty showed him her diploma from Graftenburgh & Co., and prondly called his attention to a trimly-fitting dress that she wore.

A second time Uncle Flaxley inscribed his autograph on an oblong slip of pale-green paper, and then Theodora unrolled a banner of dark-olive satin, glistening with rich embroidery.

"It has just been sold at the woman's exchange," said she, "for a hundred and ten dollars. Here's the receipt.

Uncle Flaxley pricked up his feather-like ears; he stared very hard through his spectacles.

"Your work?" said he.

"My work!" repeated Theodora, with dignity.

"No, it isn't!" curtly contradicted Mr. Flaxley, whose forte was not conventional repose. "I've seen those ducks and marsh-grasses before! I saw them when Philomel Alison was working them. Young woman, you have deceived me."

Theodora turned scarlet. The suddenness of his contradiction had stricken her guilty soul dumb.

"No thousand-dollar check for you," said Mr. Flaxley. "Go and say your prayers and read over the Ten Commandments, where it says, 'Thou shalt not steal!' For you are a thief!"

He had scarcely overcome his wrath against this backsliding relative when he trotted around to Rembrandt Alison's studio the next day.

"I can't get that young fellow's wistful face out of my mind," thought he. "I guess I'll buy the eighteen-inch square of canvas after all."

He stood wiping his boots on the mat in the studio vestibule, and plainly heard Kitty's voice saying:

"Do take it, Rembrandt! I've earned it myself. It's mine to give, and I've no possible use for it. I thought of you all the time, and I do so want you to go to Paris and study in the Louvre!"

Uncle Flaxley pushed the door open with a bang and walked in, regardless of etiquette.

"Yes, take it, Alison," said he—"take it in the spirit that she gives it. She's a trump, that girl is!"

Rembrandt Alison looked at Kitty's scarlet face with grave, searching eyes. "I will take it," said he, "if Kitty will give me herself, also. There can be no crushing sense of obligation where love bridges the way."

"I'll give her to you," said Uncle Flaxley, boldly pushing Kitty forward. "Things are happening just to suit me."

"Me also," said Philomel, in a whisper, her pale face lighted up with joy.

"Here!" said Uncle Flaxley; "what's the price of this picture—and this—and this? I'll buy 'em all! Gracious me! if you're really going to Paris, there's no reason Kitty shouldn't go, too, on her wedding trip."

Of all Uncle Flaxley's eccentricities, this was the most delightful. Kitty had a long story to tell Julian Dover and Claire, in their studio across the hall, that day.

"It will be such a glorious thing," cried Claire, still enacting "The Fisherman's Wife," "for you to marry an artist!"

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Signs of Death.

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One of the patients died the next day, and the other poor fated ones resuscitated the little spark of hope which feebly flickered previous to the advent of the little bird, thinking, probably, that as one had succumbed they had some chance of regaining their health. —Interview in Chicago News.

Cultivating Disease.

The internal organs do not want to be thought about. A man's stomach is healthy when he doesn't know he has one. When we are conscious of the existence of any internal organ that organ is sick. The internal machinery was intended to do its work unconsciously. When we begin to think about our stomachs digestion is arrested. John Hunter said he got gout by thinking of his great toe. A man who sits at the table wondering if baked potatoes will agree with him, and whether fruits and vegetables are a good combination, is in a fair way to have trouble with the simplest kind of food. Thinking about the internal organs gets them in a sort of stage fright, and they are powerless.—Good Health.

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Of the inseparables in printing are the errors in spelling and punctuation. Repeated revision is no guard against misplacing a type, which often produces amusing blunders. Sometimes a single letter is of the utmost importance. Once a printer in putting to press a form of the "Book of Common Prayer" dropped a "c," which made the passage read, "We shall be hanged in a twinkling of an eye," instead of "changed."—Providence Journal.

In the case of poisons, vomiting should be the first thing looked out for and encouraged. Don't look for clean water—the more repulsive the water the better the result. Mustard and soap and water are both good. Milk is one of the best of antidotes and coffee is the next best.

Bismarck's bedroom contains only three pieces of furniture—an enormous wash hand stand, a small camp bedstead and a bootjack. There used to be a couple of hair brushes. "Take them away," said the prince a few years ago; "a towel will do to part my hair nowadays."

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Earlier than last year the Legislature of 1891 adjourned on last Thursday week without day.

Less croaking has been indulged in towards it than towards any of its predecessors for some time. The most exacting have been able to find but little in what the body did to call for adverse criticism.

From the JOURNAL'S point of view a few things went wrong, and only a few. Generally the legislation was good and wholesome. No Legislature has yet found the secret for pleasing everybody.

There were a few cheap specimens of humanity in the Court, and some probably who would sell their votes every time they got a chance. Neither class were numerous, and not many of them will find their way back into the next Legislature.

That the late General Court did a great deal of good work cannot be successfully controverted. That a few things were done and a few left undone that ought to have been differently treated is equally true.

Take it by and large it is not very often that Massachusetts has a more profitable General Court than the last one.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

City—Water Notice.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
Patten & Son—Ice cream.
J. G. Maguire—Tax Sale.
J. G. Maguire—Admin. Sale.
Van B. & D. Co.—"Go West."
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Job Work.

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— Baseball is not in a very flourishing state here.

— Read baby carriage notice in another column.

— It begins to look lively again at Dow's tannery.

— The Mishawum Club outed at Lincoln on the 17th.

— Supt. Crilley is having the reservoir cleaned out.

— W. H. Cummings is improving his premises on Beach st.

— Ex-Ald. Ramsdell has gone to Tennessee on a business trip.

— The "Glorious Fourth" comes in just two weeks from tomorrow.

— Col. Henry Hayes is beautifying his handsome residence on Main street.

— Mr. W. P. Fox has refitted his leather factory with several new machines.

— Read the card "Wanted" in this paper. It is a fine job for the right kind of a man.

— Supt. Jones has completed a fine piece of macadam on Main st. near the JOURNAL office.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bonelli will go to their summer home at Asbury Grove on the 27 inst.

— The summer vacation is close at hand. Where will the all the Woburn people go to enjoy it?

— Louie White is putting his hair dressing rooms into fine summer style. They look neat and inviting.

— The High School class in physical culture gave an interesting exhibition of their proficiency yesterday.

— At 1 P. M. last Monday it was 97 in the shade. The Saturday and Sunday preceding had been hot.

— Hon. E. D. Hayden drives his horses without checkrein. "A merciful man is merciful to his beast."

— Dr. Chalmers has been enjoying a well earned vacation this week, and also attending a Medical Convention.

— Rev. H. Montgomery addressed the Methodist Social Union in Berkeley Hall, Boston, last Monday evening on temperance.

— There are gypsies about the country. They look as though the romance had been pretty thoroughly knocked out of them.

— Mr. Fred. A. Hartwell celebrated the 50th anniversary of his birthday last Saturday by indulging in 9 or 11 cents worth of candy.

— It wouldn't be a bad plan for the readers of the JOURNAL to glance over Van Brunt & Davis Co's. Horicon, Wis., card in this paper. Try it.

— The career of a protracted and pretty severe drouth was put a period to at 11.30 Wednesday night by a soaking rain which lasted well into yesterday.

— Sec'y Lewis's notices induced a fair attendance of members at the Board of Trade meeting last Tuesday evening. The business brought before the session was important.

— Mr. John Bacon has done a fine business with his carpet cleaner at Buel's Court this season, and still has orders on hand. His work is heartily approved by the housewives of this city and vicinity.

— "Davie" Cunio and Crowe, his partner, have just opened some of the most lucious California cherries that ever tickled the palate of man. Cunio & Crowe keep all kinds of the best fruit that grows and sell cheap.

— The Eaton lot is just the one needed for the C. S. schoolhouse whether the School Board were consulted or not. In less than 3 years hence everybody will see the wisdom of buying it. To build on the Eaton lot is just what will relieve the pressure on the No. Woburn School building, which would have to be enlarged in a very short time if the Central Square house were set further south. It is all right, gentlemen.

— While playing ball at Lincoln on the 17th, Mr. Eustace Smith of this city broke one of his legs. Fortunately Dr. Harry Blake was on the grounds and Mr. Smith was promptly and properly cared for, and came home in the evening.

— We call particular attention to S. H. Patten & Son's ice cream notice in this paper. Patten has been for years a popular Old Orchard purveyor of the toothsome cream and therefore knows just how to do it. Read the card of the firm.

— By referring to our advertising columns it will be seen that Clerk Barrett of the Water Board gives the people fair warning of what the consequences to them will be if they keep on wasting water as recklessly as they have for a week or two past.

— Mr. Thomas Heartz, a most excellent gentleman for the responsible place, has been given charge of the Y. M. C. A. Rooms, and is to be found at his post of duty every evening in the week. It is expected that a General Secretary will be permanently employed in the coming autumn.

— Cool drinks are the order of the day and singularly apropos of the subject is the announcement of Fitz & Stanley in this paper. They have some of the most popular summer beverages that are sold, and they are just as recommended every time. Sugar for 5 cents per lb. at the Boston Branch.

— The women directors of the Industrial School talk of establishing cooking classes for the instruction of misses in the culinary arts. If they teach the pupils personally it will probably be all right; but if professional cooks are to be employed good-bye health and happiness in this old burgh.

— The inhuman critter who was seen coming up street with a performing bear last Tuesday morning when the heat was 95 in the shade, and insisted on putting the poor suffering animal through his tricks, ought to have been taken in charge by the police and severely handled. The bear was the best man of the two.

— It should have been stated that the Woburn Equal Suffrage League voted to have "The Higher Education of Woman," the title of an address delivered by Miss Jennie Skinner before the League on June 1, published in the local papers and that it appeared in the JOURNAL in pursuance of said vote and not by any instrumentality of Miss Skinner.

— About 25 employees of the B. & M. RR., So. Div.,—engineers, firemen, conductors, baggagemen, etc., who now reside here, will move to Wilmington with their families when this city ceases to be the point for making up and starting suburban trains, which will be in a week or two. They are a kind of people that our city can't very well afford to lose.

— The Golden Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wright of No. 38 Kilby street last week was a very pleasant affair. Mr. Wright is one of the oldest persons in this city; one of the most upright; and he and his bride of 50 years ago have the love and esteem of hosts of good friends in this city and elsewhere. Long may they live to enjoy the fruits of an industrious and well spent life.

— At the regular monthly meeting of the Co-operative Bank held last week $7,000 was sold at 15, 10, and 5 cents premium per share, and as much more would have found a ready market if it had been on hand. All of next month's sales have been bespoken and it is nearly all wanted for building purposes. The Bank has now a little over $75,000 in real estate. It is a solid money institution.

— J. M. Ellis & Son are putting in the foundation for Coombs & Brown's new machine shop on Park st. The piles which were driven on which to build the foundation have been doing service in Boston Harbor for over 40 years and yet they are as sound as on the day they were taken from the forests. The Ellises propose to put in a foundation for the shop that will stand as long as time endures.

— Inside of a week there have been two notable celebrations in this city. The first one was that of Miss Avis Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hill of No. 3 Prospect street, of the young lady's sixth birthday anniversary which occurred on the 13th instant; and the other was that of Miss Christine Kelley, daughter of Dr. S. W. Kelley, on the 17th, that date being the sixth anniversary of her natal day also. Each received many beautiful presents from relatives and friends, over which they were very happy.

— The Woburn Press Association returned last Wednesday from a pleasant canoe trip on the Merrimac River. One of them wanted to come back via Salisbury Beach, Cape Ann, Marblehead Neck and Boston Harbor in the canoe, but the other one had had all the water in his that he wanted and perferred the overland route. Being the more athletic of the two gentlemen who constitute the Association his preference prevailed, and a horse was chartered to take their craft to Woburn, where it arrived unharmed in due time.

— Last Sunday the babies of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Prior, and Mr. and Mrs. John M. Portelle, were baptised by Pastor March at the First Congregational Church in this city. Mr. E. E. Thompson conducted the parents with their little ones to the font. This font was a basin belonging to Mrs. Charles A. Smith, grandmother of Mr. and Mrs. Cummings's babe, to whom it descended as an heirloom and is sacredly preserved. But the curious thing about it is that the greatgrandfather of the little Cummings babe—Mrs. Smith's father—Mr. John M. Robertson—was baptized from this same bowl just 100 years ago, at Savannah, Georgia. It has been kept in the family ever since. This was a remarkable incident of the last Sunday's baptism, and more worthy than a great many items that get into the papers are of a special notice. How old the bowl is no person living knows, but that it should serve for the baptism of an infant in 1791, and in 1891 should serve the same purpose for that infant's greatgrandchild, is something that does not happen in every family, or every day.

— Uncle Levi C. Teel of Cambridge st., is not far from 80 years old, one way or the other, and yet he carries one of the youngest hearts under his waistcoat that can be found in Woburn. He can beat the most of them in raising 17th of June peas too, and last Tuesday he hauled into the barn his first load of the present haying season. Mr. Teel and the good wife are carrying on the farm without help this year and they are getting on famously. By the kindness of these two excellent people the JOURNAL Editor and his family enjoyed the extreme filicity of dining on green peas on the 17th of June (Battle of Bunker Hill Day), as every well-regulated Yankee is bound to do if he can, and we assure our good Cambridge street friends that the eating of them was hugely enjoyed. Uncle Levi sent the delicious vegetables by DeLoriea with Durward Jr's. delivery wagon, and the JOURNAL folks did the feasting. Many thanks for the same.

— Everybody in Woburn will want to buy and read next week's JOURNAL. Then they will want to preserve it. It will contain an elaborate article entitled "Weather Legends of Woburn," which will be a compilation of all the old sayings, signs, saws, etc., once (and to some extent now) current among our people and more or less powerful in shaping their conduct in reference to weather. The paper has been carefully prepared by Judge Converse who has expended much time and research on it. It is a valuable contribution to the meteorological literature of the past 50 or 75 years. The account which our valued contributor "C." gives of a Democratic celebration in Woburn in 1840 is an interesting piece of local history in the perusal of which many elderly people among us will delight. The JOURNAL is famous for getting up and giving its readers just such queer, odd, attractive bits of reading, and nearly every issue contains something about Woburn that makes it worth carefully preserving.

— The St. Charles C. T. A. Society were the guests of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Society at St. Charles Hall on last Tuesday evening and were given an exceedingly happy reception. The young ladies carried through a pleasing programme in fine shape and the gentlemen enjoyed it highly. The literary and musical part of it consisted of a neat Address of Welcome by the President, Miss Kate McEleney; Piano duet by Misses Annie and Lizzie Calnan; Song by Miss Mattie Gillespie; Piano solo, Miss Mary McEleney; Song by Mr. Patrick McEleney; Song, "If the Waters Could Speak as they Flow," by Mr. Thomas Feeney, who responded to an imperative encore with "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep" in a manner that brought down the house; Recitation by Miss Kate Looby; Song by Miss Esther Fitzgerald; Song by Mr. Dennis Begley, President of the St. Charles, who also gave a short address. At 10 o'clock cake and ice cream, furnished by Gordon the caterer, were passed around and greatly enjoyed by the merry company, and by no one more than by Rev. Fr. Slattery of the St. Charles church, to whom the prosperity of the Total Abstinence Society and Auxiliary is very dear. He participated in the pleasant affair with keen zest and took as much delight in the entertainment as any of them. After lunch an hour or two was devoted to dancing, for which excellent music was furnished. Of the company six, at least, were graduates of the JOURNAL office, namely: Thomas J. Feeney, Margaret M. McKay, Abbie A. McSweeney, M. Joseph Mathews, Kate J. Looby, and Nellie Fitzgerald, which is one reason why the JOURNAL takes more than ordinary interest in the two organizations.

Case—Hutchings.

It was a quiet but very pretty wedding which occured at the residence of Dr. Hutchings last Monday evening by which were united Mr. WALTER W. CASE of Greenville, Penn., and Miss ALICE I. HUTCHINGS, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George H. Hutchings of this city.

Friends of the bride sent loads of beautiful flowers and daisies by which the house was profusely decorated. The large canopy of daisies, under which the pair was married, was as unique in design as it was beautiful.

Mr. L. Benton Lang of Brookville, Penn., was best man, and Miss Mattie Fosdick of this city was bridesmaid.

Rev. Daniel D. Winn performed the ceremony, and Miss Mertena Bancroft, presiding at the piano, played the "Wedding March."

The happy pair started on a bridal trip to the White Mountain region on Tuesday.

Hot Weather.

At 6 a. m. June 17, closed a term of the hottest weather that has been experienced in Eastern Massachusetts for a great many years. At some hour during each of the previous 10 days or more the heat measuring machine had registered 85 degrees in the shade, but towards the end of the term the mercury shot away above that figure and stuck to it day and night.

A week ago yesterday was a scorcher, or rather, on account of the unusual amount of hot water in the air, it should be denominated a boiler, and some tough ones followed. Parts of Sunday were so melting that the sight of sleeping people in the churches was not at all uncommon or surprising. But what shall we write of Monday! As soon as he appeared above the eastern hills it was plain enough to be seen that Old Sol was on the rampage. He made it hotter and hotter for us until 2.30 p. m. when it was from 97 to 100 in the shade, according to locality.

And such a night as followed! Never before within the memory of the Oldest Inhabitant was there any such heat through the night as on that one. Sleep was entirely out of the question: instead of repose it was a question of living until morning.

But Tuesday was worse still. Thermometers saw Monday's figures and went them several degrees better, and then we all thought that that was the end of us sure. The night that followed the terrible day was hotter and worse to bear than that of Monday.

At 6 a. m. Wednesday the wind changed into the East in the twinkling of an eye; it came straight from old ocean; a grateful seaturn accompanied it; by 10 a. m. it was cold enough for ulsters; and towards night a much needed and very refreshing rain set in, and once again everything "was lovely, and the goose" etc.

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Report of Address

Delivered before the M. E. Sunday School, on Children's Day, June 14, 1891,

BY HUGH MONTGOMERY.

The legalized saloon breeds profanity in our streets, for the men and women who drink are profane. These men and women make up homes where children in large numbers breathe nothing but indecent and profane language. These carry this deadly influence not only in the streets but also into the Public School and on their way to and from school our children from decent homes are obliged to meet these contaminating influences. For this reason, I have deemed it wise to try to guard this Sabbath School against the sin of profanity.

Subject. Profanity: "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain." Ex. xx-7.

Our text is one of the commandments given with such solemnity by Jehovah to Moses on Sinai. It is a commandment frequently referred to in other parts of the Bible. It is one of universal and everlasting obligations. It is an address made to all mankind; its violation is an act of guilt; we can do nothing that is any more offensive to God. This third commandment forbids us to take the name of the Lord our God in vain. It forbids all rash and unlawful vows such as relate to things uncertain and impracticable. But perjury is the capital transgression, for by it men appealed to the heart-searching God for the truth of what they testify or assert, or for their sincerity in what they engage to do, when they do not know the truth of the one, and are insincere in the other. This is one of the most provoking crimes imaginable, though very common among us. The laws of our land require every man who accepts an office to take a solemn oath that he will do his duty faithfully.

It's a fearful thing for a man to fail to do his duty under such a solemn oath. Often have the guilty been screened, and the innocent ruined, by these kind of men. It is very common to hear men calling on God's name to curse themselves or others. How frequently do we hear men use language of the most profligate character, and associating the name of God with the oath of the most horrible discription. How many well meaning persons err by referring to God in common conversation, and using such expressions as "the Lord knows," without any reverence. We almost fear to illustrate this but it ought to be clearly understood. "God knows." "By the help of God." "As sure as God is in Heaven." "God help you." "God bless you." These are common expressions. So we see this is a common sin among nearly all classes. It is one of our national vices. God's dear children should be very careful to keep this third commandment. There are but few sins that harden a boy's heart more than the sin of swearing. Persons cannot practice swearing for any length of time without showing it in their faces. Their faces become hard and rough. Their eyes become wicked and fiery in appearance, and they soon begin to seem to those that see and hear them blaspheming, like children of the Evil One. This sin is generally associated with lying. Boys who swear will lie, and most of those who are liars are profane. They are working for the devil without pay, and so far as this world is concerned it is a dead loss, and very few men will have a boy about their house that will swear, or girls either.

Children that fall into this habit of using God's name in vain are despised by all good people, not only because it is so horrid a sin itself but because it is so mixed with other sins and vices. No good man wants children like them with him. And if any of my little hearers this morning are guilty of this awful sin against God, I beseech them to stop it at once.

So, my dear children, when you pray you must be sincere, and remember that you are coming to God who can look into your hearts and see whether you are asking for the things you really need, and you must read the Bible with the same spirit. You must read the Bible as a man shut up for some crime in prison. Now if the Governor should write a letter and tell him how to get his liberty, you could imagine how he would read it. We are here in a world that is full of sin and danger, and God has written very plainly how we may escape them all at last. So we ought to read with a great deal of reverence. I have known some boys, and even men, to tell profane stories where the name of the Lord is taken in vain and think they are smart in doing this way. Too many, even of good men, sin in this way. But I am afraid that many of my little hearers break this commandment in singing those beautiful hymns in which the name of the Lord Jesus Christ is so often used, while they do not feel what they sing and are perhaps looking about laughing. Now, all such are guilty of taking God's name in vain, and unless we repent of our sins, on this line. God will not take us to Heaven. Give unto the Lord the Glory due unto his name. Never use his name in the same way you would the name of a man or woman. But always think how sinful it is to trifle with this Great God which made you, and could crush you in a moment. Perhaps no other sin has been so uniformly condemned by all good men as profane swearing. It strikes at the root of all reverence for religion. How can God be esteemed and venerated, if we use his name profanely?

There can be no fear of God, no dread of his wrath, no awe of his majesty, no regard for his authority. Again profanity curses society, it blights every lovely thing, it is fearful in its effects on the young who soon catch the spirit and imitate what they hear. It is as indecent as it is vile, an insult to every educated and right principaled member of society. I believe there is no vice which excludes all excellency, and opens the flood-gates to all vileness and hardness of heart more than this. It has brought down the wrath of God. Because of swearing the land mourneth." To blaspheme God's name is a capital offence under law. If you turn to the 24th chapter of Leviticus you will see how God cursed those who blasphemed his name. And very often instant judgment has fallen upon perjurers. A man in a village in Scotland who competed with others in the use of the most horrid oaths was smitten with the swelling of the tongne, so that he could not draw it into his mouth, and died in three days. I have read of a boy who became very profane and all caution and reproofs made him worse. But when he was 19 years old he died and forthree weeks before his death he lay cursing his pains and the good Being who sent them on him His oaths and blasphemes were so awful that few could enter his room and the evening he died he said the devils were tearing his heart out. So dreadful was the scene that every one had to leave the room and let him die alone. I have read of another boy who was turned out of the Sabbath school on account of profanity. He swore he would catch a squirrel that he saw in the tree. He climbed up the tree after it, fell and broke his neck and never spoke again Was not this an awful way to die?

It is no mark of a gentleman to swear. The most worthless and vile of mankind do it; the drunkard and the prostitute swear. Profane swearing never did any man any good. No man is the richer or wiser or happier for it. It helps no ones education or manners. It is disgusting to the refined, abominable to the good, degrading to the mind, unprofitable, needless and injurious to all. It is an awful thing to curse and swear and blaspheme the name of God. A few years ago a wicked man went to the field to make hay while his family attended church. There came up a shower at which he became very angry. It lightened and thundered at which he swore. Again it lightened in a most terrific manner and he began to curse the Lord. Then a third flash broke from the thunder cloud, knocked him senseless to the ground and burned his mouth in a terrible manner, so that it skinned his throat. Yet the Lord permitted him to live. This was about eleven o'clock, and about four in the afternoon he was able to crawl down to his house and tell about his narrow escape from the awful death. From that hour he heartily repented of his wickedness, sought the Lord with all his heart and became a christian. It was indeed a great mercy that he was spared It is true that all profane swearers do not die in this way, but it is true if you die a swearer you can never enter the kingdom of Heaven. The Lord said to the Israelites, "If you wilt not observe the words of this law that are written in this book, the Lord thy God, than the Lord thy God will make thy plagues wonderful." Deu. 28, 58, 59.

George Washington in giving orders to his army exhorted them not to swear and said, "we can have but little hope of the blessings of Heaven on our arms, if we insult God by our impiety and folly." And further, "It is a vice so mean and low that every man of sense and character despise it." Heaven cannot be inhabited by the profane. Hell must be their portion and even there I doubt if the swearer can find a fallen angel as vile as himself.

APPLICATION

Guard your lips, watch against the rising of your heart, pray for God's holy spirit to change your soul. You must become a new creature if you would guard against swearing. The divine grace is promised to every one that asketh grace to save from sin. Whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved. Now, my dear children, promise God that you will never take his name in vain by swearing; that you will never use the Holy name of God in any light, trifling conversation, nor in any way be guilty of breaking this commandment. May God save you from this awful sin is my earnest prayer.

Children's Day.

Last Sunday was what has in recent years become known and observed as Children's Day by the churches and so far as this city was concerned it was appropriately kept. The productions of the pastors on the occasion are expected to be adapted to juvenile understanding, intellectual wants, and deserts; the music is selected with a view to its fitness for the day and occasion; the Sunday School Superintendent and teachers plan their work after the same pattern; and it is all taken up and carried out for the welfare of the young people.

At the First Congregational church was held the 73d anniversary of the establishment of the Sunday School in connection with Children's Day, and the services, which began at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, were very interesting.

The church was very prettily decorated. There was a floral wicket at the foot of each flight of gallery stairs leading from the sides of the pulpit, which beautifully represented "Gates Ajar;" back of the altar "Children's Day," made of violets, was suspended; the floor in front of the pulpit was covered with plants and flowers; the whole presenting an attractive appearance.

Organist Clarke played quite a number of pieces in unison with the character of the exercises which no one with sense for music could find himself unmoved by grateful emotions, for Mr. Clarke is a complete master of the organ. We should fail to do full descriptive justice to this celebration did the very fine cornet playing by W. W. Crosby fail to receive particular attention from our pencil. It was equal to the best efforts of many professionals, and pleased the music loving part of the audience exceedingly. The singing too was excellent. The number of spectators present was very large, and the S. S. pupils were in the best of preparation for the proper discharge of their various parts. The following programme was in substance and nearly every particular carried out:

Organ Prelude,	Prof. Clarke.
Processional Hymn.	
Anniversary Hymn.	
Prayer.	
Responsive Reading.	
Singing.	
Reports of Officers.	
Singing.	
Recitation,	Ella M. Bates.
Recitation,	Sarah Norris.
Recitation,	E. Fletcher Lyford.
Recitation,	E. Sybil Fox.
Recitation,	Claire Jaquith.
Recitation,	Bertha P. Trull.
Singing.	
Recitation,	Edith L. Smith.
Singing,	George W. Smith.
Cornet Solo,	W. W. Crosby.
Address,	Dr. March, Pastor.
Singing.	

Superintendent Hubbard Copeland arranged a fine programme for the Methodist Sunday School concert which was carried out in the best manner.

In the morning the Pastor, Rev. Hugh Montgomery, delivered an address to the children on "Profanity," copious extracts from which are publighed in to-day's JOURNAL.

The Sunday School concert was given in the evening, and it was worthy of all praise. The church had been elegantly decorated for it and flowers and plants were plenteous, bright and fragrant. The music was excellent, and the exercises by the pupils were of the most entertaining character. There was a large attendance both morning and evening.

Concerning the Sunday School our reporter gathered the following

STATISTICS:

Number of scholars belonging to the school,	360
Average attendance during the year 1890-91,	252
Number of pupils in Primary department,	140
Amount of money collected during the year for all purposes,	$600.

The First Baptist church was gay and sweet with flowers last Sunday evening in honor of Childrens Day which was duly observed by pastor, people and school. The religious exercises were laid out with that object in view. The music was appropriate and superb. Miss Banoroft, organist of the church, delighted the audiences with some very fine selections, while the children's singing was of the most pleasing character.

Flowers abounded everywhere, chiefly arranged by the skilful hands of the young ladies of the society and school; and the fine church never presented a fairer appearance than on Sunday evening, while the recitations, songs, etc. of the children were pretty and pleasing indeed.

At the Unitarian church Children's Day will be duly observed with music, flowers, literary exercises by the S. S. classes, and probably an appropriate address by Pastor Parker, next Sunday.

Bunker Hill Day.

Day before yesterday was observed as a holiday by people in and immediately surrounding Boston because it was the 17th of June, or the 116th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, for which that part of Boston formerly Charlestown had made great preparation.

Few communities of like size indulge in so many holidays as that having a home within 10 or a dozen miles of the Massachusetts Capitol on Beacon Hill. Reader, stop a minute and think. Count them up on your fingers. Numerous? We should smile! No matter whether the holiday be a legal one or not if there is the least excuse for making it one, business is suspended; schools are let out; stores closed; public buildings shut up; streets deserted; and everybody goes away for a frolic. By and by the almanacs, instead of telling us what days *are* holidays, will be obliged to change the programme and designate the days in the year that are *not* holidays.

Last Wednesday nearly all the business places in this city were closed up by 9 o'clock A. M.—a few struggled wearily and anxiously along until 12, when keys were turned in the doors of the last of them, curtains were let down, and that was the end of work and trade for that day. After the regulation 17th of June peas and roast lamb had been properly attended to and matters all set to rights at home, hundreds took the street cars for a little trip to Central Square and pleasant North Woburn; or, in the other direction, to pretty Winchester, over the hill to Symmes's Corner, and thence on to quaint Medford Square. Or, they boarded the summer cars of the East Middlesex line and rode to drowsy Stoneham, lovely Melrose Highlands, beautiful Malden, thence to Chelsea and, via Boston, home; or, turning to the left, proceeded to the Beaches, Lynn, Marblehead—well anywhere the inclination might lead—and a splendid trip it was too. Others went away in their own buggies and drove about the country which is, just now, more than charming. A good many took the steam cars and visited Boston and its theatres; made calls on friends in the towns about; and a few went fishing.

There was about the size of it. Flags floated in the breeze all day of course; and luckily there was a remarkable change in the weather at 6 A. M., the wind suddenly flopping into the East, ending the toughest "heated term" which had been experienced here for years, and affording most delightful weather for the holiday.

It is hard for the young man who is just learning to ride the bicycle to lead an upright life.

CITY OF WOBURN.

Collector's Sale

— OF —

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., June 16, 1891.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1890, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **SATURDAY, July 25, A. D. 1891,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1890, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

ANNIE M. DOWNEY.—About one-half acre of land with buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Buck street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Buck street; southerly by a private way; westerly by land of the City of Woburn, and northerly by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs, by land of J. C. Hodge's heirs, and by land of Owen Conlan.
Tax of 1890, $25 57

MARY DUFFY.—About 5,100 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Lake Avenue; westerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; northerly by other land of said Mary Duffy, and easterly by land of Patrick E. Tenney.
Tax of 1890, $33 83

MARY DUFFY.—About 69,100 square feet of land, situatein said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—
Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on Main street, and at land of one McHugh; thence the line runs westerly by land of said McHugh, 240 feet to an angle; thence northerly still by said McHugh, 37 feet to land of Buck; thence westerly by land of said Buck, 204 feet to land of Richardson; thence southerly by land last named, 329 feet to Lake Avenue; thence easterly by said Lake Avenue, 163 feet to other land of said Mary Duffy; thence northerly by land last named, 90 feet to an angle; thence easterly still by other land of Mary Duffy, 60 feet to land of Tenney; thence again northerly by land of Tenney, 28 feet to an angle; thence again easterly by land of said Tenney, 240 feet to said Main street; thence northerly on and by said Main street, 100 feet to the point of beginning.
Tax of 1890, $24 75

THOMAS RYAN.—About 9-16 of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situate on the westerly side of Warren street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Norris; westerly by land of John Maxwell; southerly partly by land of Gawin R. Gage, and land of Nathan Morse, Trustee; easterly by said Warren street.
Tax of 1890, $46 55

MARY A. MURRAY.—About 19,800 square of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the southerly side of Lawrence street, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Lawrence street; westerly by land of Rufus C. Hayward; southerly by land of Sarah E. Norris; easterly by land of heirs of Jacob Munroe.
Tax of 1890, $54 12

F. CHANDLER PARKER.—About one and one-eighth acres of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Canal street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Canal street; southerly by land now or formerly of Jane C. Butman; easterly by land of Edward W. Hudson; northerly on and by Sturgis street.
Tax of 1890, $165 90

PATRICK E. TENNEY.—About 78,250 square feet of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly on and by said Main street; southerly on and by Lake Avenue; northerly by land now or formerly of one Duffy; easterly also by land of said Duffy.
Tax of 1890, $154 28

JAMES MCDONALD.—About 11-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Canal street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Canal Street; northerly by land of the City of Woburn and by land of Nicholas Murphy; easterly by land of Mary E. Lombard; southerly by Buckman street.
Tax of 1890, $79 20

ALEXANDER EASLEY, et al.—About 4345 square feet of land, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by land of Callahan 55 feet; southerly by land of Clapp 79 feet; westerly by land of Gollaconne 55 feet; northerly 55 feet; northerly by land of Fifield. Also, the lot of land bounded westerly by land of Fitchett and by land now or late of Jaquith; northerly by Fowle street, 26 feet; easterly by land formerly of Svenson, 93 feet, and by Callahan, 25 feet, and southerly by lot first described, 20 feet. Being the same premises described in deed of Caleb H. Jaquith to said Easley and James E. Foster, dated July 12, 1888, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1805, Page 48.
Tax of 1890, $5 78

REBECCA C. MERRIAM.—About 5-16 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of Julius F. Ramsdell; easterly by land of E. R. Emery; southerly by Fowle street, and westerly by Highland street.
Tax of 1890, $32 17

MOSES A. TYLER HEIRS.—About 7-16 acres of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Main street; northerly by land formerly of Woburn A. and M. Association; easterly by heirs of Michael McHugh, and by a private way; southerly by land of Garland heirs, and by land of George J. Munroe, and land of Charles W. Fifield, and E. W. Hudson.
Tax of 1890, $80 85

WALTER W. BENNETT.—About ¼ acre of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant street, bounded as follows, viz: Westerly on and by said Mt. Pleasant street; southerly on and by a private way; northwesterly by lot number 121 on Woburn A. and M. Company plan, about 130 feet; northeasterly by Utica street, about 80 feet; southeasterly by lot number 123 on said plan and East Middle Boarding House lot, about 285 feet; southerly by Montvale Avenue 22½ feet. Same premises described in deed of John Quigley Administrator of Murgh Handley, dated January 6, 1887, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1782, Page 58.
Tax of 1890, $34 65

JAMES M. CALLAHAN.—About 5,000 square feet of land situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Jefferson Court, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Jefferson Court; southerly by land of James Callahan: easterly by land of Carpenter, and northerly by land of Richards.
Tax of 1890, $8 25

JOSIE V. COLBY.—About 11041 square feet of l nd with buildings thereon, situated on southerly side of Montvale Avenue in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Montvale Avenue; southerly, easterly and westerly by land now or formerly of Samuel Jennison.
Tax of 1890, $21 45

PATRICK CADY.—About 3500 square feet of land, being lot numbered 20 on plan of lands owned by Bryant and King, situated on southerly side of Bryant street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by lot numbered 22 on said plan; westerly by lot numbered 19 on said plan; easterly by lot numbered 21 on said plan, and northerly by said Bryant street.
Tax of 1890, $2 89

OWEN COLLINS.—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Flagg street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by land of John O'Donnell; southerly partly by land of Hutchings and partly by land of Kelley; westerly by land of Calnan, and easterly by said Flagg street.
Tax of 1890, $19 80

PATRICK MALONEY HEIRS.—About 2,357 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Centre street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Centre street; southerly by land of Rose Connolly; northerly by land of David Claney, and easterly by land of John H. Connolly heirs.
Tax of 1890, $17 08

DANIEL MULLEN HEIRS.—About 10,766 sq. feet of land and buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Salem street; easterly by land of Foss; southerly by land of Dow; westerly by land of Eastern Middlesex Street Railway.
Tax of 1890, $47 03

ELIZABETH A. KENNEY.—About 7,645 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situate on a private street leading northerly out of Harrison Avenue, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of premises, thence the line runs east of north, by and with said private street, 60 feet: thence north of west, by land of McDermott, 136 feet; thence southerly by land of owner unknown, 60 feet; thence south of east by land now or formerly of Colgate, 120 feet, to the point of beginning. Being same premises conveyed to said Kenney by William A. Colgate by deed dated September 27, 1887, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1829, Page 500.
Tax of 1890, $8 25

JOHN W. HOWARD.—About ¼ acre of land and buildings thereon, situate on the easterly side of New Boston street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by New Boston street; northerly by land of Henry M. Eames; easterly and southerly by land of Michael K. Murphy.
Tax of 1890, $11 55

HARRIET J. NELSON.—About 8,372 square feet of land on the easterly side of Beach street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Beach street; southerly by land of Hannah M. Dean; easterly by land of Caroline M. Smith; northerly by land of Malvina R. Putney (now or formerly).
Tax of 1890, $4 12

FRANCIS E. STEVENS.—About ½ acre of land in said Woburn, on Bow street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Bow street; northerly by land of S. S. Richardson; easterly partly by land now or formerly of Bartholomew Richardson and partly by land of Susan T. Converse; southerly by land of Beals, and by land of Emma M. Taylor.
Tax of 1890, $6 60

ELVIRA W. GOODE.—About 2 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Beach street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz.:—Northerly on and by said Beach street; easterly and northeasterly by land of Rufus Wyman, et al; southeasterly by other land of said Goode; southwesterly by other land of said Rufus Wyman et al; westerly by other land of Elvira W. Goode.
Tax of 1890, $61 38

ELVIRA W. GOODE.—About two acres of land, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by land of Rufus Wyman et al; southerly and westerly by other land of said Wyman et al; and northerly by other land of said

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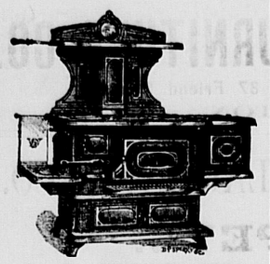

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The Morton Celebration at Woburn in 1840.

The persons are not now numerous among us who have vivid recollections of the year 1840; more than half a century has elapsed since that date, and the event this article recalls has probably been forgotten by those now living who partook in it, until the memory of it is revived by this allusion to a published account which has recently been placed in our hands. The account is in the form of a newspaper article which appeared in the *Bay State Democrat*, for February 4, 1840 (Vol. 1, No. 30). This paper was published every evening at Boston, at No. 1 Devonshire street, corner of State street, and is of itself an interesting relic. The particular copy before us was once the property of the late Col. Leonard Thompson, of Woburn, who was a prominent participant in the celebration at Woburn, which it commemorates.

An editorial in the paper speaks of the celebration as follows:

"Upon our first page will be found an account of the proceedings of the Morton Celebration at Woburn. The democrats of that thriving town, for their fidelity to the democratic cause are entitled to a place in the front rank of the democracy of the State."

The account referred to is entitled, "Morton Celebration at Woburn." "The election of Marcus Morton to the office of Governor of Massachusets," it says, "was celebrated in grand style by the Democrats of Woburn and vicinity, by a supper at the Horn Pond Hotel, on Thursday evening, January 30th. Bowen Buckman, Esq., officiated as president, assisted by Col. Leonard Thompson, Col. Wm. Winn, Oliver B. Coolidge, Esq., Doctor Augustus Plympton, and Charles Carter, Esq., Vice Pres., and Messrs. M. L. Converse and John Cummings, Jr., secretaries." The supper "in Mr. McGill's best style," was placed upon the tables at seven, and the guests numbering about one hundred and fifty repaired to the hall and "took their places at the board." A blessing was asked by the Rev. Mr. Waldo, of Woburn, and the festivity proceeded.

"When the cloth was removed," the regular toasts were announced by Mr. Albert L. Richardson. They were received with applause and responded to by the band. The president also called on the Hon. James Russell, Isaac H. Wright, D. N. Swasey and L. Josselyn, gentlemen from out of town, who addressed the meeting, and read letters from Hon. Seth Whitmarsh, Hon. Leonard M. Parker, Rev. Luther Wright, B. F. Hallett, J. C. Stuckney, Frederick Robinson, and E. Case, Esquires.

"Everything during the evening went off admirably: The company enjoyed themselves rationally. They did not copy," continues the article, "after the *Whig* celebrations [!!] *in their consumption of Champagne*, and in riotous exultations[!]" The occasion could but call forth "warm feelings and enthusiastic expressions of joy" at a result which at once raised the democratic party to a high position, and placed in the executive chair a member of that party, of sound views, and wellknown and pronounced opinions.

"The company separated highly pleased with their entertainment," and with the determination to re-elect Gov. Morton at the next election. The article is concluded with a long list of toasts, regular and volunteer, but a number were omitted by the paper for want of room.

The above is an abridged version of the general account; but in the original the toasts fill the larger portion of the space. After fifty years the sentiment which inspired them has been largely eliminated, and the interest simply centers on the individuals who uttered them; particularly those of our own respected municipality.

Thus Bowen Buckman, Esq., President, offered a volunteer toast to the company on Governor Morton's message; Colonel Leonard Thompson, first Vice-President, one on Andrew Jackson; Col. Wm. Winn, of Burlington, one of the Vice-Presidents, one on the Independent Treasury; O. B Coolidge, Esq., another Vice-President, one on the Navy; Dr. A. Plympton, a Vice-President, one on the Hon. Wm. Parmenter, "a sterling democrat;" Hon. James Russell, of the Senate—great-uncle of the present writer—one on the elective franchise; Rev. J. C. Waldo, of Woburn, one on Christianity and democracy; Hon. John Wade, on bank charters; Rev. Luther Wright of Woburn, on His Excellency Governor Morton, "the dread of aristocrats," and "the unflinching enemy of selfish corporations and monopolies;" the "true friend of the people." "May his administration be as *happy* to himself, as we trust it will be *useful* to the people."

Other volunteer toasts were offered by J. Wade, Jr., Esq., of Lowell; Col. Wm. Winn; Dr. Augustus Plympton; Wm P. Thompson; Albert L. Richardson, toastmaster; Joshua V. Pierce; C. A. Wyman; John Madan; Henry Flagg, Esq.; T. Seeley (Bridgeport, Conn.); and John Losthe.

The following compliments were held out to *Woburn*:

By B. F. Hallett, Esq., of Boston. "Woburn Democrats—Men of the true Bunker Hill breed! For fifteen years they have maintained their post and kept their flag flying, when all around were compelled to strike to the foe. They now see their courage and perseverance crowned with a glorious triumph—the standard of Democracy waves from the top of the Capitol, with Marcus Morton once more Commander in Chief!"

By B. E. Case, Esq., of Lowell. "The Democracy of Woburn—an important branch of the Democratic party of Middlesex . . . . . Woburn will give Marcus Morton 300 votes majority in November, ... and Massachusetts, 5000. He will be triumphantly re-elected, and surrounded with a *Council* of political friends. *The people will it, and it will be done!*"

By J. P. Pattee, of West Cambridge, member of the House of Representatives. "The town of Woburn, a nursery of radical democracy; it has always borne good fruit and abundant; may its harvest be still more abundant next November!"

John Leathe uttered the following poetic sentiment on the *temple* of Democracy:

"While on granite and marble this temple doth rest,
Its foundation can never decay;
But 'twere foolish *indeed*, its fair structure to place
On such rubbish as *Webster* and *Clay!*"

Hon. John Wade thus spoke of bank charters: "Legal instruments given by acts of the Legislature to knaves and speculators, to enable them to rob the honest and industrious, without the liability of being sent to State's Prison for life!"

The following toast by a guest refers to the origin of the Fitchburg Railroad:

"The application of the American Friction Match Company to the Whigs of the Legislature for a charter of Incorporation, and the application of the Railroad Corporation for a charter empowering them to run a Branch Railroad from Charlestown to Fresh Pond,—the Democrats of Massachusetts have already given them a receipt for making *Loco Focos* without a charter, in the message of Governor Morton; and they will next fall grant them a free passage (not to *Fresh Pond*) but to the *head waters of Salt River!*"

The utility of such institutions as banks and such inventions as friction matches and railroads is better understood to-day than such matters were in the year 1840.

The joke in the last sentiment is intensified by the fact that the name *loco foco* was applied to a species of friction match as well as to a species of Democrat, and that a branch line of railroad to Fresh Pond (a ridiculously short line for passenger traffic) was originally intended to further the ice business. Better success attended the enterprise than was intended, and it soon became the long and important line which it now is.

The lesson of this Morton celebration of 1840 is,—with all due respect to the company's adherence to their political principles,—that people's ideas have enlarged greatly since that time; that many enterprises which now seem easy and even natural to us, would have appeared impossible to them; and that many of the ideas which they ignorantly opposed then, are pronounced facts now, and improvements which the public would not do without.—C.

That Tired Feeling.

You cannot always tell what may be its cause. Possibly it may be due to change of season, climate, or life; possibly to overwork or overstudy, to mental suffering, nervousness or various bodily ailments. But there is no mistaking its effects. You know you feel "almost tired to death," without strength to do anything; ambition seems to be all gone, and in its place indifference to how the world wags—an indescribable languor and weakness. You have no appetite, do not care about food, and only eat because it is the hour for eating, or from force of habit.

This must be stopped. Your condition must be changed at once, or like a ship drifting with the inward tide, you will soon be dashed upon the rocks of incurable disease and death. Rouse the torpid kidneys and liver, tone the digestive organs, create a new appetite, purify and vitalize the impure and sluggish blood, cure the headache, and overcome all the prostrating effects of That Tired Feeling, by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is just what you need, and to delay taking it is unwise.

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Burlington.

Several of our farmers have sent peas to market. We understand that Mr. David O'Brien was among the first. Perhaps his "Cattle Show" plough may have helped in this.

Children's Sunday was observed at the church last Sunday morning and evening. The decorations were especially beautiful. Beside the masses of wild flowers there was a fine display of hydrangeas and other plants from Mr. C. H. Walker's greenhouse and a large acacia contributed by Mrs. G. F. Shaw. In the morning Rev. C. F. Hersey preached an excellent sermon to the children. The service in the evening was a Sunday School concert. The little folks made a very charming sight as they marched into the church to the music of the piano. The subject of the exercises was "The Child in the Temple." The different parts were so well performed that it would be rather unjust to particularize. Rev. Mr. Hersey made a short address on some phases of mission Sunday school work and after a little "Collection Speech," by Miss Emma Twining the school and audience gave a generous contribution for Capt. Lane's missionary work.

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Collector's Sale

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Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., June 16, 1891.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1889, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **SATURDAY, JULY, 25, A. D. 1891,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1889, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

CATHERINE LYNCH.—About ¾ of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Montvale Avenue, there measuring 60 feet; westerly partly by land formerly of Francis Maize, and partly by land formerly of one Moore, there measuring about 203 feet; northerly by land now or formerly of one Davis, there measuring 100 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of one Lewis.
Tax of 1889, $15 48

CHARLES UPTON HEIRS.—About 2,244 square feet of land, situated in Woburn, on the westerly side of Beacon street, bounded as follows, viz:—easterly by said Beacon street; southerly by land of Anna E. Smith; westerly by land of McLaughlin, and northerly by other land of Charles Upton heirs.
Tax of 1889, $10 15

MARY HANDLEY.—About 5-16 of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Montvale Avenue bounded as follows, viz:—Northwesterly partly by the West Boarding House lot, so-called, shown on plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds; southwesterly also by said West Boarding House lot; northwesterly by lot No. 121 on said plan, about 130 feet; northeasterly by Utica street, about 80 feet; southeasterly Lot No. 123 on said plan, and the East Middle Boarding House lot as shown on said plan, about 285 feet, and southwesterly by said Montvale Avenue, 22 5-10 feet. Being the same premises conveyed to Murtagh Handley by deed of Thomas S. Chamberlain et als, dated November 22, 1881, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1584, Page 198.
Tax of 1889, $8 60

NON-RESIDENTS.

GEORGE B. JAMES.—About 10,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 72, 73 and 74 on plan of land of France B. Hiller, situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50.
Tax of 1889, $ 43

FREDERICK MAHONEY.—About 20,000 sq. feet of land, being lots numbered 84, 85, 86, 87 and 88, on plan of land of France B. Hiller' situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50.
Tax of 1889, $ 86

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes for the City of Woburn.

Important Notice.

CAUTION.

Office, Woburn Water Board, Woburn, June 16, 1891.

The attention of water takers is called to the necessity of reducing the consumption of water during the summer season, and are requested to avoid all unnecessary waste from running faucets, and the ILLEGAL use of hose (the City Ordinances limit the use of hose to ONE hour each day). Attention is also called to the regulation, "that any person using hose without giving notice, will be required to pay double rates."

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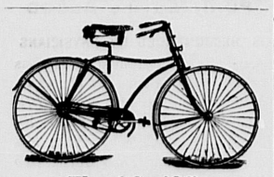

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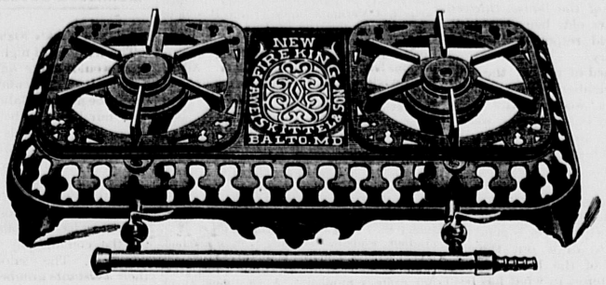

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Administrator's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court, within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9, 1891, the subscriber, Administrator of the estate of Annie J. Lafferty, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction on Wednesday, July 8th, 1891, the two parcels of land hereinafter described, the sale of each parcel to occur upon the respective premises, and at the hour specified below:

LOT 1. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises herein described, will be sold a certain parcel of land, with certain buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Main street, bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on said Main street and at land of Salmon; thence the line runs northerly, by and with said Main street, nineteen (19) feet, to land of George H. Hutchings; thence westerly, on and by land last named, sixty-one (61) feet, to land of Alvah Buckman; thence southerly, on and by land of Buckman, twenty (20) feet, to land of said Salmon; thence easterly, on and by land last named, fifty-nine and one-half (59½) feet, to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Annie J. Lafferty by George H. Hutchings by deed dated April 26, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1905, Page 229.

LOT 2. At 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, will be sold a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Broad street in said Woburn, containing about seven thousand one hundred and fourteen square feet, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises, on the southerly side of Broad street; thence the line runs west of south by land of the City of Woburn, one hundred twenty-seven and four-tenths (127.4) feet, to a corner; thence north of west, by land now or formerly of one Ellis, and land now or formerly of John Winn and Charles Bennett, fifty-five feet and three inches, to a stake; thence east of north, by land now or formerly of Fiagg, one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet, to a stake at said Broad street; thence south of east, by and with said Broad street, fifty-seven feet and nine inches, to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Annie J. Lafferty by Jotham F. Hill and Agnes E. Hill, by deed dated August 28, 1886, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1765, Page 172.

$100.00 of purchase money on each lot will be required to be paid at time and place of sale; balance in ten day.

THOMAS SALMON, Administrator of the estate of Annie J. Lafferty.

J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney, 396 Main St., Woburn, Mass.
Woburn, June 15, 1891.

Executor's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9th, 1891, the subscriber, Executor of the will of Michael Connell, late of Woburn in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on Monday, the twenty-ninth day of June, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn on the easterly side of Washington street, containing about three-sixteenths of an acre, bounded as follows, viz: Westerly on and by said Washington street; northeasterly and easterly by the old Canal bed; and southerly by land of Heirs of Charles Porter, deceased. $100.00 of the purchase will be required at time of sale; balance in 10 days.

THOMAS CONNELL,
Executor of the will of Michael Connell.

For futher particulars inquire of J. G. Maguire, Attorney for Executor, 396 Main street, Woburn, Mass.
Woburn, June 10, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs at-Law and others interested in the estate of Ann Doherty late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Hugh McCafferty Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for a license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the Estate of Lucy A. Barnard, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, Intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frederic Huckley of Boston in the County of Suffolk, and to exempt him from giving surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of June instant at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the Estate under deed given by Oliver B. Coolidge to Ebenezer Lawrence, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Abijah Thompson and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, the Trustee under said deed, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by him as such trustee;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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CAPTIVITY OF JUDAH.

LESSON XII, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JUNE 21.

Text of the Lesson, II Kings xxv, 1-12. Commit Verses, 4-6—Golden Text, Hos. vi, 1—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, came, he and all his host, against Jerusalem, and pitched against it."

As we saw in the last lesson Josiah's turning to God and great revival reached but a few comparatively, while the nation as a whole continued in sin.

"According to the Word of the Lord."

2. "And the city was besieged unto the eleventh year of Zedekiah."

Jeremiah had at this time been a prophet forty years, for he began in the thirteenth year of Josiah, after which Josiah continued eighteen years, and the eleventh of Zedekiah was twenty-two years later (Jer. i, 2; II Kings xxii, 1; xxiii, 31, 36; xxiv, 8-18). The thirty-five years which elapsed between Josiah's great passover in the eighteenth year of his reign (II Chron. xxxv, 19) and the destruction of the city, is suggestive and perhaps typical of about the same period which elapsed between the greatest of all passovers, when Christ our passover was sacrificed for us (I Cor. v, 7) and the last destruction of Jerusalem by Titus.

3. "The famine prevailed in the city, and there was no bread for the people of the land."

4. "And the city was broken up, and all the men of war fled by night; and the king went the way toward the plain."

And yet this was the city which God had chosen to put His name there—the city of the Great King, beautiful for situation, the joy of the whole earth.

5. "And the army of the Chaldees pursued after the king and overtook him in the plains of Jericho, and all his army were scattered from him."

This also was made known to the captives at Babylon by the prophet Ezekiel (Ezek. xii, 13, f. c.). Contrast the safety of Hezekiah when besieged by the great army of Sennacherib, and the wonderful deliverance God wrought for him in answer to the prayer of himself and Isaiah (II Chron. xxxii, 20-22; Isa. xxxvii, 36). See also the peace and safety of Elijah when besieged by the Syrians (II Kings vi, 16, 17), and consider what God did for Abijah and Asa because they relied on him (II Chron. xiii, 18; xiv, 11, 12).

6. "So they took the king and brought him up to the king of Babylon to Riblah; and they gave judgment upon him."

At the same place, just twenty-two years before, the king of Egypt had put bands upon his brother Jehoahaz and took him to Egypt, where he died (II Kings xxiii).

7. "And they slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes, and put out the eyes of Zedekiah, and bound him with fetters of brass, and carried him to Babylon."

Jeremiah had said, "Thine eyes shall behold the eyes of the king of Babylon, and he shall speak with thee mouth to mouth, and thou shalt go to Babylon" (Jer. xxxiv, 3). The same spirit had said through Ezekiel, "I will bring him to Babylon, to the land of the Chaldeans; yet shall he not see it, though he shall die there" (Ezek. xii, 13). See how these somewhat difficult, and in a measure seemingly contradictory, prophecies were literally fulfilled, and all made perfectly plain in the fulfillment. He saw the king of Babylon; they looked upon each other and spoke to each other. He also went to Babylon, but he never saw Babylon, for after seeing the king of Babylon at Riblah, and after being compelled to witness the death of his sons, his eyes were put out. How fearfully sad the consequences of unbelief! but what is all present physical suffering when compared with the endless torment of Rev. xiv, 9-11?

8. "Nebuzar-adan, captain of the guard, a servant of the king of Babylon."

The literal meaning of the Hebrew phrase here translated "captain of the guard" is "chief of the slaughtermen or executioners" (see the margin of Gen. xxxvii, 36).

9. "And he burnt the house of the Lord, and the King's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem, and every great man's house burnt he with fire."

The people could now truly say, "O God, the heathen are come into thine inheritance; thy holy temple have they defiled; they have laid Jerusalem on heaps" (Ps. lxxix, 1). "Our holy and our beautiful house, where our fathers praised Thee, is burned up with fire, and all our pleasant things are laid waste" (Isa. lxiv, 11). This magnificent building, costing hundreds of millions of dollars, and which stood less than thirty-four years in its original splendor (I Kings xiv, 25, 26), is now completely destroyed and all the city burned with fire; and sin did it all.

10. "And all the army of the Chaldees that were with the captain of the guard, brake down the walls of Jerusalem round about."

And thus they continued until the return of Nehemiah, many years after the return of the 50,000 under Zerubbabel (Neh. i, 3), and amid the greatest opposition and hatred, saw the wall rebuilt (Neh. iv, vi).

11. "Now the rest of the people that were left in the city did Nebuzar-adan, the captain of the guard, carry away."

Some were slain (vs. 18-21); at three different times 4,600 were carried captive (Jer. lii, 28-30), while some were left in the land. Some were carried captive for their good, that He might bring them again, and build them and plant them in their own land, and give them a heart to know Him; while others who were disobedient were taken to be consumed and destroyed because of their sins (read Jer. xxiv). The same event or series of events may happen to both the righteous and the wicked; to the one it means blessing, to the other cursing. The same glad tidings of salvation preached to a congregation may mean life to some and death to others (II Cor. ii, 15, 16).

12. "But the captain of the guard left of the poor of the land to be vine dressers and husbandmen."

To the poor of the people, who had nothing in the land, he gave vineyards and fields (Jer. xxxix, 10). Gedaliah was made governor over these, and Jeremiah chose to dwell with him among the people that were left in the land (Jer. xl, 4-6). Gedaliah was slain by Ishmael, and he in turn was defeated by Johanan, who ere long took all the remnant of the people, men, women and children and kings' daughters and Jeremiah and Baruch, and went down to Egypt, where probably Jeremiah died (Jer. xli, 2, 3, 11, 12; xliii, 4-7).

Thus was the land desolate "To fulfill the word of the Lord by the mouth of Jeremiah" (II Chron. xxxvi, 21). Mark the last four verses of the books of II Kings and the prophecy of Jeremiah, then read Jer. xxiii, 5-8, and believe that the God who raised up Jehoiachim out of prison after thirty-seven years, is just as able to raise up Israel 3,700 years after the promises to Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, and, dear reader, I entreat you to believe God and be subject to Him.

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The first colored man ever admitted to practice law in the courts of Savannah, Ga., was sworn in a few days ago. His name is J. H. Kinckle, and he is a native of Virginia, where he practiced law for five years.

THE OLD BOAT.

A wore out boat upon the shore,
The children's playground is it now,
The troubled deep it tempts no more,
It lies at rest like rusty plow.

And yet it basks in bright noontide,
It echoes gladly childish voices;
A sailor's wife leans here, and wide
Her outlook till her heart rejoices.

Here lovers meet when dusk draws near,
Their voyages have scarce begun;
Ah! may they keep vows true and dear,
Until their resting days are won.

For 'tis not every craft that lies
So calmly on a kindly shore;
And 'tis not every heart is wise
To cherish love when youth is o'er.

—Beatrix L. Tollemache in Academy.

The Ways of Women.

A richly but not overdressed woman a day or two ago entered a well filled Fourth avenue car, and without so much as a look dropped into a seat vacated for her by a man who on rising had politely raised his hat.

The woman's behavior was so markedly ungracious that the other occupants of the car smiled broadly at the victim of misplaced politeness, who did not fail to notice that he was being laughed at.

Turning to the lady and once more raising his hat, he said, "Pardon me, madam, but did I leave my gloves on the seat?"

The woman stood up to look for the missing handgear and the man slid himself edgewise into the seat. The laughter which followed was not participated in by the woman, and she left the car at the next block.

"Take my seat, madam," said a man to a woman on another occasion under similar circumstances.

"Thanks, no. I saw the car was more than full when I stopped it to get on and I expected to stand. I have no right to deprive you of your seat, and I won't do it."

This little speech was followed by a look of blank amazement on the part of the other passengers.—New York Times.

Mountains of Bacilli.

Prodigious as must have been the number of organisms whose remains form the great chalk deposits found all over the world, yet these are only as a single grain of sand on the seashore when compared with the vast accumulation of fossil infusoria. In spite of the extreme minuteness of these invisible forms, the stratified rocks, forming a large portion of the crust of the earth, are made up almost entirely from their shells and skeletons. They form great mountain ranges in different portions of the globe.

Even the silicious rocks, called tripoli, are shown by the microscope to be composed of the carapaces of tiny animalculæ, that secreted silica from its solution in water in the same way that the carbonate of lime was secreted by the organisms whose remains composed the strata of chalk. These silicious animals belonged principally to the family bacillaria, and their skeletons are so perfectly preserved that they can be identified and compared with the bacterium of the present day.—Macon Telegraph.

A Queer Court Decision.

A peculiar case disposed of at Caldwell court was that of a man who had been tried by the mayor of Lenoir for violation of a town ordinance and had pleaded guilty. The mayor fined him more than he wanted to pay, and he appealed, and in the superior court the jury acquitted him of the charge to which he had pleaded guilty in the mayor's court. This strikes us as something new under the sun in the way of criminal procedure.—Marion (N. C.) Free Lance.

The Number Five Is Convenient.

Five is a number but little employed in the Scriptures, but it is a number of great convenience and utility. Man was created with five natural senses, and with five fingers on each hand and five toes on each foot. The earth's surface is divided into five zones, and the rose has five leaves, or some multiple of five.—Chicago Herald.

Complaint was made in the house of commons that some publicans were in the habit of obliging their customers by selling postage stamps after the post-offices are closed. It was stated on behalf of the government that no one is entitled to sell stamps without first taking out a license.

The production of electrically welded steel chains will soon become an important industry in this country. The steel chain will be one-third lighter than the present chain, with as great a tensile strength, and can be produced at considerable less cost.

When Queen Victoria is traveling by rail in her special train she exercises no deadhead rights. She pays at the rate of $1.92 a mile, whatever the distance, in addition to first class fares for all the party, servants included. Her saloon carriage cost $30,000.

At one time in the world's history ice was considered a great luxury, and only the rich could enjoy what is now looked upon as an absolute necessity. In ancient days snow was used as a substitute.

A Rockport man has a cat which was brought from Iceland which has a perfectly white fur and deep blue eyes. The most interesting thing about it is that it is deaf and dumb.—Boston Herald.

Way back in Morse's Geography the rising generation is informed that a certain town contained "400 houses and 4,000 inhabitants, all standing with their gable ends to the street."

An Important Matter.

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HOME LIBRARIES.

Established Practicability of a New Form of Charitable Work.

The charity organization societies of some of our large cities are gradually extending their work among the poor and passing beyond the lines of simple benevolence. The Baltimore society is co-operating with the industrial education association and cooking schools in efforts to teach the practical principles of social science and to apply them to every day life, and in Boston an excellent work has been done by the establishment of home libraries.

A glance at this plan will serve to show at once its simplicity and the amount of good which it can undoubtedly accomplish. A bookcase large enough to hold fifteen books and five bound periodicals is fastened to the wall in the living room of a poor family, a boy or girl of the house, thirteen or fourteen years old, being made librarian and held responsible for the care of the library.

A club is formed of ten of the children of the neighborhood, who meet together once a week at the house where the library is. At these weekly meetings a visitor from the Children's Aid society, which supplies the books, is always present. The children then return the books which were given out at the last meeting, and take out others to be read at home. When this has been done the visitor, who is generally a woman, tries to draw out the children's opinions of the books and to quicken their interest in what has been read.

She also plays games with them, and sometimes teaches sewing to any who may have a liking for it. The books include fairy tales, stories of travel and the lighter kind of history, and so when the children reach the age at which they are permitted to use the public library they have learned to read a better class of books than they would choose if they had not had the training of the home library.

The cost of a library complete, with forms for keeping the records, is only $25. This plan is undoubtedly an effective means of benefitting the poor. At an age when their character is forming, when their ordinary pursuits and amusements bring them into close contact with all that is worst in the byways of a great city, they begin to realize that there is something better and brighter beyond their own daily routine, and are given an opportunity of enjoying a legitimate and elevating pleasure.

The books which they take home to read are read by their parents and by their older brothers and sisters, and the little librarian in whose house the library is placed awakens to a sense of responsibility and orderliness. The improvement spreads to the rest of the family, and the home becomes brighter and more cheerful.

The first of these libraries was started in Boston four years ago and they now number forty-six. The society which has charge of them says that "good temper, good manners and cheerfulness—what we must look for in children—follow directly in the train of the work. Interest in reading the best books is developed, the children's pride is stimulated by a sense of organization and proprietorship, home amusement and occupation become realities, the family tie is strengthened and individual character developed."—Philadelphia Record.

Variation of a Popular Game.

There is a favorite game called "Who Wrote It?" in which the titles of books are given or bits of verse are quoted, and the company are expected to give the authors' names. But people have played this for some time and are beginning to find out who wrote them, and so the game has lost a little of the first zest. Why not make a change for once and take the names of the authors of the operas? "They're too well known," you say. Are they? Of course you who say so know all of these then. Who wrote Martha, Norma and Aida? Who wrote Lucia, The Crown Diamonds and The Magic Flute? Who wrote The Queen's Lace Handkerchief, Oberon, The Barber of Seville, Fra Diavolo, Romeo and Juliet, Hamlet, The Merry Wives of Windsor, The Prophet, The Black Domino, The Siren, The Huguenots, The Queen of Sheba, Zampa, Don Juan, Esclaramonde, The King of Ys, Carmen, The African, Othello, Traviata, Rigoletto, The Daughter of the Regiment, The Bohemian Girl, Fidelio?—New York Evening Sun.

Power of Expression.

Our language has a wonderful power of expression. On one occasion, we are told, a doctor of divinity rang the changes on "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear." "He that is accessible to auricular vibration," said the doctor, "let him not close the gates of his tympana." Then again we have that old fashioned saying, "The more the merrier," delightfully translated in this way: "Multitudinous assemblages are the most provocative of cachinnatory hilarity."—London Tit-Bits.

A Sure Sign.

Young Man—Mr. Tapeline, can you put a new right sleeve in this coat? This one is getting badly worn.

Tailor—Certainly, Mr. Downey. Allow me to congratulate you on the engagement.—Judge.

In a Fair Way to Do It.

Friend (sympathetically)—It won't be so very bad after all; it will soon be over.

Criminal—Oh, I've do doubt of it. I shall get the hang of it.—Ram's Horn.

La Grippe Again.

During the epidemic of La Grippe last season Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, proved to be the best remedy. Reports from the many who used it confirm this statement. They were not only quickly relieved, but the disease left no bad after results. We ask you to give this remedy a trial and we guarantee that you will be satisfied with results, or the purchase price will be refunded. It has no equal in La Grippe, or any Throat, Chest or Lung Trouble. Trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and $1 00.

During the year 1889 the mines of Georgia produced gold to the amount of $107,605.

Catarrh of the Bladder.

I had been troubled since 1869 with Gravel and Catarrh of the Bladder. Tried several doctors, but got no relief. Finally, at the advice of E. D. W. Parsons, I was prevailed upon to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. The result was marvelous. After using a few bottles, was entirely cured. S. N. Arnold, No. 563 Plymouth avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

There are more than 100 widows living on one street in Doylestown, Pa.

Literary Notices.

The numbers of Littell's Living Age for May 9th and 16th, contain The Story of Bianca Capello, and A Stone Book, Anglo-Saxon Unity, Ibsen's Brand, Lord Beaconsfield; after Ten Years, Civilization, and Politics in Fiction Statesmen of Europe, Social Bath in the Last Century, Grav and his Letters, and Towards Willandra Billabong, Life on a Sugar Plantation, Carrara, An Irish Mail car Driver, and A Curious Irish Will, A Chinese Wedding, Geographical Expeditions, Modern Goths, with instalments of Eight Days, A Strange Passenger, The Muqaddam of Spins, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four pages each the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston are the publishers.

Perhaps the most enjoyable thing in the June Wide Awake is that story with the Edward Rellamy touch, The Pursuit of Happiness, by Tudor Jenks—a quizzical look into the future for boys. A beautiful romance is contributed by Annie Bronson King, under the title, This Way went the Lady Mary to Paradise. A good old-time article, A Vermont Boy's Trip to Boston in 1825, is from the pen of John L. Heston, with pictures by Garrett. Amanda Jinkum's Burdens, by Oliver Howard, has its serious lesson for eldest daughters. All the girls might take some tender teaching from sweet, bright, true Polly Pepper in Margaret Sidney's Peppers serial which has never been more interesting than in the present number. Quite a different little girl from Pironsie Pepper, but a charming quaint child, makes her courtesy to Wide Awake readers in the new serial, Miss Matilda Archambeau Van Dorn; in the third serial Marietta's Good Times, we get delightful glimpses of the free open-air life of Italian children. This serial is from the pen of an Italian woman, recalling her childhood. Good articles, poems and pictures crowd the number full. Wide Awake is 2.40 a year; 20 cents a number. A specimen (back number) will be sent on receipt of 5 cents. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

A cold of unusual severity developed into a difficulty decidedly catarrhal in all its characteristics, threatening a return of my old chronic malady, catarrh. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm completely eradicated every symptom of that painful and prevailing disorder.—E. W. Warner, Rochester, N. Y.

When I began using Ely's Cream Balm my catarrh was so bad I had headache the whole time and discharged a large amount of filthy matter. That has almost entirely disappeared and I have not had headache since.—J. H. Sommers, Stephney, Conn.

The longest bridge in the world is to be built on the estate of Prince Zadziwill, in East Prussia. It will be of wood and four and three-fifths miles long.

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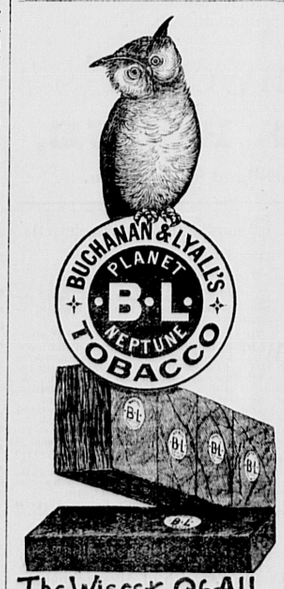

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New York's Night Workers.

The number of night workers in New York would make quite a formidable army. It is calculated that 60,000 people begin their labors after dark and their numbers are being constantly increased. The hotels and restaurants employ the greatest number, about 10,000 people being necessary to supply the city's night wants in that direction. The bakers come next on the list, and that the sleeping portion of the city may have its hot rolls and fresh bread for the coming day 7,000 people are laboring. The saloon keepers and their assistants number the same as the bakers. The butchers are 3,000 strong and the gardeners and marketmen are equally numerous.

The steamboatmen and sailors, the liverymen and hack drivers, and the milkmen are 7,000 in number. The surface cars need 2,000 men and the elevated roads 1,500. There are 2,000 engineers and firmen, 1,000 district messenger boys, 1,000 printers, and 1,000 men in the fire department. The different telegraph offices employ 700 men, and the journalists, postoffice clerks and custom house inspectors number each about 400. There are 1,700 men in the police department, and just one-half of these patrol the streets every night. Then there are private watchmen, laborers, fruit venders, etc., and the number is estimated at 10,000. Only for these night workers the life and wellbeing of the city would be sadly incomplete.—New York Cor. Richmond Times.

A New European Sporting Resort.

For the sportsmen in search of "new worlds to conquer" some interesting and trustworthy statistics are to hand from a country hitherto little visited, and yet not difficult of access—to wit, Bosnia. The name of this province has long been associated with the maze of political problems included in the eastern question, but from official reports published by the local authorities of Bosnia and Herzegovina, we gather that these territories have some special claims to the attention, not only of statesmen, but of those who love the pursuit of big game.

It appears that the abundance of bears in the highlands and of wolves in the lowlands of Bosnia is such that the government offers capitation grants for their destruction, and it is reported that in consequence of these offers during the ten years ending in 1889 884 bears and 8,490 wolves were destroyed. In the one year—1885—as many as 129 bears and 1,057 wolves were killed, and about the same number in 1887. The central highlands of Bosnia are said to be the principal haunt of the bears, especially to the south and west of Travnik and Serajevo, while northern Bosnia is overrun by wolves and harbors few bears. There must be many sportsmen to whom it would be worth while to try their luck in a country so well stocked with bears.—Land and Water.

How Tombstone Got Its Name.

"Mr. Warner, of Tombstone, I believe?"

"Right you are," said a man with a big mustache and a broad brimmed hat in the office of the Brunswick.

"Yes, I'll tell you how Tombstone got its name. In the early days, when the Apaches were pretty bad around our part of the country, a prospector came along by the name of Ed Schiffin. He had been prospecting for a good while without finding much of anything, and when he announced his intention of trying his luck around our camp (which was then totally without white population) he was warned that he would not get back, and his friends would have to go up and build a tombstone on his grave.

"He went, though, and the first day he found a rich piece of float which assayed $2,750. The man is now worth $2,000,000, and the place has had the name of Tombstone ever since. In appearance he is a common miner yet, wears a red flannel shirt, top boots and a broad hat, and doesn't care a fig for his personal appearance."—Rocky Mountain News.

A Bit Reckless.

A man in Cincinnati has made affidavit that he called up an acquaintance by telephone and had a five minutes' chat, and then learned that the man had been dead two hours when he helloed him up. It is hoped the dead man got satisfaction over the wire. That is more than any live one will ever get.—Detroit Free Press.

Cook in a Fix.

Mistress—Lina, why have you brought no fruit from the market?

Cook—Well, you see, ma'am, you don't like pears, I don't like plums, the young lady doesn't eat cherries, the young master doesn't care for apples, and your husband won't touch peaches. Then what sort of fruit was I to get?—Frauenzeitung.

Mental Phonographs.

He (after marriage)—What? You have no fortune! You said over and over again that you were afraid some one would marry you for your money.

She—Yes, and you said over and over again that you would be happy with me if I hadn't a cent. Well, I haven't a cent.—New York Weekly.

Hopeless.

Client—I want to sue a man who owes me fifty dollars.

Lawyer—What's your business?

Client—I am a parlor elocutionist and Shakespearean reciter.

Lawyer—No use. The jury'd give a verdict against you without leaving their seats.—Puck.

There is a great future for the nutmeg.

A physician at Judsonia, Ark., was severely burned a few days ago by his celluloid cuffs taking fire while he was stirring up the fire in his room.

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Mrs. Garfield still wears mourning as deep as that which she put on when her husband, President Garfield, died nearly ten years ago.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL, at 6.36, 7.29, 8.29, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.43, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.50, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.33, 6.45, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.**

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.43, P. M. **Return** at 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.29, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.48 P. M.
For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.34 P. M.
For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.
For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 6.43 P. M.
For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 4.30, 6.43 P. M.
For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.29 A. M., 6.43 P. M.
FOR MONTREAL, 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 6.43 P. M.

WINCHESTER AND WOBURN.

Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.14, 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M., 12.52, 1.10, 2.13, 2.47, 4.23, 5.10, 6.05, 6.25, 7.11, 9.15, 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.21, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.23, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5.52, 6.23, 6.34, 7.05, 8.02, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 1.08, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.40 P. M.

D. J. FLANDERS,
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North Woburn Street R. R. Company. WEEK DAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester, and Medford at w5.50, w6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, w9.15, 9.45, w10.15, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, w1.15, 1.45, w2.15, 2.45, w3.15, 3.45, w4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.35, 6.45, w7.15, 7.45, w8.15, 8.45, w9.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10.40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 8, 9, 10, 11, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.55, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.20, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.10, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.55, 10.35, 10.50, P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

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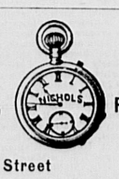
DEALER,  **REPAIRER.**
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WEATHER LEGENDS OF WOBURN.

BY PARKER L. CONVERSE.

"Never prophesy onless ye know."
—*Biglow Papers.*

There was a time of yore, before the ray
Of science came to light the darksome way;
When men groped aimlessly about,
Without the knowledge to remove the doubt.
Their untrained reason, in mount, cloud or tree
Saw signs, heard sounds, which solved the mystery;
By wisdom taught, expanded view they gained,
And higher rose, as effort higher aimed,
Till like Prometheus, in their daring flight
They sealed the Heavens, and snatched the wished for light.
So now, 'tis plain that nature works by laws
Immortal, sure, for each result a cause
Is found, why this, or that, of right should be,
Why all the factors work in harmony,
Why storms, winds, calms and sunshine alternate;
Why earthquake shocks, the mounts, and vales create;
Why air and ocean currents vary not
From age to age their steady march; in short,
Creation's plan, which seemed so blind at first,
Is solved by human godlike power at last.

And so, in the centuries gone by, when society was differently constructed than now, with no scientific knowledge among the people and but little, and that crude, known to the *Savants*, it was natural that they should, in the absence of any better explanation, see the work of spirits and of chance, in the regular occurrences of nature as in the case of the Greeks, Romans and our own Aborigines; and should, in their superstitious reasoning, take certain signs and omens as sure precursors of coming events, utterly failing to attribute them to the true causes; and so now, in the country, notwithstanding the vast increase of solid information of modern days, the old notions still linger in the realms of rain and snow, among those who do not "read up" on the subject; and in no branch of knowledge has there been, and even now is, so woeful a lack, and so much of the "Dark Ages," as in the matter of the weather, its causes, and signs. Slowly, step by step, after patient study and observation, is the truth established; but like the students in the caves of Caucasus, in the "Arabian Nights" instructed by the Genie who said to Habib, "The book I read is the Koran: alas I have explained it to them for these several centuries, and yet there are still an eighth part of my hearers who understand not even the first line;" the people generally take a long while to get to understand even portions of it; and notwithstanding the fact that the true causes have been reduced to certain knowledge, and every day the papers are proclaiming it the same as any other kind of common truisms, still some weather prophets (?) even now, pretend to foretell storms and atmospheric disturbances for weeks in advance, by the influence and conjunction of the planets and other kindred nonsense, in the same manner as did the astrologers of old; and it is the object of writing this article to collect and preserve these old saws, and signs, before they fade out in the sunlight of knowledge in coming days.

It used to be said that when the musquash built their winter dwellings in the fall thicker than usual (and by the way that seemed to happen every year) there was certainly going to be an uncommonly cold winter.

Another old saw, was, "that if the corn had thicker husks than common" (and it always did) it foretold the same thing.

So if the potatoes grew deeper in the earth and had thicker skins (so observed every fall), they were getting ready for a big freeze.

Again, if hen's eggs had thicker shells (sure every time), it was a certain sign that Old Boreas, or some other old Wise had told all the hens in advance, and so they took precautions by eating more pounded clamshells, or other material in order to meet the emergency.

And some of the old settlers believed the ancient English saying "that onions (and it makes the tears run to say it) foretold the coming winter weather." Read the authority:

"Onion skin
Very thin,
Mild winter coming in;
Onion skin
Thick and tough
Coming winter cold and rough."

Here is another that was sure pop:

"If buds the ash before the oak,
You'll surely have a summer's soak;
But if behind the oak the ash is,
You'll only have a few light splashes."

Now, signs are all very well if based on something tangible and reasonably explainable; but how the muskrats, old hens, corn, potatoes and onions got the news months in advance; how the old hens should *cackle-ate eggs-actly* right every time; how the intelligence got into the ears of the corn; what the potatoes underground saw with their eyes, and what weeping prophet told the onions, is, and always will remain, a mystery, as the corn could not tell, having no tongue; the potatoes' eyes had no expression: the onions had only tears to offer; and what the prophets said was worse than nothing, as it was the wisdom of ignorance, while all the others wisely kept silent.

But the old hen was a perfect treasure to the refined weather prognosticator, in another way. The "*Modus Operandi*" to get the information out of her by the new process was, first, kill her, and if on picking the feathers were found to be finer and thicker than usual (the old hen was not fool enough to have it otherwise in the fall), then the story was true beyond contradiction.

Now on going into the forest it was found that the blue jays and squirrels had got ahead of mankind in weather lore; for according to Shakespeare, who is good authority, there are "tongues in trees; books in the running brooks, and sermons in stones," and undoubtedly a good many other babblers were to be found there, that he did not know, or at least, did not tell us of, which the animals had recourse to; for Job says in Chap. II. (I like to give authorities when I can):

"Ask now the beasts and they shall teach thee; and the fowls of the air and they shall tell thee; or speak to the earth, and it shall teach thee; and the fishes of the sea shall declare unto thee." And so they somehow found out without fail every fall, that there was an uncommonly hard winter ahead and very wisely laid up an unusual quantity of nuts, corn, acorns and other bon-bons to enable them to stand it, while the poor humans suffered for their lack of information.

But the science of the ignorant had even then travelled beyond these *sure* signs; and reduced the whole to a chart, and an index, which like an atlas, or a barometer, told the story at sight.

The first of these was the "Goose Weather Chart," which was a standard authority in most houses in the country. This Chart was all the more to be recommended because Nature herself made it, not man; so therefore, it was final proof, not being subject to change or improvement. It was discovered by some wise man or woman, and the wonder is that the discovery had not been made before, it was so plain and sure; that when a goose had been cooked in the *fall*, (spring cooked goose no good) and its breast bone thoroughly dried, it formed an infallible weather chart for the ensuing winter only, as it exhibited streaks and blotches of dark and white, exactly indicative of the coming season; and curiously enough it was observed that toward the neck it grew darker. Now it was declared to be weather gospel, that these bones, however much they might differ one from the other, controlled the next winter's weather, thereby ignoring the weather clerk and his authority; but the rule was that you must begin at the hind part and look forward: if much white first then an early winter: if dark, then winter would "linger in the lap of spring:" much dark indicated rain, much white, snow, many streaks, a changeable winter; sharply defined white and dark in spots, much wind and great drifts: (ice companies will take the hint and get one undoubtedly); but in order that the chart be accurate, it was essential that the bone should be quickly dried: and above all that it should be kept constantly hung *tail up, head down*; otherwise the bone would confuse the weather; or the weather the bone; in which cases the weather would not be according to the bone; or the bone according to the weather, which is all the same thing in the end.

But the Goose Weather Chart only foretold the weather generally for the ensuing winter, so that was not enough; for as there was then no Signal Service man to tell the changes immediately ahead, it became necessary to find some indicator which would be accurate to *claw out* the news; so after many failures, the celebrated "Turkey Leg Index" was invented, and on careful trial acknowledged by experts to be a perfect thing for the intended purpose. The secret of making and operating the "Index" was as follows: Take the legs of your Thanksgiving Turkey (none other need apply), let them soak three days in strong salt and water, to which add on the last day a little borax, to make them sensitive to the atmospheric currents; then procure a straight grained piece of white pineboard (any other might fail), place thereon the left leg *claw up* across the centre of it; then balance the right one on top *claw down* lengthwise the board; then place the board in a safe place with the upper claw pointing north; and *when* you found the claw drawn to the west it would be fair weather; but if to the east, *fowl* weather, without any equivocation or evasion whatsoever.

This was never known to fail (so said) if well prepared, but it took a nice eye to determine whether or not it turned at all; but if the blockheads were at fault, the experts could tell readily enough when it moved; but by an accident it was found out that if the leg of a cock turkey and one of a hen were used, the claws would always "join hands." Consequently the index would fail to operate.

The twelve days of Christmas were said to govern the weather of the twelve months succeeding, and it was common to keep a record for reference.

Candlemas day had an important part to play in making the weather for the rest of the winter, for it was declared and believed, that

"If Candlemas day be fair and bright,
Winter will have another flight.
But if the day be dark with rain,
Winter's gone, not to come again."

Here is a variant of the above.

"The sunbeams shed on Candlemas day,
Will mark the spot where snow will lay
'Ere winter's storms and winter's cold
Have melted into April's gold."

Another variant.

"As far as the sun shines in on Candlemas day,
So far, will the snow blow in before May."

Another old saw.

"If the wind's in the east on Candlemas day,
There it will stick, till the second of May."

One more.

Candlemas day,
Half your corn and half your hay.

The days of the week were all important when to plant, Friday being the worst.

Read the authority.

"Monday good,
Tuesday better;
Wednesday best
To sow or cover.
Thursday less,
On Friday stop;
Saturday fill
Your Sunday pot."

But Friday was anathematised still worse:

"Don't plant or sow your seed Friday,
For if you do, your crops won't pay;
But Wednesday put in all you can,
And fall will make you laugh, good man."

The months each had its ditty.

JANUARY.

"As the days begin to lengthen,
The cold begins to strengthen."

ANOTHER.

"If January's moods be summerly gay,
There'll be wintry weather to the end of May."

FEBRUARY.

"All the months of the year,
Curse a warm Februeer."

MARCH.

"If March like a lion comes roaring in,
'Twill bleat like a sheep ere April begin;
But if in its coming, 'tis mild and clear,
Then the lion's dread roar will April bear."

OR A SHORTER WAS.

"When March comes in like a lion, it will go out like a lamb."

APRIL.

"When April blows his horn
It's good for hay and corn."

MAY.

"Rain in May and heat in June,
Makes the harvest come right soon."

JUNE.

"Calm weather in June
Sets the corn in tune."

ANOTHER.

June sunny
Harvest early."

JULY.

"If the first of July be rainy weather,
'Twill rain more or less for four weeks together."

AUGUST.

"Wet August and warm
Does the corn no harm."

SEPTEMBER.

"A ground that's dry, and sun that's hot,
Will ripe the crops, and fill the pot."

OCTOBER.

"October's Indian Summer days
Depart and leave November grays."

NOVEMBER.

"November comes with looks of woe,
And hoar locks fleckered o'er with snow."

DECEMBER.

"When Christmas is white,
The Churchyard is lean;
But fat is the Churchyard,
When Christmas is green."

A variant of above reads

"When Christmas is green, Churchyards grow fat,
But a snowy mantle cures all that."

The moon according to old tradition was responsible for much of the bad weather.

"Clear moon
Frost soon."

Another,

"Full moon fair,
Brings frost in air."

Still another:

"If the moon on Saturday be new or full,
It always did rain, and it always will."

There was a notion that, "when the moon lies on her back" a dry time might be expected because the rain then could not run over her horns.

Read the authority.

"When the moon's horns are up,
She holds wet like a cup;
But when she tips over,
Then down comes the shower."

A ring or halo around the moon portended foul weather and the old poet told the story quite cleverly.

"When Boreas with the moon doth wed,
The nuptial ring shows showers ahead.
So many stars in the ring you see,
So many days ere the rain there'll be."

Longfellow in his "Wreck of the Hesperus," sets forth the same idea.

"Then up and spake an old sailor,
Had sailed the Spanish main;
I pray thee put into yonder port,
For I fear a hurricane.

"Last night the new moon had a golden ring,
And tonight no moon we see.
The skipper he blew a whiff from his pipe,
And a scornful laugh laughed he."

A few other old sayings some people will probably remember as having heard.

"If the cock crows on going to bed,
He'll surely rise with a watery head."

"When the peacock loudly bawls,
Soon we'll have both rain and squalls."

"When the mist comes from the hill,
The weather clerk will water spill;
But when the mist comes from the sea,
Then good weather it will be."

"When the sun shines through the rain,
The Devil is thrashing his wife again."

"Rainbow in the morning
Is the sailor's warning;
Rainbow at night
Is the sailor's delight."

The above quotations might be supplemented by some poorer ones, but the above list it is believed, contains all worth preserving.

Some of these old signs have a solid base, but the most are worthless, for not until the winter is so far advanced that you can say with the poet,

"The queen of the spring, as she passed down the vale,
Left her robe on the trees, and her breath on the gale."

Can you tell anything about it; but if you wish to try the old saws, use the "Goose weather chart" and the "Turkey Leg Index," as they are safe, but the old hen, is doubtful.

In order to show the difference between ancient guessing, and to-day's science, I give ten reliable rules: also ten good modern saws in antique dress:

TEN RULES.

1. Wherever a warm and cold air come together, there the storm forms; so that, when the wind blows from the north, a storm is forming to the southwest, where it meets the warm air; if from the south, it is forming where you are, or to the north.

2. A sudden change in the temperature indicates that a storm is forming near by; if colder, to the south; if warmer, to the north.

3. A north wind in cloudy weather indicates fair weather; a south one in fair weather, foul weather.

4. The wind never blows straight, but always in a circle, and always from right to left; and the heavier it is, the smaller the circle; so that, if a storm is upon you, it came from the right of the direction of the wind.

5. Stratus clouds stretching across the sky, always indicate the coming of a warmer wind from a long distance, and foretell a storm.

6. The white-capped clouds called "Cirrus" and "Mackerel sky," are the highest known, and usually mean fair weather, but if they come from the southward, increase and form "stratus," look out for wind and rain.

7. Cumulus or "cotton bale clouds" indicate local evaporation; and in quantity, a short violent storm, forming close to windward; if they decrease early in the afternoon, no storm will ensue.

8. Frost and dew, each, mean fair weather. Halos and sundogs, foul weather.

9. High clouds, foretell fair weather; low ones, foul weather.

10. A high daybreak, indicates cloudy weather, or wind; a low one fair weather.

TEN MODERN SAWS.

1. If winter's steady cold, little snow your boots'll hold,
But if it is warm, high boots'll do no harm.
2. The hotter the air, the more moisture's there,
But when it is cold, hardly any it'll hold.
3. When the clouds fly low, there'll be rain or snow,
But when they fly high, look out for blue sky.
4. When swallows low fly, wet weather is nigh.
If they skim the trees, no wet's in the breeze,
5. When bees all rush home, look west for the storm,
If they fly away quick, hay's safe for a week.
6. When hot air strikes cold, or cold air strikes hot,
Get out your umbrella, your rubbers and coat.
7. If shepherd "North Wind" drives sheep in the sky,
Leave at home your umbrella and rubbers to dry.
8. But if they both to the north disappear,
Look south and east for the wolves that are near.
9. If flowers shut up when morning appears,
The bright day will vanish, and end in tears.
10. But if it is cloudy, and flowers open bright,
No rain will follow from morning till night.

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BARRETT HAS THE LEAD.

In the race for the Republican nomination for Governor Editor Barrett of the *Record* is, to all appearances, several sled-lengths ahead of his competitors at the present time.

What changes are liable to take place during the summer none are so wise as to correctly foretell.

☞ Another change in the proprietorship and management of the *Boston Evening Traveller* has taken place within a few days. The old owners have retired and new hands are at the bellows. Just what the future course of the paper towards the two old parties is going to be is hard to say, but it is gleaned from the official announcement of the new concern that the *Traveller* hereafter will be strongly Native American, anti-Roman Catholic, a staunch supporter of the American School system and foe to Parochial Schools, a Prohibitionist, and several other things rather out of the line of Boston dailies. It will be ably edited; outside and local news departments are promised extra care; current questions will be handled with skill; and it is not easy to see why the *Traveller's* "new departure" may not be a profitable one to its proprietors and the public.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

M. Clark—Citation.
J. H. Cass—Pictures.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Thos. Wilson—To Let.
H. J. Smith & Co.—Music.
Pettengill & Co.—Wankenhose.
JOURNAL Office—Baby Carriage, Van Dusen N. Co.—"A Chance."

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— See Willard Smith's new ad.

— Read Mr. Wilson's "To Let" in this paper.

— The Tidd tannery has stopped putting in hides.

— Reporters' tables have been put into the Courtroom.

— Mr. E. C. Cottle is a member of the firm of M. C. Hight.

— Copeland & Bowser sell the Waukenhose, a new stocking.

— Duncan's leather manufactory on Munroe street is idle.

— Mr. E. F. Stevens is a guest of the Ocean House, Swampscott.

— There was no school on Monday afternoon on account of the rain.

— The Hibernians held a picnic at Pierce's Grove last Saturday.

— The fire early yesterday morning was at O'Rouke's on Lake Avenue.

— Mr. Parker L. Richardson is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

— The figures are all correct in City Auditor Preston's report for June.

— Mrs. Timothy Winn has gone to her summer home on Marblehead Neck.

— A public exhibition of drawings is in progress at the High School building.

— Mrs. C. P. Wyman is staying among friends at Peabody for a week or two.

— A revised Fire Alarm Directory is printed on another page of this paper.

— Mrs. Daniel H. Lane and Mrs. E. H. Wright are at home on Marblehead Neck.

— Mr. Bond, Clerk of the District Court, is visiting the home of his boyyood in Vermont.

— Miss Annie E. Cook is enjoying the finest kind of sea breezes at Rockport on Cape Ann.

— The Board of Trade discussed "Sidewalks" and enjoyed a fine supper last Monday evening.

— Mr. Charles F. Lyford and lady and Mrs. Granville Garland are summering at Marblehead.

— Dr. Frank W. Graves and J. Henry Parker have been viewing Southern battlefields of late.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade contemplates the erection of a business and residence block on Main street.

— The *City Press* wades into Rev. Hugh Montgomery sheeting width. Editor O'Neil is a "sassy" one!

— There was never before such charming June weather as we have had this week. Oh, *such* breezes!

— Land Agent Gregory sold the McGaffigan property on Main st. last week to John O'Connell for $1425.

— Charlie Brown, the popular news dealer, is about to settle on Scott street, a fashionable part of the city.

— John G. Maguire, Esq., is at the head of the Mutual Aid Society which is experiences a healthy boom just now.

— The members of Clinton Hose 6 have been furnished with a neat new uniform by J. W. Hammond & Son of this city.

— Miss Grace Mayland Cummings received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at Wellesley at the Commencement last Tuesday.

— Court and City Messenger Edward Simonds banquetted at Young's last week with a lot more of Massachusetts Messengers.

— People who love green apple pies (who does not?) will find just what they want at Durward's popular provision and fruit market.

— A committee of citizens appeared before the Board of Aldermen last night to urge an appropriation for a 4th of July celebration.

— City Clerk Moreland laid the JOURNAL under obligations to him a few days ago for courtesies in the shape of official information needed.

— The schools are out. Commencement days are over. The long summer vacation has set in. Now, boys and girls, pitch in and have a good time.

— The length of days is on the downhill grade again. Today is one minute shorter than yesterday, and they will keep on doing so until next December.

— President Alex Grant announced at the last meeting of the Board of Trade that that association would soon bo duly incorporated. Good idea.

— Miss Jennie Gallagher has recently graduated at the State Normal School at Salem. She is a daughter of James Gallagher of Hudson st.

— To put out a small blaze on the roof of Mr Warren Fox's leather factory on Kilby street last Wednesday morning the firemen were summoned.

— Cummings school class '90 held their first reunion with a member, Daniel Dimick, 47 Fowle st., last Tuesday evening. It was an agreeable affair.

— Richardson Brothers, who have one of the biggest steam laundries in the country, propose to enlarge their plant at an early day. They are a prosperous firm.

— John McEleney says the leather business is full as dull at Olean, N. Y., where he has been at work, as it is here. Well, it is dull enough here, mercy knows.

— The lengthy and very interesting narative in this paper to which the signature of City Collector John G. Maguire is appended, would seem to mean business.

— Mrs. James C. Richardson's present address is New London, Conn., instead of Princeton, N. J., as heretofore. Her daughter Alice was in this city a few days since.

— An estimable lady on Church Ave. was delighted with a big bunch of roseeponies which Mr. Fred A. Flint sent her last Tuesday, and returned hearty thanks for the same.

— Mr. James R. Wood of Salem street, this city, was the detective in working up the case and the trial of Freeman for murdering his mother-in-law which come off in Vermont last week.

— A gang of men began to raze the old roundhouse here last Tuesday. It was reported that Waterman Brown, the gateman, dropped a tear on receipt of the news, but the story could not be verified.

— Cummings, Chute & Co. are enterprising and successful hay, grain and provender merchants in which, they enjoy a large and lucrative trade. They supply some of the largest consumers in this city.

— Mr. Henry L. Andrews, of the printing firm of Andrews, Cutler & Co., will probably spend his summer vacation at Lubec, Maine, near the "Jumping-off Place," and will go there about the first of August.

— We knew it was coming, for it was a wet moon. Not content with raining all last Thursday it set in again Saturday night; cleared away partially for Sunday; and just poured all Sunday night and the better part of Monday.

— Judge Edward Johnson will take his seat on the Bench of the Middlesex Fourth District Court, as successor to Judge P. L. Converse, who has filled the position with ability, impartiality and credit for several years, on next Wednesday morning.

— O'Neil's *City Press* went on and told all about what a fine building Mr. Lawrence Reade is thinking of building on his Main street property and winds up his narrative by informing the public that the cost of these important improvements will be $8!

— Mr. J. R. Nason of Central Square had the carriage he was riding in last Saturday quite badly used up by being run into near Webster's store by a fruit team driven by a couple of boys. Mr. Nason is a great sufferer from rheumatism, but fortunately escaped without injury.

— Coombs & Brown will have one of the best machine shops in the county when the one now being built for them on Park st. is completed. J. M. Ellis & Son drove the piles for the foundation and a more solid one for a building was never made. Coombs & Brown will have a fine place of business pretty soon.

— The graduating ceremonies of the St. John's Parochial School took place yesterday forenoon and were very interesting. The exercises were varied and were witnessed by a large concourse of people. Graduating honors will be conferred upon Miss Frances H. Mahoney, Miss Susie Brophy and Miss Delia A. Cook.

— The "Junior Clerks" is a team at Woburn Centre composed of the following expert baseballists: Daniel McSweeney, C. L Fish, L. E. Brown, B. Willoughby, E. Callahan, P. H. Greeney, J. G. Murdock, Robert Russell, Joseph Shea. Address all communications to Daniel McSweeney, Captain, 369 Main street, Woburn.

— Mr. John Henry Cass has opened a first class picture and picture frame store in Mann's Building, 502 Main street, where is to be found one of the finest stocks and largest varieties that was ever offered for sale in Woburn. He manufactures all kinds of frames, keeps all sorts of pictures, and his prices are lower than in Boston.

— Report says that Mr. Richard Carton, the old (in service) and popular B. & L. Railroad Conductor; A. T. Webber, Yard master; and other employees of the B. & M. So. Div. who would be compelled by the change of point for making up suburban trains to go to Wilmington to live, will resign their positions as soon as the change is made.

— Organist Clarke arranged a musical service for the First Congregational church last Sunday which everyone greatly enjoyed. It was composed of the old hymns, psalms, anthems, etc., that our forefathers and foremothers used to sing—a kind of redivivus of the old "Bridgewater Collection"—and nothing better in the way of church music could have been produced.

— A card was received at this office a day or two since which announced that the wedding of Frank H. Greene and Minnie Davison was duly solemnized at Geneseo, Illinois, on Tuesday, June, 16 inst. Both bride and groom were old neighbors and friends of the Editor's family, who wish them a long life and a happy one, "and many returns of the same."

— Mr. S. Franksford Trull has been elected President of the Mishawum Club, a position which he has filled in years past with credit to himself and honor to the organization. He is an old member of the Club and was among the very first to receive its suffrages. Mr. Trull is a typical club man—gentlemanly, urbane, generous hearted, and a favorite with everybody.

— A few days ago Gregory, the real estate dealer, exchanged 138 shares of the Johnston Electric Signal Co's stock of Woburn with Mr. Keeler, head of the great furniture house Keeler & Co., 91 Washington st., Boston, for three house lots on Vernon st. in this city, on which, it is thought, the purchaser will soon erect some nice residences. They are in a pleasant locality and every way desirable.

— The recently elected officers of Brewster Colony of Pilgrim Fathers are: Governor H. S. Dickinson; Lieut. Governor, Mary M. Beach of West Medford; Secretary, A. L. Perham; Treasurer, Parker L. Eaton; Collector, A. V. Haynes; Sergt-at-Arms, George Anderson; Deputy Sergt-at-Arms, Mrs. A. L. Perham; Chaplain, Miss Tibbetts; Inside Guard, Hiram Childs; Outside Guard, Jos. Stuart.

— A party of Woburn bicycle riders took a trip to Lowell and about there last Sunday. Ronco tested the bottom of his new "safety" and the top of it too, if all stories are true. Haggerty didn't say right out that Dave was on his "safety" about half the time and the safety on *him* the other half, but he might as well have said it as to have winked the way he did when the matter was under discussion. "Them ruts was mortal!"

— Our esteemed friend and respected fellow citizen, Mr. L. W. Cooper, returned from a very pleasant visit to Taunton on Monday last. He reports the alwive crop in that city as most abundant and of the best quality. Mr. Cooper will camp out 8 or 10 days near Biddeford, Me., this summer; also, make a flying trip to Canada; and of course his regular summer visit to Cape Cod, Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, and all along shore.

— Mr. James Skinner and his Transportation Committee of the Board of Trade are entitled to much praise for securing better train service for this city. That 10.30 p. m. train to Boston is a grand good change. Mr. Skinner, ever since the Board of Trade was established, has been untiring in his efforts so secure and bring about improvements for the benefit of Woburn, and a great deal of credit is due him for what he has accomplished on that line.

— Mr. A. E. Reynolds, Doctor of Dentistry, the first female college graduate in the profession, was a prominent figure at the banquet of the Boston Dental College Alumni at Young's, Boston, last week. The lady made an after dinner speech which showed that she is a woman of brains and knows how to put them to a good use. She has recently moved into a splendid office on the corner of Arlington street and Commonwealth Avenue. Our city is proud to claim Mrs. Dr. Reynolds as its own.

— Mr. William F. Cummings of this city, has gone, with his new wife, to Melrose to settle. We are sorry to lose him for he is a good man to have in a place. Last Saturday evening the J. Q. F. Club of this this city went down and paid Mr. and Mrs. Cummings a friendly visit. It was an agreeable time all round. They took along and presented to the newly wedded couple a handsome marble clock as a token of their love and esteem for them which was a great surprise to the recipients, but none the less agreeable on that account.

— Last week Mr. I. E. Williams of this city visited Des Moines, the Capital of Iowa, as a guest of the Equitable Life Insurance Co. of New York, the managers, directors, etc. of which visited that handsome and thrifty city for the purpose of laying the corner stone of their proposed big building there. The party was composed of a large number of Boston and New York gentlemen who enjoyed the trip and visit very much. Mr. Williams was delighted with Des Moines, as indeed were all the visitors, who were entertained in princely style by its citizens and officers.

— Last week Thursday Supt. Fish of the Woburn Electric Light Co. and his subordinates received notice that their resignations would be accepted with pleasure. It is understood that a determination to lessen expenses was the motive for this step on the part of the Co. Supt. Fish is regarded as one of the best men in the electrical business. He understands all the ins and outs of it and is a superior man in carrying on a plant. If he leaves, there are a plenty of electrical concerns that will be only too glad to secure his services. Mr. H W. True is to be Mr. Fish's successor.

— We have been reading all along about Mr. P. G. Hanson of Cambridge street winning prizes for field and garden products from the Massachusetts Horticultural Society and now we have found out how he got them. The magnificent strawberries he raises and which Mr. F. A. Hartwell sells at his market tell the story of Hanson's success in winning premiums. Those strawberries are just splendid—big enough to be eaten with a knife and fork, fair to the eye, luscious to the taste, and fragrant to the nostrils. Mr. Hanson has a rare knack and great luck at such things, and one of cardinal business habits of Hartwell is to have the best of everything that is going.

— It is currently reported that the matter of the new school house at Central Square is not yet settled. It is not unlikely that trouble may grow out of it, the effect of which would not be of the highest benefit to our schools. The fact of the business is, the School Board ought to have been officially invited to come in and help settle on a site for the new building, and why the discourtesy of ignoring them was indulged in by the City Council would be hard to say. All of this trouble, bickering and heartburning might have been avoided had a little common civility been exercised, honorable concessions made, and due deference paid to the rights which belong to official position. But we people here in Woburn have fallen on queer times and doings.

— The great leather firm of Alley Bros. & Place of Boston failed last Tuesday for $450,000. Inability to secure ready money to meet current demands brought on the crash. The firm did a business amounting to $1,500,000 per annum, and their credit stood very high. It is said that Mr. Griffin Place of this city put in at the formation of the co-partnership $200,000, the two Alley's $200,000 each, and J. B. Alley, father of the Brothers, as silent partner, $400,000. Mr. Place is one of our most prominent and public spirited citizens, a man of marked integrity and uprightness of conduct in all the walks of life, and his streak of bad luck will elicit much sympathy in this city. Mr. Place maintains, and so do the Alleys, that the firm will pay dollar for dollar.

— Mr. John E. Russell has been a faithful employee of the North Woburn Street Railroad Company 23 years last Monday. He has served the public and his employers with fidelity all this long period of time, and so familiar has his face become should he for any cause drop out of sight no man in this community would be missed more than he. He saw the N. W. S. R. start in a modest way many years ago and has kept right along with it until the present date. For some time he was the Active Superintendent, the one conductor, general manager, and chief man among them. He has seen the line grow to be one of the most important in Boston's suburbs, and still "Johnny" sticks to his bell-punch and strap. He is and has always been popular with the public and a valuable man for the Company.

— In last Sunday's Boston *Globe* an article appeared nearly a column long under the title of "Men you ought to know" and was a sketch (with portrait) of the personal and professional career of Dr. Ephraim Cutter of New York City, a native and former medical practitioner of Woburn, and a gentleman who stands at the head of his profession and is regarded in this country and Europe as one of the most learned scientists of the day. The article said that as a microscopist Dr. Cutter has no peer in any land, and that he is the owner of a microscope made in Boston several years ago which has the greatest magnifying power of any in the world. The writer claimed much credit for Boston for having made the best instrument of the kind that was ever seen, and also for having once been the field of Dr. Cutter's professional activities. Dr. Cutter stands very high among European savants, especially those of England and Germany.

— Notwithstanding the report that Will W. Crosby of Court street, member of the Innuton Canoe Club, came within a hairs-breadth of being drowned last Friday afternoon, he was seen knocking about the streets very much as usual directly after the news of his wetting got abroad. It is true that his canoe went over and he with it—into Horn Pond; but that did not give him any uneasiness, for he is an expert swimmer and is cool. Officer Marrinan, who had been summoned to the scene of the supposed drowning of Mr. Cyrus Munroe, saw Crosby when he tipped over into the drink, and not knowing who he was and fearing it might be a serious case, hastened to his rescue and found he was not needed. Officer Marrinan did the right thing promptly, but when he reached Crosby that young gentleman was swimming for the shore and taking his canoe along with him. His own being full of water he boarded the Officer's boat and they all went along about their business. Officer Marrinan's and young Crosby's stories agree, so it is safe to say that the latter did not come very near drowning.

A Sword for Capt. E. R. Porter.

Last Friday evening Co. A, W. H. S. B., met at the pleasant home of their Captain, E. R. Porter, son of Veteran Huntington Porter, 92 Pleasant street, and presented him with a regulation sword and belt, also a letter and said. The fine gift was accompanied by an appropriate speech by Lieut. P. D. Carney, which was feelingly replied to by Capt. Porter, although the whole preceeding was a perfect surprise to him. During the evening nice refreshments and a happy time were enjoyed. Quite a large party of guests were present among whom were:

Major Bancroft and ex-Major Wade, Adj. Trull, Lieuts. Carney and Walsh, Sergts. O'Brien, Wade, Stevenson, Simonds and Smith, Corporals, Preston, Russell, Barret and Cauldfield, and Privates, Buxton, Anderson, Clancy, Brophy, Russell, Johnson, Buchanan, Converse, Cummings, Cutler, Doherty, Hoy, Aurd, Kelley, Knights, Sewall, Mahoney, Martin, McCormack, Smith, Stetson and Thornton.

A Salary

With expenses paid will come handy to anyone who is now out of employment, especially where no previous experience is required to get the position. If you want a position, see advertisement on page 3 headed, "A Chance to Make Money."

As was anticipated by those well acquainted with the principles of its manufacture, Mellin's Food has won its way to public favor. This can only be attributed to the unquestioned value of the food in cases of insufficient nutrition or delicate organism.

They Graduated on Last Tuesday.

Class '91, W. H. S., took their diplomas at the hands of Mayor Bean on last Tuesday afternoon in the Cummings School Hall. The Hall had been put into trim for the important occasion and looked very neat.

It didn't seem much like the graduating exercises of past years when Lyceum Hall was always packed with living, crowding, sweating humanity, and every thing else in proportion. Not much! After all had secured seats there was still considerable room left, showing that, for some reason or other, the interest in the W. H. S. commencement day was not at fever heat this year. Possibly the controversy over the question "How to do It" in the School Board and outside of it may have had something to do with the paucity of numbers at the exhibition. Certainly the heat did not interfere with the attendance. Indeed, common experience has proved that always heretofore the hotter the day the bigger crowd in the Hall while the graduating exercises were going on.

Professor Charles Eliot Norton's address was a good one in substance, but the manner of its delivery was slow, stiff and sometimes very indistinct. Principal Mendum's introductory speech opened the ball in an easy, graceful manner and paved the way for Prof. Norton in good shape. Some of the listeners spoke well and some spoke ill of the oration, just as is always the case on similar occasions. It was doubtless a learned and highly polished literary production, useful as well as ornamental, full of intellectual meat, and sound in doctrine, but Mayor Bean's ringing words aroused more enthusiasm and called forth more applause than Prof. Norton's did by a good deal.

The young ladies looked as pretty as pinks in their modest 8-dollar gowns and lovely flowers, and the boys acted out the true gentlemen that they are all through the exercises. Principal Mendum appeared to be very proud of his large, bright, intelligent class, and he had good reason for it.

Whether the new departure in commencement day exercises adopted by Class '91 will eventually prove popular remains to be seen. Certainly the people seemed to like it last Tuesday, and in the judgment of the JOURNAL it seems to be a mode based on good common sense. The following was the order of exercises:

"PRAESIS UT PROSIS."

1. Piano solo. Marcia. Scharwenka
   Miss C. F. Spear.
2. Chorus. The Weird and Gloomy Shadows. Bellini
3. Address. The Importance of the Higher Education.
   Professor Charles Eliot Norton.
4. Chorus. The Pilgrim Fathers. Brown
5. Presentation of Diplomas.
   By His Honor, Mayor George F. Bean.
6. Chorus. Gloria. From Bordese's Mass in F.

Four Years' Course—Irving R. Bancroft, George C. Barker, Amelia E. Bland, Lutie E. Carter, Walter L. Dodge, Mary H. Eaton, Frank S. Ellard, Fannie C. Ferguson, Chester L. Fish, Sarah E. Fosdick, Ellie R. Francis, Mary E. Hargreave, Frederic T. Hovey, Alice R. Linscott, Mamie C. Melendy, Ada M. Munroe, J. Grafton Murdock, Edwin K. Porter, C. Adelaide Richards, Bertha R. Richardson, Florence Royce, Florence M. Sturgis, Blanche L. True, Eliott F. Trull, Redmund E. Walsh, M. Elizabeth West, Abbie M. Winn, Cecilia A. Wyman.

Three Years' Course—Patrick D. Carney, Mary C. Goode, William H. Stevenson, Carrie N. Turnbull.

College Course—Carolyn A. Brown, Carolyn B. Crane, Aileen C. Doyle, J. Chester Hanson, Clara L. Nichols, Helen F. Ordway.

The class reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Murdock, at their residence on Montvale Avenue.

Duly Honored.

Ex-Officers of the W. H. S. B. gave a reception to the present ones on last Friday evening. The affair came off at the handsome residence of Col. W. T. Grammer on Academy Hill and proved to be one which the participants will not forget very soon. It had a high up society air about it and was eminently toney and stylish. The ladies and gentlemen who received were Mrs. Alice M. Grammer and Capt. Homer B. Grant, and Miss Helen Ordway and Major W. W. Wade. A competent Committee of Arrangements carried things through in fine shape. They were Adjt. George W. Buchanan, '88; Capt. Arthur C. Wyer, '89; Major W. W. Wade, '90. An elegant spread was provided and much enjoyed. The grounds were brilliantly illuminated and wore the appearance of a fairy scene. Everything was delightful and joyous. There were present W. F. Kenney, Chairman of the School Committee, Supt. Frank B. Richardson and wife, Principal Mendum, Sarah F. Clarke, Ida A. C. Jacobs, Lena H. Brown, Elizabeth M. Brown, Mary W. Prior, Mary W. Whitcher, Emily H. Brown, Mabel Heathe, Minnie Bowie, Belle Doyle, Helen D. Wade, Edith M. Munroe, Celia A. Wyman, Flora Nichols, Lieut. Harry A. T. Dow, Lieut. J. Winn Brown, Lieut. L. B. Buchanan, Lieut. William W. Crosby, Lieut. G. R. Ferguson, Lieut. Arthur W. Tidd, Lieut. Fred W. Prior, Lieut. James L. Skinner, Lieut. P. A. Caulfield, past officers; Maj. Irving R. Bancroft, Capt. W. L. Fox and wife, Bertha Stevens, Miss Brainard, Edith Ramsdell, Katherine Ramsdell, Gertrude M. Bickford, Ada Munroe, Carrie B. Crane, Florine York, Annie H. Johnson, Lettie Carter, Addie Richards, Louise Thurston, William T. Grammer, F. E. Wetherell and wife, William L. Murdock, Capt. Harry Brown, Capt. John E. Gilcreast, Capt. Stillman Shaw, Capt. J. H. Parker, Jr., Adjt. E. F. Trull, Q. M. George G. Barker, Capt. J. C. Hanson, Capt. E. K. Porter, Lieut. P. D. Carney, Lieut. Fred Hovey, Lieut. W. L. Dodge, Lieut. R. D. Walsh, Sergt-Maj. J. G. Murdock, Sergt. O. M. Wade, Jr.

Board of Aldermen.

This body held a regular monthly meeting last week Thursday evening at which Mayor Bean presided.

The confirmation of Mr. Elisha F. Hayward, appointed by the Mayor for Registrar of Voters, was refused.——Petitions were received from Charles Buckley, Samuel E. Wyman, Charles R. Brown, William H. Curtis, Eliphaz Prior and John Lynch for licenses to sell fire works. Upon motion of Alderman Davis the rules were suspended and immediate action taken. It was then unanimously voted to grant licenses to the petitioners allowing them to sell fireworks from the 2nd to the 6th proximo, inclusive of both days.——Petition from Thomas Crosby, Taylor, and Courey for licenses to collect junk were referred to the Committee of Police.——Petition of L. W. Thompson and others for a renewal of State Aid to John Martin.——Pet. of John Meehan for pool license referred.

A favorable report was submitted by Highway Committee as to building sidewalks and putting in curbing on the premises of L. W. Cooper. Also favorable in regard to placing edge stones in front of the estates of Samuel F. Trull, Catherine McEleney, C. H. Buss, and C. Hertkorn and in regard to granting permission to the Pantasote Leather Company to lay tracks across New Boston and Merrimac streets and their action was endorsed by the Board.

The Committee on Finance reported favorably an order transferring the sum of $2,900 from the Miscellaneous Department to be expended as follows; $2,000 for Highways, $400 for Almshouse and $500 for repairs on City Hall.——They also reported "inexpedient" in the matter of creating a new department to be known as the Special Sidewalk Fund. The action of the Committee was indorsed in both cases.——License to collect junk was granted to L. Obest and further consideration will be given to petitions of John Dwyer and Johnson & Gavin.——Mr. Walsh then moved to rescind an order previously passed by the Board for the purpose of closing all entrances to the premises of licensed liquor dealers other than those from the public street or streets. Lost.

Adjourned to June 25.

Children's Day.

The Unitarian Sunday School have a fair prospect before them for a very nice time on next Sunday, which will be their "Children's Day," an institution of quite modern origin. There will also be a christening service.

The exercises will take place in the church at the usual hour (10.30 a. m.). There will be special music by the Sunday School and choir assisted by Mr. Cushman, the eminent tenor soloist of Boston.

The programme has been thus arranged:

PROGRAMME.

Address to School,
By the Pastor, Rev. H. C Parker
Hymn, "Summer Days," School
Carol, "Come forth with your garlands," School
Song, "Days of Summer Glory," School
Carol, "Each little flower that opens, School
Song, "Heavenly Shepherd," School

Members of the Sunday School are requested to meet in the vestry at 10.15 a. m.

The Almshouse.

There are a plenty of people in the world, and some of them live right here in Woburn, who cherish the idea that it is no trick at all to conduct city Almshouses; that the Masters and Matrons of them have what is known in common parlance "a soft snap;" that they are paid handsome salaries for doing next to nothing. An address recently delivered by Mr. John F. McCarty, Chairman of the Board of Overseers for Lynn, before the Woman's Suffrage League of that city, on "Management of Poor Departments of Cities," as published in the Lynn *Item*, contained the following on "Almshouse" which is commended to the careful perusal of people who think that Superintendents of Almshouses have an easy time of it. What is said in the extract concerning the manifold and multifarious duties of the Master and Matron of the Lynn Almshouse applies with equal force to all others that are properly kept.

"The labor of the Superintendent may be better understood when I relate a few of his countless duties. He receives all newcomers to the Almshouse and enters their names, birthplace, connections and history, in a book prepared for that purpose. He furnishes them with suitable clothing, sees that they are properly cleansed, instructs them in the rules governing the institution, looks after the supplies, arranges for the religious exercises which are held in the chapel connected with the house, on every Sunday evening, superintends the large farm, including the live stock, visits the Overseers' room at the City Hall, for special orders each day, "listens to the tale of woe" from the inmates, and in short, is "on duty" 24 hours each day.

"The Matron's duties are no less arduous. In addition to the general superintending of the house she has the direct care of the sick, and this part of her labor is most trying and difficult.

"When it is known that the greater portion of the people admitted to the Almshouse are old and decrepit, some of them actually tottering upon the very verge of the grave, and many suffering from both loathsome and lingering diseases, it can be better understood what the good, motherly, kind-hearted Matron has to endure. At the Almshouse last month there was no less than five deaths, and all the work of preparing the bodies for the grave devolves upon the Superintendent and the Matron.

"I believe it is better to give outside or partial relief, wherever it is practicable, for my observation leads me to think that when once a person is admitted to an Almshouse whatever ambition they formerly held deserts them, and they very seldom leave the institution for any great length of time."

For Probation Officer.

The new law respecting the treatment by the Courts of intoxicated persons will go into effect on the first day of July next. Among its other merciful and salutary features there is one which provides for the appointment by the Court of a Probation Officer who, in a great measure, will hold the punishment for intoxication in his keeping. It is admitted on all hands that this office is a very important one not only as it relates to the unfortunate victim of strong drink but in its attitude towards the Magistrate and the public.

To fill the place as it ought to be filled experience with Courts, a good share of practical sense, familiarity with the habits of the drinking classes, a heart, human sympathy, and some other qualities not so common among men as they might be, are essential.

Does the reader think of anyone who would fill this bill to a charm—who would answer all these requirements better than any other man in Woburn? Several people have suggested the name of Mr. Edward Simonds to the JOURNAL as the most fitting person for the position that could be found. He answers perfectly to all the qualifications above set forth, and we have no hesitation in saying the appointment of Mr. Simonds would meet with general approval from our people. He is just the man for the place.

Judge Johnson, son-in-law of Mr. Simonds, is the person to fill the post. He and Mr. Simonds might think the appointment of the latter would savor too much of nepotism and decline to make the arrangements, but the community would not so regard it. It is said by many friends of the people of this Judicial District would sign a petition for Mr. Simonds if the opportunity was offered them to do so.

Silver—Brown.

The residence of Jacob Brown, E-q., 23 Canal street, this city, was the scene of a gay and brilliant wedding party on Wednesday evening last, the chief actors in which were Miss Anna Theodora, the accomplished daughter of the host (who is a member of the firm of A. S. & J. Brown of Boston), and Mr. Elmer Ellsworth Silver, a prominent and honored citizen of Newton.

The parlors, drawingrooms, halls and chambers of Mr. Brown's handsome residence were magnificently illuminated and filled with rare flowers and plants whose brilliancy and fragrance added a charm to the fair surroundings.

The connubial knot was tied by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational church of this city, assisted by Rev. M. H. Bixby, D. D., of Providence R. I., and the rite was solemnized with the bridal pair standing under an arch of beautiful flowers. A fine orchestra discoursed delightful music during the evening.

Miss Isabella Brown, niece of the bride, was maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were six of her lady friends.

Mr. E. H. Alger was best man, and the ushers were J. Winn Brown of this city, A A. Silver, F. D. Beattys, F. W. Matteson, George Cutler, Jr., and W. E. Blodgett.

The couple started on a tour and upon their return will reside in Newton.

Singer—Charman.

Last Thursday evening there was a very pretty June wedding at the residence of Mr. Frank Charman, No. 30 Union street, this city, which was made beautiful and fragrant with June roses, daisies and other wedding flowers for the occasion.

Quite a large party of relatives and invited guests assembled in the brilliantly lighted parlors of the Charman home to witness the interesting ceremony, performed by Rev. Daniel D. Winn, pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, which made Mr. Edward Singer and Miss Lillian Charman man and wife. Everything passed off delightfully, and all enjoyed the occasion very much.

Miss Lilian, now Mrs. Singer, is the daughter of Mr. Frank Charman, and one of Woburn's very best young ladies; while Mr. Singer, the groom, is entirely worthy of a matrimonial prize so rare.

The JOURNAL sends hearty greetings to the happy couple, and thanks for a generous slice of the bridal loaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Singer will return from their honeymoon trip to Maine in a fortnight or so and settle down to real life.

Andruss—Agnew.

At the St. Charles Parsonage on Summer street, last Wednesday evening, Rev. Lawrence W. Slattery, Assistant Pastor of St. Charles R. C.) Church, united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. Edward I. Andruss and Miss Katherine Joseph Agnew, both of this city.

At the close of the ceremonies at the hymenial alter the happy pair repaired to their new home, No. 694 Main street, where some 50 of their relatives and friends were warmly welcomed and generously entertained. Before sitting down to a fine wedding supper some time was spent in looking at the large number of handsome and valuable presents which had been received by bride and groom. The rooms were gay and fragrant with beautiful flowers.

There was a wedding dance, too, and a pleasant evening for all present. The JOURNAL offers congratulations.

The Mechanic Phalanx.

When this old Military Company elected Lieut. Charles F. Spear Captain last week it did a thing for itself that couldn't be improved upon very well, for it will put a stop to all further wrangling and prove the starting point for greater prosperity and efficiency than ever before.

Capt. Spear is well deserving the high honor he received. He used to be a member of the Salem Cadets, has long trained with Co. G., and has the true military spirit in him. These fit him for successful command and no better man for the office could have been selected. Quarrelling will cease under his authority, and the Woburn Phalanx will soon regain its old place among the Military of the State, that is, away up near the top.

CITY OF WOBURN.

Collector's Sale

—OF—

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., June 16, 1891.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1890, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **SATURDAY, July 25, A. D. 1891,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1890, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

ANNIE M. DOWNEY.—About one-half acre of land with buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Buck street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Buck street; southerly by a private way; westerly by land of the City of Woburn, and northerly by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs, by land of J. C. Hodge's heirs, and by land of Owen Conlan.
Tax of 1890, $25 57

MARY DUFFY.—About 5,100 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Lake Avenue; westerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; northerly by other land of said Mary Duffy, and easterly by land of Patrick E. Tenney.
Tax of 1890, $33 83

MARY DUFFY.—About 69,100 square feet of land, situate in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—
Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on Main street, and at land of one McHugh; thence the line runs westerly by land of said McHugh, 240 feet to an angle; thence northerly still by land of said McHugh, 37 feet to land of Buck; thence westerly by land of said Buck, 204 feet to land of Richardson; thence southerly by land last named, 329 feet to Lake Avenue; thence easterly by said Lake Avenue, 163 feet to other land of said Mary Duffy; thence northerly by land last named, 90 feet to an angle; thence easterly still by other land of Mary Duffy, 60 feet to land of Tenney; thence again northerly by land of Tenney, 28 feet to an angle; thence again easterly by land of said Tenney, 240 feet to said Main street; thence northerly on and by said Main street, 100 feet to the point of beginning.
Tax of 1890, $24 75

PATRICK E. TENNEY.—About 78,250 square feet of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly on and by said Main street; southerly on and by Lake Avenue; northerly by land now or formerly of one Duffy; easterly also by land of said Duffy.
Tax of 1890, $154 28

JAMES MCDONALD.—About 11-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Canal street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Canal Street; northerly by land of the City of Woburn and by land of Nicholas Murphy; easterly by land of Mary E. Lombard; southerly by Buckman street.
Tax of 1890, $79 20

ALEXANDER EASLEY, et al.—About 4345 square feet of land, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by land of Callahan 55 feet; southerly by land of Clapp 79 feet; westerly by land of Colamore (now or formerly) 55 feet; northerly by land of Filicld. Also, the lot of land bounded westerly by land of Fitchett and by land now or late of Jaquith; easterly by Foole street, 20 feet; easterly by land formerly of Svenson, 93 feet, and by Callahan, 25 feet, and southerly by lot first described, 20 feet. Being the same premises described in deed of Caleb H. Jaquith to said Easley and James E. Foster, dated July 12, 1888, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1865, Page 48.
Tax of 1890, $5 78

MOSES A. TYLER HEIRS.—About 7-16 acres of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Main street; northerly by land formerly of Woburn A. and M. Association; easterly by land of Michael Murphy, and by a private way; southerly by land of Garland heirs, and by land of George J. Munroe, and land of Charles W. Filield, and E. W. Jaquith.
Tax of 1890, $80 85

WALTER W. BENNETT.—About ¼ acre of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Pleasant street; southerly on and by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs; easterly by land of Eliza Fowle.
Tax of 1890, $41 25

JAMES CALLAHAN.—About 10,000 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situ

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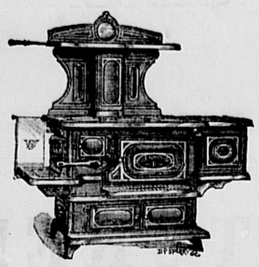

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A Few Old Settlers.

Changes of all kinds are constantly going on in the world. Mutability is stamped on nearly everything mundane. Communities, families, individuals, change continually. Kinds of business and those who do them succeed each other swiftly. Men are here to-day and somewhere else to-morrow. Empty buildings and barred doors are all that is left of a once flourishing trade in one place: enterprise, thrift and business success have grown up where there was nothing before.

But some men and some occupations, measured by years of our time, seem stable. There is a permanency about them which forms an exception to the general rule. In almost every community there are "old standbys," and have been so long that at last they have come to be regarded as fixtures—as social and business institutions that are well nigh unchangable. We can boast of a few of them here in Woburn. Let us see: there is

Mr. William Woodbury, still hale and hearty and daily attending to his dry goods store, who began trade here in 1834—57 years ago.

The A. and M. Association was organized in 1830. Mr. John Johnson has been its head nearly all the 61 years of its existence.

The First National Bank of Woburn was established as a State institution in 1853, and as a National Bank in 1865.

The mercantile firm first known as Gage & Fowle and subsequently as G. R. Gage & Co. was formed in 1842; Mr. Fred A. Flint came 1866; and Mr. Gage retired only a few months ago.

Joseph W. Hammond first went into business here in 1851—40 years ago. The Lyceum Hall Association, of which Mr. Hammond is President and active manager, was incorporated in 1852

Mr. Leonard Thompson has carried on the hardware trade very successfully ever since 1852.

The Five Cents Savings Bank, of which Mr. James Dow was first Treasurer and Clerk, and which offices have been filled for several years by Mr. Edward Everett Thompson, was established in 1854.

The grocer who has done a larger volume of business annually than any other in Woburn and who is still the leading man in that line, is Mr. Alexander Ellis, corner Main and High streets. He began his mercantile career here in 1854—37 years ago, and his store was that now occupied by Mr. Hayward.

Mr. Alvah Buckman began as a merchant here in 1857, and has been very successful. His business is boots and shoes.

Mr. Frederick A. Hartwell has carried on a meat, vegetable and fruit market here since 1864, and comes easily into the category of "Old Times."

The above named gentlemen are alive, smart, and doing large and lucrative businesses to-day.

Not much mutability there!

(Written for the Journal).

In Memoriam.

By the death of ABBIE WARREN NICKLES the class of '63, Woburn High School, loses yet another of its members. Everyone who knew her loved Abbie Warren—teachers, schoolmates, neighbors, friends—and it is fitting that the one who best loved her, who was associated with her in closest friendship from the time our yellow chairs stood side by side in the small Main street primary, on through the varying grades of school life to the day of graduation, should lay this simple tribute on her grave.

Memory fails to recall one happy day of childhood that was not brightened by her presence. Possessing a remarkably sunny temperament, with a keen sense of humor and ready flow of language, there was always a sparkle in her eye, a merry word on her lip; and in later life when troubles came as they come to all of us soon or late, she bore them with silent, patient fortitude that deepened our love and respect.

Inheriting a considerable degree of musical talent she was always our leader in that department of school life. Her voice was unusually sympathetic in quality both in speaking and singing. Although having an abundance of this world's goods she possessed an untiring industry, always happiest when her hands were busy. It is a testimony that will be borne out by all who knew her that her disposition was of the sweetest and sunniest, her spirit without malice or guile, her friendship steadfast, her heart true; and to the writer who reached her grave as the earth was smoothed over the top, too late to look on the peaceful face that rested so quietly on its fern-fringed pillow, it seemed as if part of herself were laid away in this sundering of a friendship that for long, long years had known neither shadow nor turning, in this hush of a well-loved voice that death had stilled.

Yet, when our feet grow weary
To rest is meet.
The day's task bravely finished
To sleep is sweet.
And what hath such awaking
As sleep like this,
When death's closed eyes are wakened
With Heaven's own kiss!

—S. C. P.

Miss Marion Foster, the crippled artist, is now a clerk at the Treasury Department at Washington.

Summer Bargains

June 1891.

We thank all of our customers for a very successful Spring Trade.

We will continue to keep the ball moving by offering

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Special Bargains.

Ladies' Shoulder Capes, the balance of our Spring Stock. Half price.

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Colored Velvet Ribbons, a job lot. Regular Prices 75c., $1.00 and $1.25.

Black Lace Flouncing and Drapery Lace marked down to 50c., 75c. and $1.00 a yard, former price from 75c. to $2.00.

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Children's Muslin Caps, marked down from $1.00, $1.25, $1.75 and $2.00

White Embroidered Muslin Flouncings, 40 in. wide, 37½c., 50c. and 75c. a yard.

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White Lace Edging, marked down to close. Slow sellers.

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Serg't. Ambler—That "Technicality."

EDITOR, WOBURN JOURNAL: I found the following in the Woburn *City Press* of last Saturday and take the liberty, by your leave, to correct the writer on a single point through the columns of your excellent paper.

"It is a clear case of justice too long deferred, which denies to Sergt. I. W. Ambler the recognition at the hands of the Government to which he is so well entitled on account of services rendered in the Civil War. With such abundant proof of these service" furnished by the leading generals and officers under whose eyes these services were rendered, and with the honorable scars which attest his fidelity to duty, it is a shame that he has remained until this late day unrecompensed. The technicality of a clerical error should not stand between Sergt. Ambler and the generous recognition of the Government for the preservation of which he made so many sacrifices, and if his case continues to be treated with the same neglect that has characterized the Goverment's treatment of him thus far, it will be a stigma upon the nation's justice and generosity."

The Editor of the *City Press* has fallen into the popular error respecting Sergeant Ambler's case, that is, that he was not legally enrolled in the U. S. service at the begining of the Great Southern Rebellion, and therefore was not entitled to any pay for services in that terrible struggle for National existence. The Editor of the JOURNAL, I noticed, fell into the same error week before last, and so also has nearly every other person who has written or said anything on the subject.

Now, the truth of the matter is, Sergeant Ambler WAS duly and legally enrolled as a soldier of the United States very soon after the Rebellion broke out, and these are the facts that prove it:

He joined the 6th Maine Regiment and instructed its officers and men in the use of military arms, having once been drill-master in the English Army. He went to the front with the 6th. On a certain date in the early summer of 1861, when with the Army in Virginia, Col. Burnham of that Regiment accompanied him to the War Department in Washington where, in the presence of the Secretary of War, Sergt. Ambler's name was duly enrolled as a Union soldier. That record is now in the archives of the War Office, but up to the present time search for it has proved abortive. It is to obtain money to prosecute that search, or to secure Congressional aid, that the brave old soldier is now trying to sell his "Life."

Sergt. Ambler was duly enrolled as a volunteer at the War Office in the presence of the Sec'y of War and yet what it owes him for his invaluable services this Nation refuses to pay. After his name had been duly subscribed to the books he returned to the front with Col. Burnham where he served bravely, gallantly, and with great efficiency until disabled by wounds for further service.

This of Sergt. Ambler's is, in my judgment, the worst case of ingratitude that ever a faithful soldier was made to suffer. A Nation that will treat its defenders in such a heartless, cruel manner does not deserve prosperity.

Mind you, Sergt. Ambler WAS ENROLLED AS A UNION SOLDIER, but because the record of the enrollment has not yet been found the War Department refuses to pay him anything for his valuable services as drill-master and fighter.

For further information on this head I would refer the reader to the mass of testimony which the Sergeant has collected from the most eminent Generals, Civil Officers, and Statesmen in this country in support of his just and honest claim against the government.

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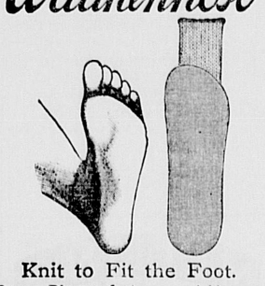

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NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank Corporation will be held at its Banking Rooms, on **Friday, July 3, 1891,** at 7.30 P. M., to choose officers for the ensuing year and transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

The quarterly meeting of the Trustees will be held immediately after the Corporation meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

Money deposited on or before Saturday, July 11, 1891, will draw interest from July 1, 1891.

E. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, June 25, 1891.

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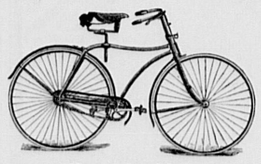

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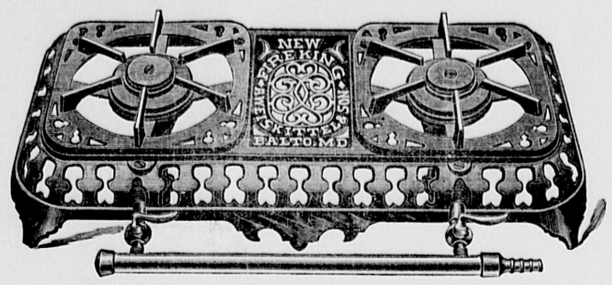

— AND — HEATING.

WOBURN, May 1, 1891,

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" Fred. R. Slater,
" A. B. Barrett,
" Wm. N. Titus,
" J. A. Day,
" H. L. Andrews,
" F. A. Winn,

Mrs. J. B. McDonald,
" M. A. Ham,
" E. F. Johnson,
" S. T. Brigham,
" F. W. Crosby,
" Mary C. Blanchard,
" Webster Woodman,
" Chas. A. Nichols,
" Fred. J. Ham,
Miss Hattie A. Kenney,
Mrs. Herbert B. Dow,
" Frank F. Dodge,

Mrs. Frank H. Elliott,
" G. F. Fosdick,
" E. A. Wood,
" J. W. Johnson,
" Benj. Hinckley,
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" Winthrop Hammond,
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" Jacob Brown,
Miss L. A. Pratt,
Mrs. Alexander Ellis.

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RESIDENTS.

CATHERINE LYNCH.—About ⅔ of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Montvale Avenue, there measuring 60 feet; westerly partly by land formerly of Francis Maize, and partly by land formerly of one Moore, there measuring about 205 feet; northerly by land now or formerly of one Davis, there measuring 100 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of one Lewis.
Tax of 1889, $15 48

CHARLES UPTON HEIRS.—About 2,244 square feet of land, situated in Woburn, on the westerly side of Beacon street, bounded as follows, viz:—easterly by said Beacon street; southerly by land of Anna E. Smith; westerly by land of McLaughlin, and northerly by other land of Charles Upton heirs.
Tax of 1889, $10 15

MARY HANDLEY.—About 5-16 of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Montvale Avenue bounded as follows, viz:—Northwesterly partly by the West Boarding House lot, so-called, shown on plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds; southwesterly also by said West Boarding House lot; northwesterly by Lot No. 121 on said plan, about 150 feet; northeasterly by Utica street, about 80 feet; southeasterly Lot No. 125 on said plan, and the East Middle Boarding House lot as shown on said plan, about 285 feet, and southwesterly by said Montvale Avenue, 22 5-10 feet. Being the same premises conveyed to Murtagh Handley by deed of Thomas S. Chamberlain et als, dated November 22, 1881, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1584, Page 198.
Tax of 1889, $8 60

NON-RESIDENTS.

GEORGE B. JAMES.—About 10,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 72, 73 and 74 on plan of land of France B. Hiller, situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50.
Tax of 1889, $ 43

FREDERICK MAHONEY.—About 20,000 sq. feet of land, being lots numbered 84, 85, 86, 87 and 88, on plan of land of France B. Hiller situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50.
Tax of 1889, $ 86

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
Collector of Taxes for the City of Woburn.

Important Notice.

CAUTION.

Office, Woburn Water Board, Woburn, June 16, 1891.

The attention of water takers is called to the necessity of reducing the consumption of water during the summer season, and are requested to avoid all unnecessary waste from running faucets, and the ILLEGAL use of hose (the City Ordinances limit the use of hose to ONE hour each day). Attention is also called to the regulation, "that any person using hose without giving notice, will be required to pay double rates."

By order of Water Commissioners,
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Administrator's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court, within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9, 1891, the subscriber, Administrator of the estate of Annie J. Lafferty, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction on Wednesday, July 8th, 1891, the two parcels of land hereinafter described, the sale of each parcel to occur upon the respective premises, and at the hour specified below:

LOT 1. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, will be sold a certain parcel of land, with certain buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Main street, bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on said Main street and at land of Salmon; thence the line runs northerly, by and with said Main street, nineteen (19) feet, to land of George H. Hutchings; thence westerly, on and by land last named, sixty-one (61) feet, to land of Alvah Buckman; thence southerly, on and by land of Buckman, twenty (20) feet, to land of said Salmon; thence easterly, on and by land last named, fifty-nine and one-half (59½) feet, to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Annie J. Lafferty by George H. Hutchings by deed dated April 26, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1905, Page 229.

LOT 2. At 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, will be sold a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Broad street in said Woburn, containing about seven thousand one hundred and fourteen square feet, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises, on the southerly side of Broad street; thence the line runs west on Broad street to land of the City of Woburn, one hundred twenty-seven and four-tenths (127.4) feet, to a corner; thence north of west, by land now or formerly of one Ellis, and land now or formerly of John Winn and Charles Bennett, fifty-five feet and three inches, to a stake; thence east of north, by land now or formerly of Flagg, one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet, to a stake at said Broad street; thence south of east, by and with said Broad street, fifty-seven feet and nine inches, to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Annie J. Lafferty by Jotham F. Hill and Agnes E. Hill, by deed dated August 28, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1765, Page 172.

$100.00 of purchase money on each lot will be required to be paid at time and place of sale; balance in ten days.

THOMAS SALMON, Administrator of the estate of Annie J. Lafferty.

J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney,
396 Main St., Woburn, Mass.
Woburn, June 15, 1891.

Executor's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9th, 1891, the subscriber, Executor of the will of Michael Connell, late of Woburn in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on Monday, the twenty-ninth day of June, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn on the easterly side of Washington street, containing about three-sixteenths of an acre, bounded as follows, viz: Westerly on and by said Washington street; northeasterly and easterly by the old Canal bed; and southerly by land of Heirs of Charles Porter, deceased. $100.00 of the purchase will be required at time of sale: balance in 10 days.

THOMAS CONNELL,
Executor of the will of Michael Connell.

For futher particulars inquire of J. G. Maguire, Attorney for Executor, 396 Main street, Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, June 10, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the estate of Ann Doherty late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Hugh McCafferty Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for a license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Clark, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Margaret Clark, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the Estate under deed given by Oliver B. Coolidge to Ebenezer Lawrence, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, given in trust for the benefit of Abijah Thompson and others,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Warren N. Blake of said Woburn, the Trustee under said deed, has presented his petition for license to sell certain real estate therein specified, held by him as such trustee;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

WORKING MEN OF WOBURN.

If you pay for good stout Overalls 50 cents
you are unwise for I ask only 39 cents.

Or if you pay for Working Shirts 50 cents,
I will sell you the same quality for 39 cents.

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Ginger Ale, 10 cents per bottle; $1.00 per dozen.
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House, 8 rooms, 10,000 feet of land, frontage on Main street about 81 feet, first class neighborhood, about five minutes from the Centre. House in thorough repair, bay windows. Will sell this house at a bargain as the owner is going to move to New Hampshire. Come quick if you intend to buy and see E. J. GREGORY, Real Estate Agent.

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REVIEW OF THE QUARTER

LESSON XIII, SECOND QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JUNE 28.

Period Covered, from the First Preaching of Hosea, About 785 B. C., to the Final Destruction of Jerusalem and the Judæan Monarchy, 588 B. C.

The lessons of the quarter now closing may be considered as but separate chapters of one awful and most impressive lesson—the decline and destruction of an unfaithful government and the punishment of a people who rebelled against God, their true King. Owing to the peculiar character of the series, it is deemed best to insert here a few historic notes, pointing out how the prophecies of punishment were soon made history.

Hosea, sometimes called the first of the minor prophets, entered on his mission about 785 B. C., and continued to exhort and threaten Israel (of which kingdom he was a resident) for over fifty years. His style is concise and sententious, and the form in which his prophecies are compiled makes them seem as one continued series, without divisions to indicate the period of their utterance or the specific subject of each prediction. This calls for unusual diligence on the part of the student in noting the internal evidences. The first verse declares that the prophecies were delivered "in the days of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz and Hezekiah, kings of Judah, and in the days of Jeroboam, the son of Joash, king of Israel."

This gives us a key to the proper division, and we perceive that after repeated warnings to Israel, in which the patriot is seen as clearly as the prophet, he despairs of his own people, sees the evil at hand, and with an awful burden of sorrow turns to the other kingdom and implores Judah not to follow the evil example of her sister. The fact should be noted that he entered on his mission at a time when all was outwardly prosperous, for Jeroboam II had raised Israel to something like her former glory. But the people had become sinfully vain and were given up to idolatry, and the prophet, as if in agony—turning God's message into his own language, as is the Biblical rule—cries out, "How shall I give thee up, Ephraim? How shall I give thee up, Israel? How shall I make thee as Adam? How shall I set thee as Zeboim? My heart is turned within me, my repentings are kindled together" (xi, 8).

Israel's punishment came soon, for Shalmanezer took Samaria after a siege of three years, and dispersed the Israelites through the northeastern provinces of Samaria. A few escaped into Judah, and at intervals for many years after fragments of the Israelites joined their fellow countrymen, but the great mass was absorbed and lost among the heathen, a fate for which their idolatrous habits had already prepared them. Their place was filled by a heathen people called Kuthim or Cuthaens; but there is reason for believing that they became mixed to some extent with a remnant of the Israelites, for in time they adopted some part of the old customs of worship, mixing them strangely with their original idolatry, and Josephus tells us that when the Jews proper were in favor with their rulers these planted heathen claimed kindred with them.

Such was the origin of the people known later as Samaritans, and the intense hatred felt toward them by the Jews was the occasion of Christ's beautiful parable on the man that fell among thieves. The devout reader may well find cause for reflection in the fact that this hated name has by this parable become in all Christian nations a title for the charitable and tender hearted. It is also a fact of intense interest that a remnant of this people still exists and maintains a religious organization in Egypt, having for its Scripture only a mutilated copy of the Pentateuch. Their forefathers were taken there by Alexander the Great when he conquered the Persian empire. Is it not in accord with all we know of God's providence to believe that this fragment of a nation has been divinely preserved through all the mutations of 2,400 years as God's own witness to the truth of His prophets? See on this subject commentaries on Daniel's prophecy of the power that was to conquer Persia (Dan. viii, 5-21).

The subsequent history of the kingdom of Judah coincides closely with the predictions of the prophets. Josiah stands out with peculiar glory as the last of the great and reforming kings, and soon after Judah's cup of iniquity was filled The kingdom proper was overthrown, but Zedekiah reigned some time as a tributary or vassal of Babylon. Against the imploring protest of Jeremiah, and equally against common sense and good faith, Zedekiah rebelled, being deceived by false prophets. The enraged Nebuchadnezzar came with a large army, and though the Jews with that stubborn bravery which they always manifested held out for a year and seven months the city was taken at last with every circumstance of horror.

Zedekiah's sons were slain in his sight; then his eyes were put out and he was taken to Babylon, to linger out a painful captivity with only the recollection of his sins and follies. In this and the next succeeding portions of Hebrew history are many affecting episodes, and in the literature of the time we find some of the most mournful poetry of ancient times. Out of the hearts of captives longing for their homes were wrought those sublime strains, those prayers and songs of hope or of resignation, which charm even the skeptic by their sad sublimity.

In conclusion it may be well to note how strongly the era of decline was marked by the two vices which the student of history always looks to find in a degenerate people—drunkenness and oppression of the poor. "Woe to the crown of pride of the drunkards of Ephraim," is the way the prophet begins an invective against that degrading vice, and "Woe unto them that add field to field and house to house, etc.," is the exordium of another. The lesson is plain. The national spirit was destroyed. The rich oppressed the poor, and both rich and poor sought temporary pleasure or oblivion in the beastly vice.

A Street Car Conductor's Hard Lot.

There are some things in the life of a Boston car conductor that are, to say the least, a little curious. For instance, the street railway company establishes the inviolable rule that pennies shall not be turned into the treasurer's office by any conductor. But pennies are legal tender, and the conductors must accept them from passengers in payment of fares. But the pennies must all be converted into coin of larger denominations before the conductor can get a clean bill for his day's receipts Another rule is that no smoking shall be permitted on a car, but there is no possible way by which a conductor can stop smoking on the platform. No officer will arrest a passenger, and he cannot be ejected by the conductor. But conductors are "laid off" every day because of passengers smoking on the cars.—Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, *820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

An Irish-American in Newark, N. J., was let off from punishment in court recently for thrashing a foreigner who disputed his assertion that the United States was the best country on earth.

NOB HILL'S USELESS PALACES.

Five Enormous Buildings Intended for Private Residences, but Unfit.

A morning contemporary announces as a matter of news that Mrs. Hopkins-Searles offers her residence on California street for sale. It might have added, as a companion item, that the Pilgrim Fathers had landed on Plymouth Rock. There has been no time for many years that the Hopkins mansion on California street has not been for sale, though, if public rumor be believed, the owner has not been distracted by many offers to purchase. It is, in fact, difficult to conceive who could want to become its possessor at any price.

The spectacle of Nob Hill, with palatial piles crowning its ridge, fills the stranger who visits California with mild amazement. There are five big buildings there which were built as private residences, and are as unfit for that use as could be conceived. They were apparently modeled on the plan of the palaces of the Old World, which were erected to be the homes of feudal barons and all their retainers. In the middle ages every nobleman supported a swarm of dependents. He had to find quarters for them, and of course his lodgings had to be large. In our day rich men do not maintain much larger households than their neighbors.

Individually they cannot occupy more than a dozen rooms, and as many will lodge all the servants they can employ. More rooms than this are of no possible use. Conceived in ostentation, their destiny is to become lumber closets. In the old feudal castles of Europe the modern possessor is lost; it gives him a nightmare to wander through a maze of rooms which are never occupied save by mice and spiders, and he flees to take refuge in a bedroom and parlor at club or hotel. It must be much the same in the mansions of Nob Hill.

If they have any destiny it must be to become some day public buildings—museums or hospitals. Even for that use they would have to be donated by their owners, for the city could build suitable edifices for less money than they would cost if they were bought.

It seems odd that men with the sagacity required to build a transcontinental railroad and to acquire vast fortunes should not have understood that a house that is too big may be as inconvenient as a house that is too small. A very small quantity of shelter is all that the richest and greatest of us can want. A bedroom, a dressing room, a reception room, a parlor, a dining room, a library, and perhaps a billiard room—what more than this can Crœsus occupy, though he counts his riches by the hundreds of millions.

Yet rich men go on piling stone upon stone and bricks upon mortar until they have exchanged what might have been a snug home for a barrack; and in the doing of it they generate a mass of envy and grudging which follows them to their grave.—San Francisco Call.

The Ocean.

The great storehouse of the world's water is the ocean, which covers four-fifths of the globe's surface. In some places the ocean has never been sounded, even by a line more than five miles in length. It is supposed these great depths are without plants, because all plants require some light, and though light is said to penetrate sea water farther than fresh, yet we can scarcely imagine there is a ray of light at the depth of five miles. Some of the sea plants have stems at least 300 feet in length. In some parts of the sea we are told that the eye can discern the bottom at four or five hundred feet.

It is a very pretty sight to look down and view a forest beneath the waves. It is sometimes a blaze of gold, scarlet and green. In one part of the Atlantic is a space which the Spaniards call the Sargasso sea, because its surface is covered there for miles and miles with a great mass of seaweed, which Columbus spoke of as "floating meadows."—Montreal Star.

The News Editor's Nemesis.

"Years ago," said a news editor, "I used to have on my list a correspondent at Valparaiso. He would send reports of church socials by wire, and we couldn't shut him off. One day a store down in his place burned. The loss proved to be about $5,000. He began sending bulletins as soon as the fire broke out, and kept it up every ten minutes till the last spark of the conflagration was out. We tried to choke him off, but he couldn't be suppressed. There are two persons on earth whom I would like to meet some time when I am feeling real well and strong. They are that correspondent and the man who sold me a fountain pen."—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Zeno's Paradox.

Many persons will recall the famous paradox of Zeno, by which he sought to prove that all motion is impossible.

"A body," he argued, "must move either in a place where it is or in a place where it is not. Now, a body in the place where it is is stationary and cannot be in motion, nor, obviously, can it be in motion in the place where it is not. Therefore it cannot move at all."

Bodies do move, however, and that is a sufficient answer to the ingenious philosopher.—New York Tribune.

Ornithological.

"They say a sparrow has been known to hatch out a king bird's eggs."

"Yes; but what of that? I've known many an eagle to father a lark."—Puck.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

A fad at present in rings is to wear upon the little finger the stone corresponding to the birth month of the fair one.

Do You Wish

To regain your health if you are all broken down and suffering from nervous prostration? I will tell you what cured me after suffering for months. I used two bottles o Sulphur Bitters, and now I am a well manf C. Stiles, Bookkeeper, Canton.

HE SMOKED IN A STREET CAR.

He Was Big and Burly, but the Little Conductor Ejected Him.

The man inside the horse car was very large and red. The conductor of the car was small and pale. The large red passenger was infringing the rules of the railroad company by lighting a cigar. The small conductor had watched this audacity, and when he was satisfied that the cigar lighting process was not an illusion he remarked, with considerable sternness of voice for a diminutive man:

"You'll have to put that cigar out."

The large red man took no notice of the observation, but puffed huge volumes of smoke.

"You'll have to put that cigar out, I say."

Still the large man puffed serenely on.

"I say you'll have to put that cigar out."

The large man turned his small pig eyes literally and said:

"Save yer voice, young feller, save yer voice."

The conductor looked the large man over. He observed that he was about the size of Mr. Sullivan, the pugilist, and he wondered whether his salary as conductor was large enough to induce him to risk his life in a physical encounter with the burly ruffian. There is a personal pride in nearly all men, and that conductor forgot the corporation he was serving, and its rules, and determined that he, as an individual, would not be crushed.

"You'll have to put that cigar out," he repeated. His admonition was painfully unchangeable in diction and tone, and it was beginning to annoy the large red man.

"Say, young feller," remarked the latter, "ring the bell and let yerself off."

The conductor walked forward to the driver's platform and said a few quiet words to his coadjutor. Then he returned to his own platform, and for a moment or so, as the car went on, he was silent. Finally he directed his attention again to the smoker.

"You'll have to put that cigar out," he said.

The large red man rose to his feet, and as he did so the conductor pulled the bell for the car to stop. The smoker strode out to the platform and, glowering down on the little conductor, held the lighted cigar under his nose, saying:

"That cigar ain't goin' ter be put out. See!"

The car was now at a standstill, and the driver was looking back at the two men on the rear platform. He saw the little conductor let fly his fist at the large red man, and immediately he let go of his brake and gave each of his horses a sharp cut with the whip. They leaped forward and galloped away with the now empty car. When the driver looked around again he saw the figure of the large man standing ruefully in the middle of the car track, a block behind.

A small boy went out into the street to see what the man fell off the car for. The determined smoker was dusting himself. There was no cigar near him. He looked about in a dazed way, and then said:

"What was that conductor's number?"

The small boy did not know; so the comedy will never have a tragic sequel. —New York Sun.

Concerning Fools.

From time immemorial we have been counseled in one way or another to beware of fools. Disagreeable consequences are mentioned of answering one kind of fool according to his folly, and of refraining to answer another kind. Yet in spite of the general prejudice there is a variety of fool which is expected to mirror most of the Christian virtues. He is supposed to be absolutely good natured under ridicule, and never justly revengeful. When attacked he is expected to smile with his tormentors, and join in the general laugh.

Though he be by nature a modest man, he must bear with equanimity the cross of finding himself suddenly dragged into public notice, with the eyes of a score or more of people turned on him at once.

He must be self sacrificing, willing to yield his own dignity for the amusement of others. If he but resent ill usage by a word of remonstrance he receives contempt as a crusty bear and a despiser of ancient customs.

This species of fool is born on the morning of April First, and like certain summer insects has a brief existence of one day. If his general insensibility to ridicule, his meekness under abuse and his unfailing good temper should continue in the same measure throughout the year, one might call him a miracle. As it usually happens, however, he is content with a brief exercise of such virtues, and the temporary title of April fool.—Youth's Companion.

Benevolent.

Even the kindest hearted of us sometimes say things that without explanation sound rather queer.

It was one of the best of women who said to her husband, "What a pity it is that none of our neighbors is sick now!"

"Why?" was the surprised query.

"Because if they were I could send them some of this nice jelly," was the complacent answer. — Youth's Companion.

Rebuked.

She—Do you think it will snow hard, professor?

He—Madam, it may hail. It never snows hard. —American Grocer.

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I had been troubled since 1869 with Gravel and Catarrh of the Bladder. Tried several doctors, but got no relief. Finally, at the advice of E. D. W. Parsons, I was prevailed upon to try Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. The result was marvelous. After using a few bottles, was entirely cured. S. N. Arnold, No. 963 Plymouth avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

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It is the practice of some writers of serial stories to begin the publication of their romances before the end is written. In the early stages of the story they do not know any better than the public who read it how they are "coming out." This is especially the case in France, where nearly every newspaper has a feuilleton or department in which a continued story is published.

It is related by M. Aurelien Scholl that when Paul Duplessis was publishing a serial romance in The Patrie newspaper he was visited one evening by Millet, the artist.

"By the way," said Millet, after a little conversation, "I am seeking a bit of information. You know that in The Patrie this morning you left the countess in the most alarming situation. She had fallen into an ambush, and was surrounded by those who have every motive to cause her to disappear."

"Yes."

"Well, does she die?"

"Yes; she meets her death at the point of the Corsican's poignard."

Millet struck the table with his fist. "No luck for me!" he exclaimed.

"Why, what is it to you?"

"Oh, nothing but ten louis—that's all! I made a foolish wager with a devoted reader of your stories that the countess was necessary to the 'come out' of the romance, and that she would get out of the scrape."

"Dear me!" Duplessis exclaimed. He drew out his watch. "Only 9 o'clock," he said. "There's time enough yet."

"Time for what?"

"Time to get into a cab and go to The Patrie office and save the countess' life!"

"Truly? Would you do that?"

Duplessis shook the artist's hand solemnly.

"It's very little to do for a friend," said he.

He rushed away to the newspaper office, overhauled his proofs and made the grumbling printers turn the countess' distressing death into a marvelous rescue.

Touching Loyalty.

The grand old Douglas motto, "Tender and True," was once touchingly illustrated by the representative of another Scotch family. The Duke of Athole had a disease which was certain to end fatally. When he was assured that he would soon be taken away he called on all his tenants and bade each one farewell with a cheerfulness that testified to his peace of mind. During his last days there occurred a touching incident.

Queen Victoria visited Blair-Athole to bid adieu to the dying duke. She had returned to the station, where a crowd of persons had collected, but in sympathy with the solemnity of the occasion they maintained perfect silence.

The train was about to start when there was a shout of "Stop! Stop!" and a brougham was seen driving rapidly from the castle.

Out of it, wrapped in flannels, staggered the duke. He went to the door of the royal car, knelt, kissed the queen's hand, waved his cap and called out, "Three cheers for the queen!" Then re-entering his carriage he drove back to the castle, and never left it again alive.—Blackwood's Magazine.

African Tracking.

Tracking is a science; some have a natural quickness and aptitude for it, others are of no use at all at it. The keen way, for instance, in which Farag Ala can follow up a native track is wonderful; the slightest sign is noticed by him. The only other art that resembles tracking is "finding your way about in the bush." A clever bush native near his own home, acting as your guide, no matter how much you may have twisted and turned or gone up hill and down dale, when asked where camp is, will instantly say, "There," and point out the direction.

He knows where his home is, just as the wild bee does; he has mentally and instinctively been carrying on a "traverse," carefully noticing the angles of deflection and the distance traveled over; this he has plotted in his mind, and when asked where he is he reads the map he has made on his brain, and lets you know the result. It is fatal to interrupt a tracker by unnecessary speaking. If doubts are cast as to the skill of the leading man, and he feels that he is not trusted, most probably confusion will follow.—Nineteenth Century.

A Reception Room.

Dr. Brooks went into the drawing room of a pretentious parishioner on Columbus avenue who had furnished her room with mirrors upon all sides. He began to bow very deferentially this way and that, and to say, "Good afternoon, doctor." "Good afternoon, doctor;" and then as the truth dawned upon him exclaimed, "Why, bless my soul, I thought I had got into a caucus of the clergy called to nominate a bishop!"—Boston Transcript.

Tact.

He—I didn't get your last letter.

She (pouting)—And I sent you a kiss in it.

He—How unbusinesslike you are! Don't you know that letters containing valuables should be registered?

He was allowed to kiss away the pout.—Harper's Bazar.

An estimable clergyman of the Episcopal church noticing many of his congregation remaining sitting during the singing of the "Te Deum," and that others would sit down during its progress, they were requested by him to rise while the "Te Deum" was sung, and to "continue rising until its close."

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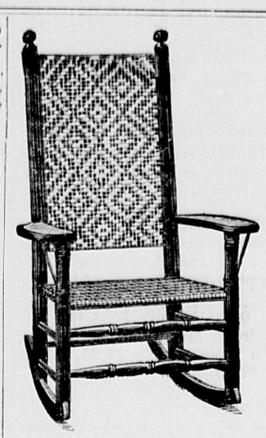

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, 12.40, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 9.00, 10.00, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12 00, 12.30, 1.00, 1 30, 2 00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00 A.M., 12 M., 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50, A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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The Woburn Journal

A CITY MYSTERY.

Miss Melinda Parkinson had come down to New York to buy her summer patterns and to indulge herself with a glimpse at the great world, of which hitherto she had only become acquainted through the columns of the weeky newspaper.

"It must be a mortal strange place, said that amiable spinster, "where folks walk up and down Broadway in their Sunday clothes, and milk sells for ten cents a quart. And where they hain't no garrets to their houses, and go out to parties just when we Centrevillers are tying on our nightcaps to go to bed. Well, well, it takes all sorts of people to make a world."

So Miss Melinda retrimmed her leghorn hat with sage green ribbons, sponged over her ancient black silk gown, indulged in the extravagance of new gloves, and set forth for the great American metropolis to visit Cousin Lemuel Larkins, whose family had frequently spent halcyon summers at the farm, and to partake of whose hospitality she had had a standing invitation for some time.

Cousin Lemuel and his oldest daughter, Persephone, met her at the depot, with faces of friendly welcome. Cousin Lemuel was a photographer on the Bowery, and Miss Persephone "did" supernumerary parts at the Sparkle theatre and had the promise of "going on" whenever there should be a vacancy in the regular dramatis personæ.

"Come along, Cousin Melly," said Mr. Larkins. "Where's the check for your baggage? Here, expressman! And look sharp, d'y' hear?"

"But," shrieked Miss Melinda, "that check is all I've got to show for my trunk. How do you know he'll ever bring up the trunk at all," gasped Miss Parkinson. "I once read in the Sentinel how"——

"Come along," said Mr. Larkins, good humoredly. "You'll find it'll all be as right as a trivet!"

"Ain't we going in a carriage?"

"Bless us, no," said Cousin Larkins. "We're agoin' in the 'short cars.'"

"But why are you going in the short cars?" said Miss Melinda in great bewilderment. "I thought you said you lived a mile and a half from the depot?"

"Oh!" said Mr. Larkins. "'short' means the cars, not the distance. Let me help you aboard, there's a good girl."

No sooner was Miss Parkinson safely bestowed between a stout gentleman reading his paper end a black velvet cloaked lady than she again began to be uneasy in her mind.

"Lemuel," said she, in a stage whisper, "I don't like these cars. I'd rather walk."

"But why?" said Mr. Larkins, who was hanging from a strap like a first class trapeze performer. "Eh? The man next you a pickpocket? But, my dear woman, it can't possibly be! He's a-holding up the paper with both hands! How can he be picking your pocket?"

"Ah!" nodded Miss Parkinson, "they can't deceive me. One of 'em's stuffed! I've read all about it! And he may be a-takin' my watch and my twenty-five dollars out of my under pocket with the real hand, this very minute, for all I know!"

"Madam," said the strange gentleman, jumping up and turning very red, as he started for the door, "I have not yet arrived at my destination, but I much prefer walking a few blocks to finding myself the subject of aspirations such as these! Conductor, you will have the goodness to stop."

"There," cried Miss Parkinson, starting to her feet, "it's just as the Sentinel says! He's escaping! Driver, I insist that he shall be searched! Conductor, call the police!"

"P'r'aps," suggested Cousin Lemuel, "you'd better see if your watch and money ain't safe, Melinda!"

"Because, murm," added the conductor, with the corners of his mouth twitching, "that there gent is Judge De Griffiths, of the court of common complaints, as ain't noway addicted to pocket picking, as ever I heerd on!"

And Miss Parkinson, discovering that her valuables were all safe, subsided once more into her place and merely remarked that "we are all liable to mistakes."

She was rather surprised to discover that the Larkins family, instead of occupying one of the palatial mansions contiguous to Central park, lived on the fourth floor of a rusty brick house on the Bowery, whose front windows were blinded by the elevated road and whose rear outlook consisted chiefly of cats and chimney tops. There was a summer garden next door, where a band discoursed sweet music until 3 o'clock in the morning, and a shooting gallery on the other side, and the ground floor of their own building was occupied by a job printer, whose steam machinery, albeit it was underground, roared and hissed and kept the walls a-tremble, until Miss Parkinson declared it was just like living over the crater of Vesuvius!

"La, my dear," said Mrs. Larkins, a comfortable, elderly lady with a greasy poplin dress and a cap covered with crumpled artificial flowers, "you wont mind it after a day or two. It's really a very superior neighborhood."

They supped off clam chowder, boiled lobsters, Vienna bread and Limburger cheese—for the Larkins family were cosmopolitan in their tastes—and spent the evening at the Ingomar theatre, for which Miss Persephone had always a limited number of "orders." And when Miss Melinda Parkinson retired to rest in a back hall bedroom, with the elevated road shaking the very casters of har bed every thirteenth minute, and a quartet of cats on the roof rivaling the German arias of Mme. Frida Von Poppenhusen in the garden below, she seriously belived that gentle sleep was banished altogether from her eyelids.

In the middle of the night Mrs. Larkins was aroused from her balmy slumbers by a rapping at her chamber door.

"Eh?" said Mrs. Larkins, sitting up in bed, her classic brow crowned by a cheveux de frise of curl papers. "It ain't burglars, is it? Nor the fire department? Dear me, Cousin Melinda, what can you possibly be wanting at this time of night?"

"Lucretia," said Miss Parkinson, "hush! Come with me at once."

"Laws!" cried Mrs. Larkins, hurriedly shuffling her feet into list slippers and flinging on an ancient flannel dressing gown. "What is the matter? Ain't nobody sick, is there?"

"It's a somnambulist," whispered Miss Parkinson, as Mrs. Larkins joined her in the hall. "A poor crazy creature on the roof next door, all alone by herself, with nothing but a step between her and death."

"La!" said Mrs. Larkins, beginning to tremble and develop strongly hysterical symptoms. "Are you sure, quite sure, now, Melinda, that it ain't the Limburger cheese settin' heavy on your stomach? It don't agree with everybody, you know. And"——

"Come and see for yourself," said Melinda; and she drew her cousin to the curtained casement which commanded the feline and the smoke blackened view previously alluded to. "There! Don't you see her dress flutter? Do you perceive how dangerously near the parapet wall she stands?"

"Oh, good gracious!" cried Mrs. Larkins, covering her eyes with her hands. "Let's call Lemuel."

"Who is it that lives in the next house?" demanded Melinda. "For we must go there ourselves, Lucretia. There's no time to rouse up anybody."

"And Lemuel sleeps like a log," said Mrs. Larkins. "and always thrashes round with his fists when he's roused up sudden, thinkin' of burglars the very first thing, poor dear. It's Mr. Burnabee as lives there, a manufacturer of ladies' felt skirts; quite decent and respectable. Oh, yes, my dear; p'raps we'd better go, then, or the poor dear'll fling herself over the parapet, and it'll be a clear case for the coroner's inquest."

In the cloudy moonlight the two women crept down stairs and rang loudly at Mr. Burnabee's door.

There was a delay. There always is a delay after the ringing of a city door bell. But to Miss Parkinson and Mrs. Larkins there was a delay which seemed almost interminable before Mr. Burnabee appeared on the scene, a little old red nosed man, with scanty gray hair, a palm leaf patterned dressing gown, and a candle whose feeble flame flickered to and fro while he held it shaded from the night wind with one hand.

"Is it fire," said Mr. Burnabee, "or is it a accident on the elevated road? I've always knowed it would come sooner or later."

"The roof! The roof!" gasped Melinda.

"Save her!" shrieked Mrs. Larkins.

"Eh?" said Mr. Burnabee. "Save who? What are you talking about, ladies?"

"The sleepwalker!" cried Miss Parkinson. "The poor creature who hovers between life and death on the top of this house!"

"We saw a woman on the roof," explained Mrs. Larkins, "and she wouldn't answer when my cousin called to her, and we're almost certain sure she's insane."

Mr. Burnabee's wrinkled countenance broke into a smile.

"There ain't no woman there," said he.

"Man," said Miss Melinda, "you are deceiving us."

"It's nothing on earth," went on Mr. Burnabee, "but my wire dummy as I fit the skirts over. The roof leaked all over her new pink cambric slip in the hard shower yesterday, so I jest set her out on the roof to dry. I put her out at night, because I knowed if I did it in the daytime there'd be no end of people asking questions and minding everybody else's business but their own."

"Oh!" said Miss Parkinson, rather awkwardly.

"Of course," said Mrs. Larkins, biting her lip.

"Much obliged to you, all the same," said Mr. Burnabee blandly, although he still chuckled.

And the two women crept home again.

"Lucretia," said Miss Parkinson, standing opposite her own door.

"W-w-well!" faltered Mrs. Larkins, scarcely able to repress her shivering.

"Don't speak of this to any one, will you?"

"No, I won't" said Mrs. Larkins.

But it is to be feared that she did not keep her word, for Mr. Larkins was full of dark allusions the next day, and Miss Persephona could scarcely speak for laughing.

Miss Parkinson purchased her patterns, and secured her summer ssyles, and hastened speedily back to Centerville, and ever since she declares that all the wealth of the Indies would not induce her to live in that sink of iniquity and head centre of mystery, New York! And if people ask her why, she only shakes her head and says mysteriously:

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Our WHITE MACKINAW at 25 cents is worth 50 cents.
Our WHITE MILAN at $1.50 is sold elsewhere for $2.00.
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Artificial Ice.

The scientific fact on which the making of artificial ice depends is that when a liquid evaporates it uses up a great deal of heat, which it draws from anything that happens to be around it. If a can of water is at hand its temperature is reduced, and if the action goes far enough the water will be frozen. This cooling action can be felt by pouring a little ether or alcohol upon the hand. The liquid evaporates rapidly, and the loss of the heat which it takes up cools the hand very perceptibly. If a bottle containing water is kept wet on the outside with ether, the evaporation will chill the water and eventually freeze it.

This is essentially the process by which the carafes frappees of French restaurants are produced. The decanters filled with fresh water are set in shallow tanks containing brine, which remains liquid balow the temperature at which fresh water freezes. In contact with these tanks are receivers, which can be kept charged with newly formed ether vapor. The chilling vapor cools the brine, and this in turn takes heat from the water in the decanters, which soon freezes.

In making ice on the large scale either ammonia or sulphurous oxide is used instead of ether, because these substances are cheaper and are not inflammable.—F. A. Fernald in Popular Science Monthly.

Hunting Bears.

General E. F. Burton describes a novel method of catching bears practiced by the native hunters of India. Four or five sturdy men are armed, two with long spears, cross barred on the handles close to the sharp, two edged blades, and two or three with ten foot bamboos, of which the ends are smeared with bird lime.

Thus equipped, and leading several powerful dogs, the hunters sally out an hour or so before dawn, and pass along the base of the hills with the fresh morning wind blowing up from the plains below.

If the hunters have luck it is not long before the fierce dogs wind the bear; and though dogs of this species hunt as silent as death, their straining on the leash informs their masters that the shaggy game is nigh.

The dogs are slipped and disappear in the darkness, and soon the roaring and growling show that they have found the game. The hunters run up to the spot where the bear is fighting with the dogs.

The men with limed poles poke the bear in the ribs and adroitly twist the ends in its long hair, thus holding it fast on either flank, and the spearmen complete the tragedy by repeated spear thrusts. It is said that a party of experienced men with good dogs never fail to secure the bear in this way.—Youth's Companion.

Will the Sun Burn Up?

Thousands of curious and ingenious theories have been brought forth to account for the fact that the sun, although he has whirled his burning disk across the heavens for untold ages, continues to burn without being consumed or his bulk being lessened in the least. Some learned men affect to believe that the great orb is a monstrous ball of gas, but even a great ball of gas would be consumed to its utmost atom in the course of a few thousand years. Others pretend to believe that its fires are kept up by the remains of wrecked worlds which are constantly falling into its depths, but even this seems far from probable, not to say a purely absurd conclusion.

In giving his opinion on the last opinion, one of the most eminent astronomers of the day has figured that a mountain range consisting of 176 cubic miles falling into the sun would only be sufficient to maintain the present heat for a single second; a mass equal to that of our earth would engender only enough of heat to last ninety-three years. If these conclusions are correct, and we have no means of proving them false, well may we ask the question: Of what wonderful, indestructible substance is the sun composed?—St

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, JULY 3, 1891.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

GOOD APPOINTMENTS.

Last week Thursday evening at a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen Mayor Bean appointed for members of the Sewerage Commission Nathaniel J. Watson of No. Woburn for one year; John W. Johnson of Warren street for two years; and James Skinner of Montvale Avenue for three years.

Better men for the responsible position it would be hard to find in this city.

Mr. Watson is a clear-headed, practical man who enjoys the esteem and confidence of his fellow citizens of all parties and creeds. With good common sense, strict integrity, and a well cultivated bent for mechanics, he will be found one of the most useful members of the Board and his appointment will turn out to be a very judicious one.

John W. Johnson, Esq., is not only a lawyer of firstrate standing in the profession but he is a man of general business knowledge and habits and one who takes a lively interest in the welfare of our city. Take him as a man of affairs or as a lawyer Mr. Johnson is one of the best persons we have among us for the position, and his appointment will meet with universal approval because everyone admits his fitness and honesty.

In the judgment of the JOURNAL when the Aldermen refused to confirm the appointment of Mr. James Skinner they made a mistake. His rejection looks as though there was "politics in it," and if so it was a wrong step to take. Mr. Skinner is one of the clearest-brained business men in Woburn. Extraordinary success in his private affairs shows him to be so. He has not only sound judgment but he will go as far as the next man to promote the best interests of our city. We should hope that the Aldermen would think better of it and conclude to accept Mr. Skinner as a member of the Committee. They ought to do it too without unnecessary delay so that the Board may be in a condition to act at any time whenever it may become necessary or advisable that they should do so and not be obliged to wait until next September for the completion of the Commission.

THE NEW JUDGE.

On last Wednesday morning Hon. Edward F. Johnson took his seat on the Bench of the Middlesex Fourth District Court vacated the day before by Judge P. L. Converse after an honorable career of seven or eight years. Mr. Johnson was appointed several months ago by Governor Russell on the petition of a large number of prominent citizens and business men of Woburn, Stoneham, Winchester and Burlington which constitute the Judicial District. The appointment is for life, or during good behavior.

Judge Johnson is well qualified for the position in every respect. He was born in 1856; graduated at Harvard University in 1878; from Harvard Law School in 1881; and was admitted to the Bar the same year. Before settling down to practice he traveled in Europe, and since his return he has been a member of the law firm of John W. and Edward F. Johnson, which is a leading one in this city.

Judge Johnson (then, plain Esq.) was elected first Mayor of Woburn in 1888 and re-elected in 1889, and the credit was accorded him on all sides and without reserve of having administered the affairs of the position in an able and successful manner. His handling of the public finances rescued them from loose and dangerous methods and placed the public business on a sure and solid foundation.

Judge Johnson possesses a judicial mind, which is only another term for sound common sense; he is cultivated; has good literary taste; and is fair in his dealings with men. The community will be disappointed if he does not fill the honorable position accepted by him this week with dignity and ability, or fails to deal out even-handed justice to all. But of this there is no danger.

FOR GOVERNOR.

In its issue of date June 27 *The Beacon* contained a strong editorial in favor of the nomination and election of Hon. W. E. Barrett, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives, for the next Governor of this State. It gave plausible reasons why it will not do for the Republicans to take up Crapo, Brackett or Greenhalge, and "ex-Governors Long and Robinson are not inclined to re-enter political life, and Mr. Hayden of Woburn is understood to be opposed to accepting a call," etc., and then goes on and makes out an excellent case in behalf of the candidacy of Speaker Barrett. The editorial was frank and fair towards all parties and aspirants but it warmly favored Barrett, and its reasons therefor will doubtless be accepted by good Republicans all over the Commonwealth.

There is one thing about Barrett that makes it pretty safe to bank on his getting there, and that is he hardly ever fails to light on his feet. He has a wonderful faculty for that sort of a thing, and it is seldom the case that his political enterprises are defeated by the enemy or seriously interfered with by them. Barrett is able—no question about that; and he is honest; and the politician that gets the better of him must arise early in the morning and keep his eye peeled all the time.

ALL QUIET ON THE POTOMAC.

The newspapers have but little to say concerning the governorship of our State at the present time, but it is fair to presume that a great many people are keeping up a de'il of thinking, all the same.

THAT LETTER.

The honorable gentleman from Waltham who has been Rev. Hugh Montgomery's counsel in his raid on the Woburn rumsellers lately, wrote a letter last Monday severely criticising some decisions which Judge Converse made in those cases and formally withdrawing from the prosecution of them.

We do not know whether the decisions of Judge Converse were good law or not but it is very clear to our mind that the honorable gentleman's letter was not good manners, but on the other hand that it was a piece of impertinence the like of which no real firstclass lawyer would be guilty of. It was disrespectful to the judiciary of the State and a breach of courtesy and gentlemanly deportment which no member of the Bar professedly working for the advancement of the good cause of temperance should ever allow his anger to lead him into.

PROBATION OFFICER.

Last week the JOURNAL, in its modest way, suggested the propriety of appointing Mr. Edward Simonds to be Probation Officer, under the new law, for the Middlesex Fourth District Court, which suggestion Judge Johnson accepted and promptly acted on when he took his seat on the Bench last Wednesday morning.

We said all that was necessary to be said concerning Mr. Simonds's fitness for the office in our recommendation and all that we deem it of any moment to add is the fact that Judge Johnson's choice of a Probation Officer, so far as we have heard, meets with cordial and unanimous approval.

FOURTH OF JULY.

Tomorrow will occur the 116th anniversary of American Independence which was declared in the first year of the Revolutionary War.

Being a day of great importance in history it has always been the custom of the American people to celebrate it in a spirit of National pride and with patriotic zeal. It has been for over 100 years the principal holiday of this Republic and the enthusiasm with which the return of the auniversary is hailed by her citizens, and more especially by "Young America," has not abated one jot or tittle in modern times, and we hope it never will.

Hurrah for the Stars and Stripes!

KEEPS RIGHT ON HOEING.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery is going to prosecute Woburn's Mayor and Aldermen in his anti-liquor crusade. Mr. Montgomery has a hard row to hoe, but he keeps right on hoeing.—*Boston Record.*

The dominie is plucky and not easily put down. He is Rum's mortal enemy and to fight it with all his might and main and with any weapons within reach he believes is doing the Lord's will and pleasure.

☞ The *News*, the new 1-cent morning daily of Boston, is as smart as a whip and is making headway into the good graces of the public like all creation. We like it firstrate. It is stalwart Republican from centre to circumference, fearless, square-toed, able, and is bound to give the old fogies of the Hub trouble before a great while. Success to the *News*, and may its shadow never grow less!

☞ Representative Thos. D. Hevey has laid us under obligations to him for a copy of the "Manual of the General Court for 1891," for which we return thanks.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

C. Greenwood—Lost.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
C. M. Munroe—To Let.
J. W. Johnson—To Let.
C. E. Smith—Wall Paper.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Read "Lost" by Mr. Curtis Greenwood.

— There has been some good beach weather this week.

— J. W. Johnson, Esq., has a notice "To Let" in this paper.

— The Unitarian church will be closed during July and August.

— Get up early to-morrow morning and see the "Horribles" parade.

— Mr. Michael Mulkeen has been appointed Justice of the Peace.

— Mr. W. A. Prior is visiting Duxbury, the native place of the family.

— Miss Elsie R. Francis is visiting her many good friends at Concord, N. H.

— Mr. L. Houghton Allen is visiting his son, Dr. Allen, at Southbridge, Mass.

— To learn all about a firstclass tenement to rent call on Mr. C. M. Munroe.

— Mrs. Charles How and her daughter Edith of Pleasant street are at Methuen.

— Won't this be a tough night though? Bedlam will be let loose about midnight.

— Several suburban trains made up at Wilmington last Sunday for the first time.

— Hon. John Cummings is improving after a long and severe siege of la grippe.

— Rev. Montgomery conducted his prosecution against Carpenter last Monday and won it.

— Copeland & Bowser have a fine display window for the 4th. Mr. Dorr was the decorator.

— A grand game of ball is expected to come off tomorrow between the Baptist and Congregational boys.

— A charming lawn party was given by Mr. Charles H. Kimball to the M. E. Sunday school last week.

— Miss Flora Nichols will soon visit Portland, Me., where and at Hudson she will pass her vacation.

— James Skinner, Esq., has been chosen a member of the Board of Directors of the Woburn Electric Light Co.

— Mrs. Jennings has flags, trumpets, drums, and all sorts of 4th of July fixings for the boys. Give her a call.

— Lizzie Weafer, Annie Shay and Mary Haggerty are at Eagle Mountain Hotel, White Mts., for their vacation.

— Read what auctioneer Gregory says about selling off the contents of the Woburn Hotel on the 6th and 7th of July.

— Gregory sold the Michael Connell estate on Washington street at auction last Monday, to Ellen Lavin for $1170.

— M. Bond, Clerk of the Woburn District Court, has returned from a trip to Vermont. It was purely a business visit.

— Harry Davis of Dartmouth College is at home enjoying his vacation. He is looking firstrate—as bright as a new dollar.

— Land in Wilmington that could have been bought 10 days ago for $50 per acre has run up to $300 per acre with no bidders.

— All the schools closed last Friday afternoon. The exhibition at the Cummings was fully attended and proved a very fine one.

— The final meeting of the season of the Central Square Chautauqua Society was held at Mr. Jacob Ames's on Clinton street last Saturday evening.

— Miss I. A. C. Jacobs, one of Principal Mendum's Assistants in the High School, has gone to her old and delightful summer retreat, West Scituate.

— Dr. Graves and Mr. J. H. Parker returned from the South several days ago after a fine visit among the old Battle Fields of that section of the Union.

— The wife of Daniel McCarthy of Harrison Ave. fell down stairs one day last week and was fatally injured. She lived but a short time after her fall.

— Hard times or no hard times people will have the toothache and when Woburn people have it right smart they hasten to Dr. Lang's for relief and—get it.

— Mrs. Herbert Richardson and her children Grace and Gerald who live at Erie City, Penn., are visiting Mrs. Richardson's father Mr. Chandler Parker on Canal street.

— Supt. Sowell of the North Woburn Street RR. has made ample preparations for carrying everybody and their families to the big picnic in Baldwin's Grove to-morrow.

— Mr. C. E. Smith has a change in his notice to-day to which we call attention. He is doing a rushing business this spring and summer and gives the best of satisfaction everywhere.

— Postmaster Wyman and family expect to go to Edgartown next Monday for a six weeks visit. Mrs. Wyman and the daughters Helen, Louise and Cecil will be members of the party.

— Col. W. T. Grammer, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, has been ailing for two or three weeks and unable to attend to business. He and his friends hope he will soon return to his post of duty in Municipal Building.

— The Boston & Maine RR. Company are having some new cars made for suburban travel. They will be considerably smaller than the ordinary car and hold about 50 people. The Company think it will be a great improvement.

— Miss Susan M. Frye's Cambridge school pupils held a picnic in Shaker Glen last Tuesday afternoon which was greatly enjoyed. All sorts of pleasant things were indulged, and the basket lunches were greatly relished by all.

— Mr. Robert Parker, a well-known resident of this city, and a gentleman universally esteemed, died at his home last Tuesday after a long illness and much suffering from kidney complaint. He will be greatly missed in this community.

— Mr. E. A. Weir, a present resident of this city and a student at the Medical Department of Harvard University, is canvassing for the sale of Merritt's typewriter, one of the cheapest and best in use. It is a machine that everybody can afford to have.

— The slightest apology of a hint as to what a diligent searcher might be liable to find in the Woburn Public Library may be obtained by looking over an interesting article in this week's JOURNAL on autographs furnished for publication by Librarian Cutter.

— About the smallest specimen of a man that walks the earth is he who sends to the newspaper a scurrilous attack on a fellow man to which he dare not affix his name. It is a mean, cowardly cuss that will do such a thing, and yet there are those who are guilty of it.

— Mr. Leonard Thompson, one of last week's JOURNAL'S "Some Old Settlers," went into business in June, 1842, in the Wade Block, but first embarked in the hardware trade in 1852. That makes him a Woburn business man of 49 years standing and places him next to Mr. William Woodbury.

— A due regard for Civil Service rules would entitle Janitor John Connolly to the appointment of City Lockup Keeper to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Simonds. He is in every respect well fitted for the office and we hope it is true that his appointment is as good as settled.

— The No. Woburn Land Co. have offered to give to the Boston & Maine RR. Co. a very liberal slice of land on which to erect their machine shops which must leave East Cambridge before long. The land offered is admirably adapted to the business and the Railroad folks may accept it yet.

— Mr. William Kimball writes from his home at Milton, N. H., on June 26: "The country never looked lovlier, and there is a promise of unusual abundance of berries of all kinds, particularly blackberries and raspberries. Apples will be the same as last year—a short crop. Everything else promises well."

— Bright and early on last Monday we were favored with a brief but pleasant call from L. B. Hatch, Esq., Editor and Proprietor of the *Plymouth County Journal*, one of the best and most prosperous papers down in the Cape country. Mr. Hatch appears to be a worthy member of the pencil-pushing fraternity, and a gentleman besides.

— Several of the finest inside views of parts of our Public Library ever taken are those produced last Memorial Day by Mr. Baldwin Coolidge, a Boston photograph resident of this city. They are far superior to the very best yet made, and Albert Thompson, the painter, says they are altogether the finest he ever saw either in this country or Europe.

— Mr. Joseph R. Green, who has moved to Sharon in this State, writes the JOURNAL that his father Mr. Oliver Green, for many years an esteemed citizen of Woburn, died last Wednesday in his chair at the Green residence of heart failure and that "it was all over in a few minutes." He had been ill about six weeks. His death will be sad news to a large circle of friends and acquaintances in this city.

— We are in receipt of a "Circular of Information" concerning "Heartrest Sanatory" in New York City established and conducted by Drs. Ephraim and John A. Cutter for the treatment of many chronic diseases. The Boston office of the Doctors Cutter is at 24 Boylston st., corner of Tremont, where one or the other of them may be consulted on Thursday and Friday forenoons every other week.

— City Solicitor Adams is of the opinion that the city of Woburn is not bound to purchase the Armory lot of the Winn Estate for the reason that the contract was not signed by a majority of the Committee, as required by the City Ordinances. The agreement was signed by only one of the Committee of five. Equitably, he thinks, the city should buy the land, as the Committee assented to its purchase.

— Conductor "Dick" Carton remains with the RR. Company but will not be obliged to move to Wilmington. Conductor O. J. Hart and his son "Ed." have arranged things satisfactorily with Super Sanborn, and will live in Woburn principally. Yardmaster Webber goes to Wilmington, so also, Isaac Phillips, Engineer Sutherland, and some others. Not a dozen people in all will move from this city to Wilmington on account of the change.

— Dr. John M. Harlow, Mrs. Harlow, and Miss Maria S. Merrill, who is a teacher in the Andover Phillips Academy where also Mrs. Harlow was formerly an instructor, left this city on the morning of June 23 for a trip into Northern Vermont, the Doctor's native soil. They visited the beautiful city of Burlington on Lake Champlain, scenes on Lake George, and spent several days at Saratoga where time flew very pleasantly indeed. The party found everything in nature clothed in the sweetest and greenest of early summer garbs and as beautiful and attractive as only Vermont fields, woods, waters and skies can be. Dr. and Mrs. Harlow and Miss Merrill returned, after their delightful trip, on last Monday evening well and happy.

— Mr. J. R. Slattery of Boston, a younger brother of Rev. Lawrence W. Slattery, Assistant Pastor of St. Charles church in this city, graduated from Harvard Medical College last week with a good standing in his class and a handsome piece of sheepskin. He will open an office and practice the healing art in Boston. Another younger brother of Fr. Slattery is studying Blackstone, Coke, Kent, etc. and will soon appear out a full-fledged limb of the law.

— The following are the recently elected officers of Ionic Lodge, 86, K. of P.: John T. Given, Chancellor Commander; B. Frank Waldron, Vice-Chancellor; Samuel H. Patten, Prelate; William S. Latteny, Keeper of Records and Seal; William A. Mullett, Master of Finance; John H. Nason, Master of Exchequer; Allen T. Weeks, Master at Arms; William J. Singer, Trustee for 18 months; J. E. Osborne, O. G.; G. W. Waughn, I. G. The installation will take place next Monday evening.

— The reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Chamberlain at their pleasant residence, No 8 Eastern Avenue, on last Thursday evening week, to Miss Stevens of Baltimore, was a very delightful affair. About 100 high society people of this city were present who were lavish of their praise of the courtesies received from Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain. In various ways a happy evening was passed, and it was with many regrets that the party broke up and departed when the proper hour for it arrived.

— Of course nobody of any respectability will think of getting along to-morrow without a Penobscot River salmon for dinner. It wouldn't be any kind of a 4th without that—the play of Hamlet with Hamlet left out. And of course nobody who would have the very best Penobscot River salmon that the market affords would think of going any where else for it than to Tabor's City Fish Market—of course not! Tabor has a big stock of it on hand and it is the finest Penobscot River salmon ever struck this city.

— There is to be a union temperance meeting at the First Congregational church at 7 o'clock on next Sunday evening to devise ways and means to stop to some extent at least the illegal sale of rum in this city. Dr. March will preside. The pastors of the various churches will make short addresses but Hon. B. B. Johnson of Waltham will deliver the principal speech of the evening. Good music will be furnished, and as all the protestant churches have united in the matter a rousing meeting may be expected.

— There are quite a small army of railroad men living in this city. They are engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen, etc., and they are a unit in the opinion that Mr. D. W. Sanborn is the best Super the B. & L. has ever had. "Why he's white all through" said one of them the other morning when answering a reporter's question as to the Wilmington change; "he's a long way the best Super we've had yet," declared another. The way Supt. Sanborn has managed and arranged with his men about the removal to Wilmington has pleased them very much.

— In the JOURNAL'S enumeration of the people now in business in this city and have been for the last 25 years and more the name of Mr. F. B. Dodge was unintentionally omitted from the list. Such an old and prominent business man should not have been overlooked. Mr. Dodge began trade as a jeweler in Woburn in 1858 at No. 3 Wade Block where he remained 15 years. At the end of that period he moved into his present fine store and has been carrying on a successful business there for the last 18 years. He has always enjoyed a large patronage and has thrived handsomely on it.

— J. Grafton Murdock of the High School Class of '91 is enjoying boating and fishing at the Ne-mat-ta-no, North Lubec, Maine. The Y. M. C. A. of Mass. have secured land at this grand summer resort and have erected the Ne-mat-ta-no, one of the best hotels along the coast. State Secretary Armstrong and family, General Secretary Whitford of Cambridge and his family, and hosts of Y. M. C. A. people and their friends are made happy at the Ne-mat-ta-no. Mr. Murduck will enter upon his duties as salesman at Messrs. Brown, Durrell & Co. wholesale dealers, cor. Kingston and Essex streets, Boston, on July 13th.

— An estimable Winchester lady had one of her eyes painfully injured in front of Mr. Lovell's drugstore about 5 o'clock last Saturday afternoon, from which she still suffers. A person passing along near there a swinging rope which is used in connection with the awning (which was being raised) it struck the lady directly across her eye and produced a shock from which she nearly fainted away. Recovering somewhat she stepped into Mr. Cummings's store where a gentlemanly clerk fetched water, bathed the eye, and when the pain had somewhat abated she took a street car for home. Too much care cannot be exercised in matters of this kind, especially when ladies and children are on the street.

— We received a pleasant and encouraging note from our old townsman, Mr. J. W. Bedelle of Fitchburg, the other day and also several papers of the city, for which he will please accept our thanks. Mr. Bedelle has charge of a leather business at Fitchburg which he says is in a very prosperous condition—very different from what it is here. He hired 5 Woburn curriers the other day to which class of workmen about the same wages are paid as in Woburn, he says. Fitchburg is a thriving city, and having a multiplicity of industries it does not suffer from dull times as Woburn and other places with a single principal mechanical industry do. Mr. Bedelle is evidently happy.

— Mr. J. R. Carter of this city and Mr. J. M. Perley of Stoneham have purchased Mr. J.B. McDonald's big coal plant, stock and good will and will hereafter conduct the business under the firm style of Carter & Perley. The purchase was a large transaction for Mr. McDonald was one of the most extensive coal dealers in this county. The property has fallen into good hands. Mr. Carter is an old citizen who commands the confidence and respect of everybody on general principles, and as a coal merchant of several years standing in this city his reputation stand beyond the reach of adverse criticism. As a business man and member of the community no one occupies a higher position than he does, and it is understood here that his partner, Mr. Perley, is a gentleman who will do to tie to. The new firm has the best wishes of the JOURNAL for its success.

— Here are some figures that might be used to advantage at the great temperance meeting next Sunday evening:

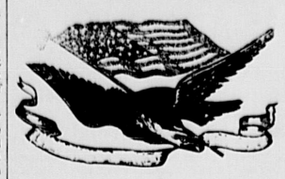
May, 1890, total of arrests,		23
" " arrests for drunkenness,		15
June, " total arrests,		18
" " arrests for drunkenness,		10
May, 1891, total of arrests,		59
" " arrests for drunkenness,		36
June, " arrests,		60
" " arrests for drunkenness,		21
" " " common drunkards,		13

In June 1890, there was only one arrest of common drunkard.

These statements contain food for reflection and also a moral. During May and June, 1890, under prohibition sway, there were 25 arrests for drunkenness in this city; while during the corresponding months in 1891, under license, there were 57 arrests for the same cause—almost 3 to 1. These figures tell the story only partially. They do not fairly represent the excess of drunkenness in 1891 over that of 1890, for everyone knows that but a small perce nt of intoxicated persons ever find their way into court. But they indicate to some extent the relative degree of sobriety in this city under prohibitory and license rule.

— The newspapers which we received from Ralph A. Tenney, map and atlas publisher, Lakeside Building, Chicago, last Monday morning, were "worth their weight in gold." One was a copy of *The Geneseo* (Ill.) *Republic* of the issue Vol. 1, No. 44, and date of April 1, 1857; and the other was a copy of *Tenney's Advertiser*, Vol. 1, No. 1, date July 1, 1858, published at Kewanee, Henry County, Ill., by R. A. Tenney, the Chicago gentleman who kindly sent us the copies. The former became the property of the writer in 1858 and continued to be edited by him for 20 years straight from the start, during the first part of which period it was obliged many times to apply the lash of correction to the back of the latter, which was one of the toughest Democratic papers in all that region of country—and still remains so, although Mr. Tenney left it years and years ago for a more lucrative business. A good many things have happened in those 33 and 34 years since Tenney and the author of this item were running newspapers together out in the Prairie State. We were both younger then than now and had more fun than people similarly circumstanced have now-a-days, judging from appearances. Things were primative, new, raw like our sod-corn, and there was not so much "style" or "society" then to interfere with ones freedom of gait as was afterwards set up and adhered to. Those were rattling old times, and it was a rattling old country to enjoy them in.

4th of July.



Grand Celebration!

Woburn, Mass.

Bells, Music, Cannon, Parade, Fire Works, Band Concerts, Field Sports, Children's Entertainments, Trades, Military and Civic Processions, Bicycle Races, etc., etc.

To-morrow is to be a big day in this city. Arrangements are completed for a 4th of July celebration on a grand scale. The above sets forth in general what the celebration will consist of.

Come Everybody!

City Council.

Both branches of the city government held a meeting last Thursday evening week and when they got through they adjourned to next fall.

In the Common Council an order was passed transferring from miscellaneous, $400 for almshouse, $500 for City Hall, and $500 for printing.——Concurred with the Aldermen in ordering curbstones in several localities, and allowing the Pautasette Leather Company to lay a track across two streets and locating fire alarm boxes at the almshouse and on Eastern avenue.——Mary A. Page was given leave to withdraw on her petition for damages for injuries.——Orders were passed providing for the indexing of town and city reports from 1868 to date; placing curb-stones around the common, appropriating $100 for celebrating July 4, and Councilmen O'Donnell, Waldron and Simonds were appointed a committee.——Petitions: From Isaac W. Butler and others for laying out of Tremont street; Duncan McPherson and others, laying out grade; William T. Kendall and others, water trough at corner of Salem and Cedar streets; Matthew Cassidy and others, electric light at corner of Washington and Albany streets.——Adjourned to Sept. 10.

Mayor Bean presided over the meeting of the Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor nominated and the Board confirmed: Alphonzo P. Webber as a Public Weigher, and John W. Francis and James E. Boutwell special police without pay.——The Mayor made the following nominations for Sewer Commissioners: Nathaniel S. Watson, one year; Orlando W. Johnson, two years; and James Skinner, three years.——The first two were confirmed, but Mr. Skinner was refused confirmation by a vote of 2 blanks, 1 no, 3 yes.——Several permits to sell fireworks were granted, and Margery McEleney petitioned for changes in the line of Water street.——A communication was received from Rev. Hugh Montgomery, asking that licenses of certain liquor dealers be forfeited on account of maintaining entrances other than those direct upon a public street. ——The document asked for a hearing, when all the facts would be presented. On motion of Alderman Davis the rules were suspended, and the paper received. The Aldermen then moved that the petitioner have leave to withdraw, and it was so voted unanimously.——The sum of $100 was appropriated for the Fourth of July celebration.——Alderman Finn offered an order, which was adopted, requiring the city clerk to specify in the liquor licenses that all enterance to saloons, except those leading direct to a public street, be kept closed.——The Mayor appointed as his Fourth of July committee, Aldermen Finn, Pushee and Walsh.——Adjourned.

School Meeting.

The Board held a meeting on last Tuesday evening.

Miss Carrie A. Fowle, Miss Jennie E. Gallagher, Miss M. Emma Perkins, Miss Annie L. Naven and Miss Annie M. Pike applied for positions as teachers and Miss Blanche L. True and Miss Mary C. Goode applied for admission as trainers.

A letter from Mr. Samuel Mendum read declining a re-appointment as military instructor as the duties were too great in addition to those of Principal of the High School. It was voted to accept his declination. The Board then went into executive session for the appointment of teachers for the next school year.

All the old teachers were re-appointed and in addition, Miss M. Emily Perkins was appointed as a teacher at Montvale. Miss Perkins is a daughter of the late George Perkins. Miss Marietta H. Bowers was transferred from Main Street School to the Highland School and Miss Mary J. Wakeford from Montvale to Main Street School.

Montvale.

We have a Band of Mercy in our school which, you know, is for the prevention of cruelty to animals, and it is flourishing first rate. There is no better or more praiseworthy society in the world than the B. of M.

The closing exhibition of our school was given in the Hall in this village on June 25 and was one of the best and most satisfactory ever attended here. Our teachers are the ablest in the city and under their instruction the best of progress is made by the pupils in their studies. Miss Augusta M. Fellows is Principal of the school and Miss Annie M. Henshaw of our room is one of the most successful instructors that ever laid the birch over an unruly boy's back. She is a fine scholar and stands without a superior as a teacher of youth. The exhibition went off in the best of shape and a great crowd witnessed and enjoyed it.

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CITY OF WOBURN.

Collector's Sale

— OF —

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., June 16, 1891.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1890, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on SATURDAY, July 25, A. D. 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1890, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

ANNIE M. DOWNEY.—About one-half acre of land with buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Buck street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by said Buck street: southerly by a private way; westerly by land of the City of Woburn, and northerly by land now or formerly of Edward Rooney heirs, by land of J. C. Hodge's heirs, and by land of Owen Conlan.
Tax of 1890, $25 57

MARY DUFFY.—About 5,100 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situate in said Woburn, on the northerly side of Lake Avenue, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Lake Avenue; westerly by other land of said Mary Duffy; northerly by other land of said Mary Duffy, and easterly by land of Patrick E. Tenney.
Tax of 1890, $33 83

MARY DUFFY.—About 69,100 square feet of land, situate in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—
Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on Main street, and at land of one McHugh; thence the line runs westerly by land of said McHugh, 240 feet to an angle; thence northerly still by land of said McHugh, 37 feet to land of Buck; thence westerly by land of said Buck, 204 feet to land of Richardson; thence southerly by land last named, 329 feet to Lake Avenue; thence easterly by said Lake Avenue, 163 feet to other land of said Mary Duffy; thence northerly by land last named, 90 feet to an angle; thence easterly still by other land of Mary Duffy, 60 feet to land of Tenney; thence again northerly by land of Tenney, 28 feet to an angle; thence again easterly by land of said Tenney, 240 feet to said Main street; thence northerly on and by said Main street, 100 feet to the point of beginning.
Tax of 1890, $24 75

PATRICK E. TENNEY.—About 78,250 square feet of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly on and by said Main street; southerly on and by Lake Avenue; northerly by land now or formerly of one Duffy; easterly also by land of said Duffy.
Tax of 1890, $154 28

JAMES MCDONALD.—About 11-16 of an acre of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Canal street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Canal Street; northerly by land of the City of Woburn and by land of Nicholas Murphy; easterly by land of Mary E Lombard; southerly by Buckman street.
Tax of 1890, $79 20

ALEXANDER EASLEY, et al.—About 4346 square feet of land, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by land of Callahan 55 feet; southerly by land of Clapp 79 feet; westerly by land of Collamore (now or formerly) 55 feet; northerly by land of Fifield. Also, the lot of land bounded westerly by land of Fitchett and by land now or late of Jaquith; northerly by Fowle street, 20 feet; easterly by land formerly of Svenson, 93 feet, and by Callahan, 25 feet, and southerly by lot first described, 20 feet. Being the same premises described in deed of Caleb H. Jaquith to said Easley and James E. Foster, dated July 12, 1888, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1865, Page 48.
Tax of 1890, $5 78

MOSES A. TYLER HEIRS.—About 7-16 acres of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on Main street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Main street; northerly by land formerly of Woburn A. and M. Association; easterly by heirs of Michael McHugh, and by a private way; southerly by land of Garland heirs, and by land of George J. Munroe, and land of Charles W. Fifield, and E. W. Hudson.
Tax of 1890, $80 85

WALTER W. BENNETT.—About ¼ acre of land with buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Mt. Pleasant street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Mt. Pleasant street; southerly on and by a private way; northerly on and by land of Fairchilds; easterly by land of Eliza Fowle.
Tax of 1890, $41 25

JAMES CALLAHAN.—About 10,000 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Jefferson Court, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Jefferson Court; northerly by land of James M. Callahan; easterly by land of Carpenter, and land of Leeds; southerly by land of George J. Munroe.
Tax of 1890, $34 65

JAMES M. CALLAHAN.—About 5,000 square feet of land situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Jefferson Court, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by Jefferson Court; southerly by land of Mary Callahan; easterly by land of Carpenter, and northerly by land of Richards.
Tax of 1890, $8 25

JOSIE V. COLBY.—About 11041 square feet of land with buildings thereon, situated on southerly side of Montvale Avenue in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly by said Montvale Avenue; southerly, easterly and westerly by land now or formerly of Samuel Jennison.
Tax of 1890, $21 45

PATRICK CADY.—About 3500 square feet of land, being lot numbered 20 on plan of lands owned by Bryant and King, situated on southerly side of Bryant street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by lot numbered 22 on said plan; westerly by lot numbered 19 on said plan; easterly by lot numbered 21 on said plan, and northerly by said Bryant street.
Tax of 1890, $2 89

OWEN COLLINS.—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Flagg street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz.—Northerly by land of John O'Donnell; southerly partly by land of Hutchings and partly by land of Kelley; westerly by land of Calnan, and easterly by said Flagg street.
Tax of 1890, $19 80

PATRICK MALONEY HEIRS.—About 2,357 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Centre street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Centre street; southerly by land of Rose Connolly; northerly by land of David Clancy, and easterly by land of John H. Connolly heirs.
Tax of 1890, $17 08

DANIEL MULLEN HEIRS.—About 10,766 sq. feet of land and buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Salem street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Northerly by said Salem street; easterly by land of Foss; southerly by land of Dow; westerly by land of Eastern Middlesex Street Railway.
Tax of 1890, $47 03

ELIZABETH A. KENNEY.—About 7,045 square feet of land with the buildings thereon, situate on a private street leading northerly out of Harrison Avenue, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of premises; thence the line runs east of north, by and with said private street, 60 feet; thence north of west, by land of McDermott, 136 feet; thence southerly by land of owner unknown, 60 feet; thence south of east by land now or formerly of Colgate, 120 feet, to the point of beginning. Being same premises conveyed to said Kenney by William A. Colgate by deed dated September 27, 1887, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1825, Page 506.
Tax of 1890, $8 25

JOHN W. HOWARD.—About ¼ acre of land and buildings thereon, situate on the easterly side of New Boston street, bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by New Boston street; northerly by land of Henry M. Eames; easterly and southerly by land of Michael K. Murphy.
Tax of 1890, $11 55

ELVIRA W. GOODE.—About 2 acres of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Beach street, in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly on and by said Beach street; easterly and northeasterly by land of Rufus Wyman, et al; southeasterly by other land of said Goode; southwesterly by other land of said Rufus Wyman et al; westerly by other land of Elvira W. Goode.
Tax of 1890, $61 38

ELVIRA W. GOODE.—About two acres of land, situated in said Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Easterly by land of Rufus Wyman et al; southerly and westerly by other land of said Wyman et al; and northerly by other land of said Elvira W. Goode.
Tax of 1890, $8 25

BRIDGET AND MARY E. MARLOW.—About one half acre of land with the buildings thereon, situate on the easterly side of Washington street, bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly and westerly by said Washington street; easterly by the old Canal, and southerly by land of Amasa W. Nason.
Tax of 1890, $21 04

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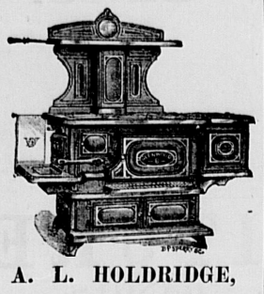

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Turning over the first volume we come to such names as Marshall Jewell, N. P. Banks, John A. Andrew, Raphael Semmes, autograph letter, contributed by request, William Lloyd Garrison, Horace Mann, Alexander H. Stephens, Daniel Webster, Charles Francis Adams, John Quincy Adams, Alexander Hamilton, James Munroe, J. C. Calhoun, Caleb Cushing, Rufus Choate, Robert C. Winthrop, Edward Everett, Wm. M. Evarts, Charles Sumner, Horatio Seymour, Hannibal Hamlin, M. R. Waite, Gideon Welles, John A. Dix, Hamilton Fish, Henry Wilson, P. T. Barnum, U. S. Grant, R. B. Hayes, and many others of national eminence.

Another division contains the autographs of James Russell Lowell, Charlotte Cushman, Louisa M. Alcott, Lydia Maria Child, Maria Mitchell, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Adeline D. T. Whitney, with sample of manuscript, Sophia Hawthorne, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, Thomas Ball, Edwin Forrest, William Willard, F. E. Church, William M. Hunt, Henry K. Oliver with specimens of his musical composition, Martin Milmore, H. H. Richardson, Wendell Phillips, Richard H. Dana, Jr., E. P. Whipple, Lord Macaulay, Washington Irving, J. G. Palfrey, Benjamin Peirce, James Martineau, Charles Dudley Warner, Horace Howard Furness, Benson J. Lossing, Bret Harte, Bayard Taylor, William D. Howells, John G. Whittier, William Cullen Bryant, Ralph Waldo Emerson, H. W. Longfellow, Theodore Parker, Henry Ward Beecher, Richard A. Proctor and others eminent in literature and art.

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There are besides two autographs of the Duke of Bedford, lately deceased, addressed from Woburn Abbey, England. Also autographs of W. H. Vanderbilt, and Brigham Young, J. G. Blaine, A. G. Thurman, and others.

Also in the second volume is another autograph of U. S. Grant, and autographs of W. T. Sherman, P. H. Sheridan, T. F. Bayard and F. E. Spinner.

Not at all unimportant is the section devoted to citizens of Woburn and persons identified with the place. This department will grow more valuable in the course of years. The following selections illustrative of the career of Woburn are taken from the second volume.

John M. Marsters, a former pastor of the Unitarian Society, in a long letter, writes;

"In my walks and runs on the heights about the Cambridge valley, I often see the hills and steeples that mark the site of your village, and the sight stirs me to my best moods and thoughts, for in Woburn I found the best society to work in, I have ever found. My first Sabbath in Woburn seemed to bode ill; it was a day of snow, and only a dozen or twenty came together to listen to my wretched words. The prospect held out to me was not flattering, but I determined to try. I found myself borne on in my two years of preaching, which closed in April, 1855. I was splendidly supported, our members steadily increased. In a year we found the church building too small. One season we canvassed the whole village for purposes of charity; and found two results, first, everybody willing to give; and second, few needing to be given to. Our noble-hearted men of means gave their money as a ferment to stir up the town to be a well-equipped town. We made the lyceum flourish; we built the new hall; we brought gas to Woburn and lighted the streets; and made it known that a Christian purpose could be as strong to make a good town as a good church.

"It is the record of two years;—to Woburn and our society I suppose the thought of it has vanished,—not so to me: the memory of it is precious and beautiful, and will always be so.

"Of course, when I think of these bright things, the recollection of my own imperfections casts a cloud over them all. Fortunately for the society, a sharp sickness put an end to my 'drowsy tinklings' and incoherent nonentities of speech, and opened the way for a fine line of men."

James Walker, President of Harvard University, under date of Feb. 27, 1874, says:—

"I was born in Woburn, six years before that part of it which was my native place became Burlington. May I suggest, what has doubtless already occurred to you, that one object of libraries should be to collect and preserve every scrap of print or manuscript which will help to throw light on the past condition and folklore of their respective localities. In many families heir-looms have come down, in the form of diaries, documents, letters, surveys, or the like, of great importance in settling facts and dates, which in process of time will infallibly be lost unless safely deposited under the lock and key of some permanent institution. These things have no money value and probably would be of no expense to the library except that involved in devoting a single drawer to their safe-keeping.

"Woburn has had its full share of men of note. Edward Johnson was the author of one of our early New England classics. Count Rumford impressed himself on the science, the economy, and the institutions of the Old World as much perhaps as any other American of his day. And I need not mention the individuals and whole families, born and brought up among you in later times, who by their public or professional services, or by their business talents or skill, have won success or distinction. You will take care that memorials of such men are preserved in the community, and amidst the homes, which gave them birth; and it will not be without its moral effect. Your children will be more likely to be stimulated and encouraged by the example of these persons from the very fact that they grew up in the same neighborhood, were familiar with the same playgrounds, fished in the same streams and ponds, and began their studies in the same schools, as themselves."

Samuel Batchelder, of Cambridge, under date of June 11, 1874, says:—

"When you were at my house on the occasion of my ninetieth birthday, you expressed a wish for my autograph for your Woburn repository. You must obtain a valuable collection in the native place of Colonel Baldwin and Count Rumford. The former I remember very well sixty-eight years ago, when he was engaged upon the canals on the Merrimack River [Col. Baldwin died in 1807]; and during the winter of 1808, I was acquainted with some families in Green Street [Boston?] where the Countess of Rumford frequently visited, and I occasionally walked home with her and called upon her."

Pine Banks Park.

Very rich men are not always blessings to the communities in which they dwell. Oftener than otherwise they are the reverse of this. Generally speaking they hold their money with a tight grip that increases in strength as they draw nearer and nearer to the end of their earthly span when they must yield up their possessions, be they much or little, into other hands to be enjoyed, or otherwise, by other possessors. Unwisely most rich men prefer a post-mortem distribution of their gold and jewels, their houses and lands, their flocks and herds, rather than the pleasure of being the executors of their own wills; the satisfaction of seeing their riches go where they would have them go instead of lining the pockets of voracious Attorneys; and the delight of reaping the rewards while in the flesh of doing good and making people better and happier.

There are exceptions to the rule however, and Hon. E. S. Converse of Malden is a notable one. As a principal proprietor of one of the most extensive and prosperous rubber manufactories in the country he is held to be among the wealthiest business men of Boston. His fine summer home is in Malden in which flourishing city he has large landed possessions which are made to contribute to the advancement of the city's material interests. Mr. Converse is justly regarded by his fellow citizens as a benefactor, and for his munificent public bequests and innumerable private charities, as well as for his many sterling qualities of head and heart, he is held in the highest esteem by all classes of Malden people.

Among his princely gifts recently made to the city of Malden is a splendid Public Library which cost more than $100,000, and which excels in size, beauty of design and finish and wealth of contents all other institutions of the kind to be found in the environs of Boston, always excepting Woburn's magnificent Public Library. Mr. Converse has of late years dealt most generously by the Malden churches, schools, and public enterprises for the general good, and in this way he has built a monument to his own memory that will outlast any marble shaft that a grateful people may raise over his grave. This monument is to be found in the hearts and affections of his neighbors, friends and fellow citizens.

But one of the noblest public gifts which Mr. Converse has ever made is that of Pine Banks Park, a magnificent piece of original country located in Malden, containing several hundred acres, and forming one of the most delightful pleasure grounds in New England. They lie adjacent to the broad thoroughfare that leads from Malden Square to Melrose and charming Melrose Highlands and Woburn over which the fine horse cars of the East Middlesex Street Railroad make frequent trips, and opposite the famous Middlesex Fells, whose hills and rocks and woods have of late become a favorite resort for lovers of primeval nature.

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Pine Banks is daily visited by scores and hundreds of people and on Sundays it is full and running over. Family groups, picnic parties, solitary pleasure-seekers, equestrians, and handsome equipages, are always to be seen moving about over the broad acres of woods and hills and add variety to the landscape. By means of the admirably equipped street cars of the East Middlesex Street Railroad people can quickly, easily and cheaply reach Pine Banks from Boston, Chelsea, Somerville, Lynn, Woburn, Stoneham, and other neighboring points, and not a summer day passes that they do not avail themselves of the privilege of breathing country air and luxuriating on the beauties of nature by visiting this delightful spot.

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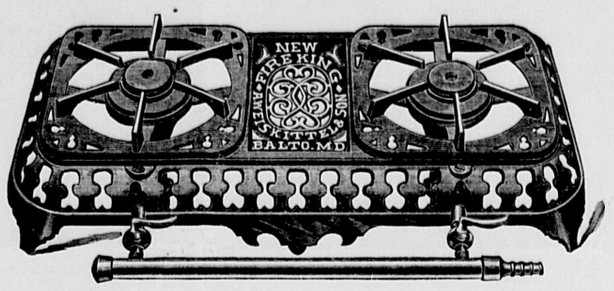

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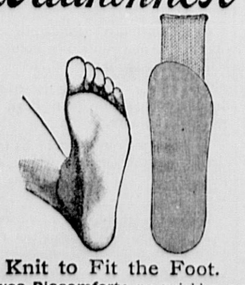

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CITY OF WOBURN.

Collector's Sale

—OF—

Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., June 16, 1891.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1889, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **SATURDAY, JULY 25, A. D. 1891,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1889, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

RESIDENTS.

CATHERINE LYNCH.—About ¾ of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on northerly side of Montvale Avenue, in Woburn, bounded as follows, viz:—Southerly by said Montvale Avenue, there measuring 60 feet; westerly partly by land formerly of Francis Maize, and partly by land formerly of one Moore, there measuring about 265 feet; northerly by land now or formerly of one Davis, there measuring 100 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of one Lewis.
Tax of 1889, $15 48

CHARLES UPTON HEILS.—About 2,244 square feet of land, situated in Woburn, on the westerly side of Beacon street, bounded as follows, viz:—easterly by said Beacon street; southerly by land of Anna E. Smith; westerly by land of McLaughlin, and northerly by other land of Charles Upton heirs.
Tax of 1889, $10 15

MARY HANDLEY.—About 5-16 of an acre of land with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Montvale Avenue bounded as follows, viz:—Northwesterly partly by the West Boarding House lot, so-called, shown on plan of the Woburn Agricultural and Manufacturing Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds; southwesterly also by said West Boarding House lot; northwesterly by lot No. 121 on said plan, about 130 feet; northeasterly by Utica street, about 80 feet; southeasterly Lot No. 123 on said plan, and by the East Middle Boarding House lot as shown on said plan, about 285 feet, and southwesterly by said Montvale Avenue, 22 5-10 feet. Being the same premises conveyed to Murtagh Handley by deed of Thomas S. Chamberlain et als, dated November 22, 1881, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1584, Page 198.
Tax of 1889, $8 60

NON-RESIDENTS.

GEORGE B. JAMES.—About 10,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 72, 73 and 74 on plan of land of France B. Hiller, situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50.
Tax of 1889, $ 43

FREDERICK MAHONEY.—About 20,000 sq. feet of land, being lots numbered 84, 85, 86, 87 and 88, on plan of land of France B. Hiller situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50.
Tax of 1889, $ 86

JOHN G. MAGUIRE,
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Administrator's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court, within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9, 1891, the subscriber, Administrator of the estate of Annie J. Lafferty, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction on Wednesday, July 8th, 1891, the two parcels of land hereinafter described, the sale of each parcel to occur upon the respective premises, and at the hour specified below:

LOT 1. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises herein described, will be sold a certain parcel of land, with certain buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the westerly side of Main street, bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the premises, on said Main street and at land of Salmon; thence the line runs northerly, by and with said Main street, nineteen (19) feet, to land of George H. Hutchings; thence westerly on and by land last named, sixty-one (61) feet, to land of Alvah Buckman; thence southerly, on and by land of Buckman, twenty (20) feet, to land of said Salmon; thence easterly, on and by land last named, fifty-nine and one-half (59½) feet, to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Annie J. Lafferty by George H. Hutchings by deed dated April 26, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1905, Page 229.

LOT 2. At 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, will be sold a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on Broad street in said Woburn, containing about seven thousand one hundred and fourteen square feet, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises, on the southerly side of Broad street; thence the line runs west of south by land of the City of Woburn, one hundred twenty-seven and fourtenths (127.4) feet, to a corner; thence north of west, by land now or formerly of one Ellis, and land now or formerly of John Winn and Charles Bennett, fifty-five feet and three inches, to a stake; thence east of north, by land now or formerly of Flagg, one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet, to a stake at said Broad street; thence south of east, by and with said Broad street, fifty-seven feet and nine inches, to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Annie J. Lafferty by Jotham F. Hill and Agnes E. Hill, by deed dated August 28, 1886, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1765, Page 172.

$100.00 of purchase money on each lot will be required to be paid at time and place of sale; balance in ten days.

THOMAS SALMON, Administrator of the estate of Annie J. Lafferty.

J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney,
396 Main St., Woburn, Mass.
Woburn, June 15, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs at-Law and others interested in the estate of Ann Doherty late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Hugh McCafferty Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court his petition for a license to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Clark, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Margaret Clark, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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THE WORD MADE FLESH.

LESSON I, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JULY 5.

Text of the Lesson, John i, 1-18—Commit Verses, 11-13—Golden Text, John i, 14—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

We now enter upon the simplest, and yet the highest and deepest of all the gospels.

1. "In the beginning was the Word."

We are here introduced to the Son of God as "The Word," the telling out of the Father's heart by whom we are to know the Father. By people's words, if they are honest, we know their hearts, so by the Son as the Word of God we shall know our Heavenly Father's heart toward us.

"And the Word was with God, and the Word was God."

Can we for a moment wonder at His oneness with the Father before He ever came as a man?

2. "The same was in the beginning with God."

The words "in the beginning" in this verse and the last take us to Gen. i, 1; but who can tell when "the beginning" was?

3 "All things were made by Him; and without Him was not anything made that was made."

See how full the statement in Col. i, 16, 17, which closes with these words, "All things were created by Him and for Him; and He is before all things, and by Him all things consist."

4. "In Him was Life, and the Life was the Light of men."

Apart from Him no one, however good morally or even religiously, has what the Scriptures call Life.

5. "And the Light shineth in darkness, and the darkness comprehended it not."

Weak eyes cannot bear natural light, neither can sinners bear the light of God, unless they are willing to be healed, and then Christ, the Light of God, will first be their healer and then their life (Jer. xxxiii, 6; John x, 10). And they will soon learn to sing "Behold, God is my salvation" (or health) (Isa. xii, 2).

6. "There was a man sent from God, whose name was John."

We now turn for a few moments from the Light to the herald of the Light. Jesus testified of him that "Among them that are born of women there hath not risen a greater than John the Baptist" (Matt. xi, 11).

7. "The same came for a witness to bear witness of the Light, that all men through Him might believe."

The Spirit said through Malachi, "Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me" (Mal. iii, 1). This is now the business of every believer, to bear witness to the Light by letting the Light fill them and shine through them.

8. "He was not that Light, but was sent to bear witness of that Light."

He bore witness by the Spirit in him, by whom he was filled from his birth (Luke i, 15), and we can only be witnesses by the same Spirit (Acts i, 8).

9. "That was the true Light which lighteth every man that cometh into the world."

See His own oft repeated, "I am the Light of the world" (John viii, 12; ix, 5; xii, 46), and give good heed to the fact that there is no need to walk in darkness.

10. "He was in the world, and the world was made by Him, and the world knew Him not."

Having created all things for His pleasure and glory, He created man in His own image as the head of all things and to have dominion over all things (Gen. i, 27, 28); but man having by sin defaced the image and lost the dominion, the Creator came in human form as a man to restore the image and the dominion. Yet He was treated as a stranger in the world which He had made. Seek, by in some faint measure putting yourself in His place, to realize somewhat the state of things here described.

11. "He came unto His own, and His own received Him not."

"A stranger to His brethren and an alien unto His mother's children" (Ps. lxix, 8). Even Job's experience when brethren were far from him, acquaintances estranged, kinsfolk failed, familiar friends forgot, a stranger in his own house, wife, children, servants, all against him (Job xix, 13-19)—even this was not equal to the experience of God manifest in the flesh.

12. "But as many as received Him, to them gave He power (or the right or privilege) to become the sons of God, even to them that believe in His name."

While the nation rejected Him a few believed on Him, and this was their privilege. Each hearer has it in his or her power to keep Him out or let Him in, and thus continue in darkness and death, or pass from death to life.

13. "Which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God."

The Jews thought that because they were of the blood of Abraham, descended from him, that therefore they were safe (viii, 33). They were full of the works of the flesh, their own doings, and that was their righteousness in which they trusted.

14. "And the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us (and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father), full of grace and truth."

As the glory of God was concealed from the people in the Holy of Holies, within the veil, in the tabernacle and in the temple, so in the body of the Lord Jesus, as within a veil (Heb. x, 20) the glory was concealed from natural eyes while He was here in humiliation. But on the Mount of Transfiguration it shone forth.

15. "John bare witness of Him, and cried, saying, This was He of whom I spake, He that cometh after me is preferred before me, for He was before me."

Not as a man born of woman was Jesus, Son of Mary, before John, son of Elizabeth, but as John's creator and the creator of all men.

16. "And of His fullness have all we received, and grace for grace."

"It pleased the Father that in Him should all fullness dwell." "In Him dwelleth all the fullness of the Godhead bodily" (Col. i, 19; ii, 9). And we are filled full in Him. Receiving Him (verse 12) we must have all that He has and is.

17. "For the law was given by Moses, but Grace and Truth came by Jesus Christ."

The law showed what man ought to be, but never could give life nor make man what he ought to be, because of his sinful nature, which cannot keep God's holy law.

18. "No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son which is in the bosom of the Father, He hath declared Him."

See the first clause of the verse repeated in I John iv, 12. Jesus said to Philip, "He that hath seen Me hath seen the Father" (John xiv, 9). Wherever, in all Scripture, you read of any manifestation of God, see there the only begotten Son, "whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting" (Mic. v, 2), and your Bible will take on a new meaning and shine with a new light.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

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POPLAR LEAVES.

The wind blows down the dusty street;
And through my soul that grieves—
It brings a sudden odor sweet,
A smell of poplar leaves.

O leaves that herald in the spring,
O freshness young and pure,
Into my weary soul you bring
The vigor to endure.

The wood is near, but out of sight,
Where all the poplars grow;
Straight up and tall and silver white,
They quiver in a row.

My love is out of sight, but near;
And through my soul that grieves,
A sudden memory wafts her here
As fresh as poplar leaves.
—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Napoleon and the Scientists.

Napoleon was fond of the society of scientists, and rewarded with prizes and honors the most noteworthy of scientific discoveries. Although at war with "perfide Albion," as he was wont to call England, he drew the line at scientists, and pardoned English prisoners at the simple request of Joseph Priestley, after all other means had been exhausted, and acceded to the award of 3,000 francs by the first class of the Institute to Davy for his celebrated memoir of 1806. It was Bonaparte who proposed to award a gold medal to Volta, after reading his memoir on galvanism, and later induced Volta, by emoluments and titles, to surrender his Italian professorship for a residence in Paris.

When the memorable expedition to Egypt set sail Bonaparte took with him many savants and academicians. After the wager of battle had turned against the great soldier, and he was transported to the lonely St. Helena, he must have felt that the last tie to France had been severed when, in 1817, he felt forced to resign his chair in the Academy of Sciences.—W. C. Cahall, M. D., in Popular Science Monthly.

Dangerous Knowledge.

A certain illiterate man had married a woman with just enough education to want to air what little learning she did have. As she became older, the habit of using big words grew into a mania. The pocket dictionary did great service in perplexing her associates, and many a disgusted reply did she receive from delayed grocerymen who were in haste to get back to business, but she only moralized the more upon the "illumination" of mankind.

Suddenly her husband became very successful in his lumber speculation, and his wife seemed to think that bigger words would add to the dignity of her new position.

One day a former townsman visiting in the town congratulated the lady upon her brighter fortunes. He was rather taken back at the reply, "Oh, yes, Joshiah and I have had quite a boomerang since you were here!"—Lewistown Journal.

A Problem About Corn.

Here is a puzzle in geometry. It does not require a skilled mathematician, however, to solve it.

It is required to demonstrate (geometrically) that a larger crop of corn can be grown on an acre of level ground than on an acre of slanting ground. The stalks of corn are supposed to grow perpendicularly in both cases, and all other particulars, such as fertility of the soil and the like, to be the same.

The ingenious reader will probably have no trouble in solving the problem without assistance.—New York Tribune.

True Gentleman.

Old words are continually receiving new definitions. Two negroes were talking about their respective employers.

"Well, now," said one, "nobody can't say but Mr. Loftus is a real gentleman."

"Oh, no," answered the other, "he's well enough. But he ain't no such man as my boss. My boss is always jes' so. Why, I see him step on a bananer peel t'other day, an' it didn't frustrate his dignity the leastest bit."—Youth's Companion.

Never purchase glasses from a peddler or a jeweler. Even opticians, except the most careful ones, practically allow the customer to make his own selection, and if he is near sighted he commonly selects glasses which are too strong, while if he is far sighted he selects such as enlarge the print, or else are of too low a number, from the false idea that this will favor a long preservation of his sight.

Arguing from the measurement of the fifty-second parallel of north latitude, between Valencia, Ireland, and Orsk, Russia, the conclusion is reached that the earth's surface on this parallel is not that of an ellipsoid of revolution. This confirms the conclusions reached in this country when the forty-second parallel was measured, and shows that the earth is not a perfect spheroid.

In Elizabeth's reign the English army wore a variety of colors, but a change occurred in 1584, when some of the troops for Ireland wore coats of motley and others of "sadd greene or russet." The cavalry at this time wore red cloaks and breeches, and the infantry who went to low countries wore red coats.

The beautiful Maltese lace, made of black or white Barcelone silk, sprang from the philanthropy of Lady Hamilton Chichester, who exhibited to the native lace makers a Greek coverlet and induced them to imitate its exquisite mesh.

Tuisco, from which the word Tuesday was derived, was one of the most ancient and popular gods of ancient Germany. The third day of the week was dedicated to his worship.

The Wonderful Tower.

The highest structure in the world is Eiffel Tower, at Paris, 1,000 feet high. But the great discovery of Dr. Franklin Miles is certain to tower far above it in promoting human happiness and health. This wonderful nerve medicine builds up worn out systems, cures fits, sparms, headache, nervous prostration, dizziness, sleeplessness, monthly pains, sexual troubles, etc. Mrs. John R. Miller, of Valparaiso, Ind., and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., gained 20 pounds a month while taking it. Finely illustrated treatise on "Nervous Diseases," and a sample bottle of the Restorative Nervine, free at Charles H. Buss's.

A patch of sweet corn makes one of the best crops to grow to commence feeding hogs intended for early fall market.

The bullet which killed Lord Nelson at Trafalgar is one of the treasured exhibits of the London Naval exhibition.

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THE GENUS NEWSBOY.

Unwritten Laws Which He Observes with Commendable Strictness.

Etiquette is not confined to the Four Hundred by any means. Even the newsboys of this great town have a code of manners which is carefully kept up even without the surveillance of a McAllister.

Watch one board a horse car, for instance. He swings himself on the platform with an adeptness which is little short of marvellous. If he sees another newsboy in the car that settles it. The latter comer gets off the car without more ado. Perhaps he is many times larger than the boy inside, but that makes no difference. There is an unwritten law among the newsboys of New York which says that, "The first feller on der car owns der roost."

Size and personal prowess do not count in the deal at all. It is simply an arrangement adopted by the craft long ago and founded on the basis of fair play.

Another thing that one notices in the horse cars is the tendency of the conductor to be tolerant toward the boys, even though the little fellows sometimes get in their way and tread on their corns. Seldom is it that a newsboy, when he is handed five cents for a penny paper, appeals in vain to the conductor for five coppers if he happens to find himself without change.

On the other hand, if the day is very cold and the car door is kept shut by the conductor, the newsboy in opening it will always close it again carefully before crying out the different editions of his paper. This seems to be another tacit understanding among the boys. Occasionally a cross grained conductor will strike one of the little lads, who are so great a convenience to the public, or even push him off his car, but such cases are few and far between. It is not impossible that some of the conductors were newsboys themselves in their time.

Aside from his method of doing business on the city's horse cars, the New York newsboy has another trait which entitles him to respect, and that is his honesty. Give a boy a dime, and if he says, "Haint got no change, boss; just wait er minute," and then disappears in the crowd, you needn't think for an instant that you are being robbed. Of course the boy could get away if he were so inclined, but he isn't. The little chap may have had hard luck, and perhaps didn't get money enough to buy his usual luncheon, but it will never enter his head to run away with your dime. Just inquire among your friends and see if you can find one who will say that a New York newsboy ever robbed him of a cent.—New York Herald.

Improvement in Surgical Dressing.

A new material, which has been named "Christia," has been introduced for surgical dressings. It is a membrane-like tissue, made by a process of felting the pure fiber of the manilla hemp. It is very light and strong, impermeable to water, spirits of all kinds, oils and acids. It is made neutral, so that it can be rendered antiseptic with any desired medicament. It will stand tropical heat and arctic cold without being injuriously affected by the changes.

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A Knowing Horse.

Some fifteen years ago, on the green hills, in sight of the beautiful Pennesee-wassee, browsed an old horse which had been through the war with its owner, a quartermaster. It would take a long time to tell all that this intelligent animal knew and could do; but it was this which especially excited the admiration of the village mammas.

The school house was three miles from the barn from which old Betsy drew a pung full of little ones every day. After arriving at the school the oldest would secure the reins, turn Betsy's head homeward, and the old horse would jog along, making the right turns in the road, sheering out for teams and arriving home just as safely as if it had a driver.—Lewiston Journal.

Improved Automatic Stall Door Trip.

A new door trip has been designed to facilitate the movements of the fireman upon receipt of an alarm by throwing open the stall doors and loosening the horses, which immediately at the first tap of the bell take their position ready to have the harness fastened. It also has a clock which marks on a register the exact moment the alarm was received. It can also be made to light the gas or electric light in any part of the house, or ring one or more mechanical or electric bells.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Love's Young Dream.

Sweet Girl—Papa, Mr. Poorchap proposed to me last night, and I told him I would marry him if you were willing.

Father—Send him about his business.

Sweet Girl—He hasn't any.—New York Weekly.

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PRINCE AND PRINCESS MURAT.

Story of the Royal Couple Whose Bodies Are Buried in Florida.

In the well kept little cemetery in the quiet little city of Tallahassee, the capital of Florida, side by side beneath the shade of the trees, rests all that was mortal of a once well known prince of royal blood and his American bride, their graves turfed over and marked by plain marble shafts. One of these stones bears the following inscription:

"Departed this life April 18, 1847, Charles Louis Napoleon Achille Murat, son of the king of Naples and Caroline Murat, aged forty-seven. This monument is dedicated by his wife Catherine in perpetual memory of her love."

Upon the other shaft is cut these words:

"Sacred to the memory of Princess C. A. Murat, widow of Colonel Charles Louis Napoleon Achille Murat and daughter of the late Colonel Bird C. Willis, of Virginia. She departed this life on the 6th day of August, 1867, in the sixty-fourth year of her age. A kind and affectionate wife and sister. A sincere and devoted friend. None knew her but to love her. None named her but to praise. This monument is erected to her memory by her bereaved brother and sisters."

The Prince and Princess Murat resided upon their plantation in Jefferson county, east of Tallahassee, and owned numerous slaves. They lived in grand style, and pictures of their royal robes and magnificent jewels are yet fresh in the memories of old residents.

When the remains of the prince were brought from Tallahassee for burial the funeral cortege presented a novel appearance. There were carriages, buggies, wagons, carts and buckboards, drawn by blooded horses, ordinary horses, shabby horses, mules, donkeys and oxen. Everybody for miles around attended, and among the mourners were 200 slaves, all in funeral black, and there yet remained upon the plantation many slaves either too old or too young to come.

Prince Murat was an eccentric character, and old citizens who knew him well delight to tell anecdotes and reminiscences of his peculiar doings. Several of his former slaves are yet living in and about Tallahassee, and they, too, are proud to have one listen to their marvelous tales of "Maus Muhraw." The prince had three favorite slaves—Mingo, Jerry and William—who took part in all his hunting, fishing and exploring expeditions.

The prince was a great sportsman, and he always shot any bird or beast that came within reach of his gun. He never shot anything but once that he did not eat; in fact, he was often heard to say that before he stopped he intended knowing the flavor of every animal, fish or fowl to be found in Florida.

One day he brought in a bird and delivered it to William with instructions to cook it.

"Good Gawd, mausa, yuh ain't gwan tuh eat dat ting, is yuh?" asked William.

"I will eat zat crow, William; you cook eet!"

"But, mausa, dat's uh buzzard!"

"You cook eet!"

The buzzard was plucked and put in the pot to parboil, but soon the atmosphere became so dense with such a peculiar effluvia that even the prince had to hunt purer air. He did not eat that bird.—Detroit Free Press.

Simple Questions That Puzzle.

An exceedingly wise man has sometimes been caught by a very simple question of this sort. The following for example:

How many days would it take to cut up a piece of cloth fifty yards long, one yard being cut off every day?

Or this:

A snail climbing up a post twenty feet high ascends five feet every day and slips down four feet every night. How long will it take the snail to reach the top of the post?

These are simple questions in arithmetic, and yet how many persons would answer fifty days, instead of forty-nine to the first one and twenty instead of sixteen to the last one. It is perhaps scarcely necessary to point out that the snail would gain one foot a day for fifteen days, and on the sixteenth day reach the top of the pole, and there, of course, remain.—New York Tribune.

Exercise as Well as Diet.

By judicious dieting alone a corpulent person may reduce himself in weight, but the loss is almost always very slow indeed after the first two or three weeks, and ere long a point is reached when further reduction is impossible by this means unless he "half starves himself." If, however, he exercises freely as well as diets, he can pull himself down as much as he wishes; and this fact supports the theory advanced—that corpulent people owe their overweight to a choking up of the system—for exercise is the one grand eliminator of waste, and does what dieting alone cannot do.—Boston Herald.

Tit for Tat.

Mr. Jinks—Who has been fooling with this gun?

Mrs. Jinks—The new girl got hold of it this morning and discharged it.

"My gracious! What did you do?"

"I discharged her."—Good News.

Happened to Misunderstand.

"Close the door," yelled a grocer to a very deaf customer.

"Clothes are poor? I didn't come here to be insulted," and he slammed out again.—Detroit Free Press.

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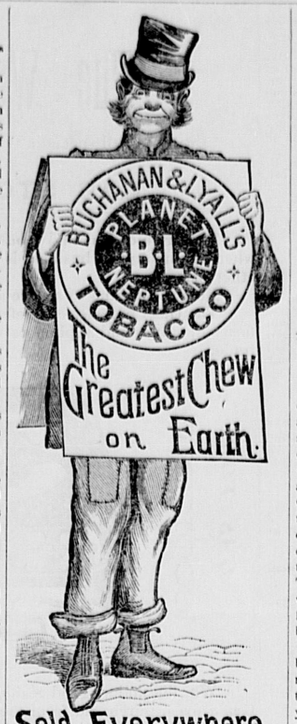

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Set goslings in the pasture when they are a week old.

Sour milk is a treat both to hens and to little chickens.

Dry dirt and sifted coal ashes make a good dust bath for poultry.

Provide a shelter under which the young fowls can run to whenever it rains.

If only one thing is used coal oil is probably the best to use for lice in poultry.

Laying hens should be kept separate from those that are being fattened for the market.

Canadians are complaining of an influx of American silver coin, which is displacing the home article.

The charge for using the telephone line between London and Paris is one dollar per minute.

A German professor claims to have discovered the bacteria which causes baldness by destroying the roots of the hair.

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The Slang Shocked Him.

A dignified bishop of the Methodist Episcopal denomination came to this city from a western state a few days ago and put up at a hotel near Madison square. After he had eaten breakfast on the morning after his arrival he went to the office of the hotel and asked to be directed to the Young Men's Christian association building at Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue. The clerk told him that the green cars going down Broadway and through Twenty-third street would take him right there. The bishop, however, said that he wanted to walk, and he had been informed that the Christian association building was "just across the park."

"Yes, that is so," answered the clerk, briskly. "You cross the park diagonally, and any of the 'sparrows' over there will point out the building to you."

"The what?" asked the bishop.

"The sparrows, the sparrows," repeated the clerk.

"Do you mean to say that they have trained birds over there?" said the bishop, in an incredulous tone.

It took the hotel clerk five minutes to convince the dignified bishop that the term "sparrow" was commonly applied to a park policeman, and it took another five minutes to explain to the good man that the vulgar New York gamins had originated the appellation to express their conviction that the park policeman's chief occupation was the chasing of sparrows.—New York Times.

Solicitude.

To his already large collection of zoological specimens a young Maine naturalist every summer adds several valuable species from the hills of Oxford county, his trips usually extending into the White mountains of New Hampshire.

One day he came home with a pair of reptiles he had long coveted. Now he had a compartment especially fitted to hold his collection, but those species hardest to obtain and consequently most prized were kept in his sleeping room, and his lately acquired treasures were too precious to be trusted out of sight.

The next morning he casually remarked, "Had quite an adventure with my reptiles last night."

"Yes; what was it?" inquired the mother, who felt like an old hen with a duckling in charge.

"I was waked up with a terrible pain in my side, and putting my hand up touched one of my new reptiles, who evidently preferred warmer quarters."

In reply to the question, "Were you not frightened?" he answered, "Yes; for a moment I almost held my breath for fear I had hurt my reptile."

His mother has now no doubt as to his call to be a naturalist, although she may sympathize with Mrs. Agassiz, who thought it rather too much of a good thing when she found tiny red snakes in her slipper.—Lewiston Journal.

Reading the Journal.

One morning, in the Kentucky house of representatives, the usual motion was made to "despense with the reading of the journal." It had been observed that every morning when this motion was made a certain member from one of the mountain counties, who was very fond of reading George D. Prentice's pungent paragraphs, and who bought a copy of the journal every day, would lay down his paper unread. On this particular morning the mountain member could contain himself no longer.

"Mr. Speaker," he said, "I've sat here for more'n a week and submitted to the tyranny of this house, but I can't stand it any longer without a solemn protest, sir. Somebody, sir, has moved every morning to dispense with the reading of The Journal, and I've lost every paper I've bought for a week by it. Nobody has ever moved to dispense with the reading of The Democrat or The Courier. It ain't fair play, Mr. Speaker; it ain't just, and"——

The remainder of the gentleman's protest for fair play to The Journal was lost in a general burst of laughter such as rarely lightened the gravity of a border state legislator in those troublous days.—Youth's Companion.

Unprofitable Neckties.

"How much?" I asked, taking the white dress necktie that the clerk had carefully put in a little box.

"Twenty-five cents."

"You must make money in that line."

"On the contrary, we lose money, although the articles are sold for five times their worth."

"Then how can you lose?"

"By so many ties becoming soiled and spoiled from the handling of customers. We lose so many that way that it takes all the profit off. It is not the wearing of a necktie that soils it, but the putting on and taking off and banging around."—New York Herald.

Laugh.

There is more benefit in a good laugh than in all the hot water remedies, faith cures, cold water, electric and all other new fangled treatments in the world, and it does not cost anything. Laugh. If you know of nothing else to laugh at, laugh at your neighbor. He is probably improving his health by laughing at you.—Atchison Globe.

An Editor in Trouble.

A downey editor is in trouble from having published the following, "Miss Jones, who came here before the flood, is still the guest of her brother." He found it difficult to convince the lady that he meant no reference to her age.—San Francisco Call.

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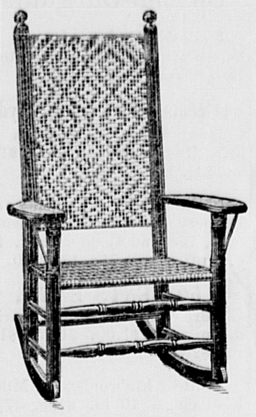

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.00, A. M., 12 M., 2.00, 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.30, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 10.15 P.M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.36, 7.29, 8.29, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.43, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.30 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.11, 7.50, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.33, 6.45, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday** at 8.45, A. M. 4.25 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.29, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.43, P. M. **Return** at 6.40, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.29, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.43 P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.29 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.29, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.29, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.55, 6.14 7.00, 7.22, 7.42, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M. 12.52, 1.10, 2.13, 2.47, 4.23, 5.10, 6.05, 6.25, 7.11, 9.15 10.10 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.00 A. M., 12 M., 2.00 3.30, 5.03, 6.00, 9.00 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 6.35, 7.21, 8.02, 8.22, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 A. M., 12.37, 1.25, 2.23, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.50, 5 52, 6.23, 6.34, 7.05, 8.02, 9.25, 10.21, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.28, A. M., 1.08, 2.57, 4.27, 5.21, 8.13, 10.46 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10.40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.39, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 8, 9, 10, 11, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15, 10.30 P.M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.55, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.30, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.55, 10.35, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, *10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, w9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 10.40, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, 12.40, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

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Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50, A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn at 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, then every hour until 8.55, then 10.05, 11.05 P. M.

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36	Cor. Elijah and Winn Street.
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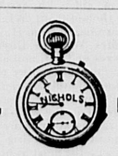
DEALER,  REPAIRER.
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Winchester Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
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Cummingsville Mail opens at 9.00 A. M., and 4.30 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.

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Northern, 7.00 A. M.
Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
Lowell 8.30 A. M., *via* Winchester 12.30, 4 P. M.
Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
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The Woburn Journal

(In behalf of Members of the Rumford Historical Association.)

RUMFORD'S CLAIM ON THE GRATITUDE OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

The recent remark of a contemporary than Rumford's name is unworthy to be given to our public park, owing to his political status at the time of the American Revolution, has excited some attention in antiquarian circles, and again called to mind the action of the Rumford Historical Association in the matter. On mature reflection it seems to us that Rumford's name is "unworthy," when it is considered that the applying of his name to the park is a "cheap" way of doing him honor! In fact, it is a very cheap way and very easily accomplished, to apply his name to a tract of thirty acres in the neighborhood of his birthplace, and it would not harm his reputation—but we believe that he is worthy of something better than that in the city where he was born, namely a brouze statue, a fitting memorial, not costing nothing, but thousands of dollars! This scheme was agitated a number of years since, and may yet be realized.

In our opinion it would be better to call our park—"The Park," or "Woburn Park,"— than to allow the name of "Rumford" to be used in a doublesense, in view of the possible actions that may occur in a park, on the part of persons who have not a respectable name in their thoughts, either to honor or dishonor. The park was bought with the people's money, and is the property of the city and the name "Woburn Park" would honor itself, would define itself, would protect itself and an absence of flattery in such a name of any particular individual would commend itself to the good sense of the community.

The action of the Rumford Historical Association was taken at the suggestion of one of its members, and favorably acted upon, partly with a desire to be loyal to the name and purposes of the association, which have been first to preserve for future generations the birthplace of this eminent man, and secondly to collect relics concerning him, and to preserve his fame, and thirdly as the only local historical association to conserve the interests of Woburn history.

Now the value of the objects for which the members of that association have labored will be greatly depreciated if the object of these honors is utterly unworthy of any regard or attention from the American people, or indeed from the people of his native city of Woburn.

Count Rumford is *par excellence* the most eminent native Woburn has produced, and the list of her eminent men in the two centuries and a half of her existence is not a short one. He was born a poor boy,—in the language of the biographies of former times, "of poor but respectable parents." He was a diligent student in his youth, and made the most of his advantages. By an unfortunate combination of circumstances when he was hardly more than twenty years of age, he was placed on the wrong side in the controversies which led to the American Revolution. His father died when Rumford as a child was hardly twenty months old. The father at death was only in his twenty-sixth year and too young to have accumulated any reasonable amount of property. The boy by his inherent talent rose in the world by dint of his own exertions. By his unpopular course in the Revolutionary struggle, he excited the enmity of his fellow-townsmen, and was proscribed as a refugee both in Massachusetts and New Hampshire. This course led him for his safety to leave his native country and find an abode in Europe, and, as we look at it now, it was fortunate for the world that he did so.

Without pursuing this theme further let us examine the amount of Count Rumford's benefactions to American institutions:

To the Royal Society of London (in 1796) he gave £1000, for a medal and premium. Up to 1846, this sum had increased to £2430, the value of an award amounting to £144.

This gift was intended for the benefit of the whole world, and Americans have shared in the awards.

The amount today is probably about	$50,000
To the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (in 1796) $5,000, as a premium and for medals. By accumulation the fund increased about 1850 to $20,000, and in 1870, exceeded $37,000.	
Awards from this fund as large as $600, have been given to inventors. At the time his donation was the most liberal and important of any that the institution had ever realized.	$37,000*
By will he bequeathed the residue of his estate to Harvard College. See below.	
To the town of Concord, N. H., through his daughter, $2,000, for the support of 12 poor and industrious children—pretty good for a proscribed and outlawed exile by the laws of Massachusetts and New Hampshire! The money bequest to poor children in Concord, N. H., amounted (in 1871) to $49,000; (in 1886) to $100,000.	$100,000*
About 1889, a school was started in accordance with the terms of the above bequest and is still in successful operation.	
To Harvard College, besides what is mentioned above, he bequeathed an annuity of $1000, to found a professorship. The Rumford fund for this purpose amounted (in 1870) to $52,848	$52,848*
The daughter also left a bequest of $15,000, to the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane.	$15,000*
	$254,848

*Estimated on a basis of twenty years ago. The amount must be much greater now.

Making bequests, in all, in money, of some $255,000, at least, for the advantage of American citizens. Besides this, he gave to the United States government, all his books, plans and designs relating to military affairs, to be deposited in the United States Military Academy, as soon as an institution of that nature was established.

In a list of 438 donations of different articles to the Royal Institution in London, which he founded, during its first year, 175 of the number were from him.

In 1800, he was most honorably and gratefully named in Parliament, for his valuable labors and counsels, and the highest encomiums were passed upon him as a public benefactor.

He also bought large sums in the funds of the United States, when this was a young and somewhat uncertain country.

One says of him he spent years of most thoughtful, wise, and arduous labor for his fellowmen, having advanced the welfare, comfort, and happiness of millions of his race, especially the poor, abject, and forlorn. He was pronounced abroad to be an honor to the whole human race, and was called an illustrious philosopher and the friend of man.

His gifts remind us of the similar bequests of his contemporary Benjamin Franklin, particularly to Boston and Philadelphia, and which have accumulated in a similar manner.

Harvard College corporation took immediate measures to obtain their property in his bequest, and they transmitted to his executors an expression of thanks for their services and an acknowledgment of the gratification of the corporation at perceiving that Count Rumford's sound and enlightened mind extended beyond his life, in the selection of friends so able and willing to forward his honorable purposes. The professor who first held the Rumford professorship paid this tribute to him:

"To the country of his birth Count Rumford has bequeathed his fortune and his fame." His career "should teach us to respect ourselves, to value our resources, to cultivate our talents. Let those who would depreciate our native genius recollect that he was an American! Let those who would despond as to our future destinies remember that his eye, which had wandered over the continent and capitals of Europe, settled at last upon the rising prospects of this Western world." This was written in the year 1816.

His publications number at least 54 separate articles, published at London, Paris, Munich, etc. His Essays were translated, wholly, or in part, into French, German, and other languages. These works also passed through several editions, including American editions. A list of biographical sketches of him numbered, in 1870, 65, and a number have been published since that time. Frederick Drummond in one of the latest of these notices (*Encyclopedia Britannica*, 9th edition) characterizes him, as "an eminent man of science, enlightened philanthropist, and sagacious public administrator." His military record, too, was a remarkable one, for he was not only a prime minister, but a commanding general of an European army. In this respect also he is pre-eminently Woburn's most distinguished son. The following is a list of his military titles: Major of Colonial Militia; Lieut.-Colonel and Colonel of cavalry in the British regular service; Colonel of cavalry, General Aide-de-Camp, Major-General of cavalry, Privy Councillor of State, Minister of war and Minister or Superintendent of Police, head of the Council of the Regency and Commander-in-Chief of the army in Bravria, etc.

What the present writer has said in another place may be said again here: "His eminent services to mankind as a scientist and a philanthropist are sufficient to overcome the opprobrium conferred on him by his countrymen for his course in the Revolutionary struggle. The world now looks on him as a benefactor, in spite of serious defects in his moral character, and America considers him as one of her greatest men. Let us unite in that verdict."

It is for the reasons above stated that the members of the Rumford Historical Association have preserved the house which was this eminent man's birthplace; that they have taken steps to honor his memory; and that for the credit of his native place his name should be remembered as a household word by the action which this Society takes by meeting in the room in which he was born on the annual anniversary of the day of his birth, or in any other way which they deem best.

ONE OF THE MEMBERS.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

The revenue of the Brooklyn bridge amounts to a million and a quarter dollars a year, derived almost exclusively from fares. The other items of revenue during 1890 were $82,000 from rentals and $13,000 from telegraph and telephone companies. The lightest month in the year for business on the bridge is July.

A Valuable Discovery

Dr. Brown Sequard's elixir of youth may be an important discovery, but every one knows that Dr. Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure certainly is. It has given thousands afflicted with serious heart disease a New Lease of Life. Druggists who can observe its effects on many customers everywhere speak very highly of it. Mr. John Weaver, of Knightstown, Ind., says: "I have sold much of Dr. Miles' New Cure and have received many good reports." O. Monroe, of Dunkirk, N. Y., reports large sales. "And the best part of it is every bottle has given satisfaction. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Some G. A. R. posts have gathered a highly interesting collection of war-like curiosities, such as banners, flags, field glasses and captured weapons. Occasionally, a piece of field artillery, identified with the history of a post, graces an alcove of its apartment.

USE OF ARTIFICIAL STONE.

It Is Succeeding the Natural Article in Building Houses and Bridges.

Of all the great improvements which have been witnessed during the past twenty years that of artificial stone stands in the front rank. Nearly all the large cities of the United States have their works for manufacturing artificial stone, and scores of thousands of barrels of cement are annually used in the industry. This may not be news to people who travel, and are especially interested in architecture and engineering work, but others who have not had the opportunity of investigation would be amazed to see the constructions in artificial stone which have taken place in the last decade. The magnitude of these works would astound the old Roman engineers, whose works are historic.

The Vaune aqueduct, thirty-seven miles long, to supply the city of Paris with water, is built of composite stone. It comprises two and a half to three miles of arches, some of them as much as fifty feet high, and eleven miles of tunnels. It also includes eight or ten bridges of seventy-five feet span. The pipe is six and a half feet interior diameter, with a thickness of nine inches at the top and twelve inches at the sides. The lighthouse at Port Said, Egypt, 180 feet high, is another notable example of artificial construction. A Gothic church at Visinet, near Paris, is one piece of stone, including the steeple, 130 feet high. The municipal barracks at Notre Dame, Paris, of artificial stone, have arched ceilings whose spans vary from twenty-two to twenty-five feet.

Over thirty-one miles of the Paris sewers are constructed of this material. The jetties at the entrance of the Suez canal are built of artificial stone blocks, each weighing about twenty tons, and 16,000 of them were used in the improvement of the docks in New York.

Space will not permit of statement in detail of scores of hundreds of examples of artificial stone construction in this country, but among the more recent may be mentioned the Pompeian villa at Saratoga, the Moorish villa, Hotel Ponce de Leon, Alcazar hotel and the Casa Monica, St. Augustine, Fla. These hotels, the most magnificent in the world, are constructed of artificial stone, including roof towers, ceilings, baths, etc. There is not a joint in these immense structures. The balconies, high up on the towers, are of solid terra cotta, and weigh five tons apiece. The Casa Monica has a frontage of 450 feet. More than 60,000 barrels of cement were used in the construction of these hotels.

A dwelling was erected a few years ago at Port Chester, without joint or seam. The house is fireproof. The floors, roof, stairways and towers are all of stone and 4,000 barrels of cement were used.

An interesting application of this material in the construction of a hollow sustaining wall was made at the cemetery of Passy in supporting a bank of earth 29 1-2 feet high. Numerous rustic bridges in parks and cemeteries in various parts of the country have been built of this material. The most important and general uses, however, to which artificial stone is put is that of trimmings for brick buildings.

It is specially adapted for entire fronts of commercial buildings and for churches, schools, hospitals and dwellings. It is also largely used for wall facing in basements of frame dwellings. Late improvements have been made which greatly enhance its value as a building material, whereby the surfaces of the stone are made rough, representing the tool work of the stonecutter. And buildings erected of this material are represented as being much admired, and the stone in them is not easily distinguished from the natural stone.—Rochester Post-Express.

Only One Subject on Which to Talk.

I overheard a remark the other day that had a good deal of domestic pathos in it. One woman said to another:

"I do have the most stupid call when I go to that house."

"Why so. She is a very pleasant lady."

"Oh, I know that, but—but—well, I will tell you. You know I am so unfortunate about getting good servants. I am obliged to change every few weeks. Mrs. —— has actually had her servants eight and ten years, and we never have anything to talk about."—Chicago Herald.

High and Low Life.

Society Youth—Say, Jack, can't you lend me five dollars? I've got to take a lady to the opera tonight.

Poor Clerk—Yes, George, I can; but you received a check from your father this morning. Where's that?

S. Y.—Well, the fact is I stepped into my tailor's to get a necktie and hadn't anything but the check with me, and the rascal instead of handing me the change gave me a receipt for balance due.—Good News.

The Amende Honorable.

She—Mr. Sutton, that was a brilliant thing you said at dinner—pardon me, but was it original?

"It was."

"Is it possible?"

"Madam!"

"Excuse me—I did not mean it—you see I was naturally a little shocked to find that after all Talleyrand was a plagiarist."—Life.

Said Too Much.

"I have nothing more to say," said she, as he started home after the rejection.

"I am glad," said he. "I wish you had said less."—Harper's Bazar.

Eleven Years in Charge

Of the package department, Boston & Maine Depot, Boston, Mass. Miss Helen Jones says: I was a sufferer from general debility, biliousness and water brash for several years, and life seemed almost a burden to me. After using almost everything, Sulphur Bitters cured me.

The great Lick telescope reveals about 100,000,000 of stars.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY
STRAW HATS!
We have a complete line for MEN, BOYS and CHILDREN.
Our WHITE MACKINAW at 25 cents is worth 50 cents.
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BLACK STRAWS from 25 cents to $1.50.
Come and see us first: we will save you money.
Munroe's Clothing House.
423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Who Was the Fool?

"Talking about April Fools' Day jokes," said one of a group of bystanders, "reminds me of an incident that happened to me some years since on the 1st of April. I was walking along the street when I noticed directly in front of me a large, much worn pocket-book. The minute I saw it I came to the conclusion that it was some mischievous boy's trick to catch an unsuspecting passer by, so I hung round near it for several minutes, hoping to share in the enjoyment of the joke. Several persons saw it, but passed by without paying any attention to it.

At length one man came along, saw it and stooped to pick it up, but remembering himself suddenly, gave the pocketbook a kick which sent it flying into the gutter. Then it was, though I can't say why, that I was seized with a great desire to pick up the old wallet and open it, even if I should be the victim of the joke; so, walking up to where it lay, I picked it up and put it in my pocket to carry home."

"Well, gentlemen," he continued, "what do you suppose that old wallet contained?"

"A roll of bills," said one.

"Five hundred dollars," ventured another.

"What was in it?" asked a third listener.

"Not a blamed thing but paper," said the story teller, and he turned on his heel and walked off.—Boston Herald.

Blasting Rocks in the Metropolis.

The operations of the blaster on the upper west side of the city were never so extensive as now, and the explosion of dynamite, accompanied by showers of dislocated rock, reverberates from block to block throughout that whole section.

When the exposed tenants of that aristocratic neighborhood see a red flag they do not charge it, like the traditional animal in a cornfield, but "lay low" until the shower is over. If an occasional fragment of Manhattan Island is hurled through a kitchen window the maid of all work simply gathers it up and pitches it out again.

"Drat 'em!" fully covers the situation so far as she is concerned. She ought to be frightened into spilling the family soup, but she isn't.

Most of these steam drillers are boring foundations for expensive private residences, though here and there along the great Boulevard are whole blocks of excavation for the coming flats.—New York Herald.

Food Prejudices.

The climate of Hind

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

DEATH OF HANNIBAL HAMLIN

At nearly 82 years of age Hannibal Hamlin, the only living ex-Vice President of the United States, died very suddenly in Bangor, Maine, on last Saturday evening of heart disease. He had been in perfect health up to the hour of his death which occurred at the rooms of a social club, of which he was a distinguished member, where he had gone to pass the evening.

Hamlin was Vice President with President Lincoln from 1861 to 1865; was once Governor of Maine; United States Senator for several terms; Collector of the Port of Boston, and the incumbent during a long and active life of many important public posts.

No citizen of Maine was more highly esteemed or had more friends than Hannibal Hamlin and his death will be deeply and generally mourned.

THE NEW PROBATION LAW.

The law went into effect on July 1 and manifestly it is too soon to form a correct opinion as to its future operations. That it is a humane measure and a long step in the right direction is admitted by nearly everybody; that it is not perfect, but needs amending, is equally a fact.

In Boston the weight of judgment so far is in favor of the law. Officers and Courts there think it a good thing. In this city the leaning of the authorities is in the same direction. Police Officers and the Court say they believe in its efficacy and justice.

Our own opinion is that those who wait patiently and watch carefully the practical operations of the law will find before long a plenty of reasons for approving it.

JUDGE CONVERSE'S DECISION.

We publish in this issue of THE JOURNAL the decision of Judge Converse in the liquor prosecutions which gave rise to so much public talk and unfavorable criticism. The general feeling was that Judge Converse had made a mistake; that his decisions were against law. Nearly every Attorney in this city so believed. But a careful perusal of the reasons which he gives for them, as set forth in the paper herein published, will be apt to dissipate all doubts as to the legal correctness of his position respecting the cases.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

Hon. George S. Boutwell, ex-Governor of this State, published an Editorial in last *Sunday Globe* on the subject above named which everybody ought to read and ponder over. It was a blow straight from the shoulder at the "reform," but it was no heavier than the subject deserved, and we hope it was not the last one which Mr. Boutwell will feel it his duty to deal the nonsensical idea.

☞ Readers of the Boston *Journal* will regret exceedingly to learn that ill-health has compelled Mr. W. W. Clapp, for many years its able Editor-in-Chief, to resign and surrender his office into other hands. Under his protracted occupation of the Chief's chair the *Journal* was a strong, prosperous and influential paper, and it is well for its thousands of readers and admirers that on the retirement of Editor Clapp its management fell to the lot of Mr. O'Meara, a bright, talented journalist who has for several years occupied a responsible Editorial position on it.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
W. H. Webster—R. Notice.
J. G. Maguire—Adm. Sale.
J. B. McDonald—Settle Up.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— C. Willard Smith has a change of card this week.

— It begins to look and feel like vacation time—dull.

— Co. G was officially and properly inspected last evening.

— It rained on Tuesday but there was nothing like a flood.

— Miss Alice Safford has gone to Camden, Me., for a summer visit.

— Mr. and Mrs. Frank Soles are at Goose Rocks, Kennepunkport, Me.

— Mrs. Maria C. Cotton is at Weirs, N. H., enjoying her summer outing.

— Mr. W. R. Putnam has a brother visiting him from the "Wooly West."

— Miss Sarah Smith sailed from Boston for Nova Scotia last Monday.

— Cleveland Ave. and New Boston st. boast of new electric street lights.

— Mrs. Charles Cowdry of New York city is in this city visiting friends.

— The A. O. U. W. gave a banquet in Mechanic Hall last Wednesday evening.

— Mr. and Mrs. Bryson of Sacarrapa, Me., are visiting friends in this city.

— Mr. and Mrs. A. S. DeLoriea have gone to Chicago on a vacation visit.

— Miss Lelia R. Newcomb has gone to Fort William, N. S., for a month's visit.

— Mrs. Whitford of 12 Auburn St., is taking a pleasant outing at Lubec, Maine.

— Note what Copeland & Bowser say about "Seasonable Summer Goods."

— Chester Hanson, W. H. S. Class '91, is at Wilton, N. H., for a part of his vacation.

— Carter & Perley are increasing their facilities for a big increase of their trade in coal.

— Mr. James Glennon and sister of Everett were over here on a pleasure trip yesterday.

— The exodus of Woburn people to summer resorts is unusually large at the present time.

— F. F. Lowell went to Canada with the Massachusetts Press Association last Monday.

— Leather making has been resumed at Duncan's factory in good earnest which is encouraging.

— Mr. T. E. Sleeper of New Boston street is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. W. Cox from Vermont.

— The new machine shop of Coombs & Brown on Park street will be in full operation in a few days.

— Hon. John Cummings has regained his usual good health and is seen driving about again.

— An interesting article furnished by the Rumford Historical Society is printed on our first page.

— Miss Hattie Kenney and her sister Mrs. Holden of Church Ave. are away on their summer vacation.

— Last Wednesday evening the First Baptist Church voted to accept Rev. D. D. Winn's resignation.

— Col. Grammer is getting back into his normal condition as to health and will soon be sound again.

— Col. Henry Hayes is embellishing his fine residence grounds and adding still further to their attractiveness.

— Mr. Joseph R. Green and family have moved to Sharon, one of the pleasantest towns in the Old Bay State.

— Assessor John Ferguson has got his co-worker, Col. Grammer, back into the Assessors office and is happy.

— Prior sold out his whole 4th of July stock slick and clean by 11 o'clock Friday evening, and he had a big one.

— Miss Josephine A. Randall, one of the best school teachers in this city, has gone to Leominster for her vacation.

— James Skinner, Esq., and his son Lampton are visiting Picton and other parts of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Deland and daughter are enjoying their summer outing among the romantic Berkshire Hills.

— Will W. Hartwell is attending the Y. M. C. A. Encampment at Monument Beach and enjoying it very much.

— *Boston Courier:* Miss Grace Whittemore of Montvale is at home to friends on Thursdays in July and August.

— Edward J. Gregory was chosen one of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank at its last meeting.

— Mrs. Augustus Prouty of Burlington raises the very best of cherries as we have the very best reasons for knowing.

— Mrs. Helen C. Hanson of No. 6 Eastern Ave. has gone to Uxbridge to spend the summer among friends and acquaintances.

— The factory of the Columbia Rubber Co. is to be moved to rooms over Coombs & Brown's machine shop on Park street.

— The St. Charles C. T. A. and Ladies' Auxiliary are talking strong of holding a big picnic at Downer's Landing on Labor Day.

— The Woburn Brass Band will give concerts on the Common on the evenings of July 15 and 29, and August 12 and 26.

— Farmers are right in the midst of the first half of haying. The big rain Tuesday night must have done some damage to hay in cock.

— Last Monday we received a copy of a Sequeacha, Tenn., newspaper from Mrs. Tom Hill which contained an article from her pen.

— Louie White gives a fellow a shave, a shampoo, or a hair cut that is worth all he has to pay for it ten times over. Louie is a good one.

— Mr. Harry Parker, the genial yard man for the B. & M. RR., spent Fourth of July at Marblehead with friends from Nashua, N. H.

— The Unitarian Church will be open and services held in it through July, but will be closed during the month of August. This is official.

— Miss Sadie Fosdick, daughter of Mr. G. F. Fosdick of 19 Abbott st., left this place last Monday for an outing at Cottage City, Marthas Vineyard.

— Herbert Hartwell, son of Mr. Fred A. Hartwell of the City Market, has been sick of inflammation of the bowels for six weeks, but is now much better.

— Mr. E. G. Clough and family spent the 4th and several subsequent days at Marblehead Neck, where it is probable they will pass the month of August.

— Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lyford and Fletcher have got home from Marblehead Neck where for several weeks they have been having a glorious good time.

— Harry T. Dow of Court street is enjoying life in the highest degree at Lubec, Maine, where quite a large number of Woburn people are spending the summer.

— Thomas E. Lilly, a registered pharmacist from Chas. Clarke & Sons Store, Lawrence, has assumed the position of head clerk at Lovell's Main street Drug store.

— The JOURNAL Porringer has been topside up all this and last week and numerous good friends have seen to it that it was kept well supplied with the good things of life.

— Don't fail to read the change in the card of The Metropolitan Market, J. Durward, Jr., proprietor. It will do anybody good to read it. Durward's is a fine one.

— Mrs. Jennie Sherburn of 560 Main street has returned from Winthrop Beach where she has been visiting her son-in-law, Mr. Eaton, and family for the last three weeks.

— Managers of Woburn's Five Cents Savings Bank may well "point with pride" to its solid and prosperous condition as set forth in another column of this paper.

— Supt. Sewell of the N. W. S. R., and Supt. Wentworth of the E. M. S. R., are entitled to much credit for serving the public with street cars so handsomely on the 4th.

— Mr. Gilman Jones's fine barge Commonwealth took a big load of Lawrence Christian Endeavor people to the historic old towns of Lexington and Concord last Wednesday.

— Dr. John M. Harlow was born and bred in York State instead of Vermont as stated. He practiced in the latter State a few years immediately prior to his settling in Woburn.

— The M. E. Sunday School held a picnic at Pine Banks Park, Malden, yesterday. Pine Banks is a splendid spot for a picnic. [See "Pine Banks Park" in last week's JOURNAL.]

— The Eighth Annual Bible Conference at Crescent Beach, Revere, Mass., will be held July 21, 22, 23 and 24. For circulars, etc., address Rev. J. P. Bixby, Revere, Mass.

— Major H. C. Hall visited his old home at Norridgewock, Maine, last week which he reports as looking very sweet and attractive just now. It is one of the most beautiful towns on the Kennebec.

— Our Methodist brethren had beautiful weather yesterday for their Sunday School picnic in Pine Banks Park in Malden. Supt. Wentworth put on special street cars for the big party of people who attended it.

— Miss Woodman of upper Main street will return to Portugal this fall and would therefore like to rent her fine residence. She has lived many years in Portugal with noble families whom she is going back to visit.

— An inmate of the Lockup escaped therefrom about 3 o'clock Monday morning and in the afternoon Officers Simonds and another got their eyes on him in Boston, arrested and brought him up to the ring-bolt again.

— Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Chamberlain, 8 Eastern Ave., will summer at their accustomed retreat, Laconia, N. H. The sea has no charms for these excellent people compared to the attractions of the Granite Hills.

— The July number of *Wide Awake* contains a poem written by Miss Hannah R. Hudson of Canal street in this city. It is an odd thing—just like all Miss Hudson's poems, but something one would be likely to read the second time.

— Mr. David Ronco did not enter the bicycle races last Saturday but the rumor that he was bought off by certain parties who had "large money" on one of the contestants was erroneous—it was a story made of whole cloth.

— What an asinine fashion it is, this lifting the hat by male bipeds by way of salute to female bipeds after the latter have met and passed the former half a dozen or more sledlengths. The habit would be amusing if it were not so idiotic.

— Rev. Mr. Montgomery paid the JOURNAL a handsome compliment in his address at the union temperance meeting last Sunday evening for its fairness and impartiality in reporting his war on illegal rumselling and rumsellers. Thanks.

— Clothing merchants in this city say the thermometer has stood at a lower average figure for a month past than ever before known during the corresponding season. How do they know? By the small sales they have had in straw hats.

— Mrs. B. A. Stearns is at Goose Rocks, Kennebunkport, York county, Maine, where Arthur Hamilton keeps one of the best seaside hotels on the coast. Mrs. Stearns knows just how to make the most of a hot weather outing by the "bounding billows."

— Miss Dora Ronco, the violinist, daughter of Mr. David Ronco, was given a surprise party last Saturday which was one of the pleasantest of any of the private Independence Day affairs. The young lady received and entertained her surprise party in fine style.

— Mr. Charles H. Taylor of Pleasant street has been hauled up for repairs from a badly broken leg for several weeks, and his hosts of old friends were glad to see him out again for the first time since the accident that laid him up a few days ago and getting around the streets.

— Woburn seems to be the centre of a good deal of agitation this season. The rum question now divides attention with agitation over the propriety of selling soda water and cigars on Sunday. Pretty soon they will be spelling it Woeburn.—*Boston Herald.* Looks like it, sure.

— Mr. John Seaver, of Paine's famous furniture establishment in Boston, and wife left their home on Montvale Avenue on last Monday for New Hampshire, among whose rock-ribbed hills, green meadows, and umbrageous woods, they have passed a happy vacation for many a year back.

— Miss Mary Coolidge, daughter of Mr. Baldwin Coolidge, the well-known Boston photographer, has been appointed Second Assistant Librarian of the Woburn Public Library. She is a bright, capable young lady and will no doubt fill the post of duty and honor to the satisfaction of everybody concerned.

— In case Payson Tucker should resign the office of General Superintendent of the Maine Central Railroad they want Mr. D. W. Sanborn, the present Superintendent of the So. Div. of the B. & M. Railroad, to go and take his place. He is wanted too as Superintendent of the Eastern Division of the B. & M.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith, the dry goods merchant, gave quite an exhibition of fireworks at his summer residence on Marblehead Neck on the evening of the 4th. The fine display was enjoyed by a large gathering of people. Mr. Smith and family will spend the "heated term" at Marblehead Neck.

— Chief McIntosh beat the record on arrests for intoxication last Saturday. He and his men worked like good fellows all day and a great many drunken men were arrested. At one time towards night there were 22 in the city jail, 18 of whom were let out by Probation Officer Simonds. The 22 did not represent one-quarter of the drunken men on the streets that day, but they were all that could be well taken care of by jail keeper Connolly. The Police did splendidly in preserving the peace all day.

— Mrs. J. K. Murdock is passing the days at the picturesque old town of Edgartown on Martha's Vineyard Island. The excellent bathing, boating and fishing at Edgartown attract increased numbers of visitors each year. Those who visit these shores once always wish to go again as the season comes round.

— Frank Colby, Montvale's bright and popular newsboy, was given a nice silver watch by Mr. William Doyle, proprietor of the tea store, for selling 25 pounds of tea. Frank is a hustler. He goes to school (when open), sells papers, is a tea merchant, and wins silver watches from the tea man and praises from his customers.

— Rev. Hugh Montgomery has been chosen a delegate by the Total Abstinence Society of Massachusetts to attend the Conference of the United States Temperance Alliance to be held at Saratoga on the 15th and 16th of this month. Each religious and temperance body in the Union is entitled to send delegates to the conference.

— W. T. Carswell, of Meadows, has the champion colt. It is a yearling, 16 1-2 hands and weight over 1025 lbs. "How's that for high?"—*The Weiser* (Idaho) *Signal*. Mr. Carswell is a "Woburn boy" and his success in raising big colts or anything else of the kind will always prove gratifying to THE JOURNAL.

— Mrs. and the rest of the family of Mr. Benjamin Hinckley of Academy Hill went to Edgartown early this week in company with postmaster Wyman's family. Mr. Hinckley is keeping "Bachelor's Hall" and can't really say that he likes it. The two families will spend considerable time down on Martha's Vineyard.

— Rev. D. D. Winn, pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city, read his resignation paper to his people on last Sunday morning. He also read the document prepared by the Standing Committee, or Church Committe, or both, in which they advise, or ask, for his resignation; also a legal opinion by Judge Converse on the matter.

— A couple of weeks ago J. Chester Hanson, W. H. S., Class '91, passed his "finals" and will enter Harvard this fall. The preliminaries were successfully disposed of last summer which has made his work for the final examination this year comparatively light. Chester is one of the very brightest and most promising boys in this city.

— Mr. John Palmer Wyman who died at Arlington last week was a direct descendant of Lieut. John Wyman who was the first immigrant of the name and settled in Woburn in 1640. Capt. Seth Wyman, who commanded the troops at the famous "Lovell's Fight" against the Indians after Capt. Lovell fell, was one of the same family.

— The 12th season of the New England Assembly of Chautauqua will open at South Framingham on July 14 and close July 24. There will be given instruction in Sunday School Normal, special course in Bible History, New Testament Greek, Music and Physical Culture. Dr. J. L. Hurlburt is Supt. of Instruction; and Hon. B. B. Johnson is President.

— Last Sunday, the Unitarian Sunday School of Arlington held a picnic in the grove belonging to Mr. Otis Simonds.—*Journal's Burlington Reporter.* Our ordinarially very accurate Burlington reporter made a bit of a mistake in the foregoing. The picnic was held on Saturday, June 27, and a very nice one it was, too, says Mr. Joel Barnard, who was there himself and one of them.

— The JOURNAL'S candidates are pretty apt to get there. Week before last it advocated the appointment of Mr. Edward Simonds for Probation Officer, and he was appointed. Last week Mr. John Connolly was its candidate for Keeper of the Lockup, and sure enough! as might have been expected, J. C. knocked the permission and now fills the office of keeper, etc., in the best of shape.

— A jolly party of canoeists and campers consisting of Edward C. Leathe and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Clarke, Mr. Francis A. Partridge, wife and son, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hurd of Chelsea, left here late last week for a fortnight's tramp on the Merrimac. Their headquarters are at Fairhaven Bay, Concord, and latest dispatches from there say they are having a big time on ice.

— THE JOURNAL is filled with good things this week. See page 1 for an original article on Count Rumford; then there is Judge Converse's opinion in the rum cases *in extenso* which is worth 4 times the price of the paper and should be read by everybody; besides these there are lots of interesting things. And yet THE JOURNAL is sold at the remarkably low price of 5 cents a copy, or $2 per annum!!

— Druggist Lovell asks the JOURNAL to state, by way of removing a false impression, that the slight injury which an eye of a Winchester lady received from a swinging awning rope in front of his store, as minutely narrated by the JOURNAL last week, was an accident pure and simple, and that he, Lovell, personally, went out and tendered his sympathies and services to the lady by whom they were declined. The JOURNAL stands corrected.

— The young ladies of the W. H. S. Class '91 are taking steps to collect $350 to aid Miss Cora Brown, a member of the Class, in securing a college course at Wellesley. That amount will pay her way for the first year, after which other provisions for defraying her expenses will be made. Mr. B. H. Nichols, whose daughter was one of the brightest in '91's class, will head the subscription with a generous sum, and other liberal minded gentlemen propose to follow suit.

— Mayor Bean gave representatives of the Epworth League and Christian Endeavor Society of this city a hearing last Monday evening on the matter of closing drugstores on Sunday. After hearing what the delegates had to say he took the matter under advisement. If he should order the drugstores closed on Sundays, or restrict their sales to medicines (as they ought to be restricted), he would have to make his peace with the political party he belongs to pretty quick or be knocked out of the ranks. The Democratic party don't believe in moral reforms very much.

— Uncle Levi C. Teel, 65 Cambridge street, takes the champion's belt on early potatoes this year. He dug good, nice, ripe ones of this spring's planting on July 3, and we know of two very respectable families who made a fine dinner on them supplemented by a plenty of McLean peas, new beets, cucumbers, and a full supply of Tabor's 4th of July salmon, which families were Mr. Levi C. Teel's and—well never mind about the rest. The young sprouts of farmers of this place have got to hustle to keep up with uncle Teel in raising early vegetables.

— Last Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. William W. Hill and daughter Avis, left this city for a visit of considerable length among relatives and friends at Minneapolis, Minn. On the same train, which was an excursion one to the annual convention of the Christian Endeavor Societies of the Nation, were Miss M. F. Haggins and Mr. A. Dimmick. Rev. Mr. Murphy, pastor of the North Congregational Church, went on Monday evening. Mrs. Hill and her daughter expect to remain in the West to well towards autumn, but Mr. Hill will not be away quite so long. We trust they will enjoy to the brim their vacation on the Mississippi.

Interesting History.

The first class to graduate from our High School was in 1855, and from that time to and including 1886 there have been 517 graduates. Of these 167 were males and 350 females. There were eleven members of the first graduating class, and of them there are deceased, viz:—Mary S. Brackett, Florence K. Holden, Martha W. Persons.

Those living are: Elizabeth H. Collamore-Knight and Abel Theodore Winn, both residents of California.

Louisa B. Horton-Wyman, Worcester, Mass.

Martha M. Hill-Sage, Billerica, Mass.

Annie E. French-Shaw, Dedham, Mass.

Amelia J. Andrews-Parker, Lynn, Mass.

Mariette Thompson-Jameson, Harriett B. Nelson-Shattuck, reside in this city.

The largest class was that 1883, with 35 members; and the smallest was 1862, with four members.

There was but one male graduate each in the classes of '55, '59, '62 and '63, and none in '64, '65 and '69

Males exceeded females in classes of '61, '71, '78 and '84 only. Of the 517 graduates 64 are known to be deceased, of whom 18 were males, and 46 females. The children of 14 graduates have graduated.

In the matter of occupation, that of females before marriage is also used.

Occupation of females:—Stenographer, literatuer, typewriter, milliner, physician, one each; artist, music-teacher, dressmaker, housekeeper, compositor, two each; librarians, four; artisans, five; bookkeepers, nine; clerks, twenty-six; teachers, 149.

Occupation of males:—Electrician, coachman, leather-splitter, farmer, draftsman, railroad agent, editor, janitor, shoemaker, telegraph operator, horse car driver, musician, chemist, librarian, stable keeper, station agent, cashier, southern planter, one each; missionaries, Y. M. C. A. secretaries, two each; druggists, three each; artists and journalists four each; bookkeepers, civil engineer, salesman, six each; clergymen, seven; lawyers, eight; physicians, eleven; artisans, nineteen; teachers, twenty; clerks, twenty-two; merchants, twenty-five.

Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank.

The annual meeting of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank Corporation was held Friday evening, July 3, 1891, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, John Cummings.

Vice-Presidents, Jacob Brown, G. R. Gage, Benj Hinckley.

Clerk and Treasurer, Edward E. Thompson.

Auditors, Fred J. Brown, R. H. Chamberlain.

Trustees, John Cummings, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, G. R. Gage, P. L. Converse, John W. Johnson, John Winn, John R. Carter, Charlie A. Jones, E. D. Hayden, Joseph Buck, Wm. T. Grammer, Fred J. Brown, E. E. Thompson, R. H. Chamberlain, E. J. Gregory, L. Waldo Thompson.

Committee of Investment, John Cummings, Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, G. R. Gage, P. L. Converse, John W. Johnson, John Winn, John R. Carter, C. A. Jones.

A semiannual dividend of 2 per cent. was declared payable on and after July 18, 1891.

The condition of the bank at the close of business June 30, 1891 was as follows:

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors,	$1,205,241 84
Guarantee Fund,	21,278 75
Profit and Loss,	30,046 11
	$1,256,566 70

ASSETTS.

Invested in Mortgage Loans,	$622,653 00
" " Personal "	232,375 00
" " National Bank Stock,	215,000 00
" " Railroad Bonds,	63,200 00
" " Public Funds,	33,000 00
" " Real Estate (Bank Building)	59,500 00
Loans to Cities and Towns,	19,600 00
Real estate by Foreclosure,	700 00
Cash on hand and deposited in Banks,	10,553 70
	$1,256,566 70

Net gain in deposits for the year, $52,588.16.

When the Bank reopened in January, 1880, the deposits were $458,417.00; during the first three months after opening it the deposits were drawn down to a little over $300,000. From April 1, 1880, the deposit account has gradually increased until it has reached the amount as stated above $1,205,241.84, or an average gain of over $80,000 per year. The number of open accounts has increased from about 1,700 to 4,828; the Guarantee Fund has increased from $1,283.75 in 1880, to 21,278.75 in 1891; the Mortgage Loans have increased from $88,977.00 to $622,653.00; the Real Estate held by foreclosure in 1880, was $40,908 20; held by foreclosure in 1891, $700 only.

Since the reopening of the Bank it has paid nineteen semi-annual dividends of two percent each; three of two and one-half percent each; and one special dividend of one and one-quarter percent, making the total amount of dividends paid $310,000 00. There has also been charged off on premium account, $19,270.00.

The bank has also erected a fine four-story brick block, which for banking and business purposes is not excelled in any of our surrounding cities or towns, it having all the modern improvements and appointments not only for banking purposes but for stores, offices and halls as well.

During all these eleven years past the Bank has had the management of some of our most careful and conservitive citizens who have acted as a Board of Investment, and who have again been elected for another year.

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[Reported for the Journal.]

Cases of Commonwealth vs. John Maloney et als.

MR. EDITOR: As the above cases, six in all, tried before the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, each for keeping and maintaining a liquor nuisance, of which each was found not guilty and discharged, are, because of peculiar circumstances, of unusual public interest, I desire, with your permission, to give the evidence adduced, and law cited, with the reasons why the judgments were so made; in order that the public may have a clear understanding of the whole matter.

In each case, the defendants pleaded not guilty; and as the offences charged in each case are one; and the same evidence and principles of law involved, were substantially the same in all, I treat them mainly as one case.

The Government in order to obtain a conviction, was bound to prove and show beyond a reasonable doubt, that the defendant was proprietor of, and kept a certain place shown; that certain sales, acts, or other doings, which by established usage, are held to prove the offence charged, were made or done therein; that these sales, acts, &c. were done by the proprietor himself, or by his proved agent or servant, *with his knowledge and assent*; or to put it very mildly, by him, or by his agent or servant, *in his presence*, and *with his knowledge*, and presumed consent; and if the government failed thus to show, there was no case, and the defendant was not bound to answer at all, or make defence, or justify under any license; but he must be found not guilty, and discharged.

Now how stands the evidence and the law: The Government showed by two *spotter* witnesses of the better class, (especially as to the sales,) and by others, First: That the defendant was the proprietor, and kept the place shown. Second: That sales of intoxicating liquors were made once, and in some cases twice, or even more, in one day, in the place, by some person unknown to the witnesses, and unidentified; such sales being made to them and others over a bar. Third: That doors, passages, and in some cases screens existed, not allowed by statute in a licensed place; and in violation of the clauses in their licenses of 1st and 4th classes and Victualler's licenses. Fourth: That there were no provisions made to furnish food, and that none was in fact furnished except in some cases a few crackers. Fifth: That there were shelves, tables, some bottles, chairs, and a bar in some form. Sixth: That in one case, the description in the license of the place, was too uncertain to be good. And it was argued for the prosecution, that these sales, acts, doors, bars &c. were conclusive evidence, beyond doubt sufficient to convict the defendants, because as by statute, and the clauses in their licenses, these very sales and acts rendered their several licenses void, they could not justify under them, and therefore conviction must follow; the whole force of the argument for the government and law cited being especially, that as the licenses were so rendered void, the defendants had no defence whatever, and here the government rested, without any allusion to the vital and turning point in all the cases, hereafter mentioned.

But the prosecution utterly failed to show, in any case, that the proprietor or his agent or servant was present when these sales were made; or that the acts were done by him or them; or that he assented thereto, or even had knowledge of the same; but on the contrary, the witnesses expressly testified, that they *did not* know them, and failed to describe them sufficiently for identification; and there was none of the usual evidence as to drunken people coming out of a man in one place, disturbances, late hours &c. ordinarily relied upon to prove such cases. The Government here rested.

The defence put in their licenses and rested.

In the case of Com'th vs. Nichols, 10 Met., 259, the Supreme Court say:

"A shopkeeper is liable criminally for an unlawful sale in his shop, *made with his assent*, by a *servant or agent* employed in his business. But an unlawful sale made *by the servant or agent* is only *prima facie* evidence of the assent thereto, by the shopkeeper, and his liability to punishment therefor."

So by the above decision, the Supreme Court say, that to make even a *prima facie* case, the unlawful sale *must be made* by the *agent or servant, proved to be such*, which certainly was not done in these cases.

In the case of Com'th vs. Fitzgerald, 14 Gray, 14, the decision of the Supreme Court shows the legal necessity of proof, on the part of the government, that the agent was there by the authority of the principal. In these words:

"The instruction was properly guarded as to the necessity of the jury finding, that the woman was there *by the authority of the defendant*, and was acting *as his agent* in making the sale."

But the leading case of Com'th vs. Putnam 4 Gray, 16, in which the offence charged, was being a common seller of intoxicating liquors, places the matter beyond a doubt; for in that case, the Supreme Court say:

"The act, the sale, must be that of the defendant, though done through another. The fact that the person selling was a clerk of the defendant, and that the *defendant knew of the sale was not sufficient*. He might have had knowledge and dissented or forbidden it. *There must be evidence* from which the Jury could infer *the assent* of the defendant."

The cases of Com'th vs. Briant, 142 Mass. 463, and Com'th vs. Stephenson, 142 Mass. 467, assert the same doctrine. It said case vs. Briant, for selling intoxicating liquors to a minor, the Court says: "It is an error to rule, that a sale of such liquors by a servant in his master's shop, and in the regular course of his master's lawful business, is prima facie a sale by the master, although the sale is an illegal act."

"And although a Jury might be warranted in inferring, that such a sale was authorized, it would not follow, that a Court could rule that there is a presumption of fact that it was so.

"The proposition, that there is evidence for the Jury to consider, is not identical with the proposition, that the evidence, if believed, raises a presumption of fact.

"The facts that a man employs a servant to conduct a business expressly authorized by statute; and that the servant makes an unlawful sale in the course of it, do not necessarily overcome the presumption of innocense, merely because the business is liquor selling, and may be carried beyond the statute limits." See Com'th vs. Putnam 4 Gray 16, Com'th vs. Dunbar, 9 Gray 298. In the case of Com'th vs. Holmes 119 Mass. 195, only went so far as to say "that evidence that the defendant's son and clerk sold intoxicating liquors in a public house kept by defendant, was evidence of a sale by the defendant sufficient to be submitted to a Jury" but no presumption of fact existed; nor did it make a *prima facie* case.

The case of Com'th vs. Edds et als, 14 Gray 406 only decided that "The evidence of sales of liquor in the tenement was competent with the evidence that the defendants kept the tenement;" but no presumption of fact existed by it.

In none of these cases did the Court say, that a presumption of fact existed, or that even a *prima facie* case was made out thereby; but only, that it was admissible evidence in the case, for what it was worth; and so in these cases, it was only so much evidence for the court to consider, in connection with other evidence; bearing in mind always, that the action, or assent to the action, of a proved servant or agent, of and by the proprietor is the turning point; and that the defendant is entitled to the benefit of any doubt.

And in conclusion, I will say, that the court was sensible, that the counsel for the prosecution had done all he could to enlighten it, as to the law in regard to the licenses being void, by reason of the acts of the defendant as to doors &c., and that it did not misunderstand him, but on the contrary, the court understood the point, and agreed with counsel, in regard to it; but unfortunately for him, and his side of the case, it had no application, for the plain reason, that there was nothing in the evidence, so far as said sales were concerned, which required either of said defendants to use their licenses in defence, at all; and so it was immaterial whether they were valid or void.

As, for the above reasons, the sales could not be used against the defendants; and as the keeping of forbidden doors, passages and screens does not constitute at law, the offences charged, but only render the licenses void; and as the rest of the evidence alone, was not sufficient to warrant conviction; the judgments in each case, if honestly and intelligently given, must have been, as they were, not guilty.

PARKER L. CONVERSE,
Presiding Justice at trial of said cases.
Woburn, July 3, 1891.

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Not only do the citizens of Boston crowd out into the surrounding towns, but the dwellers of other large cities and towns gather themselves to the favorite spots that are in close communication with this great centre of learning, with its wealth of attractions, and to those who have not found their ideal location we most heartily commend the town of Winchester.

Upon this spot some of Boston's best known business and professional men have located their homes, and each one jealously guards every foot of land in their possession, preferring to dispose of every foot they own than let go a portion, and if one should take the trouble to visit the charming locality, the reason would be apparent, for the charms of Winchester are well known far and near.

But fifteen minutes' ride from Boston, over the Boston & Lowell Railroad, in the midst of natural scenery of lake, wood, field and hill unexcelled by any other town in the neighborhood of Boston, have been added all the attractions of elegant architecture and landscape gardening, giving a continuous series of harmonious effects that can be obtained only under such favorable conditions.

No expense has apparently been spared by the fortunate dwellers in this favored spot to gather around them all the advantages which wealth and culture can procure.

Driveways winding among miniature forests and lighted by electricity, schools of the highest educational standard, churches of all denominations, a handsome public library building, well stored with books, a commodious town hall, a finely equipped fire department, and a supply of pure water coming from a natural water-bed, a mile from the centre of the town and 200 feet above it—these are, in brief, some of the advantages enjoyed by the inhabitants of what may be termed a residential town, for the business done there is very small.

It will readily be seen that in such a locality the opportunities for obtaining eligible building lots are rare, as the land that is not built upon is in the hands of the owners of large estates, and up to the present time it has been almost impossible for a person to obtain a piece of ground of modest proportion in the more desirable parts of the town, where the streets were graded, and sewers, water and lights had been introduced.

A short time since an association was formed of gentlemen from Winchester and Boston, who purchased from H. A. Emerson and Mr. and Mrs. William Boynton a tract of forty-six acres of land, combining every modern advantage offered by this favored locality, and immediately after the sale was consummated they secured the services of Ernest W. Bowditch, the well-known landscape gardener, who at once undertook the task of laying out and grading the ground in accordance with the most approved plans.

Everything combined to make his task an easy one.

Streets and avenues, from forty to eighty feet wide, set with three rows of shade trees—one row inside the curbstone, one on the border of the lot and the third between these two—have been constructed in a thorough and artistic manner. The trees are large and of vigorous growth, and the care taken in setting them out in deep beds of loam insures a fine shade in a short period of time.

There are about two miles of these streets, graded in accordance with the requirements of the town, with sewer, water and gas pipes laid and poles and wires for electric lighting. Heavy granite edgestones have been laid and nothing remains for the purchaser of a lot to do but to grade it; for, as many of them are high above the street, it has been deemed advisable to leave this duty to the purchasers of lots, giving each one an opportunity to consult his own taste in laying out his grounds.

The surface soil is a rich loam, from one to two feet deep, with a sub-soil of gravel, insuring a fine growth of grass and shrubs and perfect drainage.

This charming locality has been named Wedgemere Park, and it is the intention of the Winchester Land Associates, the owners of this property, to build an electrical street railway from their land to connect with the electric road at Arlington, a distance of a mile and a half, which will bring Bowdoin square by this route within 40 minutes of this property, and give this additional facility for reaching Boston.

The train service is already of the very best, the Lowell station being but fifteen minutes' ride from Winchester, and there are many trains a day. As compared with West Chester Park, the time from State street to the property is about the same, it requiring but thirty-five minutes to accomplish the distance.

For the convenience of those who object to the short, and, in summer, very charming walk from Wedgemere avenue to the railroad station, the company will run an omnibus at a five cent fare, connecting with all the trains.

In fact, it is the intention of the company to do everything in its power to make this one of the most popular and desirable places for suburban residences anywhere in the vicinity of Boston.

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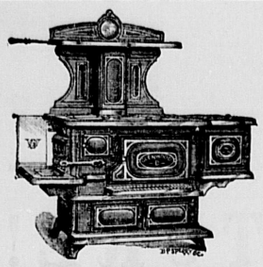

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Independence Day.

Everything passed off to the satisfaction of the starters of the 4th of July celebration in this city and no fault was found by others that we heard of. It was not intended to be an elaborate or costly affair and it was neither. There was nothing gorgeous about it—just a simple, home-made, plain affair, with the regulation bell-ringing at 6 a. m., 12 m., 6 p. m. o'clock; no cannon; a great deal of bunting, and brassband music galore.

It was the quietest night before the 4th that anybody ever went anywhere. Everyone slept well, and yet heaps and heaps of all kinds of noisy things were sold by the dealers. There was never anything so peaceful and calm before.

There were showers in the early morning with much thunder and lightning. This compelled a postponement of the grand "Antiques" parade until 10 a. m. at least. At this hour a clear sky and fair wind enabled the "Horribles" to show themselves to the several thousands of people who lined the sidewalks anxiously waiting for the show.

There were some good pieces in the procession; a few fair kind of hits; but it is no easy thing to get up anything new in the 4th of July "Horribles"—— indeed, their banishment from the Independence Day programme would be a boon. The parade adds nothing to the dignity, amusement or pleasure of the celebration.

City Clerk D. F. Moreland, Ald. Pushee, Ex-Councilman Charles F. Bryant were the Judges on the "Antique" parade. The awards were as follows: The first prize was awarded to "The Wire-Pullers"; 2d to "The Drunkard's Bank"; 3d to "Mitchels and Bendum's Drum Corps"; 4th, a piece representing the City Council.

There were foot and bicycle races on Pleasant st. The Woburn Press Association judged and awarded prizes. Baseball was also on deck all day. The races attracted big crowds of people, and the awards raised a big fuss as usual.

The National Brass Band gave a splendid concert on the Common in the evening which was enjoyed by a great multitude of people. They also played on the Common in the morning.

Never before in the history of Woburn was so much drunkenness seen on the street as on the 4th.

The Last Days of Pompeii.

Boston's greatest amusement this summer and in fact the most extensive outdoor entertainment provided in New England will be Paine's new spectacular production "The Last Days of Pompeii" given on the Pompeiian Grounds on Saturday evening, July 4th, and to continue nightly for 2 months, Sundays excepted. The spectacle will be given on a stage the area of a city block. It will require 10,000 yards of scenery, 500 performers male and female, and 60 thoroughbred horses will be seen in the most exciting of contests on a ¼ mile track. Among the racing features will be grand hippodrome chariot races, with daring lady racers. Athletes and acrobats such as the Livingstone Bros., Wm. Davis, The Bartons and others will give exhibitions of the Roman sports and games of 18 centuries ago. Over $25,000 has been expended in preparing the grounds. The largest grand stand in the world comfortably seating 12,000 is provided. Low round trip and excursion rates are being arranged on all roads running into Boston, and the grounds are remarkably easy of access. Succeeding each performance will be given the finest display of fireworks ever seen in Boston or in fact in this country. Admission with comfortable chair 50 cents. Children under 10 years half price.

Citizens of Woburn will find this one of the most satisfactory entertainments to be enjoyed in Boston.

Another Old One.

DEAR MR. HOBBS: Let me add an item to your interesting article in last week's JOURNAL entitled "A Few Old Settlers."

My brother (whose letter I enclose), Joseph Earl Teel, will be remembered by every man, woman and child (who was living 50 years ago) all the way from William Winn's in Burlington down the West Side road through Woburn to West Cambridge (now called Arlington).

John Weston and Earl Teel were famous as milkmen in the good old days when you could always find a "yellow scum" on the milk that was good. In 1854–57 years ago —Earl sold the goodwill of his milk route for $3000 and migrated to Illinois where he became a successful farmer and owns one of the best farms in Morgan county, and a nice home in the town of Waverley. He has been nearly blind for 15 years, but now at the age of 73 he is hale and hearty and is the hardest worker on the farm during harvest. I know of but few men who left dear old Woburn in the long, long ago, who will be better remembered by the New Bridge and West Side people than Earl Teel.

WARREN TEEL.

Davenport, Iowa, June 20, 1891.

[Earl Teel's letter which accompanied the above corroborates his brother Warren's story and is interesting as the production of a person 73 years old and nearly blind.]—ED.

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The Union Temperance Meeting.

The temperance meeting held jointly by the city churches at the First Congregational house of worship on last Sunday evening was a good one. For several days previous to holding it the Boston papers, seemingly on mischief bent, contained warnings of an impending row, insisting that Rev. Hugh Montgomery and Hon. B. B. Johnson were loaded to the muzzle and would pour such heavy shots into the Woburn city authorities and talk in such a way generally that the meeting would prove an exceedingly inharmonious one, and perhaps break up in a fight. Said papers did all they could to bring about such a condition of things, but their failure was a signal and humiliating one. Perfect harmony prevailed at the meeting; everything went along as smooth as oil; cordial feelings prevailed among the originators and promoters of the occasion; and one of the best temperance gatherings of the year ended in the happiest manner.

Right here this thought suggests itself: If all the churches of Woburn would solidly unite to drive rumselling to the wall and promote the good cause, and would work earnestly and honestly together, shoulder to shoulder, in behalf of sobriety and good morals and to banish rum from our borders, and would strive together heart and hand, and would stop pulling in different directions —if they would unite cordially and earnestly and on such a platform and say the traffic in intoxicating liquors in this place must stop it would stop and right speedily too. The churches here might be a tremendous power for good if they only had a heart and mind to pull together; but as it is, their efforts in behalf of temperance do not yield fruits in as great abundance as they ought.

The meeting was a very large one. Rev. Dr. March presided, and Prof. Clarke led with the organ some excellent congregational singing. Opening remarks were made by the Chairman, after which Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the Methodist church, cursorily reviewed his temperance work in Woburn, and avowed his determination to continue a hot warfare on the rumsellers as long as he had life and strength given him to wage it. He has been engaged in the business for a long time. For several years he labored successfully in New Hampshire, subsequently in Connecticut, and since then in Massachusetts. He has prosecuted over 4000 rumsellers for violations of the liquor law during his crusade against the great enemy and a very large majority of them he made stick. Mr. Montgomery then gave an epitome and running commentory on recent proceedings against the rum traffic here, and at the close reiterated his determination to keep on fighting until victory perches on the temperance standard in this city.

Mr. Montgomery was followed by Hon. B. B. Johnson of Waltham, a prominent temperance lawyer of this county, who is almost constantly engaged in prosecuting the rumsellers in the courts. His address —the principal one of the evening—was listened to with close attention, and appeared to give general satisfaction. His speech consisted chiefly of a criticism of Judge Converse's decisions in recent liquor trials, and in exposing the illegality of the action of the Mayor and Aldermen respecting the granting of licenses this spring. He handled his subject ably and fairly and left a favorable impression on the minds of his audience.

The churches ought to repeat these temperance meetings at intervals of a few weeks and thus strengthen the hands of those who are engaged in making war on the SALOON.

North Woburn.

Rev. W. J. Murphy went last Monday on the Christian Endeavor excursion to Minneapolis.

It is said that our present postmaster, whose term of office is nearly at an end, will not accept another term.

We need and ought have at once free postal delivery for this village. Our present postal accommodations are of the most primative kind and totally inadequate to the wants of this community. No. Woburn is an important part of the city; it is a nice village made up of intelligent, educated people who deserve and demand better usage by the General Postoffice authorities.

Miss S. E. Fisher, the popular Boston school teacher, left Boston last Tuesday morning on the great Christian Endeavor Convention excursion to Minneapolis which meeting she will attend.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board held a special meeting on the evening of July 3, at which Mayor Bean presided.

The nomination of Mr. James Skinner as a member of the Sewerage Commission was confirmed 4 to 1 (Score one for THE WOBURN JOURNAL!)——Mr. Elisha T. Hayward was confirmed as member of the Board of Registrars of Voters (Another of THE JOURNAL's candidates safe in port!) ——Mr. John Connolly was appointed Lockup Keeper (Score No. 3 for THE JOURNAL!)——James Leighton licensed to run a pool-room. Adjourned.

A Delaware peach grower says it doesn't take a frost to kill the setting blossoms. A cold wind will do it as effectually.

Woburn's Industrial School.

It was organized late but is making good progress. The Directors and Teachers are well satisfied with the work done to date and with the success of this very laudable scheme for improving the minds and hands of the rising generation of both sexes.

A lady Director voiced public sentiment quite correctly when she said to a JOURNAL representative last Wednesday that to Supt. F. B. Richardson of the public schools of this city was mainly due the establishment of our Industrial School, as also is its gratifying success in no small degree attributed to his energy, enthusiasm and wisely directed efforts to that end. The fact is, Supt. Richardson is an enthusiast on the subject of Industrial in connection with the Public schools.

But although the lady Director modestly disclaimed any credit for herself for having contributed to the establishment of the manual labor annex on Academy Hill to the common school classes we are disposed to disagree with her on that point, and furthermore, to claim for her female associates, as well as for herself, the honor of having been among the very first to move in this important undertaking, and to claim also that the success of the school is owing largely to their intelligence and earnest work in conjunction with Supt. Richardson.

The establishment of the Industrial School was a grand thing for the boys and girls, and those who originated the idea here and carried it out ought to be known and duly honored by the community, as no doubt they will be.

The Industrial School on Academy Hill takes no vacation this year but the classes hold sessions three times a week to receive instruction in the domestic arts by the girls and mechanics by the boys. Thus far the attendance has been prompt and large, and the interest taken in the studies highly commendable.

The services of Supt. Richardson and the Directors are a free gift to the institution, and they are by no means few or small. Teachers and pupils are enthusiastic in carrying forward the good work from which great benefits are certain to arise. On the opening of the next school year it is expected that the School Board will place this branch of our public establishments of learning on a solid foundation that cannot thereafter be taken away, and also organize cooking classes which the lady managers have so set their hearts on.

Friends of learning—book or otherwise—male and female, in this city, ought to make a point to visit the Industrial School often, especially during this vacation season, and thus not only discover for themselves the good work it is accomplishing but to encourage Superintendent, Directors, Teachers and Pupils to keep on and faint not in the noble enterprise.

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Burlington.

The Young People's Society promises to be a successful organization. Their meetings are held at seven o'clock every Sunday evening in the church.

Our summer residents have returned. The last to arrive were the Butters family and Mr. Frank Reed and family. We are always glad to welcome them.

A fire at Mr. Charles Haven's house last Friday did some damage to the roof but was promptly extinguished. It was said to be occasioned by fire crackers.

Rev. C. F. Hersey is spending his vacation at his home in Waterford, Maine. Sunday services will be held as usual during his absence and the pulpit will be supplied by different ministers.

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Nothing of importance was going on here on the 4th. It was exceedingly quiet.

Mr. and Mrs. Abijah Thompson are at East End Hotel, Hull, for the summer.

Miss Gertrude Tyler, daughter of Judge Tyler, read an able paper at the class exercises of the Harvard Annex this year. She is a very talented lady.

Literary Notices.

The July number of THE MUSICAL RECORD contains the new and very popular song of "Comrades" which is worth more than the price of the magazine, which is published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for July is brimful of good things both literary and pictorial. Oliver Wendall Holmes, with a portrait, is very interesting, so also are Some American Riders, An Imperative Duty by W. D. Howells, The Republic of Paraguay, and others nearly all of whom are profusely illustrated.

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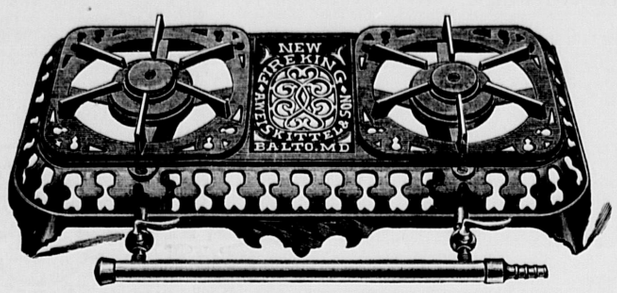

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An Atchison woman discovered by accident that peppermint will do to flavor ice cream when there is nothing else in the house.

Satins are restored to favor, the caprice being for striped satins.

Administrator's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated July 7th, 1891, the subscriber, Administrator of the estate of Ann Doherty, late of Woburn in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on Monday, July 27th, 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Sheridan street, containing about nineteen thousand six hundred and two (19,602) square feet, bounded as follows, namely: —

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$100.00 of purchase money will be required to be paid by the purchaser at time and place of sale; balance in ten days.

HUGH McCAFFERTY,
Administrator of the Estate of Ann Doherty.
J. G. Maguire, Attorney, Woburn, July 8, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Peter Clark, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Margaret Clark, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of July next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Next of Kin and others interested in the estate of Catherine Kelly, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Salmon, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and has applied for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of July instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And said Administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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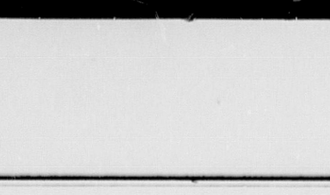

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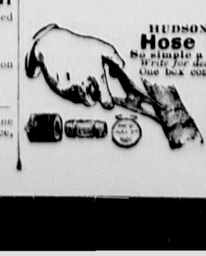

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Text of the Lesson, John i, 29-42—Commit Verses, 40-42—Golden Text, John i, 29—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

29. "The next day John seeth Jesus coming unto him."

The following verses indicate that the events of the two days included in this lesson took place after the baptism of Jesus.

"Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sins of the world."

The Father had testified by an audible voice from heaven, and by the descent of the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove, that this was His beloved Son, and now John points Him out as the one to whom he came to bear witness.

30. "This is He of whom I said, After me cometh a man who is preferred before me, for He was before me."

This He had said when they sent to ask Him if he was the Christ or Elijah or the prophet (verses 19-27). When a little later word was brought to John that all men were following Jesus, he only reiterated his testimony exalting Jesus. Every believer should make it his and her constant aim to magnify Christ under all circumstances.

31. "And I knew Him not."

Inasmuch as this gospel was written to prove that He is the Son of God (xx, 31), it may be that it was as Son of God he knew Him not till after the baptism.

"But that he should be made manifest to Israel, therefore am I come baptizing with water."

Gabriel had spoken of Him as one to sit on David's throne and reign over the house of Jacob, and Zacharias (the father of John) sang of Him as the one who should perform the oath which God had sworn to Abraham (Luke i, 32, 33, 72, 73). As the son of David, son of Abraham, to restore the kingdom to Israel (Matt. i, 1; Acts i, 6), John must have known Him, and baptized the people, pointing them to Israel's coming Messiah. But as Son of God and Saviour of the World bearing away the sin of the world this was a new revelation, and not till long after Pentecost did even the apostles receive the truth that Jesus was a Saviour to any but Jews.

32. "And John bare record, saying, I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it abode upon Him."

For special service and on special occasions the Spirit had in Old Testament days come upon people, but here is one on whom He can abide. Not as a tongue of fire does He come to Jesus, but as a pure and gentle dove.

33. "And I knew Him not; but He that sent me to baptize with water, the same said unto me."

As witnesses unto Christ we must be much away from the world and go forth in the power of God, and as sent by Him to make ready a people for His Second Coming, now so near at hand.

"Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending and remaining on Him, the same is He which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost."

From the time when the Spirit of God moved upon the chaos of Gen. i, 2, and even before that (Ps. xxxiii, 6), all that has been done on earth that has been truly good or great has been by the Holy Spirit.

34. "And I saw and bare record that this is the Son of God."

The word "son" in Scripture does not nessessarily signify inferiority or difference of nature, and sometimes not that at all, but rather likeness or sameness of nature or quality, the closest possible resemblance.

35. "Again the next day after John stood and two of his disciples."

John continues his work quietly and faithfully. When we are wholly subject to God He will clearly show us when to go and when to stay, when to speak and when to stop.

36. "And looking upon Jesus as He walked, He saith, Behold the Lamb of God."

The statement concerning His taking away the sin of the world is here omitted, so that this would point him out more definitely to Israelites as the antitype of their burnt offerings and paschal lamb.

37. "And the two disciples heard Him speak, and they followed Jesus."

See the benefit of personal work; the statement in verse 29 was probably a general declaration to the multitude, but here is a private and personal statement to two individuals, and the result is that both follow Jesus. Observe how it came about, and do thou likewise.

38. "Then Jesus turned and saw them following, and saith unto them, What seek ye?"

How quietly and ordinarily it all comes about, the calling of these first two disciples! What a small and unlikely beginning!

"They said unto Him, Rabbi (which is to say, being interpreted, Master), where dwellest thou?"

Perhaps hardly knowing what they did seek, or what to say, but longing for something they had not yet obtained, they ask where He dwells. He might have answered, "I dwell in the high and holy place, with him also that is of a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble and to revive the heart of the contrite one (Isa. lvii, 15).

39. "He saith unto them, Come and see. They came and saw where He dwelt, and abode with Him that day, for it was about the tenth hour."

"Him that cometh to Me I will in no wise cast out" (John vi, 37). However unworthily or however feebly they come, if any one will only come they will be welcomed.

40. "One of the two which heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother."

The other, we suppose, was John himself, inasmuch as he, being the writer of this Gospel, would not be likely to mention his own name; and it is only in the latter part of the Gospel that he speaks of himself as "That disciple whom Jesus loved."

41. "He first findeth his own brother Simon."

It may be that he thought of God's question to Cain, "Where is thy brother?" but whether or not, he did well to seek first his own brother. The first question for the sinner is, "Where art thou?" and when found and saved the next should be, "Where is thy brother?" (Gen. iii, 9; iv, 9).

"We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ."

The word "Messiah" is only found four times in our English Bible; here and in chapter iv, 25, in the New Testament, and in Dan. ix, 25, 26, in the Old Testament.

42. "And he brought him to Jesus."

The very thing to do, and the only thing to do, with our friends and our enemies, our joys and our sorrows, and all that concerns us.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

An eminent physician says that men's stiff hats cause baldness and catarrh. Another doctor claims that soft hats produce catarrh and baldness.

A machine makes 2000 corks an hour.

LITTLE SISTER.

Little sister, robed in white,
There with folded hands she lies,
Breathless silence on her lips,
Endless slumber on her eyes.

Leaving earth with no regrets
Clinging to her heavenward feet,
All that she has known of life
Was to grow more fair and sweet.

Yesterday she was our own,
Ours to comfort, love and teach.
Now she seems a wondrous star
Shining far beyond our reach.

Lay the scattered toys aside,
Fold the little clothes away,
Smooth the empty trundle bed
No more needed day by day.

Angels shall attend her now,
With immortal food and rest;
Leading her with tenderest care
Through the garden of the blessed.
—Exchange.

Nicaragua Canal Project 340 Years Old.

A Mexican gentleman gave a bit of curious history with regard to the proposed Nicaragua canal. He said that in the early days of the Spanish occupation there was talk of a canal across the isthmus, and a Spanish explorer named Gomara, in 1551, indicated the Nicaragua route as the most feasible between the two seas. The Spanish government did not at the time give the matter attention, but in 1781, desiring quicker communication between the oceans, sent out an officer named Galisteo to make a survey of three different routes, and among them that through Nicaragua.

He also reported in favor of the latter, but Spain could not raise the funds for construction. In 1838 the route was again surveyed, this time by an Englishman named Bailley, who was employed by the state of Nicaragua, and again in 1851 by Colonel Childs for a company which proposed to undertake the canal. Nothing came of it, but in 1873 an officer of the United States navy made the surveys which resulted in the choice of the route by the company which is now engaged on the work of the canal.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Why Is It?

"Can you tell me," asked a traveler, "why it is that a man, or a woman, either, for that matter, has to pay different fares very often for traveling the same number of miles on a railroad, and on the same route at that? The fare to New York, for instance, is twenty dollars, limited train, over a certain road. The fare from New York over the same line on the corresponding train is twenty-three dollars. Why is this? I have asked one or two railroad men about it, and they have failed to give me any satisfactory reply or explanation. Not long ago I was in Rochester, and in purchasing my return ticket for Chicago I noticed that I paid something like ninety cents more for my ticket from there here than I did from Chicago to that point. It was the first time I had the experience, and I ventured to ask the agent, who informed me that he was not there for the purpose of explaining the rules of his company."—Chicago Tribune.

He Was Busy.

Jean Corot, the famous painter, was a patriotic Frenchman, but one who by no means kept pace with the times. So occupied was he with his work that he did not even hear of the coup d'etat of 1851 until two months after the new government was established. Then a friend found him painting a moonlit forest, with nymphs dancing. "You are happy," said the visitor; "you paint things gay and smiling, and we have just changed the government. We have strangled the republic." "My dear friend," answered Corot, "I have been so busy in making my nymphs dance that it is three months since I have opened a newspaper."—San Francisco Argonaut.

Saturday is usually said to have taken its name from Saturn, and to literally mean "Saturn's day." Saturn, in mythology, means one of the oldest and principal deities. The seventh day of the week was reserved for his worship. As a Saxon divinity Sater occupies a similar position. He was represented as a thin visaged, long haired individual whose looks bespoke one thoroughly wretched.

The chaplain at Wandsworth prison has come to the conclusion that crime and offenses rise and fall with the thermometer. A rise in the temperature, he says, has a tendency to diminish human rectitude. Even the conduct of children, we are told, is affected by a high temperature.

Every one knows how unlucky it is supposed to be to kill one of the tiny "money spiders." It is rather hard to say why these little creatures should have protection awarded to them in this way, unless it is because they are particularly numerous on a fine morning.

Mocking birds are found in nearly every part of the United States, but in the north they are only summer visitors, and they migrate to the south in winter, passing that season in the states that border on Mexico and the Gulf.

The poet Whittier has given up writing. He has made much money by his writings, and the income from his books is sufficient to keep him in comfort. The annual sale of his works is from 50,000 to 60,000 copies.

It is estimated that the production of the Pittsburg district is 25,000 barrels a day, worth, at the present low price, $8,000,000 for the year, enough to pay 6 per cent. interest on an investment of $130,000,000.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will care all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts., and $1.00 per bottle at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

Alma Tadema's popularity is now at its height and London picture-buyers are paying liberally for any of his productions. Three of his Italian pieces were in the Santuree collection and at the recent sale realized $37,250.

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ROMAN HOUSES IN LONDON.

Mysterious Ruins of Civilization in Britain Nearly Two Thousand Years Old.

The houses of the better class can be reconstructed from the Roman villas whose foundations have been laid bare in various parts of the country. A very great number have been found and partially examined by excavations. Some of them are of a size and splendor which denote great wealth as well as a feeling of profound security. They have been found for the most part in the southern counties. Many are in Kent—a county which, so long as the count of the Saxon shore protected its coasts, was the safest part of Britain. But many of these villas have been found in Lincolnshire, and there are probably hundreds awaiting discovery. It is not fair in considering the trader's house of London to take the magnificent ruins of such a villa as that which has been laid bare at Woodchester in Gloucestershire. Here we find sitting rooms fifty feet square ranged about courts or gardens a hundred and a hundred and fifty feet square; here are splendid tessellated pavements, fresco paintings, fragments of statues and groups, Samian ware, and every indication of art and luxury. We need not suppose that London merchants lived in palaces. Into the lofty, brilliant, well heated apartments of the finer houses there was thrown a confused mass of furniture not unworthy of the richest palaces of modern days. Cushions and lounges of crimson silk and Babylonian tapestry surrounded the banqueting tables and walls; mirrors of metal or glass shone on all sides. Glass windows let in the inconstant sunlight, and candles, lamps and candelabra in the winter evenings scattered over the rooms on tripods, tables, niches, and perhaps hung aloft on the ceiling, threw down sufficient light. The infinite number and varied forms of their lamps show the care the Romans gave to lighting their rooms and their taste for nocturnal amusement. Carpets, rugs and matting were thrown upon the mosaic floor. Statues of real merit stood around in artistic negligence. Tables of citron wood, or marble tripods, book shelves and stands, glass vases of all forms and modes, rich with green, red or purple dyes, shone on the Roman sideboard. Goblets, pitchers and vases of the delicate red Samian were added to the glow of color; they were so fragile that only fragments of the finer kind have been preserved. In the midst of his luxurious home sat the London curial, or alderman of the Roman time, on his curule chair, surrounded by wife and children, clothed in the richest fabrics of the day, and all glittering with rings, jewels, armlets, bracelets, some of which have been left behind to tell their tale. On the bones of a woman's arm in Mr. Roach Smith's collection are seen three bracelets of gold, with gems and rare chasings.

To complete the picture of the home of the Roman period we must add a great number of articles of convenience or comfort that would seem to us almost exclusively modern. Chairs, lounges, sofas, bedsteads, chests, closets, drawers, curtains, glass vessels, mirrors and vases, bunches of keys, and a great variety of kitchen utensils, gold and silver ornaments, baskets and urns for money, great amphoræ filled with wine, and the well stored kitchens of the wealthy made up the requirements of Roman life. These the barbarous Saxons plundered or destroyed, chiefly from a fear that magic lay in all objects of art. A garden in the front of the villa, filled with roses from Pæstum and lilies and violets, was never forgotten by a people so fond of flowers; baths, hot and cold, were attached to every large house. Fourteen centuries and the ravages of Saxon and Dane have covered Roman London with a cloud of mystery that no one has been able to remove.—Eugene Lawrence in Harper's.

A Desperate Chance.

A Russian exile relates how he once saved himself by a desperate artifice. A police official searched his house for compromising papers. There was in his possession a document the discovery of which meant serious danger to himself and his friends.

Wherever he might hide it it seemed certain that it would be found. He coolly handed the document to the official, who scarcely glanced at it and handed it back.

After the most careful search the official, his nose blackened with soot and his hair decorated with feathers—for he had even examined the stovepipes and the bedding—departed empty handed.—Youth's Companion.

A New Way of Learning a Language.

Free lectures are now being delivered in various parts of the country to those who wish to take advantage of the facility with which languages can now be studied by means of phonograph cylinders. Sets of cylinders are also provided which contain the conversational course of a well known system in French, German, Spanish or Italian, and with each set of cylinders a set of books is furnished, so that the eye and ear can be educated at the same time.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Maryland has a home costing $40,000 near Baltimore, aided by the state to the extent of $10,000 annually.

YOUTHFUL CHAPERONS.

One of the Funny Things That the Female College Has Given Us.

I have a little cousin no bigger than my thumb.

Well, that is not strictly true and substantial as a fact, but it will do as a figure of speech.

She is a wonderful little creature, as bright as a dollar and as pretty as a fairy. She went through school and went through college like a streak of greased lightning, feminine gender. She graduated at the top of the class, and the only limit to her honors was that the supply gave out. I would not dare to tell the age at which she got her sheepskin, it was so little.

Now there is a certain kind of fame which travels quick, and when my pretty little cousin made up her mind to teach for a year or two, pending the time when the hero should come and set her to darning socks and making cake, the offers poured in from all quarters of the compass. You would have thought that teachers were the scarcest kind of an article, and so I suppose they are—that is, real smart ones.

She took her pick of a number of gilded offers, modestly declining to be made president of a western college, and sticking up her nose at a mere public school principalship.

As a happy medium and good thing to practice on she took a position in a fashionable young ladies' seminary in the city of New York, with about three hours a day of work and a nice fat salary attached. Oh, my little cousin is smart in more ways than one. She knows on which side of her bread to look for butter and molasses.

But the joke of it is that in the school to which she has gone the teachers have to play the part of chaperons to the young ladies when they wish to add Daly's or Theodore Thomas' special branches to the curriculum of their studies. It is all very pretty in theory, but it looks decidedly funny to see my sweet little seventeen-year-old cousin, just as full of fun as she is of Greek and mathematics, engaged in the solemn duty of escorting a lot of nineteen year-old misses to places of amusement. I don't wish to give my cousin away, nor will I mention the particular school which is blessed by her presence and dignity, but I don't mind telling in confidence that it's not many miles from Fifth avenue, and that when she is going to convoy a flotilla of darlings she sends me a warning word, and if ever a fellow gets the worth of his matinee tickets I happen to know the man.

My blessings on the youthful chaperon! She is filling a long felt want.—New York Herald.

An Odd Way to Collect Bills.

Many years ago an eccentric dry goods merchant in New York owned property on which there was a mortgage held by another merchant. A clerk of the latter called on the former and said, "I called to get the interest on that mortgage."

"Did you, indeed?" replied the merchant. "Can you read this Bible, young man?"

"Yes, sir," replied the clerk.

"I want you to read this chapter in the Book of Job," said the merchant.

The clerk read a chapter, and the merchant listened with the greatest attention. It was about a horse being clothed with thunder. After the chapter had been read the merchant observed:

"Job was a great old fellow—wonderful genius. Now I'll give you a check for the interest money, and, mind you, hereafter when you call I'll always give it to you. If I do not, write me a note if I am out, and I will leave a check when I come in. You read Job first rate."—Dry Goods Chronicle.

A Puzzler.

The following proposition is left for the reader to think about:

If there are more people in the world than any one person has hairs upon his head, then there must exist at least two persons who possess identically the same number of hairs to a hair.

This same proposition may be applied to the faces of human beings in the world. If the number of perceptible differences between two faces be not greater than the total number of the human race, then there must exist at least two persons who are to all appearances exactly alike. When it is considered that there are about 1,500,000,000 persons in the world and that the human countenance does not vary, except within comparatively narrow limits, the truth of the proposition becomes obvious, without applying the logical reasoning of it.—New York Tribune.

Seductive Song of the Mocking Bird.

In southern cities, where a fine is imposed for killing one, mocking birds are very numerous, and they sing so joyously in the trees that it seems unnecessary and cruel to confine them in cages. They sing their sweetest songs during the moonlight nights of summer, often tempting old residents to lose sleep for the sake of hearing them.—New York Telegram.

Made Him Feel at Home.

Mrs. Bond—Living so far from the city as you do, Miss Newburgher, you must see very little of your father.

Miss Newburgher—Yes, he isn't here very often; still, he seems quite like one of the family.—Puck.

Cheerful Willingness.

Ferocious Man (entering editor's room)—I've come to club you!

Editor—All right, sir. Club rates are 25 per cent. off the regular single subscription.—Epoch.

Great Discoverers.

What Bell and Edison are to the telephone and electricity, says the Pittsburg *News*, Dr. Franklin Miles, the well-known specialist in nervous diseases, is to the nervous system and nerve fluid. Among his numerous discoveries the Restorative Nervine is undoubtedly one of the greatest. It is unsurpassed in nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, epilepsy, neuralgia, backache, melancholity, sleeplessness, change of life, etc. *Free trial bottles* of it may be had of Charles H. Buss, Druggist. All should read his "*New and Startling Facts for the Afflicted*," a very able, interesting, and finely illustrated book. Free to all.

According to the Pall Mall *Gazette* the National Portrait Gallery, to be erected near Trafalgar Square in London after designs by Ewan Christian, will resemble an Italian place.

After a time sheep may be useful only for mutton. Wool, the chemists say, can be made more cheaply from wood fiber than it can be grown on sheep.

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The Captain.

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"Isaac" is a bootblack and a philosopher, and he is a well known character in Broad street. Moreover, he is a very dark representative of the African race. "I'se got no use for beggars," he muttered the other day just after a man whose boots he was polishing had given a ragged mendicant a bit of silver. "Why not, Isaac?" asked his customer; "I thought that you had a tender heart."

"No moah tender heart, boss," responded Isaac energetically. "Ise had that nonsense taken out o' me suah!"

"How so, Isaac?"

"Jest this way, boss. A pale, ragged man comed up to me the other day and says, 'For the sake o' mercy, gi me a dime, I'se starvin.' Well, boss, I doant see nobody starve if I ken help it, so I jest pulled out a couple of dese yar St. Andrew's mission tickets, which give a man a plate of beans, two slices of bread and a cup of coffee, and I tole the man to come along o' me. I tuk him to the mission house, whar he could git his meal, and wha you tink he did? Why, he jest give a contemshus look at dat mission and turned round to me and said: 'See yar, you miserable nigger, what you mean by bringin' me yar? Do you spose I eat in dat place? Ise no pauper.' And he frew de tickets on de groun'."—New York Times.

Dirt That Was Once Alive.

In some parts of the earth people eat the dirt, which is found to possess nutritive qualities. The substance is known as mountain meal. The Indians on the banks of the Amazon river use this meal as food during times when other food is scarce. It is made up into a dough and baked as bread. Chemists have analyzed this substance, and find it to be composed of the remains of infusoria, and it is this animal matter yet remaining that makes it available as food.

If we now go a step higher and examine other fossil remains, in size reaching to that of the head of a pin, we find that a large part of the entire crust of the earth is composed of them.

A little shell animal called the miliolæ must have existed in countless numbers in the seas of the cretaceous period. In settling to the bottom of the ancient seas that covered what is now central France these shells formed immense strata, some of which are several thousand feet in thickness. The beautiful city of Paris is built from stone quarried from this deposit, mostly from the quarries of Montmartre.—Macon Telegraph.

Short Bills Passed by Parliament.

The shortest bills ever introduced which became acts of parliament were the following: 9 Henry III (chapter 6 of Magna Charta), containing four words only (Latin), which in English made six, namely: "Heirs shall be married without disparagement." Edward I, "The king commandeth that from henceforth neither fairs nor markets be kept in churchyards for the honor of the church." Edward III, "It is accorded that the plea of non-claim of fine which from henceforth shall be levied shall not be taken for any bar in time to come." This last bill and statute had reference to a method of barring an estate tail. Mr. Gladstone introduced a bill into the house of commons and an act of parliament was passed changing the "District Chapelry of Kirkthwaite" into the "District Chapelry of Cowgill," and this is possibly the shortest bill of the present reign.—London Tit-Bits.

The Capitol Dome.

The Capitol dome at Washington is the only considerable dome of iron in the world. It is a vast hollow sphere weighing 8,000,300 pounds. How much is that? More than 4,000 tons, or almost the weight of 70,000 full grown persons, or about equal to 1,000 laden coal cars of four tons each, which, if strung out one behind the other, would occupy a mile and a half of track.

On the very top of the dome the allegorical figure "America," weighing 13,985 pounds, lifts its proud head high in air. The pressure of this dome and figure upon the piers and pillars is 14,477 pounds to the square foot. It would, however, require a pressure of 755,286 pounds to the square foot to crush the supports of the dome. The cost of this immense dome was little short of $1,000,000.—St. Louis Republic.

Parrot Scares a Hawk.

Speaking of parrots, Mr. R. A. Houston tells a story how a tame parrot of his routed a hawk. The parrot was hopping about in the yard, when the hawk, probably mistaking it for a new breed of chicken, pounced down upon it. Polly gave a squawk that rather startled the bird of prey, and then turned on the fierce intruder with such vigor, beak and talon that the stronger bird was driven from the field in great shape. The parrot is no meek barnyard fowl.—Springfield (Mass.) Homestead.

Ollie's Opinion.

Little Ollie Miller heard her sister Lula speaking of a diary, and having had it explained to her that a personal diary was a brief record of one's life, she exclaimed:

"Well, then, I don't see what they want to call it a diary for; seems to me they oughter call it a livery."—Boston Courier.

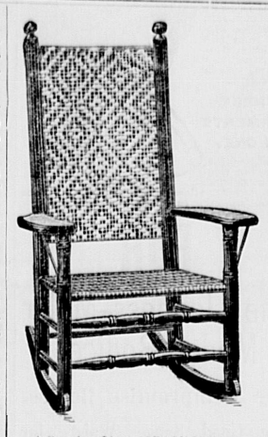
A Professional Pessimist.

"Why, I thought Weener a real optimist."

"No, since he went into the meat business he makes the wurst of everything."—Munsey's Weekly.

Short Work of a Troublesome Case.

One day I was taken with Paralysis of the Bowels. The stomach and other organs lost all power of action. Although opposed to proprietary medicines, I tried Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. To make a long story short, it saved my life. It is the best medicine in the world for difficulties of the kidneys, liver and bowels.—A. J. Gifford, Lowell, Mass.



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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.26, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.39, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.26 9.26, P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.06, 7.38, 7.48, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.36, 6.44, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M. Sunday, 5.26, P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.30 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 7.21, 8.03, 8.23, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 11.59, A. M., 12.37, 1.24, 2.19, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.51, 5.53, 6.23, 6.34, 7.05, 7.50, 9.25, 10.22, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.26, A. M., 1.08, 2.41, 4.27, 5.19, 8.13, 9.20, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10.40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 8, 9, 10, 11, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.55, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.10, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.55, 10.35, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, ‡10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, w9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 10.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, 12.40, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50, A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.55, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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"I saw advertisements for the Waterbury watch filling whole columns in newspapers and large spaces on the outer walls of buildings in all the great cities of India. I heard the hum of the American sewing-machine in the by-ways and broad streets of Bombay and Calcutta and Rangoon. I saw American lamps for burning American petroleum hawked about the streets on wheelbarrows for sale in Yokohama and Tokio and Shanghai. I heard the clatter of the American typewriter in Chefoo and Tientsin and Swatow and Aintab. I heard American dentistry praised as the best in the world, and I travelled with an American dentist who was on his way to practise his profession in the city of Pekin. I afterward received his printed circular announcing his arrival in the great imperial city, and his readiness to extract the molars of mandarins or fill the cavities of Confucianists in the most approved style of American art.

"I was glad when I saw American tramcars running in the streets of Tokio, and the American wind-mill pumping water on the bluffs of Yokohama. I was glad when I heard the click of Connecticut clocks keeping good time for Orientals who are always behind. California canned fruits and Oregon salmon and Boston baked beans in hotels all over the East made me feel that home was not so very far away. And the fact that America is so often represented in the East by the homely articles of practical and everyday use did not make me wish that my country had more works of fine art, or more ruins and traditions of ancient time.

"The Bartlett pear and the Jersey peach and the damson plum were introduced into China by a missionary, who was the son of an American farmer. When a boy he learned to break colts and plant trees and hold the plough in western New York. He went to China to plant the Tree of Life, where the thorns and briars of superstition and ignorance had usurped the ground for ages. When I saw him picking fruit from trees and vines which he had imported and planted with his own hands in his garden, and when I rode with him through the streets of Chefoo on a wheelbarrow of his own making, I thought him a good illustration of the typical American, who lives in all climates, masters all trades, and gives an inspiration of hope to all people.

"The Japanese *jinrikisha*, which runs in every city and country road of Japan, is the invention of an American missionary whose salary failed him in time of war, and who was obliged to turn his hand to mechanical work for a while for the means of living. The Japanese persimmon, which grows in great abundance and makes delicious fruit in California, was introduced by an American missionary, who was out of health, and who went to California to recover. He made $13,000 out of persimmon planting, and then, having recovered his health, he went back to his chosen work in Japan.

"The art of decorating pottery and painting screens and working wonderfully in ivory has been in China for two thousand years. And the people still lived in mud houses, children went without clothes, and their parents worshipped the spirits of the air and the dragons of the deep; women dug up the field for planting instead of turning the soil with the plough; men pulled up grain by the roots instead of reaping it with sickles or mowing it with scythes; children learned the ways of their fathers, and plodded on in the journey of life under the same weary load of ignorance and superstition from generation to generation. Christianity comes bringing first the kingdom of heaven, and, as fast as that is received, all useful and practical arts and occupations follow in its train. Homes are brightened and beautified, minds are enlightened and hearts are cheered, and the people look up as if they saw the day of redemption from the bondage of ages drawing nigh."—*Forward.*

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

Missouri pays no pensions, but a movement is on foot to raise $100,000 to endow a home without state aid.

World's Fair Notes.

A herd of eight-five buffalo will be exhibited at the Fair.

Thirty acres in the northern portion of Jackson Park have been reserved for sites for the State buildings. The ground has already been apportioned among the States, consideration being had for the size and importance of each and the amount it will probably expend upon its building and collective exhibit. The entire space will be artistically divided by beautiful walks and driveways.

An enterprising Nebraska man says, that he will take to the Exposition a crowd of 50,000 school children from Omaha and vicinity. He proposes to have each car load in charge of a teacher, and he has already begun negotiations with the railroads for special rates and special trains.

It is next to certain that the Exposition will be open evenings, in all of its departments. The Directory has called for plans and estimates for lighting, by electricity, all of the buildings. It is proposed to light both the buildings and grounds so brilliantly that everything can been seen at night as well as by day, and it is expected that scene at night will be one of marvelous brilliancy.

At a meeting of representatives of various religious, benevolent and reformatory organizations, held recently in New York for the purpose, a committee of five was chosen to arrange, if possible, for the erection of a separate building at the Exposition, in which can be shown the methods and results of every description of religious missionary and philanthropic work in this country.

The Exposition officials and those of the city of Chicago, have agreed upon police and fire arrangements for the Exposition grounds. Completely equipped police station and fire engine house will be erected at once, and the city will furnish them with a full complement of apparatus and men.

An appropriation of $150,000 has been made by the Exposition directory, for the expense of the ceremonies attending the dedication of the buildings, October 12, 1892. The ceremonies will be extended through several days, and some 15,000 militia and U. S. troods, it is expected will participate.

The fine arts exhibit it is now definitely and finally settled, will be at Jackson Park, the strong effort which was made to have it located in the Lake Front Fark having been defeated in the Directory. The fine arts building, which will cost about $600,000, will stand in the northern portion of the grounds, and will be nearly surrounded by the buildings of the several States of the Union.

A permanent art palace will be built also in Lake Front park, towards the erection of which the Exhibition will contribute $200,000. During the Exposition this building will be used by the World's Congress Auxiliary for the holding of some of its numerous congresses. After the Fair the Chicago Art Institute will take possession of it and make it the home of a permanent art collection.

One hundred thousand soldiers gathered from the regular army and national guard would make an effective feature of the World's Fair, so Gen. Miles thinks. The general has suggested such a display in a letter to President Thomas W. Palmer, outlining the distinguished soldier's views on the Exposition.

Marvellous Endurance.

The vast amount of labor performed by the heart in keeping all portions of the body supplied with blood is not generally known. It beats 100,000 times, and forces the blood at the rate of 168 miles a day, which is 3,000,000,000 times and 5,150,880 miles in a life time. No wonder there are so many heart failures. The first symptoms are shortness of breath when exercising, pain in the side or stomach, fluttering, choking in throat, oppression, then follow weak, hungry or smothering spells, swollen ankles, etc. Dr. 'Franklin Miles' New Heart Cure is the only reliable remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

Anti Fat Swine.

Mr. J. Montgomery Sears, a wealthy fellow-townsman of Mr. J. Lawrence Sullivan, has imported from Europe a few specimens of anti-fat swine for breeding purposes. They are now at his New Hampshire sties. It is explained, says the New York *Sun*, that Mr. Sears hopes, by repeatedly crossing these leaner creatures with cylindrical and excessively fat porkers in vogue in this country at present, to produce in perfection the streak-of-fat-and-streak-of-lean variety of pork so highly prized in Boston as the central piece in the Sunday bean pot. While students of stirpiculture will be interested in Mr. Sears's experiment hardly less than they were in the now abandoned scheme for producing night-working honey bees by crossing ordinary bees with lightning bugs, all true Americans will regret that a citizen of Boston should decide to go to the monarch-ridden Old World for his lean pigs. His conduct in this matter will naturally be criticised as hardly less than unpatriotic. By taking a little pains Mr. Sears might have acquainted himself with the fact that the United States produces the leanest hogs in the world, as well as the fattest.—*The Beacon.*

Card Of Thanks.

I hereby desire to extend to all of my friends my thanks for the many kindnesses extended to me during my past illness of over three months from rheumatism, and I especially desire to tell them that but for Sulphur Bitters I should have been suffering still. May you never suffer what I have, is the wish of your friend, B. H. Tayleur.

Bouquet patterns adorn some of the newest arrivals in black lace.

Woman's Column.

Colorado has raised the age of protection for girls to sixteen.

The bill to allow women to serve as notaries public has been defeated in the Pennsylvania Legislature.

Mrs. Ella Brown of Holton, has just taken her diploma as a lawyer at the Kansas State University at Lawrence. She is the first woman to be graduated from the State Law School. She will practice law with her husband.

At the recent annual meeting of the Pennsylvania State Medical Society, the following resolution was adopted: *Resolved*, That a committee be appointed by the President of this society to appeal to the Governor to fill the first vacancy which shall occur in the Board of Public Charities by the appointment of an enlightened and philanthropic woman.

Mrs. Crissey, of Omaha, Neb., is the only woman member of the State Pharmaceutical Association, and at the annual meeting recently held at Beatrice she was elected secretary for a second term. She has been a druggist for about five years. She assisted her husband for two years, and on his death assumed the business, passing the examination required by law.

The first woman in Indiana to hold the office of school trustee was elected on June 2, in Terra Haute. The election in that city is by the Council. The vote stood six to six. Five Democrats and one Republican voted in favor of the lady. The Mayor (Judge Allen) gave the casting vote. The new trustee is Mrs. Ida May Davis, a member of the Western Writers' Association, and a writer of considerable merit.

An "emergency cupboard" is one of the good things started by a Working Girls' Club in Boston. An old-fashioned secretary was secured and fitted up by the King's Daughters. Upon the shelves above are tumblers of jelly and other delicacies for the sick. In the drawers below are a hot-water bag, a rubber sheet, bundles of old linen, etc., which are at the disposal of any member of the club, or any needy person recommended by a member in time of illness. Unlike the renowned receptacle of Mother Hubbard, this cupboard is never "bare," as friends outside pledge themselves to keep it well stocked with supplies.

The natural connection between military and domestic despotism was strikingly exemplified in a speech lately made by the young emperor of Germany to his soldiers at a review. He told them that it was their duty to kill their own parents if commanded by him to do so, and he compared their relation to him with that of the girl "who is commanded by the Bible to leave father and mother, and submit herself to the absolute supremacy of her husband." This brutal expression of the imperial requirement of passive obedience in the home and in the government is the logical opposite of the American principle of individual sovereignty alike in the family and in the State.

What It Does.

Hood's Sarsaparilla.
1. Purifies the blood.
2. Creates an appetite.
3. Strengthens the nerves.
4. Makes the weak strong.
5. Overcomes that tired feeling.
6. Cures scrofula, salt rheum, etc.
7. Invigorates the kidneys and liver.
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A Victim.

BY HON. J. G. WOOLEY.

I talked to eighteen hundred men in Chicago the other day. I saw a troubled face in the audience, and I got to him as soon as I could at the close of the lecture. He said "yes, I was on my way to commit suicide, for I was discouraged, when a young man stopped me and asked me to come in here. You have a wife and children, mine have deserted me. Never mind me, I'll go to Lincoln Park and find rest with this," showing me a rope; but I clung to him. I prayed with him, I begged him to come to Christ. He said he might get rum out of him first, I told him any man was sober enough to come to Christ. As he left the church he promised to come back again at nine o'clock the next morning, and handed me the rope. While I was waiting for him to come I took up a city paper and read of the suicide of a man. In his pocket a note was found, saying, "I am too tired. I give it up." I went to the morgue and found it was my friend. I found him stripped for burial, he was still and white. Perhaps he gave himself to God, but the chances are he tumbled into hell. I wandered home thinking how hope had died out in that man, and perhaps as he neared home that night he thought there is nobody there; no wife, no fire, no child, no hope anywhere, and the devil drink said, "come with me and find oblivion," but he did not find it with my bottle. I don't care whether you vote my sentiments at the ballot box, whether women weep in their desolate homes, whether boys may drink, or the Capitol building at Washington has two dram shops, or the President's wife makes the best punch; it is not done with my bottle. No man hides himself behind the law with my bottle, and when Christian men come to take this stand, we shall have victory over the law dram shops of America.—*Ex.*

I Had Stone in the Bladder

And my kidneys were affected. None of the means taken produced any benefit until I began the use of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. The pain ceased—the stone having been dissolved by the action of the medicine. I am ready in public or in private to testify that my recovery is due to Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy—F. D. Parsons, Rochester.

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We have a complete line for MEN, BOYS and CHILDREN.
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Come and see us first: we will save you money.
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Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the weeks ending June 20th and 27th contain Canada and the United States; their Past and Present Relations, Sir Walter Scott, Russia and Northern Asia, Philip Henry Goose: a Puritan Naturalist, English War Songs, Chamonix in May, Bores and Bored, Comet Lore, Some evils of Acclimatization, with instalments of Samela, An Indian Ring, and Will Simpson's Funeral, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

"A Fastidious Prisoner" is a sharp reply to a piece of cheeky romancing by a Rebel prisoner at Camp Morton at Indianapolis in 1864 published in the last April number of THE CENTURY under the title of Cold Cheer at Camp Morton, which reply is written by Albert E. Winship, and published at 3 Somerset street, Boston. Winship was one of the guards at Camp Morton at that date and is therefore perfectly capable of refuting the unreasonable lies of the CENTURY writer about the treatment of Rebel prisoners at the Indianapolis prison. He has done it in his little pamphlet in a manner that may lead the ex-Confed to regret that he ever said anything about the matter.

The July WIDE AWAKE is a good number for hammock and veranda reading for old and young, as some of the tempting titles show: A Dreamland Lantern, The Rogue's Path, The Anti-Boy Picnic, Ye Boston Grasshopper, The Wrong Muscles, Amy Robsarts Embroidery at Leicester Hospital, How Teddy Morris made the Weather, My Sea Daisies (natural history article), Pussy in Private Life, Five Little Peppers Grown Up, The Chimney Swallow (anecdotal natural history paper), Miss Matilda Archambeau Van Dorn, Marietta's Good Times, How one Mother is being Brought Up, A Midnight Ride, Grim the Corn-Thief, Guess God won't be angry wis wees. WIDE AWAKE is $2.50 a year; 20 cents a number. A specimen (back number) will be sent on receipt of 5 cents. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

The July number of THE CENTURY is a prime one. There is not an article in it that is not as full of entertainment as an egg is full of meat. Besides that, the work of the artists is very fine indeed. These are a few of the papers: Greeley's Estimate of Lincoln with a portrait which constitutes the frontispiece of the number; A Day at Laguerre's, illus.; Provencal Bull Fights, ills.; Mr. Cutting, the Night Editor; Italian Old Masters; General Miles's Indian Campaigns, profusely illustrated; The Squirrel Inn; The Faith Doctor; Across the Plains in the Donner Party (1846), with many spirited pictures; Arrival of Overland Trains in California in '49; The Force of Example, illus; A Lunar Landscape, and many others. The Topics of the Times, Open Letters, etc., are full of fine things.

An admirable full-page portrait of Oliver

The Woburn Journal

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

HIGHLY ENCOURAGING—$15.70.

The Board of Assessors have finished their annual task of listing the taxable property and making up the books for the City Collector more than two weeks earlier than common, for which the tax-payers will not be slow to give them credit. Evidently they have pushed the business vigorously and allowed no grass to grow under their feet, figuratively speaking, while in the performance of these important public duties. Col. William T Grammer, Mr. John Ferguson and Mr. E. Prior, Principal Assessors, are the gentlemen entitled to this credit.

Their report is a good one and one that will fill with encouragement everybody in Woburn who has her best interests at heart. The material reduction in the rate of taxation is especially cheering. In 1889 it was $17.20 on $1000; in 1890, $16.50 on $1000; and this year it is $15.70 on $1000.

This result has been reached without any "sweating" or other special pains taken by the Assessors to increase the returns of taxable property, and the story which the reduced figures tell are all the more significant and gratifying on that account.

Every leather factory except two in the city returned an increased amount for listing over last year, and from this source considerable of the additional personal property for taxation came. The Assessors found a much larger number of residences put up during the year than they looked for and from this source came the increase in the taxable real estate. So, notwithstanding the considerable shrinkage of personal on two large tanneries, the loss of Warren Academy, and other less important fallings off, there has been found this year an increase in the aggregate of taxable property large enough to reduce the rate from $16.50 in 1890 to $15.70 in 1891—a reduction of 80 cents on $1000.

This is a bright and most encouraging report from the Assessors and will serve as the best kind of an answer to those home growlers and outside slanderers of fair Woburn on the score of her high taxes.

The Assessors also found that, although this has been a hard year for business in this city on account of the general stagnation in the leather trade, we have probably about held our own in population.

MAYOR BEAN AND THE DRUGGISTS.

Mayor Bean's notice to the druggists of this city, which we print in another column of the JOURNAL this week, has produced a fluttering among them and led some of them to say unwise things. Personally the Mayor is a clean, high-toned, moral-minded gentleman but his politics are abominable, and therefore it was not expected he would insist on it that the druggists should obey the laws of the State the same as other people are obliged to do.

The papers appear to be the only ones very much disturbed over Mayor Bean's letter. The people don't seem to be so terribly cast down about it. Nobody, so far as is known, died last Sunday for lack of drugs, and there is no probability that Woburn's mortality bill will very materially increase next Sunday because the druggists and their clerks have resolved to go to the beaches on that day "in a body" (See late issues of Boston papers). The actual fact is that people seldom die for lack of drugs. The blow the dailies are making over the Mayor's letter written in the interest of law and order and in support of a higher standard of morals is far from being a pretty one, and if we were a member of the Apothecaries Guild we should disapprove of it. Mayor Bean is to be commended for his courage and honest course. It will command the approval of the best classes of society, and would it be wise for the druggists to undertake to fight these classes?

There are always two sides to a question, a fact which our friends, the reporters, will do well to take into account while criticising and condemning the course of Mayor Bean.

Then again, when the sober second thought is allowed its full untrammelled sway don't it look just a little bit as though some people were making a tremendous big cry over a very small amount of wool? Mayor Bean has issued no royal *order* to the druggists; he has made no threats; he merely suggests that a due regard to law be observed. He has *ordered* no curtains to be drawn, and yet we hear that certain busy-bodies are going about saying that he commands the druggists to violate the laws. We do not so read his letter.

Gentlemen, keep cool and treat the matter in a sensible way.

QUITE ENCOURAGING.

The times are hard all over the country and particularly so in communities dependent on manufactories for their support. Leather industries and interests appear to be more unfavorably effected by the dull wave than any other branch of business, but we hope, and the prospect is, that early fall will witness a different condition of things and one more to the advantage of employers and employed.

Months have elapsed since anything like brisk operations in leather-making has been experienced in this city—the producing centre of that staple in New England; nearly all through the spring the factories here have been running with greatly reduced crews; many people who could not afford it have been compelled to spend a large part of their time in idleness; but as before remarked the signs for the future are more encouraging and our firm belief is that a long period of active and flourishing business will set in by the time fall gets round again.

Apropos of the subject is the following from last week's issue of *Shoe and Leather Review*:

"The tanneries and currying shops of Woburn, Winchester, Salem and Peabody have curtailed their output some 65,000 sides a week. The crop tanneries of Pennsylvania have curtailed as much, while many of the upper leather tanneries throughout the country have largely curtailed, and it is not unreasonable to believe the present demand is not within 100,000 of hides a week as compared with a year ago. This is by no means a discouraging sign of the times for the leather men. It shows that the trade is working itself into a healthy, promising future. If the shoe business should suddenly assume increased activity this fall, creating a demand for leather, the surplus stocks now in store would grow less, and an activity in tanneries and among hide men would at once show itself. In case of a sharp demand prices would likely strengthen all around."

PROPOSED GUARDIANSHIP OF THE COUNTRY PRESS.

About three weeks ago George A. Marden, State Treasurer; Geo. S. Merrill, Insurance Commissioner; the former one of the Editors of a Lowell paper and the latter of a paper in Lawrence; with other Republican newspaper men, sent out a call for a meeting to organize a State Republican Editors Club, and in due time such a meeting was held. When the score or less of Republican Editors got together in Boston it was found that the movement was nothing more nor less than an impudent scheme hatched in the brain of some impecunious quill-driver out of a job to get up an organization with a view to furnishing Republican Editors with their politics this summer hot from the factory of the State Committee, which scheme, it was also found, couldn't be made to work worth a cent.

It was so manifestly a plan to bring a few Country Editors, with more cheek than brains, into public notice, and to furnish a pretext for an additional hanger-on at the State Committee Headquarters with good pay; and it was made so plain that Republican Country Editors propose to run their own papers in their own way, and are abundantly able to do their own thinking and writing without dictation from Republican clubs or committees, that the whole thing was severely sat down on by all intelligent Editors present, and the affair resulted in a poor, little pitiable fizzle.

THEY DID EXACTLY RIGHT.

When the Governor's Council rejected the nomination of one of the Governor's townsmen for Railroad Commissionor on party grounds they did just what was their bounden duty to do. The Governor nominated his man for partisan reasons solely, and the Council very properly rejected him on the same score.

Nobody pretends to say that Mr. Crocker is not one of the best Railroad Commissioners the State ever had. He is especially fitted for the office and not a word has ever been heard against his ability or integrity. But Gov. Russell wanted to fill the vacancy with a Democrat. The Council didn't, and the latter won the case. Now let the Governor try again.

WILL SERVE ANOTHER TERM.

There is no talk of anybody but Capt. E. F. Wyer to represent this Senatorial District in the next Legislature. From what we hear it is entirely safe to say he will meet with no opposition anywhere except from the Democrats.

The two-term rule entitles Senator Wyer to a renomination, and not only so but it is due to him on his merits.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Wm. Winn—Card.
R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
Munroe street—Board.
Carter & Perley—Coal.
C. Cummings—Horses.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
Journal Office—Wanted.
J. G. Maguire—Ex. Sale.
Pettingill & Co.—Boston Herald.

Job Work.

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— Gipsies were seen about here last week.

— Miss Gertie Arnold has gone to Portland.

— Mr. James Skinner's folks have returned.

— Mr. David S. Gifford is visiting in Dartmouth.

— On Tuesday the mercury stood 97 in the shade.

— Improvements are going on in the City Council Rooms.

— Mr. George E. Bland has got back from Portland.

— Mr. A. M. Colegate has got back from a nice vacation trip.

— Mrs. Abbie Duran has moved the Tay house to Canal street.

— Mrs. J. C. Finnegan has got back from a pleasant visit to Natick.

— Mrs. Amelia Hayward has been enjoying a delightful sea voyage.

— Lots of people attended the great ball game in Boston last Monday.

— Miss Clara L. Nichols is having the best kind of a time at Weston.

— Abajona Colony, P. F., initiated three members last Wednesday evening.

— Officers French and McKenna of the police force are taking their vacation.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shuman of New York have been visiting friends here.

— Howard Nason and spouse are rusticating down in the Pine Tree State.

— Mr. Marcus Eaton has sold his fine place on Kilby street to Mr. A. M. Luker.

— Mr. Albert H. Richardson and family have got back from a nice tarry in N. H.

— Miss Fannie S. Jones is at Portland, the pleasantest seaside resort on the coast.

— Mrs. Mary A. McCrillis of Denver, Col., is spending the hot weather in this city.

— Fred Lowell, after a pleasant Editorial jaunt, is at his post of duty at Hammond's.

— Mr. Charles Richardson of So. Braintree visited friends in this city early this week.

— Mrs. G. H. West has left Saugus and settled permanently at 80 New Park st., Lynn.

— Last Monday was a scorcher. Everybody was in "a melting mood" or appeared to be.

— Miss Lena Brown, Emily Brown and Bessie Cook are at romantic and delightful Bethlehem, N. H.

— By vote of the Trustees the Library will be closed from July 18 to August 3, for a vacation of two weeks.

— Melrose Highlands has petitioned the B. & M. Railroad Co. for a lower fare to Boston and are going to have it.

— J. M. Gerrish is frequently mentioned as a candidate for the Legislature this fall. He would make a good one.

— Dea. G. R. Gage rode out again last Tuesday and met with a cordial reception all along the route he went over.

— Messrs Edward E. and Abijah Thompson and wives expect to start for a visit at No. Conway within a week or two.

— Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leeds are at the Isles of Shoals, a famous Summer resort 10 miles off Portsmouth Harbor.

— Mr. Andrew M. Faden is slowly recovering from a very severe illness which at one time was feared might be his last.

— Clerk of Common Council and Committees Lounsbury has not yet fixed on a spot on which to spend his vacation.

— Mrs. Ralston, who has been stopping at Mr. James Walker's, left with her family for her home in N. H. yesterday.

— Mrs. L. H. Newhall of Fairfield, Me., and Mrs. T. Balcomb of Boston Highlands visited friends in this city last Tuesday.

— Mr. Charles H. Delano, Superintendent at the Johnston Electric Train Signal Co's factory, is promanading the streets again.

— Miss C. A. Shaw and Mrs. Mary Pool who reside at 20 Church street are enjoying the beauty and breezes of Salisbury Point.

— Fred Leeds sells excursion tickets for all regions of country at prices that enable the poor as well as the rich to have a vacation trip.

— Miss Mary D. Prior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Prior, is passing a very nice vacation at that favorite summer resort Edgartown.

— Mr. Z. W. Atwood, cutter at Gage & Co's merchant tailoring establishment, hasn't his match anywhere for fitting men's clothing.

— Company G will go into camp at So. Framingham next Monday evening. The Co. will muster full ranks, with Capt. Spear in command.

— Mr. Lampton Skinner rides a gay little light colored loper. He looks some like a Mexican mustang, but is as likely to be a Texas bronco.

— Our old friend Mr. Edward Reed of Reed's Mills in the west part of Burlington sends greetings this hot weather which are encouraging.

— Last Saturday John Flynn was given 3 months in the House of Correction for cabbaging robes, etc., from the stable of Mr. John R. Carter.

— Captain Horace N. Conn, and Arthur C. Wyer of the W. H. S. B. and John W. Shaw camped out with the First Corps of Cadets this week.

— A painter at work on Mr. J. R. Carter's resdence on Winn street by the name of Nichols fell from a ladder last Tuesday and was quite badly injured.

— Mr. D. W. Kelley, proprietor of the fine drugstore in Mechanic Building, comes from his Malden store every Thursday morning and remains through the day.

— Mr. S. Waldo Thompson, chief at Mr. L. Thompson's hardware store, and wife went to the far-famed Adirondacks on the Raymond excursion train the other day.

— A great deal more blowing and striking has been done by the newspaper over the Montgomery-Johnson-Converse unpleasantness than it merited—aye, ten times more.

— Mr. George Rigby of 639 Main street sailed last Saturday on the Cephalonia for a visit to his home in Manchester, England, on account of the illness of his mother.

— There was a delightful lawn party on the nice grounds of Mr. Geo. R. Russell on Montvale Avenue last Friday evening. It was a Baptist party and highly enjoyed by everybody.

— Miss Emma Fosdick, the well-known and successful teacher of the guitar and banjo, will dismiss her classes with the close of July and spend August in pleasure-going, recreation and rest.

— Master Frank Gould of Bennett street is employed at the postoffice for the delivery of special letters. He and his father, Mr. Harry Gould, expect to go to Littleton, N. H., about Aug. 1, for a vacation visit.

— Dr. Harrison G. Blake and his brother-in-law Mr. Walter L. Dodge went to Minneapolis with the Christian Endeavor excursionists a week ago last Tuesday. At last accounts they were on their way home.

— We received a brief but pleasant call from Mr. William Richardson of Arlington, brother of the late Gerrish Richardson of this place, last Tuesday. He reports Arlington as growing this summer faster than ever.

— If anyone is seeking the best of board, neat rooms, and pleasant company, we would recommend that he go and try No. 13 Munroe street. He will find the best of everything and on the most favorable terms.

— Frank Buchanan, son of Mr. George Buchanan of Church Aveeue, and one of the brightest and best lads in this city, is spending a pleasant vacation on the lower Merrimac River and the seashore thereabouts.

— The Board of Trade has recently had an interview with Supt. Sanborn in relation to the location of the B. & M. Co.'s machine shops here.

— This is the kind of weather that makes one hanker for dishes of Patten's icecream early and often. Patten & Son make "the best," and dead loads of it have been stowed away under waistcoats and bordices this week.

— Richardson Brothers' Woburn Steam Laundry is doing an immense amount of work at the present time. Their business is much larger than it was two or three years ago and is constantly growing. It is a busy establishment.

— The Salvation Army appeared out in new uniforms the other evening. By the way, the attendance on their street and undercover meetings seems to be on the increase, and the opinion prevails that the Army is doing a good work here.

— We received a copy of the *New London* (Conn.) *Telegraph* the other day which contained a notice of the work of Miss Mary A. Richardson, Librarian of the new Public Library of that city, formerly of Woburn. She is a smart one!

— Capt. Charles F. Spear will please accept the JOURNAL's thanks for chalking its hat for the General Muster of the Fifth Reg't. M. V. M., at So. Framingham next week. Capt. Spear commands Co. G, i. e., the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx.

— Messrs. Carter & Perley, having filled their two large coal elevators with the best varieties of hard and soft coal, are prepared to fill winter orders at the prevailing low prices. Parties purchasing now will secure the best coal at the lowest summer rates.

— Mr. Elmore A. Pierce, Associated Press Reporter, Literateur, etc., is doing literary work for parties in Stoneham who are about to issue a volume of illustrated biographies of leading citizens, past and present, and interesting bits of local history.

— The sharper who attempted to play the flim-flam game on clerk Harry Bishop at the store of grocer Curtis last Tuesday didn't quite "make the riffles." When he tackled Bishop and Curtis he was barking up the wrong tree. The chap was soon after arrested.

— An elaborate survey of the liquor laws now standing on the statute books of this Commonwealth and a careful analysis of the same, prepared with considerable labor and much pains by Rev. Hugh Montgomery, is crowded out of the columns of the JOURNAL this week. It will keep.

— Here's another youngster who has got a new watch and earned it by selling tea. His name is Leon R. Vaughn, son of Mrs. Annie Vaughn, and Foster & Co. of Boston were the gents who gave him the fine silver watch for selling 25 lbs. of their tea in 4 days. Wasn't that doing well?

— Miss Annie H. Young of 109 Columbia street, Dorchester, went on Wednesday to North Conway, N. H., where she will remain for several weeks as the guest of Miss Alice Champney, a daughter of Mr. Benjamin Champney, the Woburn artist, whose charming studio annually attracts numerous visitors —*Boston Herald.*

— Arrangements for opening a cooking class in the Industrial School on Academy Hill are about completed. Competent teachers will be employed. Those who wish to join it can do so by making application to Mr. Frank B. Richardson, Supt. of Public Schools in Savings Bank Block, Pleasant street, this city.

— Judging from the smiles that have wreathed his countenance Mr. Frank Nichols, the honest and popular iceman, has enjoyed every minute of the present "heated term." We say "honest," realizing fully the importance of the word as used in connection with the sale of ice at retail, and of its applicability in this particular case.

— James Weatherbee of Winchester is wanted by the police for forging the signature of Mrs. L. R. Woodruff of Brooklyn, N. Y., to a draft of $157, which was cashed by Alex. Ellis of Woburn Satuaday evening last. Cashier Day of the Woburn National Bank says the counterfeit is an excellent one. Weatherbee has disappeared.

— Mr. W. W. Case, cashier of the Irish National Bank in Meadville, Penn., is a guest at the Eastman House with his wife. Mrs. Case is a daughter of Dr. George A. Hutchins of Woburn, Mass., who was also registered at the Eastman very early in the season, taking his first vacation for many years.—*White Mt. Cor. Boston Herald.*

— Our highly esteemed friend Mr. James Folsom, the old Commercial street, Boston, apothecary, and resident of Montvale, and family have gone on their summer vacation which will be largely spent at Southwest Harbor, Mt. Desert, one of the most delightful retreats on the Maine coast. We wish Mr. Folsom much joy of his outing.

— The Bay State League installed the following officers last Wednesday evening: President, James L. Pinkham; Vice President, Alonzo L. Perham; Secretary, Henry N. Deans; Treasurer, Frederic A. Flint; Chaplain Mrs. S. A. Cranstone; Trustees, Zoeth W. Atwood, Edward E. Lynch, Thomas Heartz; Past President, Amariah V. Haynes.

— The druggists of Woburn concluded to try conclusions with Puritanism last Sunday and every one of them closed his store and left the city. If some citizen in an emergency had died for want of timely medicine possibly some of the reported highly elated gentlemen in town might have been singing another tune Monday morning. —*Boston Globe.* Rot!

— Capt. Edward Parker late Assistant Managing Editor of the *City Press* has severed his connection with that most excellent, enterprising and prosperous sheet, and became local reporter for the Boston *Advertiser* and Boston *Evening Record.* Should favorable conditions present themselves Capt. Parker will probably join the Woburn Press Association.

— Messrs. J. R. Carter & Co. may now be found at 305 Main street at the office formerly occupied by Jos. B. McDonald, at which place they still conduct the coal and wood business under the firm name and style of Carter and Perley.

— Editor Charles S. Parker of the Arlington *Advocate* condescended to call and tell the JOURNAL man that it was hot last Wednesday, and to rest his weary bones in a soft-bottomed chair in the Sanctum-Sanctorum of the last named hebdomadal for 30 minutes or so. Charley is as fat as a crow this summer, but the *Advocate* is prospering, as it well deserves to.

— The Woburn Brass Band, T. J. Marrinan leader, gave a very fine concert on the bandstand last Wednesday evening. The biggest kind of a crowd were present to enjoy it. Signs of rain and occasional sprinkling caused the leader to shorten up his "waits" which made it all the pleasanter. Three more concerts will be given by this fine old Band during the season.

— The intelligent reader can't help but be interested in the contents of the outside pages of this week's JOURNAL. They include some things which Dr. March saw in the Orient two years ago, good temperance reading, items furnished by the Woburn Suffrage League, and much miscellaneous matter which will please lovers of good literature. Also the Sunday School Lesson for July 19.

— Rev. Mr. Scott of Somerville, who come here to preach for Rev. Mr. Winn at the First Bapist church last Sunday, got into the Unitarian pulpit on his arrival and did not discover the error until Parson Parker came in and found his place occupied by a stranger. Explanations followed and Mr. Scott went over to the Baptist church where, it is said, he preached a strong, healthy, and most excellent sermon.

— In pronouncing judgment in J. H. Connolly's case the other day Judge Johnson gave an exhibition of that somewhat rare mental quality without which no man can make a good judge, namely, common sense. Finding that Connolly's offense was a technical one Judge Johnson hung it up for future action, if necessary, and it was not his fault that the respondent did not profit by the Court's leniency.

— At a regular meeting of the Woburn Co-operative Bank held on last week Thursday evening there was sold $4,150 at 10 cents a share premium, and $750 at 5 cents a share. Secretary Whitcher informs the JOURNAL that there is a brisk demand for the Bank's money and that a considerable share of that loaned goes into building. There will be issued a new series of shares in October next.

— On Monday morning we received a circular from Rev. C. H. Washburn of Falmouth, formerly pastor of the North Congregational church in this city, which contained the order of exercises at the Falmouth Summer School, of the Faculty of which he is Dean. This school, we apprehend, is modelled after the Chautauqua and is a worthy product of Mr. Washburn's active and fertile brain. He is a live man.

— The following well known Woburn people were among the recent arrivals at the Jerusalem Spring House, Canaan, N. H.: Mr. S. Franksford Trull and Mrs. Trull, Mrs. D. G. Trull, Mr. Elliot F. Trull, Miss Bertha P. Trull, Master Clifford Trull, Miss H. C. Blake, Mr. John T. Trull, Mrs. Charles Trull, Miss Evelyn Trull, and a jollier outing party it would be no easy matter to scare up in the whole State of New Hampshire.

— Frank T. Robinson has been added to the Board of Directory of the Johnston Electric Signal Co., and also elected its General Manager. The reason for this is the chronic illness of Mr. Johnston. The affairs of the Company, which by the way are prospering, could not well be placed in better or more efficient hands than those of Mr. Robinson. The business of the concern is perfectly familiar to him, and he has any quantity of push, without which no enterprise can succeed now days.

— In his sermon last Sunday morning Rev. Lawrence Slattery, assistant minister of St. Charles church, bitterly denounced lawn parties as many of them are conducted at the present time. He will not countenance them—indeed, members of that church who promote or attend them will be dealt with according to their deserts. We are glad to see Fr. Slattery set his face square against the lewdness and intoxication that sometimes characterize these parties which are got up for no other purpose than to sell beer.

— Principal Assessors Grammer, Ferguson and Prior will please accept the JOURNAL's best thanks for valuable favors shown it in connection with their official position. And we beg also to call especial attention to some figures which these gentlemen have furnished us, the same to be found in another column. They tell a good story, and if there is a person anywhere who thinks Woburn is going the other way he is respectfully referred to them. The fact is, our city is growing and will continue to do so notwithstanding the maledictions of fools and foes.

— After tea on these warm evenings, if one would get to feel very comfortable and entirely content with mundane things, let him or her board a North Woburn open street car and take a ride to Winchester and Medford and back. The little trip is very agreeable taken shortly after dinner; and if there is a plenty of spare time a ride down there in the forenoon is cooling and comforting. But we prefer the hours after 7 o'clock in the evening for the modest little outing. Then we get the cooler breezes, the early dews, the vespers of the woodland songsters, the fair sunsets, and the peace and rest of the closing hours of the day. It is a pretty ride. There is no more attractive scenery anywhere than that found between Winchester Common and Medford Square. There are wide and charming views from Symmes's Corner. Neat farms and attractive farmhouses are passed all along the route. On Winchester East Side are many handsome residences, lawns and gardens. Medford village boasts of numerous ancient and interesting landmarks, as well as things new and attractive; and the trip all the way from Woburn to Medford is exceedingly pleasant.

— Miss Alice Champney of Woburn, who is now at her father's summer studio at North Conway, N. H., will be the guest during August of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., in their new cottage at Marblehead Neck.—*Boston Globe.* Miss Champney, who is regarded as among Woburn's best young ladies, and Mrs. Taylor (formerly Marguerite Falck) were great cronies when neighbors here, and separation does not seem to have produced any seriously "strained relations" between them. Miss Alice will doubtless have a splendid time among the sands, breezes and billows of beautiful Marblehead Neck.

— "Charlie" Taylor can't quite yet strike a 2-40 gait but he gets around on his crutches pretty lively all the same. He will go to work in a few days and everything will be lovely once more. Beggs & Cobb have done the handsome thing by him while laid up with his broken leg. Mr. William Beggs of the firm has taken the place of their unfortunate overseer and discharged the duties of the position right along during his absence from his post, and every Saturday evening the week's wages have been taken to Mr. Taylor's home and handed over to him. That comes pretty near to being true religion, if indeed it is not the genuine article.

— A few days ago Mr. Charles Cummings, the wide-awake, go-ahead, and successful farmer and stock dealer at No. 35 Cambridge street, unloded a carload of the finest Canadian horses that were ever offered for sale in this city. They are of mixed sizes, colors, etc. and the lot comprises splendid roadsters, heavy draft, neat and handsome family nags, and everybody says they are good ones. Mr. Cummings is putting a good deal of money into firstclass Canadian horses this season which is all the better for the community as well as for his own pockets. Those who want to buy a fine horse will do well to call at Mr. Cummings's stables at once.

— William Winn, Esq., has a card in this paper whereby he respectfully notifies the public of his resignation of the office of auctioneer which he has filled continuously since 1835. He is now 82 years old and in the 56 years of his auctioneer career nobody ever said that he was anything but an honest one. His business record is stainless. And besides that, many will remember his generous treatment of the families of soldiers away back in 1861-5. He used to have a good many vendues in those days of the effects of the brave soldiers and to these Mr. Winn usually made a present of his professional fees—make out the bill, receipt, and present it to them. In other ways he was known to be a kind hearted, fair, and honorable man.

— What's up? Early on Wednesday morning there was a very unusual sight in front of Holdridge's on Main street. It was a group of Democratic war-horses. Of course to see three Democrats chatting together on the street is no strange thing, but the personnel of this party imparted to it its uncommon tinge. It was composed of a trio of gentlemen, namely: Hon. A. E. Thompson, Dr. Cyrus Lang, and Ald. Jacob Ham. It is perfectly safe to say that these old politicians have not met in this fashion or any other before for five years, and it is probable such a meeting would not now have taken place with the thermometers standing dangerously near the nineties but for the Mayor's strange and very un-Democratic proceeding against the druggists.

— Last Sunday a party of five 'cyclists, which included the champion featherweight belt-winner, Mr. David Ronco, also Harry Hartwell, *et als.*, took a spirt to Bass Point, Nahant, and broke the record—at least, the champion did. Young Hartwell and his companions made the distance from here to Lynn Common in just 62 minutes, and on the score of that unprecedented rate of speed they stopped to bait and breathe a bit. The champion (Ronco) was invisible during their tarry, but when the quartet reached Bass Point they found him lounging there on the rocks, as cool as the centre seed of a cucumber, and smiling ing blandly, as his hot, dusty and profusely perspiring fellow 'cyclists came toiling up to the rocks. The champion featherweight belt-wearer had smashed the record all to pieces and was resting on his laurels and a heap of cool, refreshing seaweed.

— Mr. Arthur A. Fowle, Managing Editor of the Boston *Globe*, the phenominal success of which has been secured in a large measure by his push, pluck and good ideas, is spending the vacation season in Woburn, and Master Leonard and the rest of the family are with him. Editor Fowle enjoys life out here. He has bought a village cart and a little pie-bald mare to haul it and a bow-whip and a dog under the wagon and-so-forth for the boys and Madam and the balance of them, by whom and him a deal of pleasure is taken in driving around over the fine roads and among the attractive scenery of this old town. Thus enjoyeth life the Editor of the Metropolitan Daily while the Skipper of the poor, struggling, but highly respectable Country Weekly has to work and sweat and fret right along through the vacation season at the old stand and considers himself a lucky dog if he gets three fairish kind of meals a day and two on Sunday. But, all the same, we are glad to see Editor Fowle and his enjoy themselves.

— The business which Messrs. Carter & Perley recently purchased of Mr. Joseph B. McDonald is a very large one. It embraces facilities, territory and good-will second to no coal establishment in Middlesex county. Mr. McDonald bought the business of Mr. Alpheus S. Hayward in 1862, at which date the aggregate annual sales of coal amounted to about 1500 tons. During the succeeding 29 years the trade was increased by Mr. McDonald's energy, good business qualities, and fair deal towards the public, to such a degree that when he sold to Carter & Perley and for some years previously his annual trade amounted from 28,000 to 35,000 tons, not less than 15,000 tons of which was disposed of at retail to individual consumers in this town. In addition to this, his sales to the tanneries and other manufacturing establishments of Woburn and vicinity were large. This great business, built up by Mr. McDonald since 1862 when he was 22 years old—just of age, so to speak—was never more prosperous or growing more rapidly than the day he disposed of it to Messrs. Carter & Perley, by whom, we have no doubt, its good name and large sales will be fully maintained. It is to be regretted that Mr. McDonald thus steps out of Woburn's business circles, but it is pleasant to know that he will continue to make his home here.

Reply to Judge Converse.

WALTHAM, July 10, 1891.

REV. HUGH MONTGOMERY;

Dear Sir: I have read the courteous statement of Mr. Justice Converse published in the WOBURN JOURNAL but the conclusion of Mr. Converse and of the editorial thereon are not justified by the facts nor by the cases quoted. Mr. Converse makes important admissions in the following words ("treating the cases as one"):

1st. "The Government showed that the defendant was proprietor."

2nd. "That sales of intoxicating liquors were made."

3rd. "That doors and screens in some cases existed illegally."

He then asserts: "The government utterly failed to show in any case that the proprietor or his agent or servants were present where the sales were made or that the acts were done by him or them or that he assented thereto."

The answer to this is to be found in the facts:

1st. That in two cases the sales were testified to as made by the defendants who were the licensees.

2nd. That in Maloney's case the sales were made by a brother who it was shown had been regularly employed on the premises since the license was issued to the defendant.

(Who else would employ his brother on his premises?)

3rd. In the Samuel Thompson case it was proven by Mr. Jones the owner that he made his rent bills to Thompson. It was proven that the sales were made over a bar by the man who had testified in the Kerrigan case that he sold whiskey to Kerrigan and others when they returned from Peter Kenney's funeral. He testified "I am bar keeper at the Central House." "I made the sales to Kerrigan in the bar room and on the bar." "I am bar keeper for Mr. Thompson; work for him."

4th. In the Kerrigan case it was proven that the sales were made by his partner, Connolly. That the money went into the till of the bar room licensed by Kerrigan & Connolly. What better evidence of knowledge and assent could be had than announcing to the world that the business was to be done by them which was found being done?

5th. In the Merriam case a witness said that Merriam was in the bottling room of the establishment. The Chief of Police testified that the place had a bottling room and a barroom. The evidence showed that the sales were made by Carpenter. The man whom Merriam joined in a request for a license to sell liquor as Merriam & Carpenter, what better evidence of agency could be had than partnership in the proceeds of the business done there?

And later Carpenter was convicted.

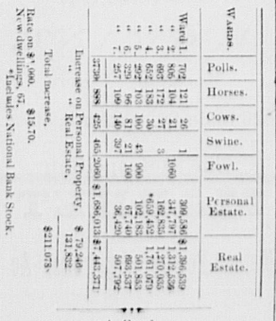
SECOND PART.

As to the citation of Mr. Converse to justify his refusal to convict on a "prima facie case:" What does this mean? It means, "there appears to be a case made by the government which the defendant is called upon to controvert or be adjudged guilty." In every case cited by him evidence was offered by the defendant to meet that of the government therefore it was not left as before him. Applying all the citations and quotations and they do not meet, controvert or weaken the statement which I originally made.

Again I say, on the evidence offered we had proved all the sales to have been sanctioned by the proprietors or made by them, therefore they would in justice have been adjudged guilty.

Yours very respectfully,
B. B. JOHNSON.

Interesting Statement.



A Card.

After 56 years of continuous service as Auctioneer, my first license as such bearing date 1835, and being now 82 years old, I would announce to the public that I have permanently withdrawn from the business and now leave it to younger hands.

In taking leave of the public through the columns of THE WOBURN JOURNAL I desire to express my appreciation of the very large business patronage and considerate treatment that I have never failed to receive from the people of Woburn and vicinity, and to return my heartfelt thanks for the same.

WILLIAM WINN.

Woburn, July 15, 1891.

A Salary

With expenses paid will come handy to anyone who is now out of employment, especially where no previous experience is required to get the position. If you want a position, see advertisement on page 3 headed, "A Chance to Make Money."

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Private instruction in Modern Pianoforte Playing. Superior method. Equal attention given to beginners and advanced students.

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Personal.

Mr. and A. J. Stimpson are in Boston.

Mrs. M. M. Marsh is at Providence, R. I.

Mrs. C. E. Esterbrook is at Rochester, Vt.

Mrs. C. E. Bray is with friends in New York City.

Mr. C. A. Bonelli and family are at Hamilton.

Miss Sarah F. Clark is rusticating on the Androscoggin.

Maud Waters and Lulu Blake are resting at Chelsea.

Supt. F. B. Richardson will remain at home during vacation.

Miss A. M. Daley is having a pleasant time at Warwick, R. I.

Wellsley is the present abiding place of Cyrus N. Richardson.

Miss Sadie Fosdick is happy at Cottage City, Martha's Vineyard.

West Campton, N. H., is Miss E. M. Taylor's present address.

Mrs. Arnold and Miss Gertrude are visiting friends in Boston.

Mr. J. M. Wallace of the *News* likes Boston for a seaside resort.

Mr. J. F. Deland and family are taking a pleasant outing at Rowley.

Mr. J. W. Pillsbury and wife are happy at New Vineyard, Me.

Portsmouth, N. H., is Mary S. Buchanan's present abiding place.

Principal Mendum of the High School is at his father's in Dorchester.

A letter would reach Mr. Charles Calif if directed to Salisbury, N. H.

Mrs. J. T. Weir and her son Edward A. are visiting friends at Cambridge.

Mrs. E. B. Leach is visiting at the beautiful seaside town of Rockland, Me.

Mrs. M. Falch is at the Beach where fighting flies and torrid heat are never known.

Mr. Jacob M. Ellis and family are travelling in the British Dominions for pleasure.

Representative Tho's D. Hevey and his sister Mary have gone to New York on a visit.

Madams Susie G. and Charles French are having a lively vacation visit at Bedford, N. H.

Many friends said "speed well" when Miss Rosine Stehle left for Burlington, Vt., the other day.

Mrs. A. F. Champney is a welcome guest of friends in the quaint old town of Portsmouth, N. H.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: Open Windows towards Jerusalem.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. Y. P. Abbott of Medford. Meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "God's Covenant of the Day and of the Night." At 6 p. m. Young People's Meeting; at 7 p. m. the pastor will preach. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evening.

METHODIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Prelude—Report from National Temperance meeting. Subject: "Ye must be born Again." At 6 p. m. Epworth League; at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting led by pastor. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening class meeting.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, July 13, Edna Puss Collins, aged 3 years, 5 months, 8 days.

In this city, July 13, William Alexander Robinson, aged 22 years, 7 months.

In this city, July 15, Hanson B. Lewis, aged 81 years, 7 months, 17 days.

In Burlington, July 9, Mrs. Marcella J. Young, aged 37 years, 3 months, 28 days.

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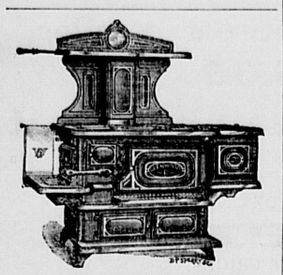

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Mayor Bean's Notice.

Last week Mayor Bean caused the following document to be served on the druggists of this city:

CITY OF WOBURN,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Dear Sir: Your attention is called to the provisions of law regulating the conduct of business on Sunday which confine within narrow and well known limits the business which can be legally transacted on that day. Complaint is made that these limits are at present disregarded, and you are requested to hereafter conform to the requirements of the public statutes.

You can, of course, adopt such rule relative to opening your store as you see fit, but I venture to suggest that certain hours be agreed upon by the druggists of the city during which you shall be open each Sunday, and in deference to the sentiments of the community, which are offended by the conspicuous throwing open and lighting of the stores, I trust it may be generally agreed in the trade that, when open, you will allow your curtains to remain drawn, and that you will not illuminate the stores more than may be necessary for the convenient transaction of business.

Very respectfully yours,
GEORGE F. BEAN, Mayor.

Woburn, July 10, 1891.

Subsequently the druggists held consultations on the subject the upshot of which was a determination to keep their stores closed all day Sunday and decline to open them for any reason whatever. This was done and the effects of the order were plainly visible in a greatly reduced number of people on the streets both day and evening.

(Written for the Woburn Journal.)

One of Boston's Charities.

A busy scene is presented to the visitor who calls at the Salem St. branch of the New England Kitchen. The Superintendent is Miss Mary Bell Gould, formerly of Woburn. The idea of these Kitchens originated with Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, Professor of chemistry at the Institute of Technology, and through the patronage of Mrs. Quincy-Shaw was carried out by Miss Gould.

The object is to furnish wholesome food to the public at less cost than it could be provided in their homes if expense of time and fuel were included. The kitchen offers for sale soup, mushes and puddings; also beef broth for invalids, and evaporated milk for infants.

The cleanliness of the place gives a restful feeling after a walk in North End, and preaches its own little sermon; then too, the food sent out aids in the moral work, for well chosen and well cooked it satisfies hunger and the thirst for strong drink is more easily curbed. The windows are large and the light adds to the cheer of the place. On the tables carefully covered are loaves of healthy bread and white, and along the walls are cases of drawers and shelves for cooking materials. Beyond are the iron kettles heated by steam by the use of which burning or even scorching is obviated. The stock is made over night in an Aladin oven, on the old fashioned brick oven plan, where the heating is so gradual that the juices are wholely extracted and ready for use in the morning. As three kinds of soup are furnished daily there are three kettles set, and beyond these one much larger and of different shape where the steam enters directly, and where barley, rice and such materials are cooked. From eleven o'clock until seven the kitchen is open to the public.

Miss Gould is now spending a part of her time in Providence where she is starting a Kitchen on the same principle, and in the Fall she goes to New York on the same errand.—H.

Burlington.

Rev. W. B. Hague of South Bridgton, Maine, preached at the church last Sunday, and will supply the pulpit next Sunday.

Mrs. Marcella J. Young, wife of Mr. Charles Young, who died, Thursday evening, July 9, was a woman well known and beloved in this town where she was born and where the greater part of her life was spent. She had been for many months a sufferer from an incurable disease and death came, like an angel of mercy, to bring her a glad release from pain. Her husband and little daughter with her mother and sisters have the sympathy of the community in this time of sorrow. To them her memory will ever be hallowed and her name will be a cherished household word.

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SUMMER.

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Rev. Hugh Montgomery Speaks.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL: *Dear Sir*: In last weeks issue of the *News* there is a labored editorial of some length in which the writer builds up evidently to his own satisfaction an elaborate house of cards. The answer to the article is a very simple one. On Thursday, the 25th of June, when Judge Convers gave his discision in the Liquor cases he continued Carpenter's case until the 29th and wished me to notify Mr. Johnson. I received a letter from Mr. Johnson stating he would not come, and he also gave his reasons for not doing so. A reporter of the Boston *Herald* called on me and urged me to give him a copy of the letter the day previous to the trial. At that time I stated to him that I could not give him a copy of the letter for I didn't think it would be fair to have it published when the Carpenter case was pending, but I would let him have a copy of it the next day after I give it to Judge Converse. On Monday morning, the 29th of June, I handed the letter to the Court as he was about to take his seat. He laid it down on the desk and after attending to some business I saw him take the letter and look it over and when the Carpenter case was called I stated to him that Mr. Johnson had refused to appear and his reasons were in the letter that I gave him. And if I remember correctly the Court said the letter was written in anger and he thought Mr. Johnson would regret writing it. He then said "we will go on with the case." The Boston reporter came to me and asked if I had a copy of the letter. I handed him one. A number of other reporters called for one but I did not give them any. After the case was argued the Judge called our attention to Mr. Johnson's letter, and gave reasons for his action on the previous cases at some length and stated that he gave judgment conscientiously upon what he understood the evidence to be. The reporter on the Woburn *Press*, at the close of the case, asked me for the letter and I told him I had given it to the Court. He then went to Mr. Converse for it and the Judge sent after me and asked if I had any objections to the reporter having a copy. I said "no."

These are the facts in the case, and I had no desire to deceive any one. Mr. Johnson called at my house July the 5th, just a little while before the lecture, and I was telling him how anxious the reporters were to get a copy of that letter before I handed it to the Court. At that moment two reporters entered and broke up our conversation. I don't remember of our speaking about it afterwards hence I may not have clearly explained the matter to Mr. Johnson, but I am sure he wishes not to wrong or misrepresent anybody.

This is all of the story, and this I should have sent to the *News* had they not already broken faith with me by refusing to publish my reply to Mr. Dudley after stating positively that my letter was in type and would be printed.

Yours truly,
HUGH MONTGOMERY.

Woburn, Mass., June 13, 1891.

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Central Square.

Burglars produced quite a sensation in this neighborhood last Sunday night. They circulated around in a very lively manner, not less than five residences being entered by the light fingered and light footed gentry.

Their first essay (whether there were several or only one is not known) was at the residence of Mr. Stillman Church where they didn't secure a haul. They next struck Warren Riley's house and once more failed to make connections. After this they visited the home of Mr. Nason but got scared at Mrs. Nason's screams and decamped without plunder. At Mr. Powerses on Lowell street they met with about the same streak of luck, but at Mrs. Calvin Wyman's on Wyman street they got two diamond rings worth $300, six 5-dollar gold pieces, and a silver fob-chain—a fine haul. If the police have an inkling as to who did the stealing they keep it to themselves.

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WINCHESTER.

Mrs. F. H. Cutting are at Waterloo, P. Q.

W. D. Sanborn and family are at Bethel, Me.

C. E. Redfern and family are at Derry, N. H.

Rev. J. F. Fieldon and family are at Amesbury.

Rev. L. L. Ward and family are in New Hampshire.

Nearly everybody seems to be away on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gilchrist are visiting at Brewer, Me.

Mr. W. K. Blodgett and her sister are ruticating at Prout's Neck, Me.

Rev. H. M. Scudder, D. D., of Chicago preached at the Congregational church last Sunday.

Lawyer Elder has gone to Europe. Hon. C. T. Gallagher, Chairman of the Boston School Board, went with him.

Wilmington.

The cottagers have all arrived, and some 25 families are located around the lake.

A number of the townspeople will hold a dance and supper at the Silver Lake house on Thursday evening.

The Silver Lake Association, composed of summer residents, will hold their annual meeting for the election of officers next Saturday evening, at their hall at the lake.

Mrs. Lizzie Young who died last Thursday, aged 62, was buried from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Jonathan Jaquith, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Elijah Harmon of the Congregational church presided. The interment was at Wildwood cemetery.

Well Done, Mr. Mugwump!

The Republican newspapers of Massachusetts are not only loyal to the party, but they are exceptionally intelligent.—*Springfield Republican.*

And they don't need any Republican Editors Clubs to tell them what to do and how to do it, nor want any patronizing airs or autocratic dictation from the Massachusetts Republican Club, either.

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Obituary.

Hanson B. Lewis, an old citizen, died Wednesday. He came to Woburn over 50 years ago, and in 1856 was appointed Superintendent of the Almshouse and farm, serving 14 years. He was locally prominent as an anti-slavery man, and was a pillar of the First Baptist Church. His wife died about a year ago. He leaves one son, Deacon William H. Lewis of this city.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, July 16, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Mr. C. Anderson, care of F. A. Woodward, 90 Lexington street, Debbin Cosges, Thomas Flynn, J. H. Johnson, Esq., Wm. Joyce, 12 Buck street, Miss Carrie Newcomb, Mrs. Enoch Noyes.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

All Bosh!

Though the proprietors of the drug stores were innocent in their action, and closed up in accordance with an order issued by Mayor Bean, the licenses they held are now void, and, according to law the licensees are liable to fines.—*Boston Papers.*

North Woburn.

The Congregational Sunday School went to Pine Banks Park, Malden, on a picnic yesterday. They were charmed with Pine Banks.

A ton of tomatoes, as they come from the field, it is estimated, will fill from 400 to 540 cans.

North Carolina not only pays pensions, but has appropriated $41,000 for a home.

It is stated that the number of art students in this country largely exceeds 150,000.

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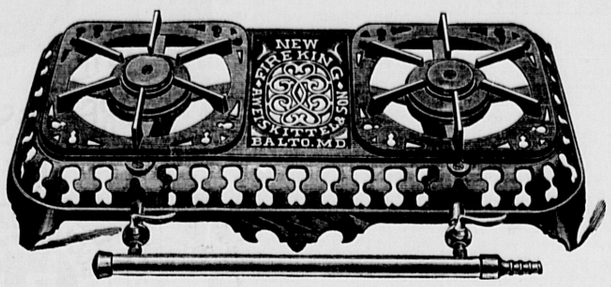

— AND — HEATING.

WOBURN, May 1, 1891.

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" H. B. Hayes,	" S. T. Brigham,	" J. W. Johnson,
" G. F. Jones,	" F. W. Crosby,	" Benj. Hinckley,
" M. Hayward,	" Mary C. Blanchard,	" Julia A. Johnson,
" C. H. Buss,	" Webster Woodman,	" Winthrop Hammond,
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" Wm. N. Titus,	Miss Hattie A. Kenney,	" Jacob Brown,
" J. A. Day,	Mrs. Herbert B. Dow,	Miss L. A. Pratt,
" H. L. Andrews,	" Frank F. Dodge,	Mrs. Alexander Ellis.
" F. A. Winn,		

Administrator's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated July 7th, 1891, the subscriber, Administrator of the estate of Ann Doherty, late of Woburn in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on Monday, July 27th, 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Sheridan street, containing about nineteen thousand six hundred and two (19,602) square feet, bounded as follows, namely:—

Southerly on and by said Sheridan street about one hundred and ninety-eight (198) feet; westerly by land of Sewell Taylor ninety-nine and one-half (99½) feet; northerly by land of Gallagher and Landragan about one hundred and ninety-nine (199) feet; and easterly by land of James Doherty about ninety-nine and one-half (99½) feet.

$100.00 of purchase money will be required to be paid by the purchaser at time and place of sale; balance in ten days.

HUGH McCAFFERTY,
Administrator of the Estate of Ann Doherty.

J. G. Maguire, Attorney, Woburn, July 8, 1891.

Executor's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9, 1891, the subscriber, Executor of the will of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on Monday, the third day of August, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn on the easterly side of Washington street, containing about three-sixteenths of an acre bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Washington street; northeasterly and easterly by the old Canal bed; and southerly by land of Heirs of Charles Porter, deceased.

$100.00 of the purchase will be required at time of sale: balance in 10 days.

THOMAS CONNELL,
Executor of the will of Michael Connell.

For futher particulars inquire of J. G. Maguire, Attorney for Executor, 396 Main street, Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 15, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law next of kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Robert W. Parker, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John W. Johnson, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will, and that he may be exempt from giving any surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statue;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Next of Kin and others interested in the estate of Catherine Kelly, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Salmon, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and has applied for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of July instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And said Administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this ninth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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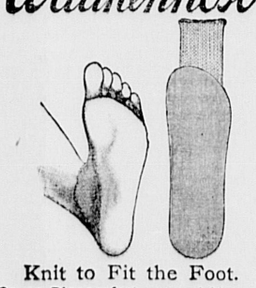

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THE FIRST MIRACLE.

LESSON III, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JULY 19.

Text of the Lesson, John ii, 1-11—Commit Verses, 1-5—Golden Text, John ii, 11—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

After Andrew brought his brother Simon to Jesus we read that Jesus went into Galilee and found Philip, and then that Philip found Nathanael and brought him to Jesus. If the work had thus gone on, each one finding Jesus, or being found of Him, quickly bringing another, how different the world would be today! Why should not every saved soul bring another to Jesus?

1. "And the third day there was a marriage in Cana of Galilee."

This was the town of Nathanael (xxi, 2), and it would not be strange if this was his own marriage.

"And the mother of Jesus was there."

"Blessed among women," Elizabeth said, and "Blessed is she that believed" (Luke i, 42-45). But when another on a certain occasion spoke of Mary's blessedness Jesus replied, "Yea, rather blessed are they that hear the Word of God and keep it." Nowhere are we taught to worship or even to think much of Mary except as a highly honored woman. See Jesus only! Worship God!

2. "And both Jesus was called and His disciples to the marriage."

These disciples were probably the five referred to in the previous chapter—Andrew, Simon, Philip, Nathanael and the unnamed one whom we suppose to have been the writer of this gospel. It is always safe for the disciples of Jesus to go where He goes.

3. "And when they wanted wine, the mother of Jesus saith unto Him, They have no wine."

The revised version says, "When the wine failed." Their need is going to draw forth his fullness; their emptiness will give an opportunity to glorify Him. It is even so still, and always so: His strength is made perfect in weakness. He only asks our nothingness.

"Thou art Simon, the son of Jona; thou shalt be called Cephas, which is, by interpretation, a stone."

Thus said Jesus as He looked upon him. If you have been born from above, you, too, are a living stone in the temple, the church, the body of Christ, the new Jerusalem now being builded.

4. "Jesus saith unto her, Woman, what have I to do with thee? Mine hour is not yet come."

There is no unkindness here, for He could not speak unkindly; neither is there any harshness. If we understood their customs better we would better understand their language, but let no Sunday school scholar even for one moment tolerate the thought that Jesus could speak harshly or unkindly to His mother. The last clause of the verse reminds us that He has an hour and a time for everything.

5. "His mother saith unto the servants, Whatsoever he saith unto you, do it."

His mother evidently understood Him to mean that He would see to it in due time, and therefore instructed the servants accordingly. Pharaoh said unto the Egyptians, "Go unto Joseph; what he saith to you, do." Jacob's wives said unto him, "Whatsoever God hath said unto thee, do" (Gen. xli, 55; xxxi, 16). If the question of our lives concerning everything was "What has the Lord said?" and our determination "That only will we do!" how safely we would walk and how successfully we would work!

6. "And there were set there six water pots of stone, after the manner of the purifying of the Jews, containing two or three firkins apiece."

It is evident from the next verse that these vessels were empty, and thus we are reminded of the kind of vessels which Jesus can use. To be willing to be empty, clean and always ready to the Master's hand is to be where we will be of some use to Him; it is the privilege of every believer to be "a vessel unto honor, sanctified, and meet for the Master's use, and prepared unto every good work" (II Tim. ii, 21).

7. "Jesus saith unto them, Fill the water pots with water. And they filled them up to the brim."

The servants were ready, the order was given and promptly obeyed. Ready and prompt obedience is required of us and ought to be our constant habit. Vessels must receive before they can give; the use of vessels is to receive and give, not to receive only, but to receive in order to give.

8. "And He saith unto them, Draw out now, and bear unto the governor of the feast. And they bare it."

How very soon the vessels, so recently receivers, become givers—and why not? But ask yourself, dear reader, "Am I a giver?" and if not, "Why not?" "Have I received nothing?"

9. "When the ruler of the feast had tasted the water that was made wine, and knew not whence it was (but the servants which drew the water knew), the ruler of the feast called the bridegroom."

The water had become wine—"He made the water wine (chapte riv, 46); He who, through the vine, had from the days of Noah made water into wine now does it instantly, for He is the vine, and we know that He can do everything.

10. "And saith unto him, Every man at the beginning doth set forth good wine; and when men have well drunk, then that which is worse; but thou hast kept the good wine until now."

Hear this bridegroom getting all the credit for that with which he had nothing to do and Jesus gets not a word. Oh for this spirit which, conscious of the approval of God, is so abundantly satisfied that nothing disturbs.

11. "This beginning of miracles did Jesus in Cana of Galilee, and manifested forth His glory."

Here is the Spirit's testimony that this was the first of all miracles wrought by Him, thus putting the stamp of untruthfulness upon all records of miracles said to be wrought by Him before this time. The Spirit also testifies that here He manifested forth His glory—the glory of His power, the glory of His grace, the glory of His humility, the glory of serving unseen and unthanked. And yet it was manifest to some—the servants saw it, the disciples saw it, God and angels saw it. Some having eyes see not, while others can say, "One thing I know, that whereas I was blind, now I see."

"And His disciples believed on Him."

This was the first mighty work they had seen done by Him, and they were now convinced more fully that He was the Christ, their long promised Messiah. Are you believing in Him because He makes you happy and will take you to heaven when you die, or is it Himself, His great love, His person, His work that captivates and constrains you?

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block. Rochester, N. Y.*

Lemon Jelly: One-half a box of gelatine, soaked in one-half pint of cold water, one hour, add one pint of boiling water, one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, juice of three lemons; stand on stove until boiling. Strain into molds, set in a cool place till ready to serve.

A WISE WOMAN'S COMPLAINT.

She Is No Use for the Housekeeping-in-a-Flat Young Man of the Period.

An elderly country woman, who has chaperoned two charming nieces through the dangers and delights of a gay New York season, claims to have discovered one of the gravest evils menacing modern society, and gave her views at elaborate length the other day. "The ladylike young man is at the bottom of the mischief," she remarked animatedly, "and so long as he is allowed to flourish of course girls can't and won't marry. Who do I mean? Why, that hybrid housekeeping creature.

"Our first encounter with the new fangled specimen was when cards came asking us to tea at Mr. V——'s rooms. I hesitated about accepting, but yielded and went. Still, I felt for the poor fellow's natural perplexities, and bought a nice bag of jumbles, some lump sugar, and took a few extra spoons along to help him out in a tight place.

"Well, bless your heart, when a neat, white capped maid answered the electric bell, and pushing aside long shadow curtains ushered us into an elegant parlor, I began making every apology, being sure we had stumbled into the wrong place. But, no; here came our host, bowing and smiling, begging us to take off our wraps, and excusing himself for preoccupation—just as I have done a thousand times at home—by saying the kettle refused to boil. Well, while he talked to the girls I began looking round for some place to hide those odious cakes and heard the spoons rattling in my pocket.

"With each survey I took that paper bag grew bigger and the silver jingled under the folds of my dress. But the polished mirrors, bowls of roses, embroidered scarfs and charmingly decorated walls were as nothing to a scene over in the left hand corner next the fireplace.

"There sat the tea table, in all its glory, with Mr. V—— hovering round it like a protecting spirit. He had a lady ostensibly presiding, but no old maid could have kept a sharper eye on the tea cups. He discussed the different varieties of tea with warmth, defended the infusion process, gave his reasons for patronizing a particular bakery, and in the meantime handed round bonbons and salted almonds to his half dozen men and women guests. From confectionery the talk drifted to napery, and with a glow of genuine pride our entertainer exhibited a set of exquisite doilies lately added to his linen closet. He advocated drawn work and the outline stitch in white floss as rather superior style at afternoon functions, and then got on the subject of china, which was evidently his hobby.

"Each fragile cup and saucer was dilated upon in turn, the delicacy and beauty of the porcelain naturally leading to a wholesale abuse of servants. Mr. V—— and a man (?) friend sitting near agreed that they never permitted Biddy to lay a finger on the properties of their pantry. They laundered every piece of china and plate personally to insure safe handling, and used only pure linen towels in order to avoid lint. As you may imagine I sat aghast to hear such conversation between two bearded creatures, and was scarcely surprised afterward, when a woman of the party ventured an opinion on the subject of sweeping, to hear both of them summarily suppress her.

"Now, I want to know who our daughters, sisters and nieces are to marry?" continued the wrathful lady. "Certainly not those finicky Miss Nancys; and there are no longer any bachelors, it appears—nice, jolly fellows, who couldn't tell a mop from a range or a broom from a lambrequin, who went buttonless, and with holes in their socks, till some nice girl took compassion on them; who were lonely and needed companionship, helpless and wanted a woman's hand to keep a neat hearth and warm their slippers.

"Since that first afternoon I have been to twenty teas of the same sort in as many different apartments. New York fairly swarms with this new type of humanity, and with each exhibition of his effeminacy I grow more disgusted. My girls are athletic—ride, swim, hunt and use the horizontal bar. Naturally, when their hosts talk bread and butter they become painfully embarrassed, feel out of their element and make absurd mistakes."—New York Sun.

Repelling Fire with a Drum.

A fire of a strange nature appeared in Wales in 1693. According to the most intelligible account concerning it now in existence, it came up from the sea near Harlech. At several places near that place and all over Merionethshire it did much damage, burning hay, houses, barns, etc. A person writing of it said: "The grass over which it moves kills all manner of cattle that feed upon it. But what is most remarkable is that any great noise, such as the beating of a drum or sounding a horn, effectually repels it from any house."—St. Louis Republic.

Not a Lucrative Office.

The pay of the official watchman of the village of Springstille, in Hessen, has not increased in a century. One hundred years ago this valued official received one cent a day for his services, and "Old Heinrich," the present watchman, aged seventy years, receives the same compensation. Truly the pay is not princely, and the American officeholder will wonder how Heinrich manages to live on it after paying the usual assessments to the party.—New York World.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

Glass jars of a small size, or large tumblers, are better for preserves than china, for should they not keep well it can be detected immediately.

How Nice

Miss Bell is looking, Addie. Yes Laura. Why, only a year ago her face was completely covered with pimples, blotches, and sores. She told Mother that she owed her nice, clear complexion to her using Sulphur Bitters. Well, Laura, I shall try them too.

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Not Everybody Who Carries a Pistol Is Able to Use It in an Emergency.

"Carry a gun? No, sir!" he spoke vehemently. "Once was enough for me. I carried a pistol once, and that satisfied me for all time.

"I know it's the ambition of the average young man to 'carry a gun.' He feels safer when he is running around nights. He puts his hand on his hip pocket and feels that he is secure. But, my boy, listen to a man who has been there. When the proper time comes he won't be in it at all. If he's in real tough company he won't shoot as quick as the next man, and if he isn't in tough company he is apt to fly off his base and shoot when there is no occasion for it. Then he'll hang or go to the penitentiary for life. He'll have shot some one who was unarmed, and never thought of harming him.

"But that isn't my story, my boy. That's only what my experience has taught me. Now listen to my tale of woe:

"I struck Leadville unarmed. I never had carried a revolver, but somehow I felt that it was a necessity there. So I bought one. Then I was all right. I loaded it carefully, put it in my hip pocket and felt that I could walk the streets in safety. I was armed.

"Well, about 8 p. m. that day—the same day that I had bought that gun, mind you—as I was passing an alley I felt something cold against the side of my head. Pull my gun! No, sir! I threw up my hands as I was ordered to. I wasn't thinking of my gun at all; I was thinking of the one that was pressed against my head and wondering if it would go off. It didn't, but one man held it there while another went through me. He took my watch, my money and my new gun.

"I remember when he found the latter he suggested that it was of no use to me, and I heartily agreed with him. It wasn't of the slightest use to me, and I was willing that he should have it, but I did object to losing my watch and my money.

"I should say, my boy, that it took me fifteen or twenty minutes to get the pallor out of my face and to get over trembling. Then I found that I had some change left and I went in a saloon. There were two men there, and they kept looking at me and laughing, and I am still convinced that one of them had my gun in his pocket.

"That's the only time I ever carried a gun and the only time I was ever 'held up.' Hence my remark that a gun is of no use to the average man. If he gets time to use it it's ten to one that he's in company where it isn't necessary. If he's in company where it is, it's ten to one he won't have time to use it, and an attempt to do so may give murder the color of self defense. The other man will feel justified in using his. I got mine simply for self protection, and it didn't protect worth a cent. It started on a career of crime inside of five hours."—Chicago Tribune.

Mr. Gladstone's Correspondence.

Mr. Gladstone, who at one time when in office received thirty thousand letters a year, has always been remarkable for personally attending to his correspondence, and his autograph is, perhaps, more familiar than that of any other English statesman. In every department of state with which he has had anything to do he has left behind him a tradition for order and regularity, and it is said that he perfected the science of getting a maximum of work out of private secretaries.

When in office he kept six sets of pigeon holes constantly going, and he would have all his own letters copied, even those he wrote from the house of commons to the house of lords. He also, of course, in common with most other men in his position, got his secretaries to go through the daily papers and extract such items as it was necessary he should see.—London Tit-Bits.

Works Both Ways.

To honor one's ancestors is an excellent and praiseworthy thing, but pride of ancestry is a very poor basis upon which to build one's whole life. A man who had never done anything for himself was boasting one day in the presence of a self made man of the distinction of his ancestors.

"There is nothing," he said, "like having respect for one's ancestors to keep one out of degenerate ways."

"It is a very good motive," said the self made man, "and you do well to be proud of your ancestors; but I think that my respect for my descendants is about as good a motive."

"Respect for your descendants! What do you mean?"

"Why, you see I want them to be proud of their ancestor!"—Youth's Companion.

Estimating Manuscript.

To estimate the number of words in a manuscript count half a dozen lines on the fourth or fifth page, and multiply the average number of words in a line by the average number of lines on a page, and that product again by the number of the pages in the manuscript. Ordinary typewriter copy on letter size paper will average twelve words to a line. Editors do not care so much to know the exact number of words in a manuscript as how much space it will occupy. Accordingly half lines at the end of paragraphs are counted as full lines.—Cor. Writer.

A Lucky Man.

"I hear you lost a million on the street?"

"Not exactly. A million was lost through me by my friends. I didn't lose a cent."—Puck.

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Chapter 3: Strong, cheerful, hungry.

A DRUMMER'S ROMANCE.

Two Young Lovers Imposed Upon Each Other, but It Ended in Marriage.

Sunday morning several traveling men were discussing the strange and ludicrous things found in the columns of matrimonial advertisements in the papers of that morning. One told this story:

"I have a friend who until a year ago resided in Chicago, but who now lives at Sioux City, whose marriage was brought about by a matrimonial advertisement, but it did not occur in just the way such unions are supposed to. He inserted an advertisement in one of the Chicago papers for the same purpose many do—just for the fun of the thing. He represented himself to be a young lady wishing to correspond with a young gentleman matrimonially inclined. Several young men answered the advertisement, and he derived not a little quiet fun in the deception he was practicing. One of his correspondents wrote a beautiful hand and the letters were models of composition.

"The 'old, old story, ever new,' was repeated in those elegantly written and delicately perfumed letters in a manner that would have won the heart of a princess. My friend half regretted at times that he was not really what he had represented himself to be, for he believed that the author of the letters was a young man whose love any lady might be proud of. At first he laughed at the letters, then he admired them, and later on he was sorry he had carried the deception so far, for he felt that he had interested a heart that was too deep, too pure, too earnest for trifling.

"My friend personated the ideal young lady as nearly as it is possible to do by letter. Finally an exchange of photographs followed. My friend sent the photograph of a young lady of perfect beauty, and received in return that of a handsome young man. My friend waited patiently for the young man to propose a meeting, and marveled much that he did not do so.

"A few strong hints written between the lines had the desired effect, but the correspondent strangely expressed no desire to call at the home of my friend, but named the lobby of a certain theater as the place of meeting. At a certain hour each should appear there wearing a yellow rose for a boutonnier. At length the farce was to be ended, and my friend repaired to the rendezvous, secretly hoping that he would not be recognized. With a sense of guilty trepidation he reached the appointed place. There were several gentlemen there, but none wore a yellow rose.

"Just then he came face to face with a young lady wearing the flower indicated. They looked into each other's eyes while their faces colored up painfully. My friend was nonplussed, but finally stammered, 'Is this Mr. A?' She answered by asking, 'Is this Miss B?' Both confessed their identity, and—well you can guess the rest. Those love letters were not written in vain, and they are as happy today as two cooing doves, and they have several dovelets in the home nest too."—Chicago Herald.

They Waited Until the Parson Left.

In a neighboring town where there is one central church in the village the good old custom of appointing cottage prayer meetings through the week at different houses still prevails. At one house where the neighborhood meeting is usually held there is a piano, and the light minded young folks have contrived to turn the evening sessions for prayer into an occasion for social pastime, after the more devout have gone home, rounding up the evening with a dance. The parson gained some inkling of what was going on, and remained one night after the meeting until 10 o'clock to keep an eye on the lambs of the flock. The young folks outstayed him, however, all burning with impatience, and after he had gone home the giddy strains of the dance struck up and joy was unconfined.—Springfield (Mass.) Homestead.

A Mushroom's Growth.

A mushroom's method of growth and propagation is popularly considered to be a first class mystery. It is not such, however, from the scientific point of view. On the contrary, it is very well understood how the seeds or spores are developed on the under side of the fungus, microscopic and of vast numbers, a single agaric often having as many as 10,000,000. These myrid germs, when they land upon suitable grounds, send forth numerous fine cottonlike threads, which bring nourishment to the spore. Fattening upon the food it gets from the earth in this way the embryo swells into a fleshy kernel, like a knot amid the network of filaments about it. From this kernel the mushroom in all its parts is developed before it shows above the ground.—Washington Star.

The Duke of Fife's Wardrobe.

The Duke of Fife has about a dozen suits in constant use, and he never wears the same clothes twice the same week. His trousers are on shelves marked Monday, Tuesday, and so on to the end of the week, and they are carefully pressed by his valet before being put on, so as to get rid of the creases.—London Tit-Bits.

"Guess" for "Think."

It has come to be almost proverbial that the Yankee is known the world over for the use of "I guess" for "I think." "Guess" is by no means a synonym of "think," as it is used in this sense. While this error is more common in conversation it is often to be noticed in print.—Cor. Writer.

Fifty Spasms a Day.

Had Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., lived two thousand years ago she would have been thought to be possessed by evil spirits. She was subject to nervous prostration, headaches, dizziness, backache, palpitation and forty to fifty spasms a day. Though having been treated by eight physicians for years without success, she was permanently cured by one bottle of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. A trial bottle of this new and wonderful medicine and a finely illustrated treatise free at Charles H. Buss' Drug Store.

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The Drunk Law.

The bill relating to the punishment of drunkards which has passed the House of Representatives should become a law. Fining a man for getting drunk never deterred a man from getting drunk again, and in many cases simply inflicts a hardship upon his wife and family. Under the proposed law a man arrested for drunkenness must be kept until sober, and he may then file a declaration that he has not been arrested for drunkenness twice before for 12 months, and request to be released. The officer receiving the statement may then release the prisoner from custody if he believes the story to be true, or may refer it to the probation officer, who shall make inquiries and report upon the truth or falsity of the statement. Those who lie about the matter and those who have been twice convicted of drunkenness and again come before the court may be punished by imprisonment in jail or reformatory. In short, the drunkard and not his money is to be dealt with if the bill becomes a law. This should meet hearty approval and be given a trial. If the fine system does not avail there is but little risk in the step.—*Boston News.*

I have not used all of one bottle yet. I suffered from catarrh for twelve years, experiencing the nauseating dropping in the throat peculiar to that disease, and nose bleed almost daily. I tried various remedies without benefit until last April, when I saw Ely's Cream Balm advertised in the Boston *Budget*, I procured a bottle, and since the first days' use have had no more bleeding—the soreness is entirely gone.—D. G. Davidson, with the Boston *Budget*, formedly with Boston *Journal*.

Jackson Cake: One cupful of butter, three cupfuls of sugar, one cupful of sour milk, five cupfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in the milk, one egg, spices to suit taste, and currants.

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Privacy of Millionaires.

The majority of the very rich men live in comparative simplicity. I was chatting with one the other day—a man whose estate, to use the colloquialism of the bank, would probably "cut up" not less than $5,000,000, and he asserted that almost all of the busy men who had accumulated enormous fortunes were so exhausted by the effort which was required to get possession of so great an amount that in their private life they courted nothing but repose.

The strain of social entertainment on a large scale is very great, and there are few men who are equal to it unless they give up entirely their business relations. It is a marvel to many business men how Cornelius Vanderbilt, for instance, can attend as steadily and faithfully as he does to the business of the New York Central railway system, and to the very great demands made upon him to secure a satisfactory reinvestment of his income, and yet devote so much time as he does to social entertainment.

The only explanation which occurs to busy men is that Mr. Vanderbilt is still young, and that he finds some recreation in giving elaborate dinners and in dancing until the small hours of the morning. He will not continue this, however, very long. As the years weigh upon him and the care of his enormous estate increases he will be compelled either to abandon active daily business or to give up his social recreation.—New York Cor. Philadelphia Press.

A Far Seeing Business Man.

I got aboard the cars at a small station in the interior of Pennsylvania, and after I had settled myself comfortably in the seat I noticed a man immediately in front of me whom I had seen in the town where I got on the train. Presently a well dressed, studious looking young man advanced from the rear of the car and took the seat with the man in front of me.

"Excuse me," said the young man; "I am a stranger to you, but I have some notion of locating in L——" (naming the town he had just left), "and I thought perhaps you could give me some information about the place."

"Are you a lawyer?" asked the other.

"No, I am a physician," replied the young man.

"Is that so? Well, sir, I'm glad to hear it. Go right ahead and hang out your shingle, and I'll start up there too. I'm not a resident of L——, and know nothing about the place except what I learned while looking around there today, but if you locate there I'll start up my business within a week."

"May I inquire what your business is?" asked the young man.

"Oh, certainly; I'm in the tombstone business."—Toledo Blade.

Ancient Chimney and Fireplace.

The first chimney was built in a house in the Fourteenth century. It was the fireplace of today, with scarcely a variation. In some cases the halls and lodges of the great lords were provided with a banqueting room in which one whole end of the apartment was taken up by the chimney. This was largely for the purpose of cooking, and a whole ox was often roasted in sight of the table on which it was later served. Distant portions of the room were cold, but, as the people were warriors and roughened in fiber by constant exposure, they were supposed to get along with an occasional turn in the warm end of the room while the feast was preparing.

But if a pilgrim, a palmer, a man who had been to the Holy Land, should come along, he was a favored guest and was allowed to sit in the place of honor at the side of the great fireplace and to regale himself on the choicest of the viands and the best of wine, repaying the host for the entertainment later by singing or chanting an account of his experiences in the land of the Saracens.—Chicago Herald.

An Emperor's Opinion.

In Germany the telegraphs are the property of the government. The proprietors of a large number of daily newspapers, believing that they were required to pay too high a charge for their telegraphic messages, petitioned the government for a decrease of the press rates. The petition was referred to the Emperor William. He considered it a few moments, and then wrote upon the margin: "The present rate is not too high. The useless dispatches that the newspapers publish every day prove this superabundantly." — San Francisco Argonaut.

French Theaters.

Almost everywhere in France the principal theatre of the town belongs to the municipal council, which partly recoups itself for the capital sunk by the rents charged to the temporary lessees. The object, however, of a French town council is not to make a profit out of its theater business, but to provide the ratepayers with a handsome, commodious building where they can go to see a play without fear of being stifled, and which they can point out to strangers with some feeling of civic pride.—Exchange.

A Paradox.

Probably every reader has quoted the proverb "There is an exception to every rule" several hundred thousand times during his or her life, and never thought that the proverb contradicted itself. For, clearly, if there is an exception to every rule there is an exception to this proverb. Therefore there is a rule without an exception.—New York Tribune.

Short Work of a Troublesome Case.

One day I was taken with Paralysis of the Bowels. The stomach and other organs lost all power of action. Although opposed to proprietary medicines, I tried Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. To make a long story short, it saved my life. It is the best medicine in the world for difficulties of the kidneys, liver and bowels.—A. J. Gifford, Lowell, Mass.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.25, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10.40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, *10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

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LIQUOR LAWS.

At the request of many I give the analysis of the liquor law of this State. First, by way of introduction, let me say, it is said by some, "I don't like his methods." My method is to bring comfort to the drunkard's home so far as I am able, by feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, and doing what I can to heal the wounds that have been made by drunkards, and when I have found out where they have got their liquor illegally I have done my utmost to have the rumseller punished for the glaring and open violations of the law. In his last ruling given June 29 commenting on the cases brought before him, Judge Converse said: "Mr. Montgomery has not done or said anything unbecoming a minister of the Gospel or a Christian gentleman," and with but one exception this has been true of every Judge that I have appeared before for the last thirty-two years, and in this exception the court afterwards saw his error and took it back and became my warm friend.

My methods for the last two years in Woburn have been to help the City Authorities in a fair, unbiased enforcement of the liquor laws and when we got defeated last fall and the city went for license many men who believed in high licenses said to me, Now let these men have a license and make them live up to it. So when the Mayor and Board of Aldermen took their oath of office I called their attention through my pulpit and the press to the provisions of the license law. In addition to this I had the privilege of meeting some of the Aldermen and explaining it to them personally. Before any licenses were granted I asked the Aldermen to give us a hearing and they did so. At that meeting we had a large number of representative men. Every section of the law relating to licenses was carefully explained and an earnest protest was made to granting a license to any criminal we felt according to the spirit and letter of the law was not qualified to receive one. That our request was treated with contempt is evident in the Kerrigan case. He plead guilty on the 28th day of February, 1891, of keeping a common nuisance and paid his fine. In less than a month from that date they voted to give him a victuallers license which would qualify him to receive a liquor license. At the same meeting we earnestly exhorted the liquor dealers not to take out a license unless they intend to live strictly according to the spirit and letter of the law. We turned to the Aldermen and said we should expect them to ridgidly enforce the law. We then appealed to the liquor dealers and said to them if the city officials fail to do this we *shall*. For we shall put men in to watch you just as soon as you receive your license. I make this statement so that the public may know my methods in regard to these liquor cases and if any of my critics will show me a better way of dealing with it I will be glad to follow them.

The very first sentence of the law is as follows: No person shall sell or expose for sale spiritous or intoxicating liquors, except as authorized in this chapter." Chap. 100, Sec. 1.

The matter of granting licenses is entirely in the hands of the Aldermen.

A "Yes" vote gives the power to license or not as they see fit. The Public Statutes chapter 102, section 24, say: "Nothing contained in the chapter shall be construed to require the Mayor and Aldermen or Selectmen to grant either of the licenses aforesaid (that is innholders and common victualler) when in their opinion the public good does not require it."

Chapter 323, Acts of 1887, Section 8, says: "the Mayor and Aldermen or the Selectmen may at any time refuse to issue a license to a person whom they deem unfit to receive the same. But nothing herein shall be so construed as to compel said Mayor and Aldermen or Selectmen to grant licenses."

Let us see how the law restricts the sale of intoxicating liquors by dividing the licenses into six classes; First, the innholders and victuallers license which is to accommodate strangers and travellers only. In the Massachusetts reports Vol. 135, Page 536. His Honor Judge Allen says, "A person licensed as a common victualler to sell intoxicating liquors to be drank on the premises may be convicted of keeping a public bar within the Public Statutes Chapter 100, Section 9, Clause 5, if he sells and delivers not in connection with food, intoxicating liquors, indiscriminately to such persons as may call for them." Now let us see how this is guarded. Public Statutes Chapter 102, Section 8, "No common victuallers license shall be granted or issued to any person unless at the time of making application therefore he has upon his premises the necessary implements and facilities for cooking, preparing, and serving food for strangers and travellers." So this power lies in the hands of the Mayor alone as was seen in the case of Martin and Rafferty when he was brought before the Supreme Court to compel him to grant a victuallers license. The court ruled that he could not be compelled.

In the case tried it was clearly shown that no one outside of the hotel keeper was qualified to receive a license.

Mass. Reports, Vol. 140, Page 289. Commonwealth vs. Patrick Hagan says, "What does guest mean? What does the word imply? A guest is first, one who comes from a distance and is entertained; secondly, a visitor entertained. Who is the guest of an Inn? Suppose people go to this house, and the defendant says, 'I cannot supply you unless you sit down and eat some cold tongue, or beef or some salt fish; if you will eat that, then I will let you have some liquor.' Does this make them guests, in the common acceptance of the word? If they are not guests, he can no more sell them liquor, under this evasion (if it is an evasion) . . . . . If the real transaction was to sell liquor, an attempt to disguise it is no defense." So the Court instructed the Jury to find the man guilty, if they found these men were not guests. To this the defendant took exceptions and carried it to the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court overruled the exceptions.

Now let me call your attention to Chapter 102, Section 2. "A Mayor, Aldermen or Selectmen may refuse to sign a license to a person who in his opinion has not complied with the provisions of this chapter; and any such officer who signs a license granted contrary to the provisions of the chapter shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $50." Section 6 of the same Chapter says, "Every common victualler shall be at all times furnished with suitable food for strangers and travellers." Section 11 "When in the opinion of the Mayor and Aldermen of a city or the Selectmen of a town a person holding a license as an innholder or common victualer ceases to be engaged in the business he is licensed to pursue, or fails to maintain upon his premises, the implements and facilities required by this chapter, they shall immediately revoke his license."

I ask has this been done? Does not every intelligent and thinking man know that the law is a roaring farce? I am told by good authority that in years passed the rumsellers have gone to stove shops and hired second hand stoves without lining or grates to be set up in their shops for a few weeks while their application for a victualer's license was pending and after they got their licenses the stoves ware removed.

Chapter 100, Section 10, 4th class. "To sell liquors of any kind not to be drank on the premises." This gives an opportunity to all who wish liquors in their homes the same as they would have tea and coffee. Both the spirit and the letter of the law show that the design of the law was to break up the tippling shop. The law nowhere gives a man the authority to sell liquors to be drank on the premises except accompanied by food. Lawyers have taken exceptions to Judge's rulings on this point in every possible form and every time without fail the Supreme Court has overruled their exceptions.

You will see in Chapter 100, Section 13 "that no license shall be issued until the license fee has been paid to the Treasurer of the city or town by which it is to issued and until he has received a satisfactory bond payable to him as such Treasurer in the sum of one thousand dollors, signed by the licensee and sufficient surety. No bond given under the provision of this said chapter shall be accepted or approved until each surety has made and subscribed a sworn statement that he is worth not less than two thousand dollars, over and above all liabilities and indebtedness." Now any violation of his licenses makes his license void. Some of the violations are as follows: Opening a back door, a screen at the window, selling to a man that has been supported in a whole or a part by public charity within a year, selling to a common drunkard knowing him to be such, selling to miners or allowing them to loiter on his premises selling impure liquors, or making sales before six in the morning or after eleven at night.

Chapter 100, Section 43. It says in relation to the provisions of the enforcement of the liquor laws calling our attention to the various officers in cities and towns "The several officers afore said shall enforce or cause to be enforced, the penalties provided by law against every person guilty of violation of any law in relation to the sale of intoxicating liquors of which they can obtain reasonable truth." I ask has this been done? When we ask for these laws to be enforced the cry comes these men have paid their money for the privilege of selling liquor and this creates a great sympathy for them. It must be remembered that these men were not asked to take out a license, neither are they under any obligations to do it, they do it of their own free will and at their own peril and they should be compelled to respect their own law for it must be remembered distinctly that they prefer this to prohibition. But some say I am a crank on this law; if so the Supreme Judges of the United States are cranks as the following statements will clearly show:

The U. S. Supreme Court has said in the case: Stone vs. Mississippi. "No Legislature can bargain away the public health or the public morals. The people themselves cannot do it, much less their servants." Again the Supreme Court has said in the case of California vs. Christiansen. "The Statistics of every State show a greater amount of crime and misery attributed to the use of ardent spirits obtained at these retail liquor saloons than to any other source." Again it says in the case in Kansas in more emphatic language that the saloon is the mother of nearly all crime

The Hon. Lot M. M. Morrill said, "The drink traffic is the giant crime of crimes against humanity."

The Hon. Richard Cobden said, "Every day experience tends more and more to confirm me in my opinion, that the temperance cause lies at the foundation of all social and political form."

We could fill pages with similar quotations from leaders in all lands and in almost all generations. These utterances come from men of science, of letter's and jurisprudence. In a word it is the universal barrier to all that is good. HUGH MONTGOMERY.

Increasing Use of Rubber Tires.

The application of rubber to wheel tires has proved a great boon to bicyclists, and the increase in this branch of industry is remarkable. There are 100,000 bicycles made every year in this country, and 40,000 more are imported. As all these have tires of the best rubber, it can be seen that a good percentage of the world's supply is absorbed in this way. Each tire weighs on an average between three and four pounds, and this, together with renewals, involves a yearly consumption of not far from 1,000,000 pounds.

The solid tire was first used, but the cushion and the pneumatic are now the popular forms. Each of these, however, is being further modified and improved, and the comfort of bicycle riding is being daily increased. The cushion tire is not liable to puncture, and takes the jar well, but its weak point at present is its liability to crack at the sides in the interior. The pneumatic consists of a rubber tube jacketed in a stout canvas sack, which prevents its being burst from overinflation and other accidents. The whole is covered with a larger incasing tube of rubber.

The canvas sack is cemented to the outer rubber tubing, and the interior is inflated by an air valve. This form of tire, which is not yet perfected, has the advantage of being easily repaired by the rider in a few minutes by the road side. The repairing outfit consists of a hidden pressure tube filled with quick drying solution, rubber for patches, and a supply of canvas. These adaptations of rubber enable the rider to travel long distances day after day, with but little ill effect from the concussion which once affected so materially the health and comfort of the bicyclist.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Teasing a Lion.

In a field at Lati, a village about three miles distant from Prabhas Patan, a lion, the largest ever seen in those parts, made its appearance one morning. The villagers of Lati and the police from Prabhas Patan, on hearing this, went in the direction of the field. Among the lot was a young Rubari, who told the people that the lion was his mama (uncle), and had come on a visit to him only. Saying so, the man advanced, and, standing at a distance of some fifteen or twenty paces from the animal, threw a stone at him, notwithstanding the dissuasions of the villagers. This the lion did not mind, and quietly lay stretched on the ground at its full length.

Encouraged by this the man threw another stone. This also the lion did not mind. On his throwing the third stone the lion gave a terrible roar, at which the villagers, including the nephew, took to their heels. At a bound the lion pounced upon the man, who, being too near him, could not clear away as the others did, and, inflicting only a slight injury on him with his paw, he hurried away to a cotton field, where a large number of women and children were picking cotton. He passed by some children who were taking their food, and rolling awhile on a large cotton heap, majestically stalked out of the field and disappeared in the Gir forest.

The injured man expired the same evening about 8 o'clock. The villagers of Lati, Kadver and Harnosha had all assembled, but no one dared to approach the lion.—Kathiawar Times.

Furniture on the Installment Plan.

There is no business in which credit is so universal now as the retail furniture trade. The time payment plan has, of course, led up to the present condition of affairs, but it has also increased the sales of furniture far more rapidly even than the city has grown. A few years ago young married couples had to save for a considerable period before they could go to housekeeping but now it is quite usual for earners of small wages to buy and furnish a house on time and then secure a mistress for it.

The sales of furniture on the installment plan are now very large, amounting to many hundred thousands a year, but the bad debts or seizure of furniture are very rare. Mechanics in steady work are the best pay as a rule, and if they get a little behind in winter they pick it up quickly in the spring and are never behind in summer. Colored people are also good pay. Actual losses on trades of this kind are very rare in deed, and in about 95 per cent. the bargain is carried out and the last in stallment met on or before maturity.—Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

At the Theater in Tokio.

At church, the theater and other assemblies the Japanese take off their shoes. "At the large theater in Trukiji, Tokio," says a correspondent, "the rush for shoes is sometimes tremendous. Imagine 2,000 people after a matinee crowding and elbowing and pushing to get at their shoes, so as not to be late for their supper! Further, imagine what anxieties and distress of mind the attendants must undergo who have in charge the task of getting the multitude properly shod. The famous problem propounded by Carlyle in the opening chapter of 'Past and Present' of 'getting the thousands of shirts on the thousands of backs' doesn't offer more difficulties."

One of the causes that leads us to misfortune is that we live according to the example of others.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY
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We have a complete line for MEN, BOYS and CHILDREN.
Our WHITE MACKINAW at 25 cents is worth 50 cents.
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THE LADY AND THE MIRROR.

Perplexity of a Tired Shopper While Trying to Dodge Her Reflection.

Many jokes—good, bad and indifferent—have been poked at the ladies for their devotion to shopping. Some one once said that a woman has been known to forget her own name while engaged in the fascinating pastime, and the statement has found many believers, always, of course, among the sterner sex. Whether all the ladies are equally oblivious to everything is by no means certain, but a happening in a large down town store may be taken as having some bearing on the subject.

The store, which is one of the finest in the city, has a large mirror completely covering the rear wall, serving the double purpose of ornamentation and protection by enabling the floor-walkers to watch the ever moving crowds. The lady had been examining and pricing fabrics until her brain was in a whirl, moving from one counter to another, and all the while gradually approaching the rear of the store. At the last counter, after seeing everything that was to be seen, she heaved a sigh of regret and bethought herself of leaving.

And just here the fun occurred. Her mind was busy with the problem of whether shrimp pink or pea green would be a match for her complexion providing she could purchase either, and she was not aware of her proximity to the rear. Rather, she had an idea that she was near the front, and that the large and magnificent mirror was the door. She approached it, and thinking she saw some one coming toward her stepped to one side. Her reflection, of course, did the same. She stepped back. Ditto the reflection. Then she got angry.

"Excuse me," she said in the clear, cutting tones peculiar to her sex when they wish to be sarcastic, "are you so fond of dancing that you must indulge in it here? If you let me pass I'll be obliged."

No answer.

"Well," said the now thoroughly aroused woman, "I'm going out, so you'd better stand aside."

Suiting the action to the word, she took one—two—three steps, and landed up against the mirror. A little scream, a blushing woman hurriedly going in the right direction this time, a general titter from the customers and clerks, and the comedy was over.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

An Estimate of England's Future King.

To American eyes, especially those through which I look, Albert Edward occupies a very unique position. His strength is felt everywhere, and in relation to everything. When he becomes king he will have no more power than now, except the ability to sign papers and appoint a few friends to office. If he has been merely a leader in social life, he has managed to impress himself so well upon his people that there is not a man nor woman in England who would not be glad to see him the ruler. That is saying much for one who has been surrounded with great temptations from childhood, and who had no political power to endow him with heavy responsibilities.

His very position forced him for the moment to take upon himself the lighter obligations of life and meet his people on the field instead of viewing them from the throne. He could only weigh himself and be weighed outside of official life. Yet he rose above that position, step by step, until he made his influence felt all over the kingdom by means of the knowledge he gained by personal contact with the world in almost every walk of life. If this does not evidence a strong man, then what does?—Frank Burr in Lippincott's.

People Buy More Flowers.

"One of the most encouraging things I see," said the confirmed optimist, "is that the dwellers in great cities are coming to regard flowers as a necessity and not merely a luxury. Until a year or two ago few flowers were grown in winter, and many of these withered in windows, as the florist was obliged to charge great sums for them. Now everybody buys flowers, and even those who deny themselves the delight of purchasing have the pleasure of seeing them offered in the streets."

"It always hurt me so in those old days," said a gentle voice in the optimist's audience, "to think, when I bought a bunch of roses, that I was paying for at least one other bunch which had faded unsold. Now that so many flowers are bought, very few

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WHY SUCH HASTE.

The Governor's Council are acting queerly this summer. For example: Why should the appointment of Col. Coveney for Gas Commissioner have been so promptly confirmed while that of Mr. Smith for Railroad Commissioner was as promptly rejected? As a Gas Commissioner Hon. A. B. Coffin has shown himself a true servant of the people of this Commonwealth and for a Republican Council to make such haste to get a member of their own party off from the Board by accepting a rank Bourbon in place of him was unseemly to say the least.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican State Committee at a meeting held at Republican Headquarters on School street, Boston, last Wednesday, voted to hold the State Convention in Tremont Temple, Boston, on Sept. 16. Congressman Henry Cabot Lodge was unanimously chosen to be President of the Convention, and Hon. Francis W. Rockwell of Pittsfield, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions.

COUNTY TREASURER.

The term of County Treasurer Hayden of the Somerville *Journal* will expire this year and it is fair to presume he will decline a re-election. He cannot be oblivious to the fact that there is a strong undercurrent of opposition running against him, and being sensible of its existence he will doubtless conclude that "discretion is the better part of valor" and, when the time comes for it, step down and out.

WHAT IS IT FOR?

We have read over quite carefully the declared "objects" of the Republican Editors Club and yet are constrained to ask, what is it for?

The meeting held at the Parker House last Wednesday to perfect its organization was not a very large or enthusiastic one according to all accounts.

☞ The Worcester *Gazette*, a leading and influential newspaper, sets the seal of its condemnation on the efforts of Major Merrill and other crotchety brained people to organize a Republican Editors Club in this State with a view of making it a tail to the State Committee kite, or an annex to something or other. It handles the scheme to manufacture ideas for and tongue-tie the Editors without gloves.

☞ In about a month from now the Boston *Journal*, that staunch old organ of New England Republicanism, will change its form from a "blanket sheet" to the modern style of make-up and as many pages as there may be a public demand for. The *Journal* always keeps step to the march of modern improvement.

☞ It is gratifying to be informed on reliable authority that the new morning paper of Boston, the *News*, is forging right along at a winning gait. It is a staunch, clean-cut, wideawake Republican daily—the best one in Boston by all odds.

☞ It is very evident that the Peabody *Press* takes no stock in the attempt of a few persons to organize a Republican Editors Club. The *Press* is too bright a paper and has too much good sense to favor such folly.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

J. M. Kimball—To Let.
Payne & Co.—Situations.
E. J. Gregory—Auction Sale.
C. S. Gosse—Com. Com. College.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Read "In the West" in another column.

— Mary D. Brown is at Edgartown for a vacation visit.

— Holdridge has sold a great many oil stoves this season.

— Letter carrier J. F. Maguire has got back from Portland.

— There is no end to "safety" bicycle riders in this city.

— Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Trull go to Old Fort Popham to-day.

— Mrs. Sarah Bancroft is erecting a house on Valley street.

— The Woburn Electric L. Co. have lately employed several new hands.

— Charley Buckley keeps a large variety of fine fruit and sells cheap.

— Miss Nellie McGovern has returned from a pleasant visit to Natick.

— Copeland & Bowser are about to inaugurate a mid-summer closing-out sale.

— A. W. Parker and family were at Grey's Inn, Jackson, N. H., last week.

— Mr. Fred Stanley, of the Boston Branch, proposes to take his vacation later on.

— Mr. Walter Bennett has returned to this city after two years absence in California.

— Mr. W. Singer will have a nice residence on Beach street when it is completed.

— Now for 4 to 6 weeks of enforced idleness in the stores, shops and offices of this city.

— Mrs. Brennan of Winn st. has Miss Annie McTague of Worcester for a guest.

— Miss Emma Bussel of East Boston has been visiting friends in this city this week.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade is making progress on his homestead improvements on Main street.

— Ald. Pushee has got all through haying and is now enjoying a bit of a breathing spell.

— The Sunday School of the Baptist Church held a picnic at The Willows in Salem yesterday.

— Mrs. Alex. and Miss Marguerite Davidson enjoyed life in Lynn last week. It was nice.

— Mr. Huntington Porter, of the Boston Custom House, is enjoying a well-earned vacation.

— The Woburn Hurley Club will play against the Shamrocks of Boston at Oak Island on Aug. 5.

— Attention is called to the list which the JOURNAL publishers of Woburn's wealthy tax-payers.

— Mayor George F. Bean and Ald. W. F. Davis were registered at Hotel Humarock a few days since.

— Editor O'Neil is so partial to our city seal that he sometimes ornaments Insolvency Court notices with it.

— Miss Minnie Simonds, saleslady at Mr. Webster's dry goods store, will spend her vacation at Detroit, Mich.

— If anybody has good board and room for a single gentleman call at the JOURNAL office and learn particulars.

— The other day Gregory sold the Alex. McCormack place 26 Beacon street to Mary L. Mahoney for $1200.

— Messrs. E. E. and Abijah Thompson and wives will leave for the White Mts next Monday for a fortnight's visit.

— Improvements are in progress on the new City Park at Central Square. Dynamite is the chief agency employed.

— All things considered a good many dwellings were built in this city from May 1, 1890 to May 1, 1891—67.

— Prof. James McDonald, the piano tuner and accomplished musician, expects to pass his vacation away Down East.

— Mr. James Walker of Church Avenue is visiting his daughter Nellie and son-in-law Rev. Mr. Denno, near Athol.

— Give a few of your spare moments please to the perusal of an article in this paper entitled "Six-room House."

— Mrs. E. B. Leach of Prospect st. has gone to Rockland, Maine, to visit her sister there during the summer months.

— The Boston Branch grocery, Fitz & Stanley proprietors, furnish the most satisfactory summer drinks to be found anywhere.

— Mr. Bryan McSweeney is employed by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. as a Woburn agent and is doing well at it.

— Postmaster Wyman went to Edgartown last Saturday for a brief visit with his family who are spending the summer there.

— Still hundreds of men are out of employment here, and the worst of it is, the prospect for work in the near future is far from good.

— The Phalanx went off to muster at 7-something P. M. last Monday in high feather. They will return about 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

— The address of Frank H. Sawyer for the past week has been: Second Brigade, M. V. M., Co. G, Fifth Regiment, Framingham, Mass.

— Manager True of the Woburn Electric Light Co., successor to Mr. Fish, is getting into the good graces of our people with marked rapidity.

— Mr. A. N. Webster, the dry goods dealer, has not yet selected the spot on which to rest his weary frame during the summer pleasure time.

— Charlie Cummings's carload of very fine Canada roadsters and draft horses is about gone. It was the best lot of animals ever brought to this city.

— Mr. and Mrs. Chase Cole of Pleasant street are journeying leisurly and pleasantly among the granite hills of N. H. by private carriage.

— John W. Johnson, Esq., will spend his vacation beneath his own vine and fig tree on Warren street. And a very sensible conclusion he has come to.

— Monday was one of the worst days of the season for nerves. The heat was not so very great but the moisture in the air was tough on rheumatism.

— The school-house committee of the Board of Aldermen held a meeting last Wednesday evening to promote progress on the new Central Square school edifice.

— Mr. William H. Mathews, the Senior of the Woburn letter carriers, will represent his official associates at the Letter Carriers National Convention in August.

— The alarm between 12 and 1 Tuesday morning was for a fire at O'Rouke's pool room corner of Main street and Lake Avenue. It got well riddled this time.

— A pair of Nichols's ice-cart horses got on their metal the other day and skedaddled. Mr. Arthur Ellis got the breaks on in a hurry and put a sudden period to their flight.

— Mr. James Skinner has been chosen Chairman of the Board of Sewerage Commissioners, and Mr. Nathaniel S. Watson has been elected Clerk of the same.

— There was a pleasant mid-summer party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Andrus's at Central Square last Wednesday evening. All hands passed a happy evening.

— Mr. John Henry Cass, Mann's Block, 502 Main street, keeps a fine stock of pictures and picture frames for sale, and manufactures the latter to order with neatness and despatch.

— Mr. J. Howard Nason and wife have returned from the State of Maine and are once more comfortably settled in their Main street home. Mr. Nason is engaged in the insurance business.

— Mr. Mark C. Felch has bought the "Cash Market" in Dow Block of Mr. Sylvester and will continue the business there. He has a plenty of capital and will run a firstclass market.

— Rev. Mr. Parker will preach his final sermon before vacation next Sunday. He proposes to pass the month of August chiefly at home in driving around the country, to the beaches, etc.

— Editor W. F. Kenney's son William Peter is only a little more than 10 days old but father and mother are in perfect accord on the point that William Peter is a bouncer and a beauty. No doubt of it.

— Jones's barges conveyed a big party of the employees of P. Calnan & Son, shoe stock manufacturers, to Revere Beach last Friday for their annual picnic. They had a glorious good time.

— Mrs. Mary W. Poole and sister, Miss C. A. Sawyer, returned this week from a three weeks visit with their sister, Mrs. Collins, at Rocky Hill, Amesbury, which they enjoyed very much indeed.

— Miss Alice O'Brien, the accomplished music teacher of Church Ave., gave her pupils an icecream and cake reception last Friday evening. Besides a nice treat there was fine piano music, and a general good time.

— An esteemed contemporary tells a pathetic story of a fruitless search for soup on the far side of Horn Pond by a party of luckless chaps of this place the other day. The yarn might have been touching had it been better told.

— We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend a meeting at the Parker House, Boston, last Wednesday, to help organize a Republican Editors Club. We were conspicuous by our absence. Thanks for the invite, all the same.

— Mrs. F. H. Tarbell and her bright little daughter Miss Angie, whose home is on West Madison street, Chicago, are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mary E. Sweetser, at 42 Union street, and having a royal good time.

— The Baptist Christian Endeavor Society have elected the following officers: President, Thomas A. McLean; Vice President, Edward E. Wier; Secretary, William Merrill; Treasurer William Brown; Recorder, Mrs. Asa Sheldon.

— Rev. Louis Albert Banks, DD., well known as an earnest reformer and whose sermons on the iniquities of the "sweating traffic" have attracted such widespread attention, will preach at the Methodist church on Sunday evening next at 7 o'clock.

— Mr. C. R. Fish, ex-Supt. of the Woburn Electric Light Co., is safely installed in a responsible and lucrative situation in an electric establishment in Boston. He still resides here where he was very popular with the patrons of the Woburn E. L. Co.

— Mr. John W. Francis, the Public Library stand-by, is taking his vacation chiefly at home. Possibly he may drop down to Kittery P'int, the old boyhood stamping ground, for a day or so, but largely he will not wander out of sight of the Library towers.

— Piles and piles of people visit every evening Boston's biggest summer show, Paine's "The Last Days of Pompeii," and everyone is delighted with it. Many Woburn people have been in to see this new spectacular exhibition and they speak in the highest terms of it.

— Master Fred Davis, son of Ald. Davis of Ward 1, thinks the JOURNAL's knowledge of horseflesh must be exceedingly limited or else it wouldn't have called Master Len Fowle's roadster a "piebald mare" when everybody knows that it is an Indian pony. We stand corrected.

— Mr. Thomas J. Feeney of the Boston *Herald* Reportorial Staff will probably take his summer outing at Lubec, a quiet and secluded village on the coast of Maine, near which the sun makes his regular morning bow to the public according to popular belief of the outside world.

— Why don't the clothing and dry goods dealers resume the anti-4th-of-July habit of closing their stores on Monday evenings as well as Wednesday and Friday? Their salesmen need a little breathing spell about Monday evening and are waiting for the proprietors so speak out.

— Editor W. F. Kenney of the Boston *Globe* will go to Hampton Beach next week for a short visit introductory to going to the White Mts., where he proposes to tarry some time. He has been putting in some hard work on the *Globe* of late and needs the rest which he expects to find in the mountains.

— Mr. John Flynn of Cambridge is a well known engineer in that section and a very competent one. His directions for preserving steam boilers from rusting are valuable and if followed would assure a material saving of money in the use of them. He knows steam and steam boilers from one end to the other.

— All the *City Press* needs to make it happy is a larger variety of industries carried on in Woburn, and something done to the weather-vane on the Rumford school building in the way of reforming its habits as a wind indicator. These are modest demands and the City Council ought to do something about it.

— The sewing classes of the Woburn Industrial School will give an exhibition of their work at the Academy on Warren street some day early in August, and it will doubtless attract a large number of spectators. It cannot but prove an interesting exhibition and valuable as showing the progress made by the girls in needlework.

— We don't know which "local contemporary" our good friend and intelligent correspondent "Well-wisher of the Journal" alludes to in his communication in this paper, but if he means that pestiferous Democratic organ in Hart's block he couldn't have hit the nail squarer on the head if he had tried a month of Sundays.

— Mr. Haggerty don't quite agree with Mr. Ronco in some of his accounts of speed attained in bicycle outings. He and that gentleman seem to view some things from different standpoints, or else some memories about here are quite faulty, or some tongues not careful enough in expressing things. At least, that is Mr Haggerty's idea of it.

— Charles Cummings has left of his car-load of fine Canada horses a pair of the best and handsomest coach animals that can be scared up in this section of country. Besides this splendid span of matched high-steppers Mr. Cummings has several draft and road horses left which can be bought at a bargain. His stables are at No. 35 Cambridge street.

— Auctioneer Gregory will sell at 2 o'clock on next Friday, July 31, the entire stock in trade, shop fixtures, etc., of William Granfield, butcher, No. 154 Main street corner of Porter, the particulars of which are given in Gregory's advertisement in our business columns, to which especial attention is called. The sale will be positive and in every case the highest bidder will take the goods.

— There was a little celebration of the 75th anniversary of Rev. Dr. March's birthday at Supt. F. B. Richardson's residence on Montvale Ave. last Tuesday. It was a modest affair, but a good dinner, prepared for the occasion, was enjoyed by the Doctor, Dea. Gage, and family, the Richardsons etc., which was accompanied by agreeable friendly intercourse.

— A Woburn man was weighed at the Winchester railroad station on one of those cent-in-the-slot balances and kicked the beam at 137 pounds; when he got down to Prospect Hill in Somerville he tried it again and weighed 124; when he got back home he weighed himself once more on a scale that had just been sealed by Lynch, and was correct, and tipped the beam at 116! So much for some kinds of steelyards.

— Hot or cold, Mrs. Jennings proposes to attend strictly to business during the vacation season and stand as an unerring guide, as she has for years past, to direct the best of domestic help where to find the best places to work—in other words, to conduct the most reliable Intelligence Office in the country, and at the same time fill Young America with joy and gladness by selling just such things as they most ardently long for.

— The Woburn druggists are watched so close that they have closed up their stores on Sunday, hoping by this extreme step to turn popular sentiment against those who are seeking to enforce the law.—*Somerville Citizen.* That's all in your eye, Cap. Our druggists shut up on the 12th, but finding out that nobody cared anything about it one way or the other they opened up again on the 19th and went on as usual.

— Mrs. W. D. Wright has gone to Waterville, Me., to visit her mother and aunt, the former 95 years old and the latter 97. At the close of her visit there and at other points in the Pine Tree State, of which she is a native, Mrs. Wright will join her husband at Titusville, Pa., where he has been engaged in the manufacture of shoe stock for several months, and where it is probable Mr. and Mrs. Wright will make their future home.

— Mrs. Fogg, head of the millinery establishment in Dodge's block, will leave for Kennebunkport about Aug. 1, and remain there during the balance of the summer. Quaint old Kennebunkport is one of the most delightful seaside resorts in New England. It is patronized largely by literary people, artists, and folks of that ilk, a large number of whom occupy cottages on its fair beaches every vacation season and would not exchange them for any others.

— The druggists had their stores open last Sunday just as though nothing had been said. The better way for them to do would be to accept the advice of Mayor Bean and manage to make their Sunday trade a little less open, obtrusive and distasteful to right minded people—that is, if they have resolved to keep open on Sundays at all. The Mayor's head was quite level on the subject and the druggists wouldn't lose any friends by acting on his suggestions.

— At a meeting of the Commission appointed by the Supreme Judicial Court of this State to apportion the sum to be assessed on the different towns and cities which are to reap the benefits of the Metropolitan Sewer held in the Green Room of the State House on last Tuesday Judge Charles D. Adams, City Solicitor, represented Woburn's interests and will look out for them as the business proceeds. He is a good man to have the charge of such interests.

— A tug-of-war will come off on Aug. 1, between the Hudson and Highland Clubs for $50. It will be the culmination of a long and hot wordy contest between those famous athletic organizations and will probably settle for some time to come the question of superior skill, strength, agility and sand between them. Doubtless the event will attract large crowds of people by whom intense interest will be taken in the struggle as both Clubs are immensely popular with the public.

— Mr. Gordon Parker, a brother of Mr. Charles S. Parker and of John L. Parker, formerly owner of THE JOURNAL, a regularly educated pharmacist, has bought of Mr. D. W. Kelley, the new drugstore in Mechanic Block and will hereafter carry it on. He was some years ago a resident of Woburn but for 13 years has been in the apothecary business at Brockton. Mr. F. G. Sutherland, an experienced and careful druggist who has been in the employ of Mr. Kelley, will continue with Mr. Parker. Success to all hands!

— One of the best temperance lectures, or sermons, that a Woburn public have had the privilege of listening to for a long while was that delivered by Rev. Dr. March at the First Congregational Lecture Room last Sunday evening. Christ's first miracle, the turning of water into wine at the marriage in Cana of Galilee, which was also the Sunday School lesson of that day, was the text on which a very interesting and solid discourse on the all-important subject of temperance was based. There was no rant or buncomb or egotism or other unseemly feature about it, but the words and ideas of the Doctor were calculated to take right hold of the understanding and conscience and do good individually and collectively. More people ought to have heard this sermon that its benefits might have been more widely diffused.

— Mr. Levi W. Cooper of Union street, this city, has accepted an invitation from the Management of the Yarmouth Steamship Company to take a trip to Nova Scotia and will set sail for that far-away Down East region next Tuesday on either the "Boston" or "Yarmouth," both ocean palaces sailed by true gentlemen from the Captain down to the scullion. From Boston to Nova Scotia in either of those splendid steamers is one of the most delightful sea trips that can anywhere be found on the Atlantic Coast. Mr. Cooper anticipates a charming voyage and visit. He expects to be gone 10 days and on his return to go to Goose Rocks, Kennebunkport, Me., a very popular seaside resort.

— We hope never to witness a wilder commotion than that which Sam Lewis and Lemuel Frond created on Church Avenue last Wednesday. By their mysterious conduct they got Mr. Waterman Brown, two policemen, and nearly a dozen women so wrought up that some of the cooler heads didn't know but that the militia would have to be called out. The crowd knew absolutely that Sam and Lem were burglars spying out the chances for a big break into a tenantless house near by; policemen were summoned; the whole neighborhood thrown into a ferment; and while it was all going on the young men, who were on fun bent only, slipped away, leaving Mr. Brown and his excited auditors in a worse state than ever. It was a big scare.

— Mr. Freeman A. Loring, the well known Winchester tanner and recent purchaser of the large Bryant & King leather establishment in this city, through the efforts and agency of Mr. Gilman F. Jones and Mr. Benjamin Hinckley, a couple of gentlemen who, in an unostentious way, have done not a little to increase the population and business of Woburn, has just sold 80 acres of land lying between the Old Line and the Woburn Loop of the B. & L. Div. of the B. & M. Railroad, and between Cross and Swanton streets, to a syndicate of Boston gentlemen who will cut the tract up into residence lots, and have already commenced operations on that line. It is a fine piece of real estate that has been very much improved by Mr. Loring's Superintendent for many years, Mr. John P. Delaney, and will make residence property as desirable as any in Winchester or Woburn. We are informed that Mr. Loring made a handsome spec in the purchase and sale of this large tract of real estate, and it is thought by good judges that the syndicate who now own it will also clear big money on it. Mr. Loring is a permanent guest of the Vendome, Boston, while his wife is traveling in Europe.

— Up to date City Clerk D. F. Moreland hasn't even cast a longing eye towards outing resorts either by sea, in grove, or on mountain-top. He is attending strictly to his official duties which is one of the best methods that can be taken to secure public approval and keep the office from passing into other hands. Clerk of Common Council Lounsbury is to be seen at the Municipal Building every day in the week, Sundays excepted, where he continuously welcomes the visitors who call, which also is worthy of warm public approval. Water Registrar Barrett slips down to the beach once in a while just to "rest his weary bones," as the poet so felicitously puts it, but the major portion of his working hours is devoted to filling out water receipts for the next half year. The Assessors Room echoes to the gentle footfall and hushed vocal notes of Commodore John Ferguson, Col. W. T. Grammer and Auctioneer E. Prior (all of them Principal Assessors) during the quiet hours of the day as they go about finishing up the odds and ends of the excellent job of listing property and laying the tax of 1891, now about through with. Miss Wyman, Assistant City Treasurer, may be seen during business hours blithly handing out checks, bank notes and coin to the city's creditors, as calm and peaceful as the close of a summer day—always cordial and obliging and anxious to please—looking all the while as though she wished there were a great deal more of the checks, bank notes and coin—and just more than delightfully cool on the hottest day. And Mrs. Phillips, the accomplished Assistant City Collector—she too is at her post of duty enjoying her seabreezes and mountain scenery at second hand or with the aid of a vivid imagination, and appears contented and happy. Indeed, the duties of her office do not permit any other condition of mind and heart. The heads of these Departments are more or less absorbed in the active duties of life at the present time and decline to say whether they seriously contemplate a vacation outing or not. Chief McIntosh don't trouble his head much about summer vacations. He has his hands full of business which demands constant attention and the Chief is not the kind of an officer to neglect his duties. Officer McDermott and the rest of the force will take their turns at a fortnight's play, while Lock-up Keeper Connolly, Probation Officer Simonds, Judge Johnson, Clerk Bond, and all the other inmates of the now quiet and almost solemn old M. B. hope to eat clams and drink lemonade at the beaches before snow falls again.

Words of Commendation.

WHEREAS, Our Pastor, Rev. D.D. Winn, after a pastorate of more than seven years standing, has resigned, as a token of our appreciation of his faithful labors with us and of the estimation in which we hold him as a Minister of the Gospel, a Christian, and a man, it is hereby

Resolved, That from Mr. Winn during all the time that he has been with us the church has ever had able sermons, faithful expositions of the Gospel and of the truth as it is in Christ Jesus, tending to the edification of the church and the upbuilding of Zion.

Resolved, That while he has been with us his walk has been that of a Christian, such as becometh a true disciple of Christ; that he has been ever ready to help those in need; sympathetic with the sorrowing; a true friend and Pastor to all;

Resolved, That Mr. Winn has ever been an earnest, zealous worker in the Master's vineyard, unselfishly devoting himself to the interests of the church and its people;

Resolved, That we extend to Mr. Winn and his companion the assurance of our appreciation of all that they have done for our spiritual and temporal advancement and of our best wishes for their future welfare and the blessings of our Lord and Master may attend them in whatever field they be called to labor;

Resolved, That the foregoing resolutions be spread upon the records of the church and that a copy of the same be forwarded to the Pastor, and also published in the *Watchman*.

Voted unanimously on Sunday, July 19, 1891.

A true copy. Attest:
ARTHUR E. GAGE,
Clerk First Baptist Church, Woburn.

Woburn's Heaviest Taxpayers, 1891.

The following is a complete list of persons who pay a tax of $100 and upwards. Rate, $15.70 on a $1,000.

Allen, Julia F. estate	$117 75
Ames, H. L.	104 44
Arnold, Mary E.	117 75
Avery, Lucinda S.	112 26
Brown, Jacob	322 29
Buck, Joseph	124 46
Beggs & Cobb	400 35
Bickford, Maria R.	414 48
Blake, Harriet C.	204 89
Blake, E. N. estate	314 14
Brackett, Abbie A.	128 74
Buckman, Francis A.	101 70
Buckman, Alvah	203 94
Bacon, Oliver, estate	117 75
Bancroft, P. Elverton	173 14
Barker, E Gerry	287 74
Beggs, Mary L.	176 24
Bean, Gilman A.	238 44
Bean, Gilman A. trustee	146 17
Bean, Moses C. heirs	132 67
Bryant, Elizabeth	174 27
Buel, James	294 02
Bryant, Grace M.	310 86
Bryant, Oliver F.	268 48
Bæder, Adamson & Co.	1,356 87
Bond, D. W.	192 28
Bond, D. W. administrator	129 53
Bishop, C. J. & Co.,	160 14
Blaney, G. A. heirs	100 48
Carleton, Mary W.	105 19
Carswell, Lucy J.	152 29
Champney, Edward W. heirs	117 75
Champney, George M. heirs	120 11
Choate, Lydia G.	551 08
Clough, John heirs	224 51
Crane, John P.	670 43
Cummings, John H. heirs	105 98
Clough, E. G.	103 50
Cole, Lavina B.	127 13
Cottle, Edmund C.	257 91
Cottle, E. C. & F. E.	280 25
Cottle, E. C. & Co.	259 05
Cummings, Wilbur E.	244 88
Cummings, Lizzie K.	125 60
Coleman, E. C.	293 82
Cook, George	106 41
Cragin, F. K. heirs	151 90
Crosby, R. P.	125 25
Cummings, Sarah S.	107 15
Carter, Maria E. and Clara S.	114 67
Carter, John R.	302 03
Cummings, Eustace	198 25
Carton, Catherine	158 83
Calnan, Patrick	126 03
Chalmers, Robt.	126 03
Connolly, Ann	226 94
Converse, D. Gould, estate	369 75
Converse, Sherman	105 63
Converse, P. L.	124 46
Copeland & Bowser	141 30
Cummings, Chute & Co.,	266 66
Cummings, Amos	111 90
Carter, Dexter	286 51
Coolidge, Thomas B.	234 31
Cummings, Jas. O.	257 10
Cummings, Charles	328 72
Cummings, Cyrus heirs	140 52
Cummings, John	978 54
Cummings, Mary P. C.	418 80
Cooper, L. W.	192 05
Donahue, Mary	109 90
Dow, Celenda T. estate	1,749 93
Dow, Stephen & Co.	1,369 83
Dow, Edward A.	201 39
Dow, Alfred A.	752 47
Dow, Alfred A. and Edward A.	956 44
Duncan, Robt.	211 12
Duncan Lea. Mfg. Co.	288 88
Dodge, George S.	188 40
Dow, C. T. estate and E. A.	314 00
Duren, S. R.	115 55
Ellis, Ellen T.	245 32
Edgell, Susan E.	103 62
Ellis, Martin	180 98
East Middlesex St. R. R. Co.	149 15
Ellis, Jacob M.	181 52
Ellis, Alexander	132 78
Eaton, R. B. and M. E.	102 05
Eaton, Alfred heirs	196 64
Ellard, Elizabeth A.	162 50
Freeman, J. T. & Co.	114 61
Frost, Walter, heirs,	159 36
Ferrin, Albert A.	194 37
Fifield, Charles W.	186 00
Flagg, John G.	179 41
Foster, Mary P.	111 47
Fowle, Luke W.	373 31
Fowle, W. F. & Waldron, B. F.	471 00
Fowler, George R. trustee	1018 15
Flint, Frederic heirs,	116 32
Fosdick, George F.	100 91
Fox, Warren P.	262 63
Fox, Warren P. & Son,	125 60
Felch, M. C.	175 10
Flagg, Benjamin F.	509 12
Goodrich, Philos J.	135 45
Grammer, William T.	262 62
Graves, Frank W.	177 06
Gage, G. R.	389 04
Greenwood, Curtis	246 52
Greenough, Susan T.	283 62
Griffith, Catharina R.	561 88
Hartwell, Fred A.	226 31
Hayden, Edward D.	584 47
Hayden, Edward D. and D. H. Sweetser trustee	1046 56
Haynes, Amariah V.	140 16
Holden, Simon heirs	325 78
Hudson, Hannah R.	133 14
Hudson Edward W.	1298 83
Hammond, J. W.	254 77
Hart & Co. Express,	114 61
Hayes, Caroline C. B.	152 29
Hutchings, George H.	169 84
Harlow, John M.	1030 35
Harlow, John M., trustee,	121 68
Hart, D. D. heirs,	936 82
Hart, Ruth R.	172 72
Hayward, Mary A.	142 87
Hayward, A. S.	104 05
Hertkorn, Charles	104 05
Horton, Sparrow	104 06
Johnson, John	433 72
Johnson, John & S. L. Barker	309 60
Johnston Electric T. S. Co.	157 63
Jones, Emily E.	167 99
Jones, G. F.	608 02
Jaquith, C. H.	138 20
Kelley, Joseph	682 40
Kenney & Murphy,	260 62
Leonard, Christopher	147 23
Littlefield, Czarina	285 74
Meade, John J.	100 20
Munroe, Jacob estate	122 46
Munroe, Harris	365 07
Munroe, C. M.	111 90
McCabe, W. W.	116 14
McDonald, Joseph B.	1188 14
McLaughlin, J. B.	118 49
Miller, William M.	248 49
Munroe, George J.	244 22
Murdock, J. K. & Co.	494 55
Maloney, M. & J.	172 70
Moore, Thomas	284 60
Murray, Hugh D.	306 74
Merrimac Chemical Company,	1699 84
Nichols, Benjamin H.	210 04
New England Leather Company,	329 70
Nichols, Charles	145 66
North Woburn Street RR. Co.	117 75
Norris, Sarah E.	106 76
National Saw Co.	177 41
O'Connor, James	189 62
Ordway, Sarah J.	174 27
Pollard, Emily F. and Mary S.	161 71
Putnam, W. R.	317 56
Parker, F. Chandler	191 19
Putney, R. J. W.	161 39
Pierce, Ebenezer L.	335 60
Porter, Charles estate	193 90
Place, Everett G.	446 67
Plympton, Augustus heirs	272 40
Park, J. H.	213 95
Parker, J. Henry	137 02
Parker, Oliver H. heirs	127 17
Place, Adaline	326 56
Place, Griffin	212 38
Pushee, F. M.	118 75
Quealy, John	113 86
Ramsdell, J. F.	372 29
Russell Counter Company,	533 80
Richards, Daniel H. estate,	164 72
Riley, Felix	108 76
Richardson, Daniel heirs,	135 41
Reade, Lawrence	158 61
Richardson, A. L. & Bro.	327 82
Richardson, Benjamin heirs,	104 07
Rollins, Elijah	110 33
Russell, George	129 96
Stearns, Eckley heirs,	170 35
Sawtelle, Harriet	103 04
Shaw, Edward L. & Co.	1,320 27
Simonds, George A.	254 77
Spear, Sarah L.	142 87
Salmon, Thomas	449 42
Skinner, James	862 37
Shaw, Mary L.	243 35
Skinner, James & Co.	565 20
Smith, Harriet heirs,	141 30
Smith, C. Willard	152 72
Smith, Caroline M.	115 40
Soles, E. O. estate,	300 03
Strange, Abbie R.	103 62
Thompson, Jonathan	230 44
Thompson, E. E.	283 24
Tidd, Jonathan	157 43
Tufts, W. A. heirs,	107 55
Tenney, Patrick E.	197 47
Thompson, Leonard	292 45
Tidd, Marshall M.	200 61
Tidd, William & Co.	109 12
True, Lucretia & Nellie F. Gilbert	167 99
Teare, Philip heirs,	110 25
Tyler, Moses A. heirs,	126 33
Trull, Elbridge heirs,	401 53
Unitarian Parish,	242 57
Whitney, L. L. trustee,	111 48
Winn, Joseph heirs,	109 90
Wood, Alva S.	177 06
Whitford, Hiram	154 26
Woburn Gaslight Company,	722 20
Woburn Power Company,	222 94
Wheeler, John S.	302 58
Winn, William	107 19
Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank,	879 20
Wood, Susan A.	157 00
Wyman, Elizabeth W.	129 53
Wyman, Walter	129 17
Winn, Abigail M.	729 24
Winn, A. M. and S. M. Lane	362 67
Winn, Abigail estate,	164 13
Woburn First National Bank,	518 10
Woburn Electric Light Co.	859 58
Woburn Lyceum Hall Association	418 41
W. A. and M. Association	244 92
Whittemore, M. Dora	158 57
Wiswall, Isabella E.	136 99
Wood, J. R.	184 67
Woodward & Mentzer,	172 70
York, W. S.	162 14

NON-RESIDENTS.

King, Theophilus, Quincy,	345 40
Clapp, G. B., Rockland,	255 91
Hobson, J. L., trustee, Haverhill,	209 09
Lynde, A. V., Melrose,	127 80
Kendall, J. R., California,	183 69
First National Bank, resident,	2,347 62
First Nat'l Bank, non-resident,	1,154 63
B. & M. RR. Co., Boston,	3,195 53
Ireland, W. H., Boston,	423 12
Reardon, E., Cambridge,	214 31
Wyman, M., Cambridge,	227 65
Harrington, E. T., Lexington,	189 97
Boston Ice Co., Boston,	624 08
Houston, James & Co., Winchester,	519 67
Loring, Freeman A., Winchester,	834 85
Goodside, Evelyn B., Boston,	140 52
Mullen & Brown, Boston,	161 71
French, William A., Boston,	253 87
Morse, Nathan, trustee, Cambridge	127 17
Cutter, Ephraim, New York,	120 89
Maxwell, John, Winchester,	119 32
Hall, G. W. M., Boston,	189 19
Tidd, Harriet H., Stoneham,	149 15
Winn John and J. W. Johnson Burlington,	115 48
Mann, Moses W., Medford,	161 24
Tufts College, Somerville,	978 83
Flagg, Sumner, New York,	187 14
Warren, W. D., heirs, New York,	204 10
Pierce, T. J., Orange,	174 27
Buck, H. C. et als., Somerville,	192 33
Tufts College & Boston University,	282 60
Leathe, S. H., St. Louis,	874 49
Gage, Lydia W., New York,	155 43

A Fire Alarm.

Mayor Bean created a big commotion among the firemen last Saturday evening. After he had gathered around him at his fine residence on Montvale Ave. a knot of choice spirits irrespective of sex, religious creed, or political bias, namely: Judge E. F. Johnson and lady; Ald. W. F. Davis and Mrs. Davis; and Alderman Pushee; Councilmen Waldron, Bowers and O'Donnell; Clerk of Council E. H. Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Blodgett of Providence, R. I., Miss Emily Brown, and perhaps some uncollected names—when this party had assembled as aforesaid, at the hour of 10.35, post meridian, the Mayor gave a fire alarm from box 43, and that was what created the commotion among the firemen. It was a test alarm, but the "laddies" did not know it and there was great scampering for the scene of the conflagration. The following is the order of the arrivals of the companies and the time they made;

FIRST ALARM.

H. & L. 1, 6 m.			
Hose 5,	7 " 20 s.	Water 1 m. 20 s.

Copeland & Bowser

have now the following

Seasonable Goods.

Summer Corsets at 50c., 75c. and $1.00.

Boys' Shirt Waists, 17, 25, 38 and 50 cents.

Pongees, Tissues, Challies and other Dress Goods suitable for summer wear.

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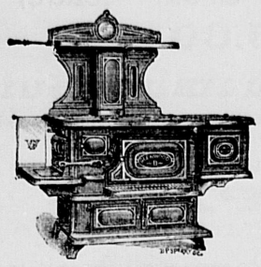

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Farming Tools and Garden Seeds of all kinds. Stoves stored for the Summer. Blacked and set up in the Fall at reasonable rates.

[For the Woburn Journal.]

"An Honest Man is the Noblest Work Of God."

About 50 years ago the late George Winn and I sold to D. D. Hart of Woburn a lot of cordwood for $500, for which Mr. Hart gave us his promissory note. He was then a young man and the first business engaged in by him was teaming wood to Boston and expressing goods and merchandise from Boston to Woburn. Teaming was done mostly by oxen there being but few horses in those days. Mr. Hart worked early and late, but he was unfortunate and did not succeed in his first enterprise. He became involved and finally failed.

At this time he came to my house late one evening in a great hurry and said to my wife: "Aunt Abby, I have called on a very unpleasant mission," and then passed me a paper with a request that I would sign it. It was an agreement that we, the creditors of D. D. Hart, would take 50 percent on our claims against him. I signed the paper.

In a short time Mr. Hart came and paid me 50 percent and I gave him his note.

Some years after that, Mr. Hart came to my house again about the same hour in the evening and said: "Uncle William and Aunt Abby, I feel different from what I did when I came here 9 years ago." He handed me a roll of bank bills and the old note with the remark: "you cast the interest on the note up to this date, and then see if this roll of money, with the 50 percent you received, don't pay it in full." I said to Mr. Hart that the proceeding was unusual. Hart's reply was: "I mean to pay my debts. After you and I are dead and gone your children can't say to my children, 'Your father paid my father only 50 percent of what he owed him.'"

The writer of this being 82 years old and having lived all his life within two miles of Woburn Centre has known many young men who did not at first succeed in business; who failed, and compromised with their creditors by paying a percent of their debts; and after this the most of them went into business again and became successful, and had everything that heart could desire, and in the enjoyment of it they never stopped to think whose money they were spending, nor seemed to care.

I have never known of but one man in this community in all these 82 years who failed and compromised with his creditors and afterwards regained his financial footing who came forward and paid the balance of what he honestly owed, and that man was D. D. Hart of Woburn. When he died, after a long, active and successful business career, he owed no man a dollar

I have many times wished there were more D. D. Hart's in this community.

WILLIAM WINN.

Woburn, July, 1891.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

Republican Press Club.

An adjourned meeting of the Massachusetts Editors who projected the organization of a Republican Press Club was held at the Parker House Wednesday afternoon. Mr. A. M. Bridgman of the Brockton *Dispatch*, temporary President, occupied the chair, and Mr. F. H. Miller of the Hingham *Journal* was Secretary. The meeting adopted by-laws, as follows:

The name of the organization shall be "The Republican Press Club of Massachusetts." It shall be open to any Republican Editor in Massachusetts. The objects shall be to promote the success of Republican principles and the election of Republican candidates. The annual fee shall be $1. Regular meetings shall be held on the first Wednesdays of July, August, September and October, and special meetings may be called by the Executive Committee.

It was desired especially to draw attention to the following, which was adopted under the heading of Article 4, as showing the harmonizing of editorial freedom with mutual counsel:

"In order to secure the greatest harmony, combined with the greatest independence of action, no motion shall be passed that will in any way infringe upon the right of any member to act in public matters according to his best judgment."

The following officers were elected:

President, Joseph L. Shipley, Springfield *Union*; Vice President, Albert Clarke, *Home Market Bulletin*; Corresponding Secretary, A. M. Bridgman, Brockton *Dispatch*; Recording Secretary, F. H. Miller, Hingham *Journal*; Treasurer, Edmond Anthony, Jr., New Bedford *Standard*; Executive Committee, W. H. Cook, Milford *Journal*; J. B. Maccabe, East Boston *Argus*; A. P. Cristy, Worcester *Telegram*; W. C. Hinman, Berkshire *Courier*; C. L. McCleary, Lowell *Mail*; Butler R. Wilson, Boston *Courant*; Charles L. Parker, Arlington *Advocate*.

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North Woburn.

It would be no easy task to convince Supt. Sewell of the N. W. St. Railroad Co., Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel S. Watson, Mr. Jonathan Tidd, Captain Rufus Poole and lady, that Nutting's Pond in Billerica is not the finest camping-out grounds in North America, for they have tried it and know whereof they speak. They have been occupying their rustic cottage up there this week and albeit the mosquitoes are large and numerous and the frogs unmelodious in that neighborhood these good people solemnly aver that they never had such a good time in all their lives as they have had there. Knock off a good sized percent from their statements for the enthusiasm of it and probably a fairly correct result would be reached as to the actual amount of pleasure these denizens of the North Village enjoyed during their late camping visit to Nutting's Pond.

This village deeply sympathize with Mr. Andrew R. Linscott in his recent loss of a dearly beloved wife, and his children in their loss of a kind and indulgent mother. Mrs. Mary H. Linscott, wife of ex-Alderman Andrew R. Linscott of Ward 6, died at her pleasant home here on last Saturday morning after an illness of only a few days of typhoid pneumonia. The sad event was unexpected and therefore a heavy blow to the deeply bereaved family and every member of this community, by whom she was highly esteemed and greatly beloved. She had but lately returned from a European trip, an event which the JOURNAL recorded only a week or two ago. She was warmly welcomed back by family and friends, no one of whom could have dreamed that her days on earth were so soon to be ended. But who can tell? Mrs. Linscott was a lady of many sterling virtues. She possessed superior intellectual gifts which had been well cultivated in her youth and strengthened in mature years by study and observation. She was a woman who under any circumstances would exert a wide and beneficial influence, and command respect for her mental traits and accomplishments. Better than these, Mrs. Linscott possessed a warm heart and a benevolent disposition; she exercised charity towards human failings; she cheerfully made allowances for the frailties of human nature—and every body loved and esteemed her. In their sore bereavement Mr. Linscott and family may be sure that they have the warmest sympathy of everyone who has any acquaintance with them or ever had with the lamented wife, mother and the kindest of friends.

The funeral of Mrs. Linscott took place last Tuesday afternoon the services being held in the Unitarian chapel, North Woburn. The chapel was entirely filled and numbers could not gain admission. Beside relatives and neighbors there were present delegations from Burbank Woman's Relief Corps, 84; Unitarian Ladies Sewing Society; the whole of her large Sunday School class; and several members of Company K, 39th Mass. Infantry Association, of which Mr. Linscott is a member. The service was conducted by Rev. H. C. Parker of the First Unitarian church in this city, and Rev. Leander Thompson. The Ladies Schuman Quartet rendered three appropriate selections. The bearers were George W. Barker, Daniel W. Bond, Elijah Rollins, Nathaniel S. Watson, Rufus F. Poole, Edward Munyan. The floral offerings were numerous, and among the set pieces were a pillow inscribed "W. C. T. U.;" cross from Boston friends; Maltese cross from Woman's Relief Corps 84; star, inscribed "Teacher," from Sunday School pupils; harp, Ladies Sewing Society, and an anchor from relatives. The ceremonies were very impressive.

[For the Woburn Journal.]

Home for Aged Couples.

One of the most beautiful of Boston's charities is the Home for Aged Couples at Roxbury. The entrance is on Walnut Ave., between Seaver and School streets, and the approach through winding avenues is very pleasing. Built as it was for a private residence the building is a real home in appearance. The wide hall and staircase is of old time design, and an air of comfort pervades. On the left of the hall is the reception room where we are welcomed by the pleasant little matron who after we have rested a little shows us over the Home.

On the right hand is the long parlor where meetings are held. Among the names of ministers who have given their services is that of Rev. Geo. H. Young, at one time pastor of the Unitarian church at Woburn.

The rooms above, spacious and well furnished, are the homes of eight refined and pleasant aged couples, who through sorrow have lost their own homes and are here cared for as by their children. There are six others who though their partners in life have died here still continue to find it a home.

The grounds around are beautiful, with lawns and shaded avenues in front and a garden in the rear where flowers, fruits and vegetables are raised.

This charity is sustained by a corporation of which Elizabeth Abbott Carleton, M. D., is President and has entered upon its eighth year.—H.

"The Care and Feeding of Infants" is the title of a most valuable little book issued by the proprietors of Mellin's Food, the Doliber Goodale Co., 41 Central Wharf, Boston, Mass. It will be of great assistance to every mother in feeding her child. Send for a copy; it will be mailed free to any address.

WINCHESTER.

Mary Emerson is at Lebanon, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson are at Duxbury.

Rev. D. A. Newton is enjoying his vacation.

Lord Fox and family are at Marblehead Neck.

W. W. Love was at Brant Rock a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Foote are traveling in the West.

Mr. H. A. Emerson and family are at Laconia, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Holbrook are visiting at Londondery, N. H.

Mrs. Grace and Maud Armsly are at Hillsboro' Bridge, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kennedy were at Monument Beech last week.

It seems as though nearly everybody was away on vacation pleasures bent.

Miles Holbrook and Frank Enma are at Cumberland Foreside, near Portland, Me.

Mrs. C. A. Cutter, Gerald C. Cutter, Grace B. Cutter visited Jackson, N. H., last week.

Last week the register at Hotel Pilgrim at Plymouth contained the names of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Eustes.

The following young ladies are at So. Dartmouth on Buzzard's Bay under the chaperonage of Mrs. Thompson of Rangely, and are having a delightful time: Misses Edith Burton, Edith Thompson, Charlotte Skillings, Florian Webster, Lizzie Redfern, Edith Kimball, Marion French and Clara Robinson, who were joined by Miss Perley Wilder of Newton.

This town met with a great loss in the death of Mr. Charles H. Dunham which occurred at his residence last Tuesday after an illness of a few weeks. He was a prominent townsman and also a well known Boston business man; a man of marked individuality, great integrity, and commanded the respect of everyone. He held many posts of trust and honor in the affairs of Winchester, and his death will be deeply lamented.

The *Star* deserves to be talked to severely for advocating the erection of an ice fountain in our streets. Don't the man at the helm of that most excellent paper know that ice taken internally is about as sure death as ratsbane?—that it is rank poison?—Where has he been for the last few years? Why, Sir, icewater went out of fashion nearly half a dozen years ago, and yet you are insisting that this community shall pay money to scatter this poison broadcast over the land!

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Literary Notices.

THE COTTAGE HEARTH for August is a very attractive and interesting mid-summer number of one of the best magazines published in the country. Generally speaking the idea is to slack up a little in vacation time, but the publishers of THE COTTAGE HEARTH are not given that way very much—they keep right on doing their best all the time. Bear fresh in mind, Reader, that we give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2 per an.) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1 50 per an.) for $2, paid strictly IN ADVANCE.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for August 1891, contains many papers well fitted for summer reading. Among these are: New Chapters in the Warfare of Science, The Value of Statistics, The Development of American Industries Since Columbus, Hypocracy as a social Debaser, The Practical Outcome of Science, Dress and Adornment, Prof. Huxley and the Swine Miracle, Illustrations of Gladstones controversial Methods, Head-flattening as Seen Among the Navajo Indians, Ginseng in Common, Editor's Table, Literary Notices, etc. Published by D. Appleton & Co., N. Y., at $5 per annum.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for July 18th and 25th contain Social Aspects of American Life, and The Bombardment of Iquique, Archbishop Magee, A Diligence Journey in Spain, The Simian Tongue, Jewish Colonies in Spain, On the Swiss-French Frontier, Moltke as a Man of Letters, The Rise of British Dominion in India, by Sir Alfred Lyall, and Extracts from some Unpublished Letters of Charlotte Bronte, Richard Jefferies, and The Marriage of Frances Cromwell, Richard Jefferies, The Inns of Court, Statesmen of Europe, Austria, with instalments of Two Old Men, Melissa's Tour, Miss Winter's Hero, and Madame La Commandante, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

In these warm days when one feels inclined to spend a good deal of time in keeping cool and quiet, it is restful to sit down with a good periodical to read; and no better one can be found than the midsummer number of PETERSON'S MAGAZINE. Unlike the PETERSON of old days, which consisted entirely of stories, the new PETERSON offers numerous features, which appeal to the entire family circle. It is profusely and handsomely illustrated, and got up in a manner that makes it rank with the four dollar magazines in appearance, as it has long done in merit. Its stories and poems are from the pens of many of our leading authors and its illustrated articles and miscellaneous papers are always as interesting as they are varied. Everybody should read the illustrated paper on Spoons and Spoon Cases; it is exceedingly entertaining and full of useful information, and the photogravures of souvenir and historical spoons are admirable. The August number is a capital specimen of this fine magazine. Terms, $2.00 a year; $1.00 for six months. Address, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, Philadelphia.

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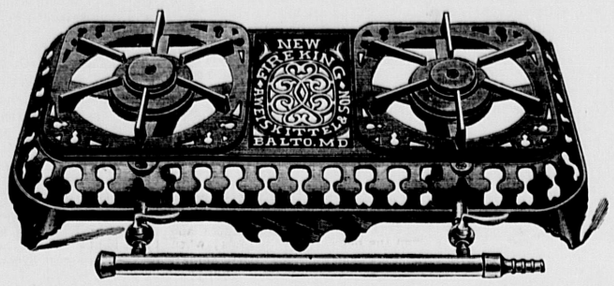

— AND — HEATING.

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The Local Newspaper.

The public have little appreciation of the value of well conducted local newspapers. Their offices of beneficence to the community are so common that they are unnoted, but none the less no town or city can advance without its newspapers are in the forefront of advancement. They are the life of the community. They must lead in every effort to invite capital, enlarge industries and enthuse the people in the use of their advantages.

The local newspaper is the one newspaper that should command the patronage of the community. If only one journal can be taken in a family it should be the one published at home. There is now little excuse for any person of ordinary intelligence not taking a city daily with the local newspapers, since the best can be had for a nominal cost; but there should ever be the heartiest accord and sympathy between the local newspaper and the community.—*Philadelphia Times.*

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PROBATE COURT.

To the Next of Kin and others interested in the estate of Catherine Kelly, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, Thomas Salmon, the Administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate and has applied for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge, in said County, on the fourth Tuesday of July instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And said Administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, in the WOBURN JOURNAL, a newspaper printed at Woburn three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this nineth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Executor's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9, 1891, the subscriber, Executor of the will of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on Monday, the third day of August, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn on the easterly side of Washington street, containing about three-sixteenths of an acre bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Washington street; northeasterly and easterly by the old Canal bed; and southerly by land of Heirs of Charles Porter, deceased.

$100.00 of the purchase will be required at time of sale: balance in 10 days.

THOMAS CONNELL, Executor of the will of Michael Connell.

For futher particulars inquire of J. G. Maguire, Attorney for Executor, 396 Main street, Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 15, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law next of kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Robert W. Parker, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John W. Johnson, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will, and that he may be exempt from giving any surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statue;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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Administrator's Sale

— OF —

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By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated July 7th, 1891, the subscriber, Administrator of the estate of Ann Doherty, late of Woburn in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on Monday, July 27th, 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Sheridan street, containing about nineteen thousand six hundred and two (19,602) square feet, bounded as follows, namely:—

Southerly on and by said Sheridan street about one hundred and ninety-eight (198) feet; westerly by land of Sewell Taylor ninety-nine and one-half (99½) feet; northerly by land of Gallagher and Landragan about one hundred and ninety-nine (199) feet; and easterly by land of James Doherty about ninety-nine and one-half (99½) feet.

$100.00 of purchase money will be required to be paid by the purchaser at time and place of sale; balance in ten days.

HUGH McCAFFERTY, Administrator of the Estate of Ann Doherty.

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Text of the Lesson, John iii, 1-17—Commit Verses, 14-17—Golden Text, John iii, 16—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "There was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews."

He belonged to the most religious sect among the Jews, and we may hope that he was an exception to the description given by the Saviour in Math. xxiii, 5, 28.

2. "The same came to Jesus by night, and said unto Him, Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God, for no man can do these miracles that thou doest except God be with him."

See him now in the presence of Jesus, probably a sincere, upright, religious man, but a man without Life (I John v, 12). But he is interested, and he is thoughtful and inquiring. He has seen some of the wonders wrought by Jesus, and he is persuaded that Jesus is no ordinary man.

3. "Jesus answered, and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God."

Regardless of Nicodemus' flattering words He sees the need of his heart, and at once tells him the only way by which it can be met; he must be born from above (margin), or anew (R. V.). Not religiousness nor outward reformation, but a new creation (II Cor. v, 17).

4. "Nicodemus saith unto Him, How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter the second time into his mother's womb and be born?"

This reply proves that Nicodemus is only a natural man; he does not understand spiritual things, they are foolishness unto him (I Cor. ii, 14). He has not yet learned the A, B, C of true religion. There are multitudes now of religious people, members of churches, like him.

5. "Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the Kingdom of God."

It is probable that Nicodemus, like Joseph of Arimathea, was one of those who waited for the kingdom of God, or, in other words, like Anna, "looked for redemption in Israel" (Luke xxiii, 51; ii, 38), and because he was a good religious Jew thought that of course he must be a child of the kingdom; but see Math. viii, 11, 12. Jesus now repeats what He had said before, but enlarges by explaining that the new birth is by water and the Spirit.

6. "That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is Spirit."

If a person could be born again in a natural way a dozen times he would be no nearer the kingdom, for ever since Adam sinned all, without exception, are born in sin, and are by nature children of wrath.

7. "Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again."

When God says "must" there can be no other way. He has therefore forever settled it that every soul not born from above is excluded from the kingdom.

8. "The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh and whither it goeth; so is every one that is born of the Spirit."

"He bringeth the wind out of His treasuries." "He causeth His wind to blow." "The stormy wind fulfills His word" (Ps. cxxxv, 7; cxlvii, 18; cxlviii, 8). The wind is His messenger, doing His work as pleaseth Him, and is visible only by its effects. So the Spirit of God works in the soul.

9. "Nicodemus answered and said unto Him, How can these things be?"

He is still a natural man trying to see spiritual things; a blind man wondering what the light is like; an earthly man puzzled over heavenly things; an intellectual, religious man lacking the one thing needful; but thank God he is inquiring.

10. "Jesus answered and said unto him, Art thou a master (the teacher—R. V.) of Israel, and knowest not these things?"

As a teacher of Israel he should have known that God regarded the heart more than the outward appearance.

11. "Verily, verily, I say unto thee, We speak that we do know, and testify that we have seen; and ye receive not our witness."

In another place He so speaks of His oneness with the Father, and of the Father's speaking the words and doing the works through Him (John xiv, 10), that I conclude that the "we" here refers to the Father and Himself.

12. "If I have told you earthly things, and ye believe not, how shall ye believe if I tell you heavenly things?"

The very first requisite to believing heavenly things is to receive Jesus as the Son of God and our personal Saviour.

13. "And no man hath ascended up to heaven but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of Man which is in heaven."

In chapter i, 18, John spoke of Him as "in the bosom of the Father," and here He speaks of Himself as "the Son of Man which is in heaven." Although now seated at the Father's right hand in heaven, yet wherever two or three meet in His name He is in the midst.

14. "And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up."

Here is another "must," and if this "must" had never become an accomplished fact the new birth had been an impossibility.

15. "That whosoever believeth in Him, should not perish, but have eternal life."

Israel murmured at God's way and God's bread (Num. xxi, 4, 5). He then sent serpents that bit them, and much people died. Moses prayed, and at God's command erected a brazen serpent upon a pole, and all who looked upon it lived. The serpent lifted up on the pole would suggest that which had bitten them as dead and harmless.

16. "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Let every one write out this verse, inserting their own name instead of the words "the world" and "whosoever," gratefully receive the glorious fact, and thus by the Word and Spirit be born again.

17. "For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved."

Reader, are you saved? Are you glad that you shall never perish? Are you thankful to Jesus, who came from heaven and suffered in your stead that you might have eternal life? Do you believe that people in Africa, India, China, Japan and the Islands of the sea might have eternal life, too, if they could only hear about this wondrous Love of God and wonderful Jesus? If so, what are you doing or willing to do about it? Tell Jesus.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

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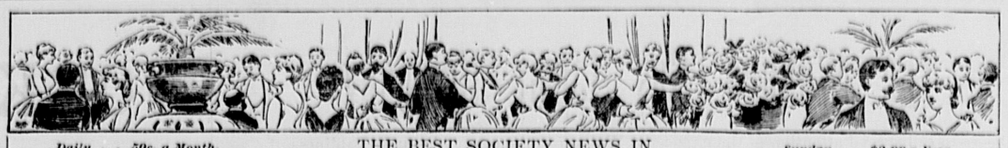

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TIRED.

What though we're tired, my heart and I,
It matters not—there's more to come;
We must live on, we cannot die,
Must rise and gird our armor on.

We must be strong, my heart and I,
For heavy burdens weigh us down,
They press so hard, yet they must try
To lift the cross who'd wear the crown.

We must be brave, my heart and I,
We have no time to give to tears
For broken hopes, that ruined lie
Along the pathway of the years.

We must look up, my heart and I,
Straight on, where Faith and Hope are seen,
With eager step and earnest eye,
With steady trust and steadfast mien.

Look up, not down; look on, not back,
And grasp the hand of Faith secure,
For "not a good thing shall he lack"
Who thus "through all things shall endure."

"Tired out," you say; nay, nay, not so!
For "as the day, thy strength shall be,"
And he who bids you "Rise and go,"
Has also said, "Come, follow me!"

He does not ask that we should tread
A path he has not gone before;
Then follow, without fear or dread,
For he will guide you, doubt no more.
—Lucy Leggett in Good Housekeeping.

The Duty of Not Getting Tired.

Are you one of the women who say, "I am perfectly well, only I get tired easily?" If you do you are one of thousands. And yet, little woman, don't you know that getting tired easily is just of itself a disease? It shows a letting down of the vital forces that requires attention and toning up. You need first of all more rest, not necessarily more hours of sleep at night, but little half hours of rest snatched here and there in your hours of work.

And by rest isn't meant simply the physical rest that comes from lying down. Don't lie down to think over your plans for economy, or for entertaining, or for anything else. When you lie down to rest shut your eyes and stop thinking. Ten minutes of this is better than an hour of the other.

Then you need more food probably. Not more food at meals necessarily, but food taken oftener. Instead of waiting until luncheon take a cup of beef tea during the forenoon. In the afternoon take a glass of milk and a biscuit if that agrees with you, or an egg lemonade if that suits you better.

And then get a little fresh air every day. Get it any way, if you have to cut short manicuring your nails or saying your prayers to do it. And get it in the exercise of walking if you can.—New York Evening Sun.

A Scared Hired Man.

A native of the verdant isle, who had newly arrived in America, was hired by a gentleman as a gardener. The country place on which he was to work was on the shore of Long Island sound, the waters coming to within a few rods of the house. Besides his care of the garden, Pat was supposed to be the custodian of an ancient donkey, who had many eccentricities, and who Pat declared to be the "cleverest baste that iver wore a tail." One evening, as the family were at dinner, the Irishman came tearing up the veranda and into the hall. "Come quick, sor!" he cried, through the open door. "Come quick. The ass is in the say, and a-lepping to get out." And hurrying his master to the shore he pointed wildly to the creek, where, in the placid summer waters, a school of porpoises were rolling in uncouth gambols, looking really not unlike an enormous beast struggling in the waves.—New York Tribune.

Shrewd Delivery Boys.

The boys who deliver packages for the dry goods stores have a shrewd trick by which they make a few extra pennies. As every one knows, dry goods are never sold for even money, but foot up bills that always end with either fifty-seven, forty-nine or twenty-seven cents. The boys are always given a generous supply of small coin to make change with when they deliver goods sent C. O. D. They pretend, however, never to have it, and, as there is seldom the right change in the house, they get the odd pennies.

And the little fellows deserve them.—New York Herald.

Done by a Mean Man.

The meanest man on record lives in Union county. He sold his son-in-law one-half of a cow, and then he refused to divide the milk, maintaining that he sold only the front half. The son-in-law was also required to provide the feed the cow consumed, and compelled to carry water to her three times a day. Recently the cow hooked the old man, and now he is suing his son-in-law for damages.—Vandalia Gazette.

In 1821 was taken the first complete record of the population of the United Kingdom. The population was then 21,272,187. In 1831 it was 24,392,485; in 1841, 27,057,923; 1851, 27,745,949; 1861, 29,321,288; 1871, 31,845,379; 1881, 35,246,562.

Experiment has proved that if a delicate piece of lace be placed between an iron plate and a disk of gunpowder and the latter be detonated, the lace will be annihilated, but its impression will be clearly stamped on the iron.

It is estimated that $50,000,000 of the government's paper money supposed to be in circulation has been lost or destroyed. By the sinking of one vessel off the Atlantic coast some years ago $1,000,000 in greenbacks was lost.

A sugar, fifteen times sweeter than cane sugar and twenty times sweeter than beet sugar, is reported by a German chemist to be made from cottonseed meal. It cannot be sold to compete with the ordinary article.

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BITTEN BY A VENOMOUS COBRA.

Rapidity with Which the Poison Courses Though a Victim's Veins.

The African cobra is known as the "spitting snake" on account of its power to throw its venom quite a distance into the eyes of its enemy. It is a lazy reptile, save when stirred to anger, when it cannot be equaled for swiftness and accuracy in spitting or biting its victim.

The spitting is accomplished by expelling the breath sharply through the mouth, so that the soapy venom flies straight as a pea thrown from a pipe into the victim's eyes.

This cobra attains the length of six feet, and is large and powerful. It is doubly formidable from the fact that it can swim in the rivers very swiftly, and has no fear. In swimming the cobra moves along very rapidly, with its snout and beady eyes just above the water's surface.

"When I was stationed with my regiment in Ceylon I had experiences with the Indian breed of cobra that were very exciting," says Lieutenant Jephson.

"My servants rushed into the bungalow one morning, begging me to save the life of a man who had been bitten by a cobra. I hastened out on to the veranda, to find a crowd of men and women bringing in a man in a state of semi-unconsciousness. They showed me two deep red spots in his instep, where the serpent's fangs had been.

"I felt of his legs, and found that they were already 'stone' cold, although the man had been bitten but ten minutes before.

"Drawing my knife from my pocket I opened the sharpest blade and proceeded at once to cut deeply into the man's instep around the bitten part and cut the flesh away. Meanwhile I had sent in for a redhot poker.

"When the iron came I pressed its glowing end forcibly against the wound, searing the flesh about the instep. Then I poured a quart of whisky down the poor wretch's throat as rapidly as possible.

"He was so paralyzed from the effect of the swift poison that he suffered no pain from the searing of his flesh, but murmured only:

"'Burn, Dory, burn!'

"I watched him anxiously for half an hour, when he was able to open his eyes. Then I gave him more whisky, and found that his pulse was much better. Another hour found him able to rise, after which I had the servants exercise him as much as possible in order to counteract the deadly coma which constantly came on.

"The next morning the man was quite well save for the deep wound in his instep. I am sorry to say that he was always lame afterward, for it seems that I had severed a cord in his instep in my surgical attempt. But he became a sort of a pensioner in my bungalow, following me around as a grateful dog would do.

"I used to point to him with pride when my guests were present and say, I cured that man of a cobra's bite.'

"There is a vine which grows in India called the aristolochia indica which has cured many persons bitten by cobras, I am informed. They say that they crush a young leaf and apply it to the wound as soon as possible after the bite is inflicted."—San Francisco Examiner.

To Tell When a Car Is Loaded.

A device that will enable a railroad employe to determine when a car is loaded consistent with safety or with economical wear has been a "long felt want" in railroad circles. An apparatus has been invented to supply this demand, and owing to its simplicity it is likely to come into general favor. The device consists of two distinct parts, the upper part being attached to the truck above the spring on the side of the car, while the other part is fixed below the spring.

An adjustable pin is carried by the top part, and the bottom end of this touches the index finger that works over the dial of the bottom piece. When the apparatus is once adjusted the index, as the car is loaded, will indicate on the dial "full load" or "overloaded," as the case may be.—Exchange.

Slang in 1832.

In 1832 Coleridge, in his "Table Talk," spoke of the word talented as follows: "I regret to see that vile and barbarous vocable 'talented' stealing out of the newspapers into the leading reviews and most respectable publications of today. Why not 'shillinged,' 'farthinged,' 'tenpenced,' etc.! The formation of a participle passive from a noun is a license which nothing but a very peculiar felicity can excuse. If mere convenience is to justify such attempts upon the idiom, you cannot stop till the language becomes, in the proper sense of the word, corrupt. Most of these pieces of slang come from America."

California's Model Constitution.

California's first constitution was adopted in 1849, and the state has had a new constitution since then. It was adopted in 1876, and furnishes an admirable illustration of the manner in which people who do not enjoy the benefit of the town meeting provide for the most minute and intimate subjects in the fundamental law of the state.—Henry Loomis Nelson in Harper's.

Nocturnal Musings.

First Thespian (500 miles from home, but cheerful)—It'll be lovely in a little while; the stars'll be out!

Hamlet (a failure)—What care I for other stars; they can never be as much out as I am.—Life.

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Louisiana has a home near New Orleans, and the state grants it $10,000 a year.

TWO CITIES COMPARED.

New England Cities Make the Best Showing Because of Public Spirit.

The cities of Worcester, Mass., and Syracuse, N. Y., illustrate generally the differences between New England and Middle states city governments. In 1880 the two cities were nearly equal in population. They are both manufacturing cities, situated in the interior, and surrounded by agricultural communities. In 1880 Syracuse had 92 miles of streets, 17 3-4 miles of which were paved. The annual cost of maintaining these highways was about $35,000. For the same cost Worcester maintained 197 miles of streets, all of which were paved.

The water works of Syracuse were owned by a private corporation, those of Worcester by the city. Syracuse had no parks, unless a small square or two may be thus dignified; Worcester had about thirty-five acres of parks. The drainage system of Worcester was much more elaborate and perfect than that of Syracuse. While it cost Syracuse from $10,000 to $12,000 a year to clean its ninety-two miles of streets, it cost Worcester only $3,300 to clean its 197 miles of streets.

The police force of Worcester was larger and more expensive than that of Syracuse. On an expenditure of $104,896 the New York city maintained eighteen schools, in which were taught about 7,000 pupils; the Massachusetts city maintained thirty-six schools and instructed 9,000 children for $139,722. The fire department of the one consisted of four steam engines, one fire extinguisher, one hook and ladder truck and five hose carriages; that of the other had five steam engines, twelve hose carriages, one extinguisher and three hook and ladder trucks. The annual cost of the first was $31,589, of the second $38,840.

A similar story might be told of almost any two cities taken indiscriminately from New England and from any other section of the country. The abode of the vigilant citizen in the United States is in that part of the country where the town meeting breeds a fine public spirit. Boston, with all its drawbacks and limitations, is governed with a higher regard and a more jealous care for the rights of private citizens than is any other city of its size in the Union.—Henry L. Nelson in Harper's.

The Secret of Keeping One's Temper.

A merchant in Alexandria had a dispute with a fellah, as a peasant is called, about the settlement of an account. The merchant was determined to bring the question to the court, to which the fellah objected. Desiring to make a last effort, the fellah called at the merchant's office one morning and asked the servant if his master was in. The merchant, hearing the inquiry and knowing who it was, called aloud from the office:

"Tell that rascal that I am not in."

The fellah, looking up toward him, calmly said:

"Well, sahib, God put thee in a better mind."

The merchant was struck with the meekness of this reply, and having looked more carefully into the matter he became convinced that the fellah was right and he in the wrong. He sent for the fellah, and after acknowledging his error he said:

"I want to ask you one question. How were you able to bear my abuse with such patience?"

"Sahib," replied the fellah, "I will tell thee. I was naturally as hot and violent as thou art. I knew that to indulge this temper was sinful, and I found that it was imprudent. I observed that men in a passion often speak loud, and I thought that if I could control my voice I should repress my passion. I have therefore made it a rule never to suffer my voice to rise above a certain key, and by carefully observing this rule I have entirely mastered my natural temper."—Philadelphia Times.

Hectic.

It was a cheap little clock, warranted to run three years, but it actually did keep on for six, and then, one morning, suddenly refused to do its duty longer. It was wound, shaken and then given up in despair.

Another series of efforts disclosed the fact that it would start for a moment and then stop.

"There!" said grandma, in one of its active intervals. "I think it's all right now."

"Oh, no, indeed," said Charlie. "It will stop in another minute."

"I don't know about that. It's ticking."

"Yes, but you can tell by the sound that something is the matter. This isn't a good, healthy tick. It's only a sort of a hectic."—Youth's Companion.

The Bargain Was Not Closed.

"He that will not when he may," is likely to repent his indecision for many a long day afterward. A lady who had spent a weary hour in "beating down" the salesman at a Turkish shop in Paris, returned the next day prepared to purchase. "I believe you said twenty francs," she began, taking out her purse. "Ninety, madame!" answered the smiling Turk. "But you came down to twenty!" "Ah, that was yesterday, madame! Everything goes up again in the night!"—Youth's Companion.

A Slow Train.

Brakeman—Passengers is not allowed on th' platforms, sir, when the train is in motion.

Passenger—Beg pardon. I will go in. I did not notice that the train was in motion.—New York Weekly.

A Fortunate Woman.

Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., has reason to be very thankful. She was a great sufferer from heart disease for years. Was short of breath, had hungry spells, pain in her side, fluttering, faintness, etc. After taking two bottles of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, she says, "I am better than for 20 years. My mind and eyesight have improved wonderfully. I advise all peasons thus afflicted to use this great remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss druggist. Dr. Miles' work on Heart Disease, containing marvelous testimonials, free.

She Had a Good Cook.

A stout and very red faced woman of middle age, liberally besprinkled with diamonds, alighted from an oppressively new victoria the other day in front of a swell jeweler's shop on Broadway. She stared long time at a collection of odd spoons in the window, and then sailed in and up to the nearest clerk.

"What kind of spoons are thim?" she demanded, sticking a pudgy forefinger at the articles in question.

"Those are souvenir spoons, Madame," politely replied the clerk.

"Indade," said Madame, drawing in her breath. "Well, you may just do me up a dozen of thim. Our new Frinch cook makes lovely suveneer."—*New York Times.*

How Nice

Miss Bell is looking, Addie. Yes Laura. Why, only a year ago her face was completely covered with pimples, blotches, and sores. She told Mother that she owed her nice, clear complexion to her using Sulphur Bitters. Well, Laura, I shall try them too.

It's Larceny to Cheat the Publisher.

A newspaper in Ohio recently brought suit against forty-three men who would not pay their subscriptions, and obtained judgment in each case for the amount of each claim. Of these twenty-eight made affidavit that they owned no more than the law allowed, thus preventing attachment. Then, under the decision of the Supreme Court, they were arrested for petit larceny and bound over in the sum of $300 each. All but six gave bond, which six went to jail. The new postal law makes it larceny to take a paper and refuse to pay for it.—*Toledo Blade.*

I have not used all of one bottle yet. I suffered from catarrh for twelve years, experiencing the nauseating dropping in the throat peculiar to that disease, and nose bleed almost daily. I tried various remedies without benefit until last April, when I saw Ely's Cream Balm advertised in the Boston *Budget*. I procured a bottle, and since the first days' use have had no more bleeding—the soreness is entirely gone.—D. G. Davidson, with the Boston *Budget*, formedly with Boston *Journal*.

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Superstition.

If we could search into other persons' minds in the majority of them we should find ideas and theories dating back to the ages of superstition. If parents are so unfortunate as to be superstitious they should the more earnestly endeavor to keep their little ones' minds free from a similar taint. We have enough trouble to endure in our journey through life without seeing it ahead of us before we come to it. Often after a great deal of low spirits and worry over imaginary coming trials they never come, and had we met them unexpectedly we should not have had any more fret or grief than we have already suffered, since we had, or fancied we had, the omen which foretold them.

I know persons who will be miserable for days after a bad dream, constantly expecting some evil to befall them; others are always endeavoring to ascertain the future significance of every present event. Why should we burden our little ones' minds with such nonsense? It can be but an incubus at the best to think that one knows what is going to happen. The child who is thus taught is cruelly wronged, and given a weapon which can hurt none but the possessor (unless he, too, transmits it to his childen); but upon him it can work grievous evil and cloud many hours which otherwise might have been entirely care free and happy.

Among the uneducated superstition often runs riot, and one sometimes meets with ideas that are fairly bloodcurdling. It would be wise if mothers would pay rather more attention than they usually do to the fancies their little ones may be imbibing from nurses and servants.—Mrs. S. H. Snider in Housekeepers' Weekly.

America's Inexhaustible Coal Supply.

To get an idea of the probably inexhaustible coal supply, compare America with England. Some years ago an investigation was made to ascertain how long the supply of coal would last in that country. The drain upon the mines there is not alone for the manufacturing in Sheffield, Manchester, London and the other cities, but English coal is exported to far away countries.

In 1874 the output of the mines of the world was 260,000,000 tons, of which England furnished 125,000,000 tons, or about one-half. Investigation showed that the supply, within 4,000 feet of the surface which was available, was so great that at this average of 125,000,000 tons a year it would not be exhausted for 1,120 years. England has a coal area of 12,000 square miles, while in the United States the area is 120,000, or ten times as great. Consequently, if one-half the output for the world were to come from mines in this country at the rate of consumption when the investigation was made the supply would last 11,200 years.

But it has been found that as the world grows the consumption of coal increases in a geometric ratio, so that this period cannot be counted on as the time when the supply will be exhausted. It is enough to say that the supply in the United States is practically inexhaustible, and that as a coal producing country the United States is without a rival.—Interview in New York Times.

Gettysburg and Chickamauga.

It was at Gettysburg and Chickamauga that our American armies were at their best and did their best. Never were they—either before or after those memorable engagements—so strong, so well officered, so fierce, so determined to win, so resolved not to yield. They were then, we repeat, at their best—containing none but seasoned troops under veteran officers, inured to war, both armies confident of victory, and pretty nearly, taking all things together, equally matched. And no one can read the story of those great battles without being proud of his country and his race, for never was there more resolute and obstinate and gallant fighting done, nor ever were severe losses more unshrinkingly borne.

Nor can it be truly said of either of these battles that the beaten army did not fight as hard and as long as its more successful antagonist. There is glory enough for all. Hence it is fitting that both fields—Gettysburg and Chickamauga—should be dedicated to the perpetual remembrance of the great battles so worthily fought there.—John C. Ropes in Scribner's.

Profitable Sea Dream.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.26, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P.M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.26 9.26, P.M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.06, 7.38, 7.48, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.36, 6.44, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M. Sunday, 5.26, P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.30 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.30, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 6.42 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, *10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, w9.15, P. M.

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The Woburn Journal

"WHO COMES HERE?"

"Halt! Who comes here?"

"Friends with the countersign!"

"Advance one and give me the countersign!"

It was the relief going the rounds to change the pickets, and I was dropped out at post No. 7. We had fought Lee all day long on the strangest battlefield of the whole war—in the Wilderness. From right to left flank, from front to rear, we were hemmed in by forest and thicket. There were swamps in which lizards and serpents lurked, thickets in which the coy whippoorwill built its nest, dense spots of forest which seemed never to have echoed the ring of the woodman's axe.

We had fought from tree to tree, from thicket to thicket, from glade to glade, pushing back the gray lines here, baffled and compelled to give ground at other points. Lee's lines barred the way. Never a man in his whole army whose musket barrel was not hot that day. Never a man who did not feel that he was fighting for the life of the Confederacy.

How the forest shook and trembled as the great guns sent their deadly missiles crashing through the foliage! How the thickets blazed up in flames, the severed limbs crashed down, the sunny glades turned dark as night with the powder smoke settling over them! The dead outnumbered the bushes. The wounded wailed and cried as I never heard them before or after. There was something so sombre—so grewsome—so unearthly in fighting a foe unseen in the semi-darkness that the shouting and cursing usually heard in the lines gave place to silence and pale faces.

Darkness had come at last, and the roar of battle had died away to a low growl. Grant had failed to drive Lee. We knew that from flank to flank. If he could not force a passage through those gray lines he could flank them. Before the sun went down we knew that he would do it. It was not yet night when the movement began, but my division would be one of the last to move, and we must hold our ground and prevent the Confederates from discovering what was taking place. It was a curious coincidence of war that Lee was also moving by the flank, both armies marching in parallel lines from a battlefield which had yielded neither victory nor defeat to either side.

Post No. 7 was under a large tree on the edge of a thicket. To the south there was a strip of open ground, then a thicket, then an old field in which stood a log cabin. It was a lonely place, well away from the camps, the dead and the dying, but I was glad to be alone. All along the lines there was a growling of musketry; but this was but a bluff—a bit of acting to cover the real design. I had been nearly an hour on the post without anything happening to alarm me, when I heard a person moving in the thicket across the open strip.

Was it a person? Riderless horses had galloped about that day almost without number; this might be one which had found shelter in that thicket.

Rustle! Rustle! Step! Step!"

It was a cautious movement. Who ever it was hoped to reach me without discovery, but there were dead leaves under foot, and the thicket was dense. A hare could not have moved without betraying its presence.

Rustle! Rustle!

Kneeling down so as to see under the darkness, as it were, I suddenly made out a black object against the dark back-ground. It is neither horse nor mule; it is a human being. A scout from the enemy's picket post, only a quarter of a mile away? A wounded man hobbling about to find succor? One of our own scouts returning?

"Who comes here?"

There is a silence of fifteen seconds, and then a woman's voice answers:

"I can't find the place! It is so dark I can't find it place!"

And it was a woman's voice, and it had a sob in it too. A woman there in the darkness between the hostile lines—with powder smoke still in the air, with stray bullets darting through the thickets with a whizz, as of some great insect stirred with anger!

"Who comes here?"

"I wish it wasn't so dark! I am so tired—so tired!" And then she came across the open strip toward me, making no stop, never hesitating, walking straight up to me as if she could see as well by night as in the sunshine of day.

"I can't find the place" she sobbed, as she came to a stop within arm's length.

"Good God, woman! but what are you doing here?" I gasped, almost terrified at her presence.

"See! see!" she replied, holding a bundle out toward me. "One time I saw a beautiful spot in the woods, and said to myself that if he died I would bury him there, but I can't find it—I can't find it!"

"What is it, woman? What have you got there?"

"See! see! Don't be afraid. He's dead. He can't speak or move. Take him!"

She put a bundle into my arms, and I cried out and let fall my musket. It was the body of a baby about a year and a half old. 'Dead? Yes! Dead from a cruel bullet which had pierced its little body and left a great wound which looked horrible to me in the dim light! Dead and cold and bathed in its own blood! Dead for hours! And when I reached out and touched the shawl or wrap worn by the mother my fingers burned at the feel of blood!

"I have carried him such a long, long way," she moaned, "and I have seen so many dead men and heard so many guns! You'll help me won't you—help me to find the place and bury poor baby?"

"Was it your baby? Did you live in the cabin beyond the thicket?" I asked, still holding the little corpse.

"He was so happy!" she said as she patted the little bare head with a motherly hand. "And I was so happy too! He won't never laugh and crow again, will he? I've got to find that beautiful place and bury him, haven't I? And you'll help me; yes, I know you will, for you don't swear and curse at me."

She had lost her mind. Think of it—an insane mother wandering over a bloody battlefield with her dead child in her arms! She had but one idea—to bury it in a beautiful dell which she had once visited—a dell in which Federal or Confederate were doubtless then burying their own dead.

I knew not what to do. I could not leave my post, and I did not want her to go wandering further. I was trying to soothe and quiet the woman when she suddenly cried out:

"Ah! It is not so dark now, and I can find the place. I'll go on ahead and dig the grave and do you follow on with baby. Poor baby! He won't know that he is buried, will he? I can find the place and you"—

"Come back! Come back!" I called to her as she fled away in the darkness, but she was 200 feet away as she answered me:

"I'll find the place! Poor, poor baby!"

And when the relief came I told the story and pointed to the bundle resting on the ground beside me.

"God pity her!" whispered the sergeant as he lifted his cap."

"God pity her!" echoed all the others as they stood uncovered around the poor little corpse.

Time meant human lives that night. Grant was moving by the flank; Lee was moving by the flank to match him. The morrow was to witness more slaughter—make thousands of other widows and orphans.

"Dig here," said the sergeant, and with our bayonets we scooped out a shallow grave in scarcely more than a minute's time.

"Carefully, now! Poor little thing! Now fill in. That will do. God knows where it lies. Fall in—forward, march!"

And yet men write of the glory of war.—*New York World.*

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at F. E Lovell's Drug Store.

To Increase the Supply of Rubber.

A resident of the Malay Peninsula, writing to a Ceylon paper suggests that it might be profitable if those owning properties in Ceylon would scatter broadcast a few bushels of seed of the Ceara rubber tree in the belts or useless jungles adjoining their estates. The Cears grows rapidly and thrives in jungle, while there is every probability that India rubber will increase in price to a considerable extent. A German syndicate propose to establish a large plantation in Mexico, in part of which the Ule tree flourishes, and an average-sized specimen yields twenty gallons of "milk," equivalent to forty pounds of dried rubber.—*English Mechanic.*

An Important Matter.

Druggists everywhere report that the sales of the Restorative Nervine—a nerve food and medicine—are astonishing; exceeding anything they ever had, while it gives universal satisfaction in headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, sexual debility, backache, poor memory, fits, dizziness, etc. L. Burton & Co., Troy, N. Y.; Ambery & Murphy, of Battle Creek, Mich.; C. B. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind., and hundreds of others state that they never handled any medicine which sold so rapidly, or gave such satisfaction. Trial bottles of this great medicine and book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss.

To Cut Glass With Scissors.

One can cut glass with a scissors as easily as though it were an autumn leaf. The entire secret consists in plunging the pane of glass into a tub of water, submerging also the hands and the scissors. The scissors will cut in straight lines without a flaw. This result is achieved in consequence of the absence of vibration. If the least portion of the scissors is left out of the water, the vibration will prevent the glass cutting.—*Post Dispatch.*

"Don't Care to Eat."

It is with the greatest confidence that Hood's Sarsaparilla is recommended for loss of appetite, indigestion, sick headache, and similar troubles. This medicine gently tones the stomach, assists digestion, and makes one "real hungry." Persons in delicate health, after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a few days, find themselves longing for and eating the plainest food with unexpected relish.

Dr. Nansen, in his recently published volume, says that his experience during the crossing of Greenland led him to "take a decided stand against the use of stimulants and narcotics of all kinds, from tea and coffee on the one hand to tobacco and alcoholic drinks on the other."

"HOLD THE FORT."

The War Incident That Suggested the Popular Hymn to P. P. Bliss.

Your letter of inquiry as to the origin of the hymn "Hold the Fort" was duly received. The following newspaper clipping contains the facts in regard to the matter so far as I have been able to ascertain them:

"When Sherman was holding Atlanta and stripping his army for his famous 'march to the sea,' Hood's army was suddenly thrown on Altoona pass, which was defended by a fort commanded by General Corse. The position was nearly fifty miles from the headquarters of Sherman, and its vital importance was known in both armies and to its gallant commander.

"When the enemy (General Johnston) approached, General Corse made up his mind that the position must be held at all costs, and he told the men that there would be no retreat nor surrender. Kenesaw mountain overlooked the pass, and on the summit was a signal station, and after General Corse had sent a message informing Sherman of the attack and his purpose of making a desperate defense, he addressed himself to the work at hand with a vigor which will always be the theme of song and story.

"The attack began early in the morning, and the heavy masses of the Confederate troops were pushed with great determination close up to the works, and at one time entered a small redoubt, but were driven back at every assault. About 10 o'clock at night, as one who 'was there' well remembers, the signal station flag gave a message which was not clearly distinguished because of the heavy smoke which hung over our lines, but in a few moments the assault slackened a little, and as the smoke blew away the message was read, 'Hold the fort; we are coming.' The message was repeated to all the regimental commanders, and was read in every battery, and it was received everywhere with great cheers.

"It was the only message received that day, but Sherman ordered it repeated from time to time during the day, and whenever the immediate duty would permit or the smoke would allow the flag to be seen, every eye was turned to the white flag, with its crimson square standing out boldly in relief against the clear sky, and it always said, 'Hold the fort; we are coming.'

"It was from this event that the burden of Sankey's religious song was taken, which has been sung in all great religious meetings wherever the English language is spoken. General Corse got a severe wound, and the losses in his command were heavy, but in the afternoon the assault was discontinued."

Five years after the close of the war Major D. W. Whittle made use of this incident in an address delivered before a Sunday school convention in Illinois. Bliss was leading the singing. The relation of the story and the manner in which it was used by the speaker made a deep impression upon Mr. Bliss, who at once composed the words of the famous song, and on returning to his home in Chicago wrote out the music, and a short time afterward it was published and given to the world. This was in May, 1870. A few weeks before the death of Mr. Bliss, in talking with him about his popular songs, he remarked to me that he hoped that he was not to be remembered in the future only as the author of "Hold the Fort," as he thought that he had written many songs much better than that one.—Ira D. Sankey in Christian Union.

An Eye Snail.

Did you ever hear of an eye snail? It is found on the coast of some of the South Pacific islands, a product of the sea, and in appearance not unlike the half of a dry English pea. The flat is slightly concaved, and by close inspection the numerous small legs can be seen in readiness for business, closely folded together.

Now comes the most singular part of the story: Place the little animal under the lid of the eye, and he springs off, running all about and around the ball apparently in search of anything of a foreign nature, which, should he find, he will seize, and come out of the eye evidently satisfied with having performed his duty.

Stranger still, the thing remains lifeless in the pocket until immersed in a little vinegar, whereupon it begins jumping about, signifying its willingness to work.

Although the thing resembles the half of an English pea, there is nothing irritating about it in the eve. Whites are made acquainted with its use by the natives, who frequently get grains of sand in their eyes while diving.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A Little England in China.

Hong Kong is a little England, the creation of English energy, enterprise and industry. Forty years ago it was a barren rock, inhabited by a few squalid fisher folk. Today it has a population of 160,000 souls and a revenue of £250,000 a year. Of late years it has added sugar refining to its other industries, and what with its banks, its manufactories, its newspaper, its tramway and its docks, it is one of the most thriving places in the world.—London Tit-Bits.

Unreasonable.

She—I really don't think it was nice of you to borrow money of papa so soon after we became engaged.

He (greatly surprised)—Why, you are the first girl who ever objected to it in all my experience!—Munsey's Weekly.

All Aroken Down.

Is it not sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said? Young man, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practiced, keep good hours, retire early, and build un your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—Old Physician.

The assessed value of Los Angeles, Cal., is $3,000,000 less than last year.

GREAT MARK-DOWN SALE
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Trouble in a Country House.

An uptown clubman, who is very much in trade and keeps an eye always on the main chance, came to grief the other day through inviting to his country house a visitor who was visiting the city to spend a lot of money in a business way. The clubman merchant wanted the visitor's custom and took this hospitable way to secure it. The visitor found at his host's a company who were laying plans for horseback rides and other bucolic sports. In order to make himself congenial to such a company he appeared at dinner wearing spurs. His host's friends were unable to repress their amusement. This proved so embarrassing to the visitor that when soup was passed to him he upset it, spilling the scalding liquid in his lap.

The mishap was too ludicrous to excite sympathy. Its reception in a spirit of levity decided him to leave the table. Doing so in some haste, one of his spurs caught in the tablecloth, and in less time than it takes to tell it he had hauled the cloth off, dragging with it to the floor the soup of the guests and a jumble of cut glass, silverware, cutlery and other table appointments. The visitor did not stop to apologize. His room was handy, and before the debris could be removed the host and his guests spied their friend, luggage in hand, hat set back on his ears and his spurs flashing, bound down the road toward the railway station. That was the last seen of him to date.—New York Times.

Indians of Terra del Fuego.

Rousson and Willems have explored the northern part of the island of Terra del Fuego between 52 deg. 30 min. and 53 deg. 30 min. south latitude, traveling all along the north coast and across the island, about sixty miles south of the Straits of Magellan. They mapped all the little rivers, and found that the Cullen river, which empties into the Atlantic ocean, is quite an important stream. The valley of this river is a fine country, and the rich herbage afforded abundant nourishment for the horses upon which the party rode. They met the Ona Indians all through their journey. Quite a number of them were 6 feet 6 inches high and very muscular.

They are nearly naked, wearing only over their shoulders ill made capes of guanaco skin. The only ornament which they possess consists of a bracelet or a collar of shells. These Indians inhabit about two-thirds of the island. The men occupy themselves wholly with procuring food. Their bows and arrows are always with them, and they use flint arrow heads. Much of their time is given to making weapons of the chase and war. They are continually in trouble with the Indians to the w t and south of them, from whom they differ greatly.—Chicago Times.

Illuminating Walking Sticks.

A novel experiment of the chloride of silver battery has been made in the manufacture of the electric light cane. Four cells are placed end to end in a small tube of cardboard and inserted in a hollow cane. The silver wire at one end is connected to one end of the carbon filament of a small incandescent lamp, snugly placed at the head of the cane, and a small brass strip or spring is extended upward from the zinc bottom, so as to make contact possible with the other end of the carbon filament.

When a bright light is required, pressure on a small push button on the side of the cane closes the circuit and ignites the lamp. The head of the cane is solid silver, which makes a good reflector for the light, and a very thick lens is fitted into the top. These canes have been used with great success for theatrical purposes, and have a very pleasing effect.—New York Telegram.

A Wonderful Bronze Pagoda.

A missionary who has settled in the province of Sz-Chuan, central China, and who has visited the great Buddhist peak, Mount Omei, describes the temples around the base as still showing many wonderful works of art. Near the foot of the mountain there still stands a pagoda of bronze fifteen stories high, believed to be upward of a thousand years old. From the ground to the polished ivory tip this immense structure is literally covered with delicate figures of men, beasts, birds and reptiles. Of figures of Buddha there are no less than 4,700 within the province, most of them in the immediate vicinity of the sacred peak.—St. Louis Republic.

Snakes and Toads for Medicine.

Dried snakes, the Chinese believe, are good medicine where a complaint is difficult to diagnose, for the reason that the serpent in life inserts itself into all sorts of holes and crevices, and is likely after death to seek the uttermost parts of the body. Such concretions of limy matter as are formed in the gall bladders of cows cure St. Vitus' dance and smallpox. These same concretions are the very things that are known by ignorant people in this country as so called "madstones," used for applying to snake bites. The orientals believe in the effectiveness of dried toads as a tonic, and think caterpillars a sure remedy for bronchial troubles.

Salted scorpions, they assert, are admirable for smallpox, and silkworms, as well as the skins which locusts leave on trees on vacating them, are supposed to have wonderful medicinal virtues. Bones of the cuttlefish or sepia are believed by them to have virtues in the treatment of cancer. They think that the sepia is a bird transformed into a fish. They use clam shells for a cathartic and maggots to cure dysentery. Powdered fossil crabs are, in the opinion of their physicians, an antidote for poisons of all sorts, and seed pearls cure troubles of the heart and liver.—Washington Star.

Where Vanderbilt Worships.

No one who ever attends a quiet brown church on Madison avenue could ever believe that the soberly dressed man and woman, accompanied by two or three quiet looking children who regularly attend St

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

WOBURN AS A HOME.

One would have to travel far to find a pleasanter place to live in than Woburn. Its steady growth in population proves that other people think so too. Naturally, its territory is fair to view. Its surface is richly diversified with hills and meadows, woods and plains. It is one of the most picturesque spots in the near neighborhood of Boston.

We said that Woburn is a growing place, and so indeed it is. This too in spite of the many hard things that a few indiscreet people say about it. It is all the time forging ahead. Does that show that it is an undesirable city for homes?

The proverb says: "it is a very mean bird that fouls her own nest." And so it is. But there are some of that kind of a bird in our midst and they are all the time railing out against the city and people. They say rum rules here. That isn't so. The consumption of rum is no greater in Woburn than in any other town or city of its size. It is the incessant howl which these people keep up over the business that gives us a bad name among those who do not stop, or care too little about it, to investigate the matter. Rum drinking is indulged in as moderately here as anywhere else, and as to other prevailing vices, our place is much freer from them than many others we wot of with a population considerably less than ours.

It is the hue-and-cry that is made over our sins of omission and commission, albeit no more numerous or of a graver character than among our neighbors of more virtuous pretensions—the hue-and-cry made by these same birds who "foul their own nests" instead of a really bad moral condition that hurts us as a community. Our growth would be much larger if the citizens would turn to and join in a general chorus of commendation and praise instead of condemnation and efforts to pull down and destroy.

Oh, your objectionable population! Your ignorance, poverty, vice! Well, there are no more of these objectionable features about Woburn than about any other place of its size. There are men and women here whose absence would improve the city. What town or city near Boston hasn't them? We have rum-selling and rum drinking. Who has not? And in the way of antidotes for these we'll venture to say no community can boast of being better provided than this.

GOOD FOR BOSTON'S SUBURBS.

In this issue of THE JOURNAL is published the main points of a circular sent out by the Rapid Transit Commission to the Railroad Companies of the State whose lines terminate at Boston with a view of obtaining information respecting facilities which they give for suburban passenger traffic, fares, etc., and to organize meetings for hearings on the same.

Here is presented a fine chance for Woburn's Board of Trade to demonstrate its utility as a business organization and show its regard for the interests of our city. The Rapid Transit Commission should be consulted as to the date of the hearings on this important subject and then they should be attended by the ablest men we have among us.

This matter deserves to be kept prominent at the meetings of Board and a plan of campaign should be agreed on in season to enable the committee to act intelligently at the hearings proposed. Now is the time for Woburn to be up and doing.

LAUNCHED.

The Massachusetts end of Grover Cleveland's presidential boom was successfully launched at Sandwich on the Cape last Saturday.

While it was in process of incubation the Democratic spider said to the Republican fly, "walk into my parlor," in innocent response to which a few guileless Republicans, who were old enough to know better, were caught in the trap and contributed to the success of the launch.

The safest thing for a Republican to do at this season of the year is to give meetings engineered by Democrats a wide berth, no matter by what name they are called.

A GOOD OFFICER.

A recent receipt of documents from him reminds the JOURNAL to express publicly the opinion that Secretary Hayes of the Republican Club of Massachusetts is the right man in the right place. He is a faithful doer of the work, and if the Republicans of this Commonwealth become thoroughly educated on the vital issues of this fall's campaign it will be due to Secretary Hayes's indefatigable labors to that end.

Yea, verily, Secretary Hayes is the right man in the right place.

AN ENCOURAGING OUTLOOK.

The Republican party of this State are well united and bid fair to present an unbroken front to the enemy in November. It is true that considerable speculation as to who the candidate for Governor may be is indulged in, and concerning it opinions and preferences vary; but a disposition to yield these, or to make concessions to the opinions and feelings of others, everywhere prevails, which insures harmonious action, a pulling together, and a handsome victory in the fall.

COUNTY TREASURER

Middlesex County has a County Treasurer to elect this fall. It is a fat office and there are likely to be numerous aspirants.—*Winchester Star.*

To some one of whom it is expected the present incumbent, Mr. Hayden, will yield without a struggle.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
J. W. Johnson—Mort. Sale.
J. G. Maguire—Mort. Sale.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Yesterday was a superb day.

— George Dougher has gone to the White Mts.

— Sylvester of the "Cash Market" settles in insolvency.

— The Cummingsville Associates are alive and kicking.

— Fred H. Gould took a trip to Nahant one day last week.

— Mr. A. P. Maxwell and family has moved to East Braintree.

— A balky horse is almost as good as a dog fight to draw a crowd.

— Miss Ada Brooks and Miss Helen Cook are visiting at Antrim, N. H.

— Durward keeps a full stock of the best of meats, vegetables and fruits.

— Miss Annie Larkin has gone to Milford, N. H., for a month's pleasure.

— Mr. Lampton Skinner has been making Cape Ann his abiding place of late.

— Miss Charlotte W. Willard went to the Weirs last week for a summer outing.

— Reports say the pear crop in this section of the State will be very large indeed.

— Forest Hooper is busy all the time doing the plumbing for new houses going up.

— Auctioneer Gregory will sell the stock and fixtures of the Granfield store today.

— Mr. A. W. Boutwell has been laying some concrete sidewalks on Kilby street.

— The National Band will give a concert on the common next Wednesday evening.

— Trade in summer goods keeps up remarkably well at C. Willard Smith's dry good store.

— Mr. Amos Cummings advertises several kinds of goods at very low figures this week.

— Mr. A. S. Hayward expects to put in some pleasant weeks this summer in New Hampshire.

— Mrs. Timothy Andrews is enjoying very pleasant visit among friends in New Hampshire.

— Mr. Robert Holmes and wife of East Boston have been visiting friends in this city this week.

— Mr. Andrew Reddy had a good horse stolen the other night from a pasture at No. Woburn.

— Mr. Josiah Leathe will have a fine store when the improvements now going on are completed.

— Miss Platts is a guest of friends on Mt. Pleasant street, this city. She is a Brooklyn, N. Y., lady.

— Mr. Joseph Kelley is putting a new roof on his Main street block, which will greatly improve it.

— Mr. Fred A. Flint of G. R Gage & Co. has recently shelved some very stylish fabrics for men's wear.

— Col. W. T. Grammer is very much better and daily improving. His last pull-back was a very severe one.

— Auctioneer Gregory sold the Ann Doherty property in Cummingsville to Thomas Long last Monday for $680.

— The days have decreased in length from their maximum on June 20, 47 minutes. Who would have thought it!

— Mr. T. Marvin Parker and Mrs. Parker will visit the old homestead in York county, Maine, later in the season.

— C. M. Munroe offers some prime bargains in gentlemen's goods this week. Read his notice in another column.

— Last Saturday was the beginning of 1891's Dog Days. The weather was not by any means a misfit for the occasion.

— Supt. Wentworth has taken off the 1, 2, and 3 o'clock, P. M. trips from Woburn on the East Middlesex Street Railroad.

— It is said that Rev. D. D. Winn contemplates leaving this city and establishing a residence elsewhere. We hope not.

— Winchester continues to be well represented in the Middlesex Fourth District Court, and it is a prohibition town too.

— A party of cyclists led by Letter Carrier Maguire took a spin through Melrose, Malden, Saugus, etc., the other day.

— We fail to call to mind any holiday that comes before Labor Day, Sept. 7. Preparations for that are now in order.

— Dog days weather has been few and far between since the 25th, and blankets at night have not been at all uncomfortable.

— S. H. Patten is having a residence built on the new street running from New Boston to Main street, near Central Square.

— August 15 has been fixed on as the date for the excursion to Nantasket by the St. Charles C. T. A. S. and the Ladies' Auxiliary.

— Mr. Moses Bancroft is the most successful dealer in sewing machines that ever undertook the business in this part of the country.

— The consensus of opinion among leather manufacturers is that the business is bound to improve and be very much better this fall.

— Mrs. Maria R. Bickford of 62 Mt. Pleasant street and her daughter Gertrude M. will pass a few weeks in New Hampshire soon.

— Mr. Isaac M. Phillips, trainman, is compelled to dwell at Wilmington most of the time when not on the road by the new arrangement.

— Mr. James Walker has returned to his home on Church Avenue from a pleasant visit at the home of his daughter Mrs. Denno near Athol.

— Miss Nellie O'Brien and her nephew Master James Hennessey have gone to Veasey, on the Penobscot, Maine, for a month's vacation.

— It is a good time now to let Supt. Gilcreast of the Woburn Gaslight Co. put you in a gas stove. There is nothing like one in hot weather.

— Mr. Daniel H. Richards and family will take their vacation up in New Hampshire, and the JOURNAL hopes they will enjoy it very highly.

— Mrs. Wright's mother is 85 and her aunt 87, instead of 95 and 97 as erroneously stated last week. Both are respected residents of Waterville, Me.

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis has had a crew of men concreting sidewalks on Montvale Avenue. He does heaps of concreting in this city and neighborhood.

— A glance at City Auditor Preston's report ending July 1 shows that the balances of the appropriations for 1891 are still intact and flourishing as usual.

— Hon. John Cummings has not yet resumed the discharge of his duties as President of the Shawmut Bank, Boston, but is improving in health all the time.

— Richardson Brothers are making important additions to their large steam laundry buildings. Their business is increasing rapidly and more room is a necessity.

— Mayor Bean, Lawyer John W. Johnson, and many other prominent citizens of Woburn visited the muster field at Framingham last Friday—Governor's Day.

— Miss Gertrude and Miss Grace Heartz, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Heartz of this city, are visiting at Mr. John Hall's, Norward Park, East Watertown.

— Master Weymouth Aldrich has one of the handsomest and nobbiest pony turnouts in the city and he and his sister Gladys enjoy driving about with it wonderfully well.

— The Question Club's habit seems to be contagious in Woburn. First, there was Mendum, then Hugh Montgomery, and now Rev. D. D. Winn. —*Boston Record.*

— Mr. Edward Caldwell, the furniture dealer, has rented the Cummings estate corner of Main and Richardson streets through Mr. Gregory's popular real estate agency.

— Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Clewley of Mt. Pleasant street are making active preparations for an early departure to and considerable of a sojourn in the Old Granite State.

— Mr. Charles W. Fitz, of the enterprising firm of grocers, Fitz & Stanley, Boston Branch, has returned from a fine visit to Chicago and other parts of the West.

— The JOURNAL might squeeze out a few inches more of advertising space if any of our business men are suffering for some. We would do it solely as a favor to them.

— Major H. C. Hall, of the firm of Hall & Jaquith, millers, etc., has taken up his abode at the Central House, but for how long a period is not yet determined.

— Mrs. Sarah A. Woodside has been chosen one of the Massachusetts delegates to the National Convention of the Woman's Relief Corps to be held at Detroit this week.

— Mullett (see his card in another column) is doing the painting, frescoing, etc., of Lyceum Hall, and also has had a big job on Municipal Building. He is going ahead.

— An unusual number of Woburn people are away on vacation pleasures bent. Money must be plenty with some people, a fact which country editors find it hard to comprehend.

— The weather for the open-air concert by the Woburn Brass Band was not so inclement as it might have been. A very fine concert was given and much enjoyed by a large audience.

— Mr. Waldo Thompson and Mrs. Thompson returned from a delightful trip to the Adirondacks last Friday evening. They speak in warm praise of that wild region in Northern N. Y.

— Thomas D. Hevey, Esq., is to be the Democratic candidate for Representative to the General Court again this fall. Barring his politics he made a very good member of the last Legislature.

— Tuesday night and Wednesday gave us a splendid rain, for which Dame Nature made her sweetest "kerchey." The fields, pastures and hillsides came out strong in green when the rain was over.

— The Red Men of Stoneham, Woburn and Malden will gather in council in Red Men's Hall, this city, on Aug. 19. A very fine time is expected. Flanders will cater.—*Malden City Press.*

— Ex-Commander James L. Pinkham of Woburn Post 161 has been chosen an Aid on the Department Staff at the annual National assembly of the G. A. R. of America to be held at Detroit, Mich.

— Miss Mary McKay, niece of Mr. Michael McKay of Chestnut street, expects to sail to-morrow on a Cunarder from Boston to her old home in county Derry, Ireland. She will be gone two or three months.

— Mr. Rufus Smith is giving the upholstery of of the First Baptist meetinghouse a thorough overhauling and cleansing this week. Nobody can do that sort of a thing quite equal to Brother Rufus S.

— Conductors O. J. Hart and Richard Carton, the veterans in service, although youthful in limb and spirit, were not compelled to take up their abode at Wilmington by the new move of Supt. Sanborn.

— Last Friday the wife and boys of Mr. C. M. Munroe left this city for Wakefield, N. H., where they will remain through August. Mr. Munroe will join his family up there among the mountains later on.

— There are only 16 inmates of the almshouse. This is an uncommonly small number even for this season of the year. It shows that people are getting on quite comfortably notwithstanding the slack times.

— Miss Adelaide Richards and her "Western Cousin" are visiting relatives in Littleton, N. H., and may much comfort and happiness be theirs while they are up there in that most attractive section of the Granite State.

— A chap jumped from a train near Mr. Waterman's place on Church Ave. the other day and came pretty near going where the woodbine twineth. He landed on his head and shoulders and was evidently considerably hurt.

— It is reported that the meeting of the Bay State League, a bond and certificate organization recently established or about to be established here, was far from being a satisfactory one except in the way of a spread, which was fine.

— Brother C. W. Nute very sensibly prefers to stick to his bench rather than to go wandering away among unfamiliar scenes after alleged vacation pleasures with the thermometers ranging all up and down among the 90s. Sensible!

— Rev. W. E. Bates of Haverhill will preach at the First Baptist church next Sunday morning. He will also lead the praise service at 7 o'clock in the evening. The Society have arranged for preaching on the next six Sundays.

— John E. Gilcreast writes from Pottsville that in trying to describe the pleasure which his present Western trip is giving the English language is an utter failure. He and his brother Frank are making the most of John's Pennsylvania visit.

— Miss Jennie E. Skinner was a perfectly contended and entirely happy resident of Hopewell Cottage, Franklin Falls, N. H., last week, and we have not heard that she is not enjoying life very much at the same pleasant place this week.

— Mrs. Hart, wife of the popular B. & L. conductor, O. J., returned from a very nice visit to Lynn, Nahant, Swampscott, etc., last Saturday evening. She was away a week, a large part of the time being spent with her mother at Lynn.

— Everyone who heard it said Rev. D. D. Winn's farewell sermon at the First Baptist church last Sunday was an excellent one. His opponents were treated kindly, charitably, and in a Christian spirit, and the final leave-taking was affecting.

— Miss Mertena L. Bancroft, who enjoys a good deal more than a local reputation as an organist and pianist, will leave to-morrow on her vacation outing. She closed her classes a few days ago and will resume them about the middle of September.

— John E. Gilcreast left here last Thursday week for a visit to his brother at Pottsville, Penn., and regions in the West. He will go over about the same ground that his father, Mr. John Gilcreast, Superintendent of the Woburn Gaslight Co., travelled last year.

— A few days ago a party consisting of the wife and children of Auctioneer E. J. Gregory, his sister Miss Henrietta Gregory, and Misses Nellie and Mamie Moore, daughters of Mr. Thomas Moore, merchant, left here for Salisbury, N. H., for a vacation visit.

— Thanks are due Rev. Hugh Montgomery for copies of The New Bedford *Evening Journal* containing accounts of liquor raids and prosecutions in that city. It appears that the saloonists are finding "Jordan a hard road to travel" down in New Bedford as well as in Woburn.

— On Aug. 10 the Bunker Hill Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Charlestown, will go to Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, to lay the corner-stone of a handsome Lodge Building, and have engaged the Woburn Brass Band to accompany them and furnish music for the occasion.

— Lawyer Franc P. Curran, Mistress C., and the juvenile Currans will use up the remainder of the heated term in little jaunts of a day to the beaches, sails on salt water, and short drives countryward. Lawyer C. has the business of many clients to look after these days.

— Brakeman Edwin J. Hart and Robert H. Fuller were examined a few days ago for promotion to full fledged passenger conductors and were perfect on every point. It is probable that each of them will soon be given a train, especially as they do considerable conductor work now.

— Mr. Edward Blanchard, who successfully travels through New England and Canada for Morrill's celebrated inks, has moved from Summer st. to a fine residence owned by Miss Woodman on upper Main st. handy by the Woburn Park. It is one of the prettiest places in this city.

— We have often wondered why a handsome fountain has never been set up on our pretty little Common. An artistically designed one would be exceedingly ornamental to the village. Do you mind how fine Winchester's fountain looks throwing jets of pure water all over the emerald grass plot at its base?

— Co. G, 5th Regt. M. V. M., were welcomed with open arms when they returned from the Framingham muster field last Saturday. The boys were tolerably well beat out, for they had done a hard week's work, and seemed to be glad to get back again. They acquitted themselves honorably at the muster.

— Mr. Robert J. W. Phinney of Academy Hill and Mrs. Phinney left this city last Saturday for a vacation of two or three weeks. They went directly to Wentworth Hall, Jackson, N. H., one of the pleasantest and most comfortable resorts in New England, and there they will remain nearly all the time while away.

— The Sewing class of the Woburn Industrial school will give an exhibition of their handiwork at the Academy on Warren street at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon of Monday, Aug. 3, next, under the direction of the Lady Managers of the School. Samples of the work done by the class will be suspended from the walls of the school room for general inspection and besides that a working exhibition in sewing will be given. All of which will doubtless prove of great interest to the spectators. The Managers wish it distinctly understood that everyone interested in this work is cordially invited to attend this exhibition of the class.

— Last week the Woburn Gaslight Company held their annual meeting and elected the following Board of officers for the ensuing year: President, Benjamin Hinckley; Clerk and Treasurer, Richard J. Monks; Directors, Benjamin Hinckley, Richard J. Monks, John Johnson, Charlie A. Jones, Gawin R. Gage.

— Mrs L. F. Hurd has been in business many years in Woburn and has never yet failed to give satisfaction to her customers. [See her card in another column]. She has the confidence of the people of the city, and as for her ability to do first class work no one has the least question. She enjoys a large patronage and richly deserves it.

— Nobody can transform men's well worn and rather shabby clothes into suits that look as neat as new ones quicker, nicer or cheaper than Mr. W. G. Waldon of Walnut street, just off from Main. He does his work in the most faithful and skilful manner, and we are right glad to know that people are patronizing him, for he seems to be well worthy of public confidence and esteem.

— Deputy Fred Perkins and suite recently installed the following officers of Woburn Commandery, O. G. C.: N. C., John E. Osborne; V. C., Christopher A. Blackburn; Prelate, Mrs. Dorcas Cook; W. H. William A. Crocker; K. of R., John J. Dixon; T., Hiram Whitford; W. of I. G., Andrew J. Simonson; W. of O. G., John A. McLaine; V. N. C., George W. West.

— We trust the Fourth Middlesex District Court will not turn to ridicule the new probationary law as the Cambridge Police Court and officers are doing. There they arrest intoxicated people on charges of "disorderly" which the Court allows them to sustain on the weakest kind of evidence. It is done to evade the new "drunk law," as it is called. The way they do it in Cambridge is a shame and disgrace to the police department and Court of that city.

— Mr. Chester R. Smith, salesman for Mr. C. Willard Smith, will probably leave here about Aug. 7 for Lubec, Me., at which quiet and delightful seaside resort he proposes to pass his vacation. Quite a large company of Woburn people are already there and word comes that they are enjoying life very much. Lubec promises to become in the near future one of the most popular, as it is already one of the most charming, summer resorts on the Maine coast.

— The JOURNAL has been saying for three or four years past that Capt. Horace N. Conn ought to be appointed Military Instructor in our public schools, but the School Board have failed to see it in that light until last Friday evening when at a meeting held by them the appointment was given to him on his merits. He has served a term as Captain of the Mechanic Phalanx and is thoroughly educated in the use of arms. A better appointment could not have been made.

— Cooper & Rand are enterprising real estate agents and dealers and are doing a good business notwithstanding the dull times. They have offices in this city and Boston. They are young men of firstclass business ability, honorable in their deal, and successful in land transactions. They have a large amount of residence property in their hands for sale, and also do a fine business at leasing houses, stores, etc., for the owners. The firm have a good standing among real estate people.

— Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Tidd of North Woburn, the most extensive travelers we have in the city, will start to-day for their regular summer vacation, and this time they go to the banks of the Hudson, a river that is well termed "The Rhine of America." They expect to visit Newburg, West Point and other places on that beautiful river and vicinity, and will return home by the way of Albany, N. Y., the famous Berkshire Hills, etc. The address of Mr. and Mrs. Tidd for the present will be Cornwall, N. Y.

— Supt. Wentworth of the East Middlesex Street Railroad Company says the number of daily visitors to Pine Banks Park in Malden is very large and rapidly increasing. A considerable proportion of them come from Boston, Chelsea, Charlestown, Somerville and round about that region of country. The better the beautiful Park, with its 600 acres of wooded hills, its ravines, its piles of granite, its smoothe roads and pleasant paths, become known the bigger and more frequent the crowds of people who visit it.

— President Charles H. Washburn (formerly pastor of the North Congregational church in this city) of the Falmouth Summer Institute has issued an attractive order of exercises for the 10 days term of the same, which will open on Aug. 4. A large number of eminent professional men and educationists are connected with the school, and in the programme Rev. Daniel March, D.D., pastor of the First Congregational church in this city, is announced to lecture at 8 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, Aug. 4, on "Light in the East."

— Madame Bryant of Pullman, Illinois, wife of Mr. Edward F. Bryant, son of Mr. Oliver F. Bryant of Salem st., this city, for some years connected with the Woburn First National Bank and now Secretary of the Pullman Loan and Savings Co., is a guest at the Lakeside House, Weirs, N. H. She was a New Hampshire girl before her marriage and is therefore on or not far from her native heath. It is expected that the other member of the domestic copartnership will put in an appearance later on.

— Meaning always to bestow praise where it belongs we desire to state that the reduction in the rate per $1,000 of taxation this year is largely due to the appropriations and the good business methods employed by Mayor Bean in figuring them out, for if we remember correctly the Mayor's estimates and figures were adopted by the Board without change. Of course praise is due the Assessors for ferreting out and getting the property to list and the public will give it to them, but Mayor Bean too must come in for a fair share of encomium.

— There are men of unusual level heads in this city who firmly believe and are bold to say that it is their opinion that in less than 10 years from this date there will not be a tannery or currying shop in Woburn. They expect to see this become a residence city ultimately and at no very distant day either. "Westward" leather making, like "the Star of Empire makes its way," and it will not be long before its manufacture in New England will cease altogether. The men we speak of believe this, and it is no easy thing to gainsay their arguments.

— There is a decided better feeling regarding business among the manufacturers, although as yet little has been done. Duncan is finishing about 400 a day, a very small part of his usual output. At Dow's things look busy, as well as at Beggs & Cobb's two big establishments. Mr. Loring is getting under way in his new purchase. There are 29 leather manufacturing establishments, upon which the men of Woburn depend for labor.—*Boston Globe.*—There is a better feeling all along the line and it looks now as though there was to be a material revival in the leather business this fall.

— Major S. B. Phinney, the veteran journalist and staunch old Democratic warhorse of the Cape, father of Mr. Robert J. W. Phinney whose beautiful home ornaments Academy Hill, the "Court End" of this city, was an honored guest at the grand reception and superb banquet given to Grover Cleveland at Sandwich last Saturday in honor of that distinguished gentleman becoming a summer resident of the Cape. Although rising 80 years of age the old Democratic leader is as bright as a dollar, and enjoyed the Democratic glorification at Sandwich as heartily as the youngest of them.

— Lawn Tennis continues to be a popular out-door amusement in this city. Judge Johnson's tennis court does not lie idle very much. We are pleased to be able to state on reliable authority that Clerk Lounsbury of the Common Council is playing a stronger game than usual this season. Hitherto his achievements at the nets have not been such as one would be apt to point to with pride. It is stated to his credit, and with an appearance of perfect honesty, that Mr. L. has within the past fortnight "tied" a well-known amateur in this city in a game, over which fact his friends were quite jubilant.

— The drugstores wore a modest and unobjectionable air last Sunday night. It was much better than the way they appeared formerly. The JOURNAL does not believe in the right or expediency of apothecaries or anybody else doing a general merchandize business on the Lord's Day, by day or artificial light; it believes in obeying both the laws of God and the State; perhaps it is a crank on such things; but if our Woburn druggists will do as well and show as much regard for public feeling right along as they did last Sunday and the Sunday before we'll guarantee that not much fault will be found with them.

— According to the reports of the neighbors there was quite a commotion on Elm st. last Wednesday evening on the arrival of Lawyer Blank's new mule there. The animal was purchased that day and brought to town with considerable pride on the part of the Squire, but the difficulty experienced in getting him from the station to Elm street by a considerable body of volunteer juvenile assistants gave that pride something of a fall. The mule was bought for the use and pleasure of Mr. Blank's quartet of bright little boys, but whether he can ever be utilized for that purpose is a question. He is a very small specimen except his ears which are of phenominal dimensions even for a member of the mule family. A large procession of rollicking lads, led by the Student, followed in the wake of the obstreperous little brute and presented rather a pleasing spectacle as they went howling up the street. Every known means was resorted to by them to aid and accelerate the animal's locomotion; violent twisting of his tail, that old fashioned and generally efficacious remedy for balk in mule, was resorted to in spite of one of the finest exhibitions of the capabilities of the mule's working end and a pair of the most vicious looking heels in America; nevertheless his progress was slow to an aggravating degree. However, patience and perseverance on the part of the boys at last won the day and the mule was safely landed on Elm st., and carefully laid away in a "Welcome" soap box which providentially turned up in just the nick of time—except his ears.

— The Bohemians have their rendezvous in one of the queer little nooks of Wade's block and when the room is reached (if at all) one or more of them are generally found in it. They are a literary lot, their immediate means of support being derived from daily contributions to the columns of the Boston newspapers of what, by way of courtesy, is dubbed local news, and a very comfortable sort of a living it is that these fellows thus obtain. Their roll of membership does not exceed six and even this small number find it hard to occupy the "den" at the same time being barred by lack of room and no less by lack of other accommodations. Narrow serpentine alleyways with gently undulating floors lead to the entrance of the little corner occupied by the Bohemians in which it is an easy matter for a stranger to become hopelessly bewildered and finally lost. The room is about 7x9 feet, the same size as window panes (in inches) were before the advent of your abominable "modern improvements"—7x9. On second thought, perhaps the dimensions of the tucked-away nook should not be given as above, because no two of its walls are of the same length or height, this diversity giving it a somewhat ancient and peculiar appearance. When the Bohemians are engaged in getting off their reports for the afternoon papers, all seated on the improvised stools mainly flour barrels sawed in two, with plenty of cob pipes lying about loose, bent over their writing pads and vigorously shoving lead pencils, they make a very picturesque group. A photograph of them then would richly illustrate the pages of a leading magazine, or appropriately adorn the portrait gallery of a police station. The Club is named "The Press Gang," a term which has descended from the time of the war of 1812, and originated in the reprehensible practice of the British authorities of sending "gangs" out to "press" victims into the marine service of that nation. "Press Gang" is a very pretty and appropriate name for the Club. A distinguished characteristic of the "Press Gang" is the reliability of their daily reports of local news to the papers on which they are engaged. Their veracity is proverbial. Everyone relies implicitly on these reports and some people go so far as to set their watches by them. A member of the "Press Gang" can easily be recognized when on the street. He comes up to the citizen, tenderly caresses the citizen's ear, presses the lappel of the citizen's coat between his thumb and forefinger, and softly whispers into the citizen's ear: "Well, anything new?" If the meeting is repeated 60 times in 60 minutes the Bohemian goes through just the same formula, asks the same identical question, and does it in precisely the same tone of voice. The Bohemians enjoy quite an enviable reputation as watermen and it is generally understood that the Club own a dory which was lately launched from near our Common into the Merrimac river across country by horse-power. The "Press Gang" possess other personal and professional virtues which we have neither space nor time to treat of now. On another occasion we may have more to say about the Bohemians of Wade's Block in this city.

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A Golden Wedding.

The celebration of the 50th anniversary of the wedding day of Mr. and Mrs. John Burke which was held in the M. E. Church last Tuesday evening, was one of the pleasantest social affairs that has ever taken place in Woburn. It was attended by a large number of the warm personal friends, neighbors and townspeople of the venerable couple and everyone enjoyed it in the highest degree.

Mr. John Burke (formerly senior member of the shoe manufacturing firm of Burke & Mundy of this city) was born at Valenciennes in France on March 14, 1817; his wife was born Elizabeth Nelson Faulkner at Halifax in Nova Scotia on May 1, 1817; and they were joined in wedlock on July 24, 1841, at Halifax, N. S. They have been highly respected residents of Woburn for many years.

The Golden Wedding was a very happy affair for all concerned. The reception held by the remarried couple was at 8 o'clock, at which hour the ladies' parlor of the church was well filled with people from home and abroad. The nuptial ceremonies were pleasing. They opened by singing "Auld Lang Syne" by the company, and were continued by short speeches appropriate to such an interesting occasion. At the proper moment Mr. Hubbard Copeland, in a few well-chosen words, in behalf of the church, of which Mr. and Mrs. Burke are active and worthy members, presented the venerable couple with a generous sum of money and an elegant bouquet. Then Mr. Cyrus Lamb, in behalf of many good neighbors and friends, presented them with a well-filled purse and accompanied the gift with kind, cheery words. Many congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Burke; many blessings invoked; many more years of happiness bespoken; in all which the JOURNAL desires to be counted.

Richardson—Christie.

On Monday forenoon, July 27, at the home of the bride, Mr. Philip K. Richardson, a prominent and highly esteemed young gentleman of this city, and Miss Roxana B. Christie, an accomplished and popular young lady also of Woburn, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in the presence of a select company of relatives and friends.

The nuptial ceremony was performed by Rev. Daniel March, D. D., pastor of the First Congregational church of this city, immediately after the close of which the happy couple started for Fort Popham on the Maine coast below Portland, where they will spend their honey-moon.

The JOURNAL extends congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Very Much Afraid.

Certain Editors seem very much afraid that those who join the Massachusetts Republican Press Club will have padlocks put upon their lips, irons upon their wrists and shackles upon their feet. To relieve their anxiety the Club has voted to pass no motion that will in any way infringe upon the right of any member to act in public matters according to his best judgment.—*Somerville Citizen.*

Not nearly so afraid of padlocks as the Editors were to go on with their original design.

When a man is driven to drink, it is because he has himself loosened the brake.

A child is not nourished in proportion to the bulk of food he receives into his stomach; he is only nourished by the food he can digest. Every atom of Mellin's Food is assimilable and nourishing. It contains in proper proportions these nitrogenous and phosphatic matters which are so essential for the healthy growth of a child.

City Council.

On the evening of July 24 special meetings of the Board of Aldermen and Common Council were held. All the Aldermen were present except Fowle of Ward 4. Petitions were received from John Harkins and Owen McLaughlin for State aid; John J. Skinner and others for electric light on Main street, at the corner of Charles. Each referred to committees.

The following Order was adopted: That a new four-room school building be constructed on the Page Eaton lot, so called, at Central Square, in accordance with plans and specifications submitted by J. Merrill Brown, architect, and that the joint special committee on Central Square schoolhouse, be and is hereby authorized to make a contract or contracts for the completion of the same and do anything by them deemed necessary to the proper execution of this order.

The following was also adopted: Be it ordered, That the City Treasurer be authorized under the direction of the Joint Standing Committee on Finance to hire the sum of $20,000 to defray the expense of building the new schoolhouse at Central Square.

The Overseers of the Poor reported for the month of June, 33 families of 130 persons assisted, the total disbursements for the department being $614 29.

The Common Council met as soon as the Aldermen adjourned, and concurred in the action of the upper branch.

City News.

Leeds has excursion tickets for sale.

Druggist Lovell's business is increasing fast.

Cooper & Rand will exchange farm for house in Woburn or vicinity.

We hope our business men will advertise more liberally this fall than they have in the past.

Call and look over Cooper & Rand's list of houses, farms and house lots, some good bargains.

Personal.

Miss Lena and Emily Brown are visiting at Woods Holl.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, July 30, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

Anton Hansen, Miss Rena E. Hilton, Miss A. Leach, Mr. Frank McGuire, Salem St., care Steve Hart, Mr. Edw. Whelahan, 18 Main street, Miss Laura Richardson.

A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

METHODIST—At 10 30 a. m. Communion; Epworth League at 6 p. m.; a short sermon by the pastor, followed by prayer meeting. Text, 1 Kings xviii, 17. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Education and Life." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly Concert. Mission reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST—Rev. W. E. Bates of Haverhill will preach at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday School at 12m.; Communion services at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6 p. m.; at 7 p. m. prayer and praise service led by Rev. W. E. Bates. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Married.

In this city, July 27, by Rev. Daniel March, Philip Kearney Adams Richardson and Roxana Baker Cristy, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, July 28, John McGaffey, aged 1 year, 11 days.
In this city, July 29, W. G. Crilley, aged 7 mons.
In Winchester, July 25, Julia Sullivan, aged 46 years.
In Winchester, July 28, Carrie P. Paterson, aged 2 months.
In Winchester, July 29, Mary Coffee, aged 21 years, 4 months.
In Burlington, July 26, Mary Bullick, aged 2 months, 8 days.
In Reading, July 24, John Hart Bancroft, aged 79 years, 7 months.

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If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other. Hood's Sarsaparilla is a peculiar medicine, possessing, by virtue of its peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation, curative power superior to any other article. A Boston lady who knew what she wanted, and whose example is worthy imitation, tells her experience below:

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When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was feeling real miserable, suffering a great deal with dyspepsia, and so weak that at times I could hardly stand. I looked, and had for some time, like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me so much good that I wonder at myself sometimes, and my friends frequently speak of it." MRS. ELLA A. GOFF, 61 Terrace Street, Boston.

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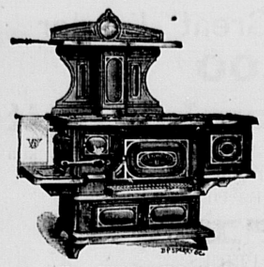

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(From the Winchester Star.)

Opportunities for Stay-at-Homes.

The large class of people known as stay-at-homes, can if they are so inclined, find much enjoyment and amusement at their very doors, in rides about the suburbs or excursions down the harbor. Of course, those who go away from home to pleasanter places for the summer months will take advantage of their opportunities, but a great many of those who go away from home do not go to places that are really pleasanter than home might be if they made the best use of its advantages, and there are many others who cannot get away from home at all. There are countless opportunities of pleasure around Boston for those who know of them, and take advantage of the opportunities that are afforded. If people are content, however, to live the same humdrum life all the year round, they will probably never realize how many opportunities of this kind there are.

Bro. Hobbs of THE WOBURN JOURNAL is of the class that can't get away, but recognizing that a change is necessary, he says:

"After tea on these warm evenings, if one would get to feel very comfortable and entirely content with mundane things, let him or her board a North Woburn open street car and take a ride to Winchester and Medford and back. The little trip is very agreeable taken shortly after dinner; and if there is a plenty of spare time, a ride down there in the forenoon is cooling and comforting. But we prefer the hours after 7 o'clock in the evening for the modest little outing. Then we get the cooler breezes, the early dews, the vespers of the woodland songsters, the fair sunsets, and the peace and rest of the closing hours of the day. It is a pretty ride. There is no more attractive scenery anywhere than that found between Winchester Common and Medford Square. There are wide and charming views from Symmes's Corner. Neat farms and attractive farmhouses are passed all along the route. On Winchester East Side are many handsome residences, lawns and gardens. Medford village boasts of numerous ancient and interesting landmarks, as well as things new and attractive; and the trip all the way from Woburn to Medford is exceedingly pleasant."

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Suburban Transit Facilities.

The Rapid Transit Commission has issued a circular directing the committee on railroads to communicate with the several railroad companies having termini in this city to arrange, if possible, interviews with their representatives, in order to see what co-operation, information or suggestions can be had respecting the subject of determining in what manner and to what degree existing steam or street railroad facilities do or do not accommodate the residents of the suburbs included within a circle of 20 miles in diameter, having its centre at the State House.

Investigation will be made in the following particulars: Number and time of trains, time occupied in transit, rates of fare, way stations, freight facilities.

The various railroads and street railways, says the circular, should be requested to furnish the Commission with a complete statement of the services they now perform, including the particulars above, and the number of passengers supplied by each station, also arrangements made as to the receipt and delivery of local freight and the rates charged therefor. Attention will be paid to the improvements within the last 10 years, and what improvements are probable or in contemplation.

Hearings on the above material, also says the circular, given to those living on the lines of the several railroads and street railways, shall be so arranged as to consider common interests at the same time.

At these hearings it is directed that the residents on the lines of these various roads shall be asked to state what objections, if any, they have to the existing methods, and in what way, in their opinion, improvements could be made in any or all of these particulars, and at hearings relating to the system of any of these corporations the representatives of the company shall be invited to be present, and be given the privilege, if they wish, to question the witnesses.

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An important discovery. They act on the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new principle. They speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles and constipation. Splendid for men, women and children. Smallest, mildest, surest. 50 doses for 25 cents. Samples free at Charles H. Buss Drug Store.

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Worlds Fair Notes.

An exhibit from Alaska will be collected under the auspices of the government's Indian bureau and geological department, provided Congress appropriates money for that purpose, as it is expected it will.

Kwong Wo Chiong, a Chinese merchant, in Hong Kong has applied for space for an exhibit of Chinese goods. Applications for space are getting to be very numerous, and already many have been sent in from foreign countries.

McKeesport, Pa., has decided to make a special exhibit at the Exposition, and is now engaged in raising money for that purpose. The *News* of that city inaugurated the movement, and the common council selected a committee to make arrangements. The industries of McKeesport are allied to those of Pittsburg in character.

Commissioner Hersfield of Montana has asked of Director-General Davis that 200 by 300 feet of space be reserved for Montana. He said that $100,000 would be spent on the building alone, and that the State contemplated constructing a mountain to illustrate placer mining, miners' camps, geysers, waterfalls and other adjuncts of mining regions.

As soon as they can be prepared 100,000 copies will be issued of a fine water color lithograph representing a bird's eye view of the Exposition buildings and grounds. The work will appear in sixteen colors. Charles Graham, the artist of *Harper's Weekly*, has made the sketches. These lithographs will appear in public places throughout the world.

Burlington.

Rev. C. F. Hersey has returned from his vacation.

The Young People's Society which has recently been formed among the younger attendants of the church and Sunday School has met with a large measure of success and now numbers between thirty and forty members. Last Tuesday evening they met for organization and elected the following list of officers:—Rev. C. F. Hersey, President; W. W. Skelton, Vice President; Miss Cora McIntire, Secretary; Miss Hattie Marion, Treasurer; Rev. C. F. Hersey, F. C. Marion, Miss A. D. Sewall, "Look-out" Committee; Misses S. Endicott, A. Bennett and E. Carter, Mrs. B. Moore and J. Richardson, Prayer Meeting Committee; Miss Carrie Reed, Mrs. E. I. Getchell, R. Waldron, Miss E. Wood and Mrs. F. C. Marion, Social Committee; Misses Lizzie McIntire, Marietta Endicott, Florence Foster, Lottie Rollins and F. C. Pearsons, Flower Committee. After the election of officers a bountiful collation of cake and ice cream was served. A prominent feature of this was a "Young People's Society" cake contributed by Mrs. B. Moore.

So Led Astray.

Brother Hobbs, we are sorry to learn that so staunch and fearless a Republican paper as THE WOBURN JOURNAL should have been so led astray in the matter of this new Republican Club. Why, bless you! Didn't you know that the Democratic Boston *Herald*, as is its custom, gave a one sided, ridiculous report of that gathering? The country editors who join this club can run their papers as free and do their own thinking just the same as if they were not members. As for the talk that an editor sells his opinions to the State Committee, is bosh of the most audacious kind. The club has been "sat upon" only by the *Herald* and *Globe*, and instead of the affair resulting in a "poor, little, pitiable fizzle," it started off Wednesday with a membership of over 20 Republican papers, represented by men of intelligence and "brains," the Democratic press to the contrary, notwithstanding.—*Winchester Star.*

Twenty members does not strike us as a very big thing to start off a Republican Editors Club for the whole State of Massachusetts with. Likewise, we failed to find in the list of names more than a mere handful of representative newspaper men of our political faith. It didn't seem to us such an "alfired fat dog," after all.

But as they abandoned the original design and organized just a common kind of a Club the JOURNAL hasn't a word further of criticism to offer; contrarywise, it approves of its existence and may conclude to join it one of these days.

Parnell has not been in Parliament since he was married, although important Irish business has been up.

Literary Notices.

THE GARDEN AND FOREST is the leading Horticultural, Landscape and Forestry journal in the United States and is authority on all questions in its special field of literature. Its literary contents are always from the pens of the ablest writers, while its illustrations are by the best artists. Each number contains a deal of useful learning on horticulture and kindred themes. Published by the Garden & Forest Co., N. Y.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for August is a splendid mid-summer number both as to literary contents and illustrations. Some of the articles are New Zealand with 18 illustrations from photographs and drawings. The Visitantes of California, Idaho and Montana. Glimpses of Western Architecture with 9 illustrations taken in Chicago. Nihilists in Paris. London. Some American Riders. Fourth Paper. fully illustrated. Lord Byron's Early School Days. Peter Ibbetson. An Imperative Duty. Luck. In A High Tower. Editorials, Reviews of Books, etc.

***HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Co., 14-20 Franklin street, Boston; and by Sparrow Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

THE NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE for August is an uncommonly bright and attractive number, its table of contents embracing many papers of more than ordinary interest to its thousands of New England readers. Sons and daughters of the Green Mountain State cannot but be greatly pleased with "The State of Vermont," written by Albert Clarke and illustrated with many spirited pictures and portraits from the pencil of Lamont Brown. The paper is an entertaining one even to the general reader and must prove very much more so to the loyal Vermonter. "The Literature of the White Mountains" by William Howe Downs and illustrated with drawings by Sprague is another interesting article. Indeed the entire number is full of good things from cover to cover. In the character of its literature and art productions no periodical in the country excels THE NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE and only a very few can at all be regarded as approaching anywhere near successful competition. It is a New England product for New England consumption and deserves the best wishes and largest patronage of New England people. Published by the New England Magazine Corporation, 86 Federal Street, Boston.

Sarah O Jewett contributes the leading story of the August WIDE AWAKE, a delightful reminiscence of Lafayette's last visit to America, Peg's Little Chair, The Bride's Bouquet, a charming story, is by Grace W. Soper of the *Boston Journal*. The Silent Lie, an admirable school story for young folk, by Francis E. Leupp of the *Washington Star*. Pokeberry Juice and Mullein is a tale that reveals some of the toilet secrets of country girls a generation ago. Mr. Brown's Playfellow, Shells of Sea and Land, The Poppy Bee, and How to Dry Starfishes, are good articles for the lovers of natural history. How the Cossacks Play Polo is a terrible story of a Russian field-sport indulged in by officers of the Imperial Guard. Charlemagne's Housetop Gardens, is a curious bit of mediæval history. Very Old Toys, by Emma B. Day, relates to finds in old Eastern lands. What Seven Indian Boys Did is a true account of some knowledge-loving Alaska boys. Margaret Sidney's Peppers serial has all the interest of a good novel. Miss Matilda Archambeau Van Dorn, is full of amusing developments. Marietta's Good Times are really good times. Men and Things pages abound with original anecdote. The poems are by Kate Putnam Osgood, Maria Johns Hammond, Eli Shepperd, Jane Ellis Joy and Richard Burton. Three especially good things for veranda reading are the Margaret-Patty Letter and An Unominous Opinion and the fine ballad by Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, Pope's Mother at Twickenham. WIDE AWAKE is $2 40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Boston.

The August ARENA is a number that should read. Its table of contents presents a rare literary treat. The failure of a young lady to enter Yale, after signally proving her intellectual capacity to cope with the most brilliant young men with whom she would come in contact, has called general attention to the essentially conservative character of our great educational institutions, where above all places we should find progress and liberality. As if in answer to the hostility of conservatism brought to woman's progress in the intellectual or educational sphere. THE ARENA for August presents no less than eight leading papers from representative thinkers among women of America and Europe, discussing political, educational, social, sociological, economic, and scientific themes, together with two literary papers, one by Miss Amelia B. Edwards, the famed Egyptologist and novelist, who in a most delightful paper writes of her own home life. An excellent portrait of Miss Edwards accompanies this paper. Some of the papers which THE ARENA furnishes are Old Hickory's Ball, The Unity of Germany, Where Shall Lasting Progress Begin? by Elizabeth Cady Stanton, whose fine portrait constitutes the frontispiece of the number; Individuality in Education, Working Women of Today by Helen Campbell; Prisoners of Poverty, A Decade of Retrogression, The Independent Party and Money at Cost; well-filled Editorial Departments, Literary reviews, news and gossip, etc. It is evidently the settled purpose of the management of THE ARENA to make that review a busy man's library. The August ARENA is brilliant and unique.

(Clipped from the Boston Journal.)

Political Jottings.

Ex-Senator Farwell of Illinois follows up his violent attack upon President Harrison by a glowing eulogy of Quay.

The American public is in a state of mind when it would give a good deal for an honest, unprejudiced, straightforward statement of the situation of the situation of affairs in Chili, and the probable fortunes of the war.

It matters little what is or is not in the Massachusetts Democratic platform—a Democratic victory in Massachusetts would be heralded through the country next November as a triumph for the party of free coinage, free whisky and free trade.

The favorite free trade humbug that protection "stifles" foreign commerce will now have to be laid away in innocuous desuetude with that other humbug which Mr. Edward Atkinson has so clearly exploded, that the tariff is a tax.

With some of the most conspicuous Democratic organs in Massachusetts booming a free coinage man for Speaker of the National House of Representatives, who is willing to vouch for the financial soundness of the Bay State Democracy?

It is a striking confession of the woful intellectual weakness of the Democratic party in the Northern States that not a single Northern Democratic Congressman is any longer considered worth mentioning in connection with the Speakership.

Sir Henry Parkes continues in power for the present in New South Wales by virtue of an alliance with the labor representatives, to whom he has made important concessions. But he cannot hold this alliance together to sustain a free trade policy.

For the year ending June 30, 1891, the exports of Crefeld, Germany, to this country fell off nearly 18 per cent. The decrease was mainly in plush goods, which fell off 52 per cent. Three-fourths of the shrinkage in the value of the exports occurred in the last quarter of the year.

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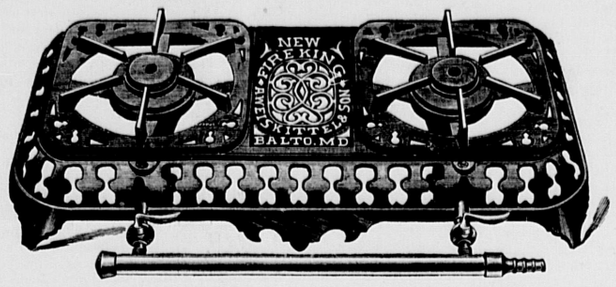

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Miss Hattie A. Kenney,
Mrs. Herbert B. Dow,
" Frank F. Dodge,
Mrs. Frank H. Elliott,
" G. F. Fosdick,
" E. A. Wood,
" J. W. Johnson,
" Benj. Hinckley,
" Julia A. Johnson,
" Winthrop Hammond,
" J. W. Hammond,
" C. A. Jones,
" Jacob Brown,
Miss L. A. Pratt,
Mrs. Alexander Ellis.

WINCHESTER.

Miss M. S. Libby is at Chatham.

Mrs. T. M. Richards is at No. Scituate.

F. A. Ray has gone to New Hampshire.

Frank Peabody and family are at Lawrence.

Annie L. Tolman is having a delightful time at Harrison, Me.

Mrs. Judge Geo. S. Littlefield and Arthur are visiting at Canton.

Henry B. Snow is rusticating and resting down in the Provinces.

Miss L. Teel is stopping at Ferry Beach, Maine, a charming spot.

Our tax rate has been reduced to $15.30 per $1000. Last year it was $17.70.

The Howe homestead has been turned over to the town in pursuance to the will. There was no stipulation that a Town Hall should be built on it.

Lawyers Elder and Waite will look after the interests of our town at the meeting of the Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners to be held on Sept. 15.

Our own Sam McCall was a speaker at the launching of Cleveland's Presidential boom at Sandwich last Saturday. He and Speaker Barrett appear to "hunt in couples" and once in awhile they put their foot in it.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fowle and Miss Delia Wheeler are at the Clarendon, Intervale, N. H., General John M., Madame and Murray Corse, and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. M. Starke, and Neil Starke are at Hopkinton, N. H.

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According to Dr. Norman Kerr, the two things to guard against in case of the approach of cholera are panic and alcohol.

Secretary Tracy is to go to Bar Harbor about Aug. 1. He will be accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Wilmerding.

The British canteen system has been adopted in the barracks of Germany, with a view to keeping the soldiers away from the liquor shops.

A petition against the employment of young girls as barmaids, has been presented the King of Sweden. The petition had 10,000 signatures.

Punctuality is not one of the Emperor William's traits. When in London he kept a railroad train waiting half an hour to suit his humor.

One of the largest pearl fishing grounds in the world is near the United States. It is in the Vermilion Sea, so-called, in the Gulf of California. Hundreds of small boats are engaged in the business. The divers are nearly all Indians.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joshua E. Littlefield of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Ishmael Munroe and Jacob Munroe, dated October 9, 1861, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 808, Page 236, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of August, 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in said Woburn, about one-third of a mile southeasterly from the Common, on a new street leading from Highland street to Mount Pleasant street, and bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said new street, at the wall, at other land of said Joshua E. Littlefield, the line runs southerly by land of said Joshua E. Littlefield and land of J. C. Whitcher, as the wall now stands, about seventy-two feet, to a corner of the wall; thence nearly westerly by land of M. A. Fifield, as the wall now stands, about seventy-five feet to a stake; thence northerly by other land of said Joshua E. Littlefield, about one hundred and six feet, to a stake at said new street; thence easterly on and by said new street, about sixty-seven feet to the point of beginning: Being the premises granted or intended to be granted by said mortgage deed and all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Joshua E. Littlefield, the mortgagor, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, therein.

$300 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

GEORGE W. DUREN, Administrator of the Estate of Prudence Duren, Assignee of said Mortgage.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, July 28, 1891.

E. J. GREGORY, - - Auctioneer, 396 Main Street.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE,

IN WOBURN.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James McDonald of Woburn, to the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Richard Morris of said Woburn, dated October 11th, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1770, Page 235, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises below described, on Saturday, the fifth day of September, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at the corner of a private street and Canal street, the line runs northwesterly, by and with said Canal street, sixty-eight feet; thence a little north of east, seventy-five feet, to land of grantor; thence east of south by land of grantor, sixty feet, to private street aforesaid; thence a little south of west by and with said private street, sixty-six feet to point of beginning; meaning hereby to convey the southerly half of a lot of land conveyed to grantor by deed of Thomas Richardson, dated the twenty-second day of April, A. D. 1871, and recorded with the South Middlesex District Deeds, Book 1130, Page 629, however otherwise said half of said lot may be bounded and described.

$100.00 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at time and place of sale: other terms will be announced at sale.

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Woburn, July 29, 1891.

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Executor's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated June 9, 1891, the subscriber, Executor of the will of Michael Connell, late of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereafter described, on Monday, the third day of August, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn on the easterly side of Washington street, containing about three-sixteenths of an acre bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly on and by said Washington street; northeasterly and easterly by the old Canal bed; and southerly by land of Heirs of Charles Porter, deceased.

$100.00 of the purchase will be required at time of sale: balance in 10 days.

THOMAS CONNELL,
Executor of the will of Michael Connell.

For futher particulars inquire of J. G. Maguire, Attorney for Executor, 396 Main street, Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 15, 1891.

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law next of kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Robert W. Parker, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John W. Johnson, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, no executor being named in said will, and that he may be exempt from giving any surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to statue;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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CHRIST AT THE WELL.

LESSON V, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 2.

Text of the Lesson, John iv, 5-26—Commit Verses, 13, 14—Golden Text, Rev. xxii, 17—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

5. "Then cometh He to a city of Samaria, which is called Sychar, near to the parcel of ground that Jacob gave to his son Joseph."

After the passover Jesus and His disciples tarried in Judæa, and many came to Him and were by His disciples baptized (chapter iii, 22; iv, 1, 2). John hearing this rejoiced greatly and was in no way jealous, for his joy was to have people follow Jesus (iii, 29, 30). Jesus, leaving Judæa for Galilee, and passing through Samaria, stops at Sychar. Here was Abram's first resting place and altar in the promised land, and here the Lord appeared to him (Gen. xii, 6, 7). Here also the bones of Joseph were buried (Josh. xxiv, 32). It is about thirty-four miles north of Jerusalem.

6. "Now Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied with His journey, sat thus on the well. It was about the sixth hour."

See the true humanity of Jesus. He was a real man; a long walk made Him tired. His body, although sinless, needed food and drink and rest, just as ours do. He was touched with the feeling of our infirmities and can have compassion on us (Heb. iv, 15; v, 2). When you are weary just tell Him, for He has not forgotten how it feels, and He feels for you.

7. "There cometh a woman of Samaria to draw water; Jesus saith unto her, Give me to drink."

Jesus knowing all people and all people's hearts, knew just how to approach each of them. He asks this woman to do Him a favor by giving Him a drink of water, while in His heart He thought of the living water which she needed.

8. "For His disciples were gone away unto the city to buy meat."

Although he had fed millions of people for forty years with bread from Heaven, and could have commanded birds or an angel to bring food, as in the case of Elijah, yet we never find Him working a miracle for His own benefit.

9. "The Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans."

The woman is surprised at His request, and gives this as her reason.

10. "If thou knewest the gift of God, and who it is that saith to thee, Give me to drink, thou wouldest have asked of Him, and He would have given thee living water."

Thus replied Jesus, not heeding her question and statement, but, as in the case of Nicodemus, regarding only her soul and its welfare.

11. "Sir, thou hast nothing to draw with, and the well is deep—from whence then hast thou that living water?"

We see here the same blindness that was manifest in Nicodemus, proving that the natural man cannot understand the things of God.

12. "Art thou greater than our father Jacob which gave us the well?"

13. "Jesus answered and said unto her, Whosoever drinketh of this water shall thirst again."

Heedless of her foolish questions He keeps to His subject, contrasting the natural water, of which she knew, with the spiritual or living water, of which she knew nothing.

14. "But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst."

Or, as He said in chapter vi, 35, "He that cometh to Me shall never hunger, and he that believeth on Me shall never thirst."

"But the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life."

It is Himself, the fountain, that He gives to all who receive Him.

15. "Sir, give me this water, that I thirst not, neither come hither to draw."

She is becoming interested, she forgets the barrier between Jew and Samaritan; she asks of Him, but she knows not what she asks, for she still thinks only of this water and this well.

16. "Jesus saith unto her, Go, call thy husband, and come hither."

Having asked for the water which He had to give, He will now prepare her to receive it, and the first step must be conviction of sin in order to the acceptance of Himself as God's righteousness.

17. "I have no husband. Jesus saith unto her, Thou hast well said, I have no husband."

She thought to deceive him, she knew Him not, nor for a moment imagined that He could read her inmost thought.

18. "For thou hast had five husbands; and he whom thou now hast is not thy husband; in that saidst thou truly."

All things are naked and opened unto the eyes of Him with whom we have to do.

"Sir, I perceive that thou art a prophet."

Her conscience has been aroused, her eyes are being opened; she finds that she is talking with no ordinary man.

20. "Our fathers worshiped in this mountain; and ye say that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship."

She would fain turn away from the subject of her own sin and lead the conversation into another channel.

21. "Jesus saith unto her, Woman, believe me, the hour cometh when ye shall, neither in this mountain nor yet at Jerusalem, worship the Father."

He does not insist that Jerusalem is *the* place. He directs her away from places of worship to the great and only object of worship, even God the Father. Neither place nor sect are the all important points, but an honest, humble heart.

22. "Ye worship ye know not what. We know what we worship, for salvation is of the Jews."

God was pleased to reveal Himself in Israel and through Israel to other nations.

23. "But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshipers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth, for the Father seeketh such to worship Him."

Notice the words "and now is" in verses 21, 22.

24. "God is a Spirit, and they that worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth."

What a word is here for us, with our fine church buildings, and splendid music, and attractive ritual which we call worship!

25. "I know that Messias cometh, which is called Christ. When He is come He will tell us all things."

Perhaps wondering in her heart, even as she said it, if she had not found Him, for no one had ever talked to her like this.

26. "Jesus saith unto her, I that speak unto thee am He."

Now, it is all told, the Father is revealed in the Son, and she has seen the Saviour, the Christ, the King of Israel. He laid bare all her sin, and yet did not condemn her, for He came to save, not to condemn.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, *820 Powers' Block. Rochester, N. Y.*

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Asking not, "To what does this tend?
Where are we going, and what is the end?"

Sailing along with the rising breeze,
O'er placid river or rolling seas,
Yielding all to the current's force,
Using no compass to mark the course.

Drifting along on the sea of the world,
With rudderless keel and sails unfurled,
On the popular current how easy to ride,
With hundreds of others side by side!

Throw away purity, honor and truth,
Sterling integrity taught in youth;
They are but comfortless, old fashioned things;
Sometimes the conscience is waked by their stings.

Merrily onward our bright boats glide,
Pleasure notes sounding on every side,
But silent and deep is the undertow,
Hate and hypocrisy hidden below.

On with the current and over the seal
Does any one know where the landing will be?
'Tis easy to sail in the current's wide track,
But we'll do some hard pulling before we get back.

—Cora Reynolds in Woman's Journal.

Only a Simple Question.

Senator Zeb Vance, of North Carolina, while at the Palace hotel, San Francisco, with a party of friends, noticed a young man with a slight limp walk across the corridor and pause to glance at the register. The senator eyed him for a moment, and turning to a reporter said: "You didn't know that I limped for years, did you? Well, I was hit in the leg by a Federal bullet that caused me no little inconvenience. I got around pretty well; but while standing in Jackson, Miss., I noticed a long haired countryman eying me pretty closely, and he finally approached me.

"'Look here, my friend,' he said, 'I don't want to appear curious, but I would like to know if you're really lame.'

"I replied that I was.

"'Well, you'll excuse me, won't you? I just kinder thought I'd ask, reckonin' you wouldn't get riled about it. Wounded, I suppose, in the war?

"'Yes, I was wounded,' I said abruptly.

"'You see, I don't know, and I'd like to ask you another question,' still eying me critically.

"'Go ahead. What is it?

"'I'd just like to know if you was shot runnin' or caught in a trap?'

"Everybody roared who heard it."—Louisville Post.

A Modern Jenny Geddes.

A startling incident occurred at the anniversary services of the West United Presbyterian church at Kirriemuir, entirely without a parallel in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. On Sunday afternoon the minister was calmly preaching his sermon, when a modern Jenny Geddes, infuriated at one of the male members of the choir being asleep, hurled her Bible at the head of the delinquent from the gallery where she was sitting. The Bible missed the sleeper, but struck the shoulder of another man in the choir, who started up amazed.

The minister became pale, paused in his discourse and exclaimed, "What's wrong?" "The Bible struck the wrang man," she cried, rising up in her pew, although her friends vainly attempted to hold her down, "'twas meant to waunken the sinfu' sleeper. "Strange to say, all present retained their gravity, not the ghost of a smile becoming apparent on the faces of the astounded congregation.—London Tit-Bits.

A Club Where Waiters Get No Fees.

A friend of mine asked me over to the Hanover club to take dinner, and when we had finished he gave the waiter a cigar. Said he: "Waiters who accept fees in this club are subject to instant dismissal, and we have found that the rule works very well. When the fee expecting waiter is more busy watching the man who, after eating his dinner, is about to leave than he is attending to the wants of newcomers, it must follow that there is a good deal of dissatisfaction. Now, when the waiters know that they have nothing to look for, they are equally obliging to all and do infinitely better than when on the constant lookout for tips. I gave my waiter a cigar because he would have risked his place had he accepted money, and I certainly did not want to let him run that chance."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Perhaps the best known pearl necklace in London, England, is that of the Countess Tolstoi, wife of the sturdy Radical, Philip Stanhope, M. P. The gems are not only large and perfect in shape, but are nearly black, a peculiarity which, though some think does not add to beauty, is, by reason of its rarity, exceptionally valuable.

Four millions of pills are taken by the inhabitants of the United Kingdom every week. In France the quantity is about one-half. Only about 1,000,000 are taken by the people of Russia. The Australians are the biggest pill takers in the world.

With the yearly pie product of the United States a tower 13,468 miles high could be erected, and stretched in a line they would girdle the earth three times. These pies of a year would weigh 803,000 tons.

Since 1800 there have been retired in France 69 ministers of justice, 87 ministers of the interior, 73 ministers of foreign affairs, 54 ministers of finance, 71 ministers of war and 65 ministers of the navy.

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HOW TO STUDY BOTANY.

The First Thing to Do Is to Learn the Names of Common Wild Flowers.

Most young people find botany a dull study. So it is, as taught from the text books in the schools, but study it yourself in the fields and woods and you will find it a source of perennial delight. Find your flower and then name it by the aid of the botany. There is so much in a name. To find out what a thing is called is a great help. It is the beginning of knowledge; it is the first step.

When we see a new person who interests us we wish to know his or her name. A bird, a flower, a place—the first thing we wish to know about it is its name. Its name helps us to classify it; it gives us a handle to grasp it by; it sheds a ray of light where all before was dark. As soon as we know the name of a thing we seem to have established some sort of relation with it.

The other day, while the train was delayed by an accident, I wandered a few yards away from it along the river margin seeking wild flowers. Should I find any whose name I did not know? While thus loitering a young English girl also left the train and came in my direction, plucking the flowers right and left as she came. But they were all unknown to her. She did not know the name of one of them, and she wished to send them home to her father too. With what satisfaction she heard the names! The words seemed to be full of meaning to her, though she had never heard them before in her life. It was what she wanted. It was an introduction to the flowers, and her interest in them increased at once.

"That orange colored flower which you just plucked from the edge of the water, that is our jewel weed," I said.

"It looks like a jewel," she replied.

"You have nothing like it in England, or did not have till lately; but I hear it is now appearing along certain English streams, having been brought from this country."

"And what is this?" she inquired, holding up a blue flower with a very bristly leaf and stalk.

"That is viper's bugloss or blueweed, a plant from your side of the water, one that is making itself thoroughly at home along the Hudson and in the valleys of some of its tributaries among the Catskills. It is a rough, hardy weed, but its flower, with its long, conspicuous purple stamens and blue corolla, as you see, is very pretty.

"Here is another emigrant from across the Atlantic," I said, holding up a cluster of small white flowers each mounted upon a little inflated brown bag or balloon—the bladder campion. "It also runs riot in some of our fields as I am sure you will not see it at home." She went on filling her hands with flowers, and I gave her the names of each—sweet clover or melilotus, probably a native plant, vervain (foreign), purple loosestrife (foreign), toad flax (foreign), chelone, or turtle head, a native, and the purple mimulus or monkey flower, also a native. It was a likely place for the cardinal flower, but I could not find any. I wanted this hearty English girl to see one of our native wild flowers, so intense in color that it would fairly make her eyes water to gaze upon it.

Just then the whistle of the engine summoned us all aboard, and in a moment we were off.—John Burroughs in St. Nicholas.

A Question That Startled Mr. Clews.

Coming out of the court room one day two lawyers were conversing.

"That was a very bright reply, indeed," said one, "and did it ever occur to you that often such things lead to success in business, as much so as some subtle maneuver in trade? Apropos, quick repartee is a wonderful weapon. Many a man who imagined he was soaring to the very heights of eloquence has been cut down by a word. I remember of hearing that on one occasion at a dinner Henry Clews was making a speech, in the course of which he referred to himself as a self made man.

"'Gentlemen,' said he, 'I am a self made man.' Shaking his head vigorously, which is as innocent of hair as the outside of an egg, he repeated, 'a self made man.'

"He paused a moment, when William B Travers, who was present, said to him with that well known stutter that gave point to his utterances:

"'W w well, Clews, w w when you m m made yourself w w why didn't you make some hair."—New York Press.

Some Odd Comparisons.

A railway train, at a continuous speed of forty miles an hour, would pass from the earth to the moon in a little more than eight months; to the planet Venus, in seventy-one and a half years, and would reach the sun in two hundred and sixty odd years. A ray of light will pass from the moon to the earth in a trifle over a single second; from Venus to the earth in a little more than two minutes, and from the sun to this little sphere of ours in about eight minutes. If this same comparison were applied to the fixed stars it would be still more startling.—St. Louis Republic.

Assisting the Parson.

A preacher, raising his eyes from his desk in the midst of his sermon, was paralyzed with amazement to see his rude boy in the gallery pelting the hearers in the pews below with horse chestnuts. But while the good man was preparing a frown of reproof, the young hopeful cried out:

"You 'tend to your preaching, daddy; I'll keep 'em awake."—London Tit-Bits.

Failures in Life.

People fail in many ways. In business, in morality, in religion, in happiness, and in health. A weak heart is often an unsuspected cause of failure in life. If the blood does not circulate properly in the lungs, there is shortness of breath, asthma, etc.; in the brain, dizziness, headache, etc.; in the stomach, wind, pain, indigestion, faint spells, etc.; in the liver, torpidity, congestion, etc. Paine in the left side, shoulder and stomach is caused by heart strain. For all these maladies Dr. Miles' New Cure for the heart and lungs is the best remedy. Sold by Charles H. Buss.

STORY OF AN EX-BRAKEMAN.

Driven from His Position by Horrors Incidental to His Calling.

"I was a brakeman on the Harlem road before I entered the ministry," said a well known Brooklyn preacher to me, "but it was only for a little while. It proved to be a horrible calling. It was only a few days after I had been installed in my position when I received the first shock to my nerves. We were just on the point of crossing a small bridge that spanned a shallow stream of water when I heard the whistle blown for 'down brakes.'

"I put on the brake as hard as I could and then looked ahead of the train. I was just in time to see a man running for his life across the bridge on a narrow board footway. The train was slowly losing its momentum, but it was too late to save the man from death, for just as he had about reached a place of safety the engine hit him and he was knocked over into the water.

"When the train had been stopped we went down and recovered the poor fellow's corpse. His skull had been cleanly split in two and the water had washed out his brains. The body was placed in the baggage car, on which I worked, and I was forced to gaze upon the ghastly spectacle until we reached the next station, where the dead man was turned over to the authorities.

"As if that were not enough to produce a lasting horrible impression upon my mind, I received another and perhaps more frightful shock two weeks later. It was on the same bridge. I again heard the dreaded signal for 'down brakes.' This time I put all the strength I could command into my effort and keyed the brake up to the last notch I was able to force it to. The next instant the chain broke, and the train, which was gradually being halted, bounded forward with new impetus and another man was killed.

"It seems that he had tried to save himself by clasping his hands over one of the ties and hanging below the train until it had passed. He had succeeded in locking his hands around the timber, but did not have time to duck his head before the cowcatcher struck his neck, cut off his head close to the shoulders and tossed it into the water. When we went back to recover the body we found, to our surprise, the headless corpse of the man with its hands still linked in the grip of death around the railroad tie.

"That settled it with me, and I resigned my place forthwith. I have not touched a brake since that day."—New York Herald.

Sorting and Cleaning Wool.

The wool comes into the mill dirty, greasy, burry, sometimes washed by the farmer, but generally just as it is sheared from the sheep, a filthy an dunwholesome thing, giving little sign of the beautiful, white and flossy substance into which it is soon converted. It must first be sorted, each fleece containing from six to eight qualities of sorts, which the careful manufacturer separates, devoting each quality to the purpose for which it is best suited. No skill in carding, spinning, weaving or finishing can possibly produce a soft or fine piece of goods from a coarse, hard fiber.

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The Baleful East Wind.

That wind from any one of the four cardinal or intermediate points should have a more depressing effect upon the human system than that from any or all of the other points seems like sheerest nonsense. In these days, however, we cannot forego scientific testimony. Dr. Richards says: "That all nervous conditions in which, for want of a more correct term, we say 'the nervous tone is lowered,' are much intensified by the east wind. Indeed, the special action of this peculiar wind is to produce 'want of tone,' or debility. Under its influence almost all sick persons say they are depressed; they do not complain of reduced appetite nor of pain intensified, but they declare that they are rendered prostrate both in mind and body. In brief, if a single word were wanted to express the morbid effect of an east wind on a sick man that word would be 'prostration.'" — St. Louis Republic.

Helping the Recording Angel.

"Please light your cigar well before leaving, so that the recording angel will have less work to do," reads a sign posted in front of the cigar lighter in a tobacconist's store in Whitehall street.

I asked the man behind the counter to explain the sign.

"It means," said he, "that you should see that your weed is perfectly lit before you leave the store, so that you will not have to stop a man in the street and ask him for a light. Every man that hands his cigar to a stranger to pull at for fire is supposed to swear inwardly at the annoyance and the probable damage to his own cigar. That makes work for the recording angel."—New York Herald.

The Engineer

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How Tall Chimneys Oscillate.

The extent or degree of the oscillation of tall chimneys may be exactly taken by a close observation of the shadows they cast upon the ground. An instance to the point is that of a chimney 115 feet high and four feet in diameter externally at the top, near Marseilles, France, the oscillations of which were observed by the shadow during a high wind to attain a maximum of over twenty inches.—*Detroit Free Press.*

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Now he implores the doctor to save him. Then he begs to be killed and put out of pain. The extremities become icy. The pulse is small, feeble and frequent, and the breathing is labored, embarrassed and painful because of abdominal tenderness. The surface of the body becomes dark and of that bluish color that medical men call cyanosed. Violent cramps add their torture, exhaustion becomes collapse, convulsions or coma ensue, and death ends the agony. This torture lasts sometimes from five to twenty hours.

In some cases these symptoms occur, but in a modified form, and the doctor will apparently get the better of the disease. The remission will be but for a day or two. Then the abdomen will swell and icy coldness will pervade the frame. Shivering will become pronounced trembling. Then cramps, convulsions and death.—Kansas City Star.

An Apt Rebuke.

There is a Unitarian clergyman who is not without a power of keen retort, and who is none the less gifted with the grace to command his tongue rather than allow his tongue to command him. He has in his congregation one of those women who make a pretense of frankness an excuse for rudeness, and who are given to boasting that they are plain spoken, when the truth is that they are simply ill bred and insolent. This especial lady is wealthy, and there are not many in the list of her acquaintances who dare rebuke her, albeit they do together console each other for the wounds they suffer from her tongue by abusing her roundly.

It chanced that one evening the lady and the clergyman were partners at whist at the house of a common friend, and so successful were they that they won almost every game for the evening. Like people who are fond of having their own way, the lady was in high humor over the success, and when the play was over she pushed back her chair from the table with the characteristic and graceful remark to her partner:

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A raglan is a loose overcoat with long sleeves, such as Lord Raglan wore in the Crimean war. Wellingtons are boots named after the Iron Duke. Bluchers are also boots, named after the commander of Wellington's Prussian allies at Waterloo.

Any magnificent tomb is called a mausoleum. Mausolus, the Carian king whose name it bears, had nothing whatever to do with the original except to lie in it when he was dead. The piety of his wife, Artemisia, gave his name to the tomb and immortality to her husband's memory, because the monument she built over his body gave a word to language. The magnolia bears the name of Pierre Magnol, professor of medicine at Montpellier, France, in the Seventeenth century, and Dahl, a Swedish botanist, has his name embalmed in the dahlia.—Harper's Young People.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.25, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P. M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.26 9.26, P.M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.06, 7.38, 7.48, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.36, 6.44, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.

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For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.30, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 6.42 P. M.

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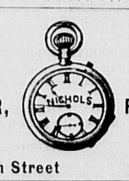

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New York Mail opens at 7.30 A. M.
Northern Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
Lowell Mail opens at 8.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.
Winchester Mail opens at 11.50 A. M., 6.30 P. M.
North Woburn Mail opens at 3.00 P. M.
Cummingsville Mail opens at 9.00 A. M., and 4.30 P. M.
Burlington Mail opens at 10.00 A. M.

MAIL CLOSES.

Boston Mail closes at 7, 8, 8.30, 9.20, 11.00 A. M., 12.30, 1.40, 2.30, 4, 4.45, 5.30, 7.45 P. M.
Northern, 7.00 A. M.
Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
Northern, *via* Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
Lowell 5.30 A. M., *via* Winchester 12.30, 4 P. M.
Winchester, 12.30, 4 P. M.
North Woburn, 5.30 P. M.
Cummingsville, 8.30 A. M., 5.55 P. M.
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THE HAUNTED INN.

A Legend of Woburn.

BY P. L. CONVERSE.

"Whence and what art thou, Execrable Shape?"
—*Milton.*

In days long gone, somewhere sixty years ago,
There stood, just where the "Central House" now stands,
A tavern, kept by Marshall Fowle, of mem'ry green,
At which the incidents occurred, which form my theme.

Right in the street, in front, an ancient elm stood,
And willows two, of monstrous size, with branches wide,
'Tween which were troughs where country swain and maid,
Fed their tired horses in the leafy shade.

But when the wintry winds, or spring and autumn rains,
Drove man and beast, some friendly nook to seek
For shelter, a long shed, with racks and open space
Beneath, furnished, at southern end, the place.

The long unfinished loft above, afforded room
For doves to roost, while every now and then an owl,
With noiseless wing, and dismal hungry hoot,
Visited the Colony of doves, the squabs to loot.

Lake many other country inns, this old one had,
Next to the shed, an extra room, where finer guests
Were lodged in statelier shape, but this, because
Of rattling chains, and ghostly groans, deserved was.

In fact, the bravest held their breath, in terror dumb,
When clanking sounds, with sobs and moans, drove sleep away.
For months had Marshall tried the cause to ascertain,
And scare or drive the ghost away, but all in vain.

At last, one winter day, a man of high renown,
Potter, ventriloquist, magician fine, well
Known to all the country round, came with his kit
And with the crowd with magic feats, their cash to get.

The house was full; all but the ghost haunted room.
None other offered. Potter so told, accepted
The dread trial, hoping by *hocus pocus*,
To find and scare the ghost from his old *locus*.

To bed he went. The wintry winds blew fiercely
Cold. The moans and groans pervaded all the room.
But Potter, used to notice tricks, and study cause,
Set his keen wits to trace the sounds by nature's laws.

He first observed, that when the wind increased,
More loud, more dismal seemed the sound; but when it
Lulled, the ghost, in whispered zephyrs breathed
More softly; but his ear caught other wheezy moans.

Before the morning sun rose on the snowy scene,
The wind had ceased, so had the ghostly noise;
But Potter saw a poor asmathic dove, right
Near; her wheezy breath disclosed the sobs at night.

On closer search, a splinter, made by driving
Nails was found, which reed like, gave out long drawn groans.
While the wind blew strong, and made the blood to freeze;
But when the wind and dove left, gone was the noise.

And in the openings through which passed the doves,
A shingle, by careless hands was swinging left,
Which moved by passing birds, with ghostly din
Clanked horrid, and gave color to the "Haunted Inn."

Thus Potter, by his common sense and careful thought,
Found out the ghost, and drove him from the house.
While th' unthinking crowd, this feat seemed done
By aid of Satan, only by *his* skill 'twas won.

So ever after, when he came to play his feats
Of magic, the people cried, "he could not do
Such things alone. 'Twas by the Devil's aid,
And black art words like "Presto," which he said."

Woburn, August 1, 1891.

A Trapper's Life.

The winter, though not without its excitements, is a long and lonely one, and the work very hard. For six months you see no living soul and have only your dog for company. Very likely, too, you may be poorly paid for your time. I trapped one whole winter and only caught four marten by my land trapping. After I had been at it for a time I saw that there were no marten in the country, and as I happened to have two No. 4 traps with me I started trapping otter and caught thirty-seven during the winter.

When the trapping is at an end, you begin to think of getting your fur to market. The skins must first be got out to your canoe, if you are trapping on the coast or a large river, or else out to some settlement. The furs are made up into bales of a size convenient for packing and carried out, a cache being made of your first load if you have to make two or more trips. Then your canoe is stowed and you set sail for your maket, which on this northern coast is generally Victoria, where the skins are sold at auction.

Nothing definite can be said about the returns in this business. Much depends on the skill and industry of the trapper, and quite as much on the abundance or scarcity of the fur. About the best winter I ever made in land trapping was twenty fishers and from 180 to 190 marten. Besides this regular fur a man may pick up odds and ends by steel traps and poison; a bear or two, a few wolves, perhaps a wolverine. These would bring in a few dollars in addition to the regular catch. Then, too, a man may have an opportunity on his way down the coast to catch a few otter or bear or to trade for a few furs with the Indians, but on the whole, even in the best of years, a man got but small return for a season which lasted perhaps from August 1 to June 1.—*Forest and Stream.*

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters curee him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O, had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

"Early and often" should be the advertiser's motto.

News and Their Friends.

A newspaper, if it has any brains, conscience and muscle back of it, must continually decide between doing its duty and injuring its pocket. In any position but that of an editor the public is able to separate the individual homo from the collective citizen. But if the editor does not please them, it's his pocket they aim at. Thus it is that newspapers learn who their friends are. The man who reads a newspaper and admires it all the year around, yet gives his business support to some other concern, whose principles he detests, is not a friend of the former paper.

Admiration alone will not run a newspaper. Sooner or later such admirers will find that the object of their affections has become wedded to other ways that they do not admire—in other words, a newspaper is compelled, in order to live, to seek the friendship of those who are not so platonic in their love, but unite that practical esteem with sentiment that binds mutual admiration in other professions. There are too many men who expect an editor to slave in defense of their pet notions and hobbies, advocate their views against the strongest opposition, and coolly withhold the business support by which alone a small newspaper can live.

Talk about a newspaper having a public duty to perform, and an editor having to labor for his principles, is cheap when others stand back and while extending a lukewarm neutrality with one hand, are filling their pockets with the other hand as a result of the editor's labor for his principles, which they admire but do not support.—*Clinton Enterprise.*

The World's Fair.

The excitement caused by this great event is scarcely equaled by that produced by the great discovery of Dr. Miles—the Restorative Nervine. It speedily cures nervous prostration, change of life, pain, dullness and confusion in head, fits sleeplessness, the blues, neuralgia, palpitation, monthly pains, etc. C. W. Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; Talbot & Moss, of Greensburg, Ind., and A. Blackburn of Wooster, O., say that "The Nervine sells better than anything we ever sold, and gives universal satisfaction." Dr. Miles' new illustrated treatise on the Nerves and Heart and trial bottle free at Charles H. Buss's drug store.

Chicago's Park and Parkways.

The parks and parkways of Chicago are of a type the outgrowth of her natural landscape conditions and the characteristics of her people. Between the great lake on the east and the prairie main land on the west is a low, swampy tract diversified by sand ridges washed up by the storm waves and shifted about by the winds. The lake in some places encroaches upon the land, and at other points extends the shore by the forming of sand bars. Upon such a site was founded Chicago, and upon such a soil has she built her parks and boulevards.

The wide streets were rescued as rapidly as possible from their primitive condition of alternate mud and dust, graded and laid with the most approved forms of pavement. The fondness of the people for riding and driving, that led them at an early day to provide so amply for public ways, caused the feature of fine driveways to be prominent when the public parks were to be made. —*Harper's Weekly.*

"Just As Good,"

Say some dealers who try to sell a substitute preparation when a customer calls for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Do not allow any such false statements as this to induce you to buy what you do not want. Remember that the only reason for making it is that a few cents more profit will be made on the substitute. Insist upon having the best medicine—Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is Peculiar to Itself.

Mrs. Livermore's Advice.

Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, in her address on "Woman's Work in the Temperance Reform," at the National Temperance Convention, Saratoga, last week, spoke of the opportunities for women to promote temperance in their homes and in the schools, and along other social and educational lines. She pointed finally to the fact that "sooner or later, in our country, all political conviction crystalizes into ballots, and because women are refused this expression they work at great disadvantage." She advised temperance women to "be prompt to recognize not only those individuals but those political parties which take a stand for prohibition, tendering them their sympathies and prayers. But let women stand aloof from alliance with any and all, and seek the ballot for themselves."

A Suggestion That Saved My Life.

I took a severe cold and suffered pain through the back and kidneys. I sent for a physician, who pronounced my case Gravel. A friend recommended Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., and after taking two bottles I considered myself perfectly cured.—John Davies, Rochester, N. Y. What more could be asked?

Savings Banks' Depositors.

At the close of the year 1890 the savings banks in the United States numbered 860, with savings deposits amounting to $1,524,844,506, divided among 4,258,893 depositors, being an average of $358.04. The depositors in the banks of New York state numbered 1,420,997, with deposits amounting to $550,066,657, being an average to each depositor of $387.10. California is credited with the largest average sum to each depositor, the amount being $787.74. The smallest average of all states is in West Virginia, where the amount is $48.19.—*New York Recorder.*

"Pleasant hours fly fast." Pleasant hours with piles! Absurd! Cure them with Old Saul's Pile Ointment. At all dealers for 25 cents.

"Wisdom goes not always by years." Any child knows that Old Saul's Catarrh Cure cures catarrh. Don't take any other. Price 25 cents.

HE MADE AND SPENT FORTUNES.

Ups and Downs of an Operator Who Was Twice a Millionaire.

Maurice Hoeflich's suicide after eight months of illness, mental and physical, made things on the Stock exchange rather serious and gloomy.

The dead man was for years one of the boldest operators, and everybody knew him, and everybody had a story to tell about poor Hoeflich.

Everybody liked him, and not one of the stories showed him in a bad light. He died poor after having made a half a dozen fortunes. He was worth over a million dollars when Sierra Nevada was worth over $200 a share. But he was not satisfied with the great fortune he realized then, so he joined the ranks of the sanguine spirits who were sure that the North End stock would touch $1,000 before it broke. So he lost his million or more.

There were a score of suicides then, but Hoeflich did not appear to take his losses very hard, and pretty soon he was deep into Hale & Norcross, winning another fortune. It is not likely that he ever lost much in Hale & Norcross, but he got into the mines of the Tuscarora district, the Commonwealth mines and some others, and they swallowed up all he made. Year after year he dropped his money into these holes. No one knows exactly what they cost him, but it was enough to make several big fortunes.

Probably it was this continual run of misfortune that at last broke down his mind. When he first began to fail his many friends stood by him, and he seemed to improve. He was for a time at the German hospital, and then he got well enough to go to the house of a friend.

His suicide was a surprise. He seemed almost his old self when he went to bed on Thursday night. He shot himself an hour or so later. It is evident, however, that his suicide was deliberate. He never kept a weapon, and it is supposed that he bought one just for the purpose.

Hoeflich was a man of nerve, and he probably simply thought over his affairs and concluded that it was not worth while to struggle on. So he ended it.

They tell a story of how Hoeflich made $50,000 without knowing it. He and Johnny Skae were on Montgomery street and two Chinamen were walking ahead of them. They laid a big wager as to which Chinaman would speak first. They followed the Celestials for blocks, but not a word was said by either. The Chinamen went down to the docks, still followed by the two rich men. The Chinamen went on board a steamer and the bettors went too. Neither would give up. The steamer was well on her way to Honolulu before they found out that the Chinamen were the star pupils of the deaf and dumb branch of the Chinese mission, and the bettors had to hire a tug to return to the city. While they were away stocks went up and Hoeflich was $50,000 richer.—San Francisco Examiner.

His Latest Disillusion.

"I have had my share of disappointments," said a man with mended eyeglasses and hair oil on his rather long locks. He had strolled over to talk to the man in charge of the billiard room at the hotel. "I have seen the roses drop their petals and the leaves tremble under the caresses of the wind till it grew tired and cast them away."

"Have you, now?" asked the man in charge.

"Yes, sir. I have seen all the dazzling hues of fortune merged in one vast rainbow of hope that seemed to encircle the whole world, and I have stood and watched that rainbow fade."

"That's a darn shame," said the man in charge.

"Yes, it is. But the worst shock my soul ever experienced it felt today. I had been suffering from the heart. Once I discovered suddenly that I suffered no more. I glanced around me, and my eye fell on a polar bear nibbling delicate Charlotte russes of snow from the edge of an iceberg. It was the enchantment of my good fairy, and I was reveling in it when suddenly"——

"What was it, sir?"

"A bellboy who was carrying a pitcher of water kicked my chair from under me, and I discovered that I had tilted my chair and gone to sleep with my back against the water cooler."—Washington Post.

One Way to Get New Toys.

The two children of a well known writer, whose temper is as quick as his heart is generous, are used to receiving armfuls of toys after they have been punished for any misdemeanor. Of late they have been very good, or their father's mind has been uncommonly calm and unruffled, and as a natural consequence the stock of playthings has run low. One afternoon the mother overheard the curly haired boy saying to the blond little girl, as they sat on the floor and raced a three legged horse against a wooden cow with two broken horns: "Can't we plague papa somehow tonight, Bessie? We really must fix it so's to get a whipping."—New York Recorder.

Unreasonable Curiosity.

Before a young man marries he should learn not to ask foolish questions.

"What, my angel," exclaimed a youthful husband bursting into the kitchen, "doing the cooking yourself! What is it?"

"Why, Edgar, how foolish of you! How in the world can I tell until I see what it turns out?"—Youth's Companion.

All Aroken Down.

Is it not sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said? Young man, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practiced, keep good hours, retire early, and build up your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—Old Physician.

Advertising, like the honey bee, should have its sting in the tail.

GREAT MARK-DOWN SALE
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Munroe's Clothing House.
We are offering a large discount on all of our LIGHT WEIGHT SUITS, TROUSERS, STRAW HATS, YACHTING CAPS, OUTING SHIRTS, &c.
Very low prices on Trunks and Travelling Bags.
Come early and secure a bargain.
C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Guards Around Treasures.

Few people who gaze upon the treasures inclosed within the fragile glass cases near the main entrance of the National Museum dream that any material protection guards them from burglarious and predatory paws, save that a watch is kept, as a matter of course, by persons in charge. Gold and silver by the hundredweight are there exposed to view, while the intrinsic and historical value of the exhibits mounts up into the millions. Yet all is open, with only thin sheets of crystal between the avaricious visitor and the precious property of the American people.

Let the would be robber try it then; let him wait, and when he is perfectly certain the guard is not looking, lay hands on so much as one small copper penny of historic date exposed behind the glass. Lo! an alarm rings through the building, and from all sides the attendants flock to the rescue. The thief learns, too late for profitable information, that each copper, silver or gold piece in every case has a separate attachment to the burglar alarm in the building. The accessibility of the costly objects is only apparent; the entire police of Washington is guarding them day and night.

In the same way with the major as well as with the minor treasures in the Smiths

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

EDITOR BARRETT FOR CRAPO.

Last Friday morning, we believe it was, the Boston *Advertiser*, owned and edited by Hon. W. E. Barrett, Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, came out flat-footed for Mr. Crapo for Governor. He made no half-way work of it, but avowed himself in favor of the New Bedford statesman without ifs or ands and promised him the support of his journals.

The curious thing about this movement of Mr. Barrett is that up to the moment it was made he himself was supposed to be a candidate for the nomination, and not only so but he was considered to be ahead in the race. His campaign was bitterly opposed by the "Old Guard" and whether he was frightened off the track by them, or whether the future will show that there was a big cat under the meal, is a question. The latter is the more likely to prove true, and if we are correct in thinking so Barrett will be Governor of this Commonwealth in 1892 in spite of all the "Old Guard" or anybody else can do to prevent it.

THE VETERANS.

The Grand Army of the Republic are celebrating their 25th, or silver, anniversary at Detroit, Michigan, this week, and from news received from there it is safe to say that the thousands of Veterans who wore the blue in 1861-5 now assembled in fraternal reunion from every State and Territory in the Union are being royally entertained by the big-hearted Michaganders and having a splendid time.

Reports place the number of G. A. R. men present at over 30,000—about the size of the display they made in Boston last year—and among them are many of the most distinguished citizens of this Nation—men who won fame in the Army and have added to it by the practice of statesmanship since. Ex-President Hayes was there and on Tuesday and received a splendid ovation from "the boys."

The next annual gathering of the G. A. R. is to be held at Washington, D. C.

HELD A MEETING.

A meeting of the Republican Editors Club of the State was held in Boston last Wednesday at which the names of many new members were enrolled. Much enthusiasm characterized the gathering and great achievements by the Club were predicted. Mr. W. H Cook of the Milford *Journal* was elected Chairman of the Executive Committee.

A new name was chosen for the organization, namely: "The Republican Editorial Association of Massachusetts (R. E. A. M.)." The next meeting will be held on the 19th instant.

INCLINED TO KICK.

A report is current that Republican politicians in the heart of the Commonwealth are dissatisfied with Editor Barrett's candidate for Governor. As a rule they oppose Crapo and favor Allen of Lowell for whom a strong fight will be made. They give some very good reasons why Mr. Crapo ought not to be selected for the Republican standard-bearer this year.

Collector Beard and his followers, including Congressman Lodge, want Allen, but Editor Barrett's man will probably secure the prize—at least that is the way the thing looks to a person up a tree.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
T. C. Evans—Bryant & S.
Gordon Parker—Apothecary.
82 Pleasant St.—Watch Lost.
Dr. J. M. Harlow—Mrot. Sale.
Burdett Bros.—Business College.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Mrs. S. O. Pollard is visiting at Orleans.

— Miss Clara Rider was at Barnstable last week.

— There was a powerful rain on Wednesday night.

— Miss Nellie McGovern is visiting at Charlestown.

— Mr. David Gifford is enjoying life at Dartmouth.

— It has been extremely poor beach weather this week.

— George E. Wales was at Wellfleet a few days since.

— Important repairs are being made on the Municipal Building.

— Miss Marguerite Melville is happy at Lincolnville Beach, Maine.

— Mrs. J. H. Sweetser has been visiting her mother at Nahant.

— Mr. S. S. Ordway was booked at the No. Conway house last week.

— George Bullick and Fred Wiggins have returned from Pennsylvania.

— Our Scandinavian population have had considerable accessions of late.

— Miss Clarabel Flinn has got back home from a brief vacation visit away.

— The tug-of-war at the Highlands last Saturday was won by the Hudsons.

— The present P. O. address of Neal McColgan is Saulsbury, N. H.

— W. E. Graney was fined $50 and costs last Wednesday for illegal rum selling.

— Mrs. Phœbe Sevreus is having a delightful time at Lincolnville Beach, Maine.

— Mrs. Seth T. Gifford returned last Tuesday from a pleasant visit to Falmouth.

— Mr. William Winn is at Wilton, N. H., where he has been visiting for a week past.

— Miss Nellie Fitzpatrick is spending her vacation with her uncle in Milton, Mass.

— The Woburn Co-operative Bank will hold its August meeting on next Thursday evening.

— Major A. Bancroft's daughter Annie is at quaint Old York, Maine, for a summer outing.

— Work will soon be in full feather on the new Central Square schoolhouse. It will be a good one.

— Repairs are going on inside of the National Bank building, at least things have that appearance.

— The success of a newspaper, city or country, depends almost entirely on its business management.

— Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fowle of Boston and Mrs. E. W. Converse, Jr. are at Centre Harbor N. H.

— Repairs of machinery have been the order at the Johnston Electric Train Signal manufactory this week.

— The First Baptist Parish Society of this city have elected Mr. James A. Brown a member of the same.

— During its fortnight's vacation the people appreciate the worth of our Public Library more than ever.

— Mrs. McIntire took Master Patrick along with her when she went to Concord, N. H., the other day.

— Janitor Francis missed getting to Kittery during his vacation which came to a close with the close of July.

— Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of 45 Union street left town on Tuesday last for a vacation visit among friends.

— According to the report of Chief McIntosh there were 53 arrests for drunkenness in this city during July.

— John F. Johnson has gone back to Sweden for his health. He sailed from Boston last Saturday morning.

— Don't forget the union temperance meeting that is to be held at the Baptist church at 7 o'clock next Sunday evening.

— Letter carrier William Brown is on duty for a month in place of Capt. Mathews or some other carrier on vacation.

— The Catholic churches of Montvale and Winchester will join drives and hold a big picnic at Oak Island on Aug. 20.

— Some of those who went to the summer resorts about hoeing corn time are getting back home and settling down again.

— Division 18, A. O. H., are making preparations to celebrate Labor Day in the enjoyment of various athletic sports

— It should have been L. G. instead of W. G. Waldon, but he is just as good a tailor as though the mistake was not made.

— Mr. A. N. Webster, the dry and fancy goods dealer, is attending strictly to business but may indulge in a brief outing later on.

— The Johnston Electric Signal Co. are receiving a great many orders for their goods these times. It is a successful industry.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith and family have returned from Marblehead Neck where they have occupied a cottage for some weeks past.

— Mr. Isaac Ashby of New Boston street has gone to the Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment of an absess on his throat.

— Mr. Charles E. Tripp and family are passing several happy days at West Brookfield, a rural retreat highly fitted for repose and comfort.

— Rev. John Quealey of St. Charles Church attended the consecration of Rev. Fr. Brady as Auxiliary Bishop of Boston last Wednesday.

— Our outside is a very neat and readable one this week. Both pages contain choice bits of literature besides Judge Converse's legend.

— Editor and Mrs. W. F. Kenney are in the White Mountains country with the little ones too, and all are as happy as clams at high water.

— Mr. W. G. Clewley and family and Mrs. Maria R. Bickford and her daughter Gertrude have gone to Littleton, N. H., for rest and recreation.

— Mr. Daniel Jones of the Central House stables sprained one of his ankles very badly the other day and has to employ crutches to get around with.

— Mr. Mark Cotton has entered the employment of the Weston Lumber Co. of Boston of which J. B. McDonald is the enterprising President.

— Mrs. Annie P. Connery of Montvale and daughter Fannie have gone to Lowando, Penn., where Mr. Connery is Superintendent of the Water Works.

— Mrs. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., was a guest at the afternoon tea given by Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Fowle on board the steam yacht Melissa last week.

— Next Labor Day the Daughters of Pocahontas and the Red Men of this city and Stoneham will hold a grand picnic at Haggetts Pond. It will be a fine one no doubt.

— Mr. Frank McDermott bookkeeper in the establishment of the Colchester Rubber Co. of Colchester, Conn., was at home here visiting among friends this week.

— Mr. John I. Munroe, the enterprising and successful real estate broker in this city and Boston, and family are rusticating at the Sunset Pavillion, North Conway, N. H.

— The 1-2 3 and 7 P. M. horse-cars from Woburn to Chelsea, and the 2-3 4 and 8 P. M. from Melrose Hl'ds, have been discontinued, also the 9 P. M. from Woburn, Sundays.

— Gentle Reader, cast your visual organs athwart a notice in this paper which begins in this wise: "Watch Lost." You will find it an interesting piece of English composition.

— Leather making has been resumed at the establishment of Kenney & Murphy, which is an encouraging sign. Business matters are beginning to wear a more prosperous appearance.

— Hon. E. D. Hayden has gone on a fortnight's yachting trip as the guest of the New York Yachting Club. He left yesterday morning.

— Ald. Jacob A. Ham proposes to have a little bit of a vacation if no more. He'll go to Dauversport at least, while the Alderman's family will try a little beach life and fare for a change.

— Old Woburn and Winchester people will be apt to be interested in the publication of a document published in this week's JOURNAL. We are indebted to Col. Nat. Richardson for the same.

— The register of the popular hotel at Wellfleet contained the autographs of Misses Lottie and Nellie Ellis, daughters of Mr. Alex Ellis of the "Railroad Store," this city, last week.

— "The Fall of Pompeii" is a magnificent show—the best that Boston has to offer to the public this summer, and good enough for lords. Thousands on thousands of people visit it every night.

— The salary of Mr. Willis S. Carter, Drawing Master in our public schools, has been fixed at $600 per annum. He is a very competent teacher.

— Mr. William J. Deloriea salesman at the Durward's Market and his sister Belle, cashier of the "Cash Market," started yesterday for a fortnight's visit with friends at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

— City Treasurer John C. Buck and family prefer Autrim, N. H., to any other spot on earth for a summer rest. So, according to an annual custom Antrim has been rejoicing in their presence of late.

— Think of a Business College occupying a half acre of flooring! That is what the famous Burdett Business College occupies in the great Commonwealth Clothing block on Washington st. Boston.

— Mr. F. G. Satherland, who has been with Mr. D. W. Kelley for some time, will continue with druggist Parker in the capacity of head assistant. He is good a prescriptionist and a courteous gentleman.

— To-morrow Mrs. Mary E. Plannett and Miss Bertha Smith will leave for Sanbornton, N. H., where for several weeks they will visit among friends and have, the JOURNAL hopes, a real good time.

— Auctioneer Gregory sold the Connell property at Montvale last Monday to Lawrence Martin of that village for $1025, which was regarded as a good sale. J. G. Maguire, Esq., was Attorney for the estate.

— Last Monday Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Montgomery went to Portland, Me., on invitation of a relative who is landlord of the Preble House as well as a large summer hostelry on Peeke's Island in Casco Bay.

— The National Band gave a very fine concert on the Common last Wednesday evening which a large crowd of people enjoyed very much. The programme was an excellent one and its execution prime.

— Miss Maud Ronco, the popular violinist, daughter of Mr. David Ronco of Sturgis street, left last Monday morning for Fort Plain, N. Y., where by invitation she will visit Miss Agnes Duncan for a few weeks.

— Mrs. Mayor Bean has ordered her copy of the JOURNAL to be sent to Hotel Humarock, Sea View, Mass., for a fortnight. Which, hoping that Madam Bean is enjoying her clams and sea breezes, shall be done.

— Mr. John Duncan of the, Boston Clothing Co. is still studying over the question "Where Shall I Spend My Vacation?" with a fair prospect of arriving at a satisfactory solution of it some time before next Christmas.

— Mr. Samuel Cook of this city attended the clambake and outing of the Narragansett Shoe and Leather Club last Tuesday, and we don't know of anybody better entitled to a day devoted to rest and pleasure than he.

— The August number of the *Temperance Cause*, the organ of the Mass. Total Abstinence Society, of which he is an officer, contains a very good portrait of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church of this city.

— The resignation of Samuel W. Mendum of his position as military instructor of the Woburn High School will give the interrogation point of the Question Club more time to attend to his favorite pursuit.—*Boston Advertiser.*

— Weltha L. Brooks who died at her home 40 Union Street on last Friday morning at the age of 87 years, 11 months and 25 days, was one of the oldest persons living in this city. She was a worthy woman and had many good friends.

— There's a hen on! The Woburn Press Club are incubating! The hatch is looked for this evening if the wind is not too high and water too rough. The President of the Club has been rushing around all day, and to-night something is sure to drap!

— Mrs. L. H. Newhall of Fairfield, Maine, came to this city on last Monday evening and remained with friends until Wednesday. She is also visiting family connections in Boston and Worcester, and on her return will tarry a brief period on Saco river.

— The St. Charles C. T. A. Society and the Ladies' Auxiliary will give their contemplated picnic on Saturday, Aug. 15, at Nantasket, for which a large number of tickets have already been sold. It bids fair to be a rousing and mighty pleasant affair.

— At last accounts the members of Innitou Canoe Club, who scattered this season and followed the bent of their desires, have not all yet returned from their rowing. Some of them took to the waters of the fair Connecticut, others to those of the beautiful Merrimac, others still to other drink.

— Our Wilmington subscribers, friends and acquaintances will please be informed that Mr. N. Z. Tabor, the old, upright and reliable fish marketman of Woburn, will visit Wilmington every Tuesday forenoon with just as good fish, clams, oysters, etc., as ever lived which he will sell to the people aforesaid at the very lowest figures for cash. Tabor can be depended on every time.

— The family of Mr. E. G. Clough, the hardware merchant, and Miss Maria Johnson, daughter of John Johnson, Esq., Canal street, will pass the remainder of August at the Irving House on Mablehead Neck. Mr. Clough will make frequent visits to the Irving.

— A great many people leave here on the morning trains for the beaches and return in the evening. A good many go on the street cars too. By either line the beaches can be reached after a ride in the comfortable open cars, and not a few people prefer that way to the steam cars.

— Mr. John E. Gilcreast, Clerk in the Woburn Gaslight Company's office, returned from a very pleasant visit to his brother Frank in Pennsylvania last Monday evening. He enjoyed himself every moment while away, and recounts the incidents of his trip and visit with much satisfaction.

— Delinquent taxes make City Collector Maguire tired. Their serious contemplation makes him look haggard. This to his credit however: No Collector of taxes has ever called for less abatements in proportion to commitments, in Woburn or out of it, than Collector John G. Maguire.

— Capt. Homer Grant returned from Nova Scotia last Saturday evening after a very fine visit of two weeks down there with near relatives. He left his sister Blanche with them where she will remain for a month longer and probably until the father, Mr. Alexander Grant, goes down after her.

— Mr. Samuel E. Wyman is about to resign the office of postmaster at No. Woburn which he has held and faithfully discharged the duties of for many years. The public have always been well satisfied with his administration of the affairs of the office. He expects to go to Somerville to reside.

— Mr. A. B. Barrett may surprise himself with a few days off by and by. That is, he may do so if he can find the time. Mr. Barrett has the patronage of a large number of solid citizens who have been with him for years and years and they don't know exactly how they can get along without him. Time will tell.

— We have heard that the road to learning is a difficult one, but the Elevator at the new home of the Burdett Business College, cor. Washington and Kneeland Sts., Boston, is the initial factor in the right direction Their new Prospectus is a marvel of beauty, and worth sending for. We know of no better school.

— After an absence of a little less than two months Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Elliott got back from Europe on last Saturday. Considerable of their time on the other side was spent in London and Paris where their visits were highly enjoyed. The trip was made solely for pleasure and the object sought was obtained in full measure.

— Miss Ada D. Carter, niece of Mrs. M. Richardson, has gone to Antrim, N. H., in pursuit of vacation recreation, an article which, we make no doubt, she will find in abundance up there. New Hampshire is getting the lion's share of summer visitors and tourists this year, and among them all none enjoy the Granite Hills more than Miss Carter.

— The Tin Wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Stevens at their home, 54 Prospect street, last Saturday evening, was an exceedingly pleasant social event, in which some 75 people participated. A delightful evening which extended to 12 o'clock was spent with music, dancing, etc. Many choice presents were made to the bride and groom of a decade ago.

— Some of the leather factories were closed last Tuesday to afford the employees an opportunity to attend the picnic of the National Irish Athletic Association at Oak Island. A large number went down and when they got back they reported to the JOURNAL office "a splendid time," and full accounts of it in the Boston papers seem to substantiate their claim.

— Some changes which Drill Master Capt. Horace N. Conn is making in connection with the drill of the H. S. B. will be appreciated and approved. The improvement is in the nature of an elementary drill for the benefit of the boys in the first Grammar School class who require the drill to put them on a par with the more advanced soldiers of the High School.

— At 7 o'clock next Sunday evening there will be held in the First Baptist Church a union temperance meeting to attend which a general invitation is extended. Several able temperance advocates will make addresses; there will be good music; and it will be the aim of the managers to make it a very pleasant as well as profitable meeting We should like to see at best half of the house filled with drinking men.

— A camp-out by the Canoe Clubs of the State is now in progress on the shores of Lake Champlain and will continue until 23d of this month. Possibly the Innitou Canoe Club of this city will show the congregated Clubs how to "paddle their own canoe" successfully by real exhibitions of skill and strength before the camp-out closes. The Winchester Club are on the ground spoiling for a fight with somebody.

— The Woburn Mutual Benefit Association, chartered in this Commonwealth, has been in existence one year and has not lost a member. Within the past three months there has been an accession in membership of over 125. John G. Maguire is President. A similar organization in Winchester with D. N. Skillings, President, has been in existence nearly eight years, and has had but seven assessments.

— Professor Willis Carter of this city, Master of Drawing in our public schools, gave lessons in free hand drawing at the Falmouth Summer Institute last Tuesday before a large gathering of people distinguished in literature and art. Prof. Carter enjoys an enviable reputation in his chosen profession and is a very successful teacher of drawing. On Tuesday evening Rev. Daniel March, D.D., was announced to lecture on "Light in the East," and was to be followed on subsequent days of the week by eminent lecturers from Boston and elsewhere with a variety of fresh and appropriate themes. Rev. Mr. Washburn, recently of the North Congregational church in this city, was Dean of the Institute.

— To-morrow (D. V.) Mr. Frederic A. Flint, senior member of the merchant tailoring firm of G. R. Gage & Co., will start for his old camping ground at Camden, Maine, a spot which he thinks the pleasantest on the coast and the one he likes best. Mr. Flint has been an annual summer visitor of Camden for more than a decade and thinks more and more of it as a pleasure resort as the seasons succeed each other. May his joy be perfect down there this August.

— A jolly company of Woburn gentlemen and ladies left this city last Saturday for Detroit, Michigan, all, or nearly so, to attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R. held there this week: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Woodside, Miss Sophie T. Corbett, Miss Lucy A. Woodside, Miss Minnie Simonds, Mrs. Thomas R. Corbett, Mrs. Silas F. Corbett. They joined the big excursion party that left Boston direct for Detroit, which was pronounced a happy one.

— It was a well contested game of baseball and a slightly disastrous one to some of the gentlemen engaged in it. Skill, brawn and grit were abundantly displayed on both sides. Mr. Fred A. Corey and Mr. John E. Sansbury constituted the batteries; Mr. Grant W. Pierce, pitcher; Mr. Lewis Brown, catcher. The score stood 16 to 11. Mr. Fred A. Corey had one of his fingers badly cut which, although it will disable him from ball-playing for some time to come, is mending rapidly. The game was witnessed with deep interest.

— Last Friday we received a brief but pleasant call from Mr. William E. Jenks, a money, stocks, bonds, etc., broker at 45 Milk street, Boston. He had just returned from Minneapolis, Minn., where he spent a week delightfully with Edward Russell, Esq., a successful broker in that big, bustling and flourishing city, a gentleman well known in financial circles of Boston as dealer in Western real estate securities. Mr. Jenks imparted information concerning Mr. Russell which was pleasant to receive, for he is one of our friends and a big chunk of the salt of the earth.

— Mr. Gordon Parker, who succeeds Mr. Daniel W. Killey at the neat new drugstore in Mechanic Block, is a thoroughly educated apothecary, having served a 4-years apprenticeship with Dr. George S. Dodge of this city, and having had since his graduation some 14 years experience as prescriptionist in a leading Brockton drugstore. So it will be seen that Mr. Parker is eqipped cap-a-pie for the business. He is a younger brother of John L. and Charles S. Parker; was raised here; and is O K in every respect. We can recommend him to the patronage of all the best people of Woburn. He intends to keep a firstclass drugstore and do the business right—just as it ought to be done.

— Supt. Sewell of the No. Woburn St. R'y Co. drives a flyer in the true sense of the word these days. He is a pacer named General Tarbox and can just everlastingly more than get over the ground. The Superintendent takes nobody's dust, but Charlie Lund, Daniel Jones, and the other boys who reckon theirs are about as speedy as they make 'em, have to put up with just what the fleet pacer Gen. Tarbox has a mind to give them in the way of gravel and such. Our horse editor tackled Mr. Gilman F. Jones for farther particulars respecting Gen. Tarbox, knowing that he is well posted on equine matters, but he was found to be densely ignorant as to Supt. Sewell's late acquisitions in the way of horseflesh and particularly so as to the horse in question, the pacer Gen. T.

— The address of Rev. Hugh Montgomery delivered last Sunday in reply to his critics having provoked adverse comment by those who do not like the man or his methods the JOURNAL, with its customary enterprise, secured a copy of said address and has printed it in another column of this week's issue. It was as much because fair-minded men said it was a good one that we procured a copy as because saloons and saloon sympathizers condemned it; but more than either it was to afford everyone an opportunity to read it for himself that the most excellent production is, through the medium of these columns, laid before the public. We fail to see how any friend of the temperance cause can take exceptions to the spirit or language of Mr. Montgomery's address, or how they can fail to respect the man who made it.

— Mr. B. C. Golden, Superintendent of Baeder, Adamson & Co's extensive glue works at East Woburn, and his daughter, Miss Ellen E. Golden, expect to leave Boston to-morrow on the Cephelonia for a visit to Ireland (Mr. Golden's native land), England and elsewhere. Mr. Golden left his home at Cleveary, Castlebaldwin Boyle, County Sligo, Ireland, for America, in April, 1864, and has never revisited it since—a period of over 27 years, a large part of which he has spent in filling responsible stations with the above named firm. Miss Golden has never seen the land of her father's birth where many of the family still reside. Mr. G. expects to have a royal good time on the old sod during the two months of his stay among the scenes of his boyhood and early manhood with relatives, friends, and schoolmates, and the JOURNAL wishes him and Miss Ellen Godspeed.

— Mr. Levi W. Cooper of Union street, in this city, will start for Goose Rocks, Kennebunkport, Maine, tomorrow, and after remaining there a week or two his intention is to visit a nephew, Mr. Cooper of Lowell, at Rye Beach and end up his summer outing there. He took an ocean voyage last week but says his experience cured him of a love for such sports, and he had rather die on dry land twenty times over than to repeat his experience on the old steamer *Shawmut* that day. He says she ran into a pile of rocks at one stage of her voyage and came pretty near, as Mr. Cooper thought, of sending them all to Davy Jones's Locker. She stove her fly-wheel (if anybody knows what a steamer's fly-wheel is) all into smithereens, put her nose out of joint, bruised her ribs, and raised cain generally. Cooper thought the old *Shawmut* would be death of him and when he reached the shore his hair was as white as a sheet. Give him the solid earth to stand on every time.

— Next week Dr. L. F. Hatch will open an office in this city for the practice of medicine. He graduated at Ann Arbor, Mich., a few years ago with honors, since which he has enjoyed a large professional practice. He has the reputation of being a thoroughly educated and very successful allopathic physician, and will no doubt secure a good patronage here. His father is Mr. L. B. Hatch, Editor and Publisher of the *Plymouth County Journal*.

The Lewis Music School.

This institution for instruction in instrumental and vocal music closed a few days ago for its summer vacation. Preceptor Lewis and Madam Lewis, Assistant, will try to rest and take comfort from now to the beginning of the fall term, which will occur early in September.

With this last term closed the fifth year of the existence of the Lewis Music School of Woburn—a period much longer than many cautious, conservative people believed an institution of the kind could possibly exist here. This class in our community had no other belief than that the School would perish for lack of sustenance in a very brief space of time, and it was with many misgivings that Mr. Fred H. Lewis of the N. E. Conservatory of Music launched the enterprise on the public tide and awaited the result.

The School has proved a success from its start. Each successive year since it began has shown an increase of patronage over its predecessor, and the prospect for its future growth and prosperity is much brighter than ever before.

The Lewis Music School is the largest and best establishment for musical training and teaching in the near vicinity of Boston, and of its character, sure growth, stability, and future prospects Woburn ought to be very proud.

Grown Up With The Times.

Chief Wade of the district police has just had printed a neat book of 58 pages, containing the laws relating to the inspection of factories and public building, the regulations for the hours of labor, and the laws regarding the employment of children. It is a handy pamphlet, and has the appearance of a sizable volume when compared with the single letter sheet which contained all the laws on these subjects when the State inspection department was organized in 1879. It is also, in a quiet way, a compliment to Chief Wade's ability and perseverence, for most of the additional laws made for this department, which it was necessary to make a little volume to contain, are the results of his persistent efforts and constant advocacy.—*Boston Herald.*

Chief Wade deserves great credit for the prompt, able and impartial manner in which he has discharged the duties of his responsible public position as well as for the excellent code of laws bearing on his Department of service enacted mainly through his work. Chief Wade is "the right man in the right place."—ED. WOBURN JOURNAL.

Fighting A Good Fight.

"Just look at that greenhouse," said a Woburn man to the *Traveller* representative yesterday afternoon, pointing to his conservatory, in which nearly every pane of glass was broken. "Hoodlums did that, and all because I drove a gang of them out of the yard last night. They were drinking and swearing, and, as there was no policeman about, I drove them off myself with the aid of my hostler. Later in the evening they came back and sent a fusilade of stones at the greenhouse, with the result that you observe."

The reporter was then taken inside the house, where a number of valuable plants had been broken by falling stones.—*Boston Evening Traveller.*

The *Traveller* is waging a hot war against hoodlumsm and hoodlumism in Boston and places near by and for its courage and the good it is doing the decent part of the public owe it praise without stint.

Since its last change of management the *Traveller* has grown more worthy of support than ever before. It has come out more boldly for moral, social and political reforms, and is earning and gaining the favor of the best classes of community. It earnestly and intelligently champions the temperance cause, the public school system, Sabbath observance, improved emigration laws, and all and singular those things which the best interests of humanity demand and the best people pronounce good.

Just now the *Traveller* is waging relentless war on the hoodlum element in community. It daily deals the evil effective blows straight from the shoulder. It is doing good and ought to be generously upheld by Christians and moral men everywhere. Its reporters visit the towns round about the metropolis and hunt for hoodlums. It is not difficult to find them. Every community has to bear with the evil, nor will they be got rid of until the cleaner element join hands with the *Traveller* and compel better conduct on the part of the lawless, or their enforced absence from town is secured.

The quotation above is what the reporter found in Woburn.

The Bryant & Stratton Commercial School of Boston, which our readers will notice advertised in this week's issue, will re-open Tuesday, Sept. 1. This school needs no recommendation from us, as its present standing and reputation, gained during the last 29 years, places if at the head of all schools of a similar character. It can be patonized with full confidence that nothing that is possible to be done for its pupils will be left undone.

The Exhibition.

Nearly one hundred ladies and a handful of gentlemen attended the display of handiwork by the Sewing Class of the Woburn Industrial School made at Warren Academy on the Hill last Monday. The large number present proves that a deep interest is felt by our people in the success of the institution

The exhibition was pronounced by the lady visitors a highly creditable one to the pupils and their instructors. Many specimens of the work of the class were suspended before the eyes of the ladies and in positions where they could be easily and thoroughly examined. The experts were thus afforded favorable opportunities for testing the quality of the needlework of the misses and were free to improve them.

In addition to this display the class gave a working example of their schooling and acquitted themselves with much credit. The visitors were well pleased with this part of the programme and did not stint their commendations of the good quality of the sewing and speed acquired.

The School is taking a brief vacation this week and will resume operations next Monday.

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An Old Timer.

EDITOR OF WOBURN JOURNAL: I herewith send you the Town Reports of money raised and expended in Woburn for the years 1814 and 1815. It is a document of much interest and worthy of preservation.

The reports, as you will see, for the two years are printed one on sheet of paper 12x15 inches square.

After you have used the sheet please give it to Mr. William R Cutter for preservation in the Woburn Library.

N. A. RICHARDSON.

Winchester, Aug. 1, 1891.

A STATEMENT OF EXPENCES, Of the Town of Woburn.

FROM APRIL 1, 1814 TO APRIL 1, 1815.

SCHOOLS.

To amount of Orders drawn in favor of Silvanus Plympton.

School Committee,			$ 161 84
Henry Parker,	do.	do.	119 62
Jason Richardson,	do.	do.	56 52
Calvin Richardson,	do.	do.	84 07
Elijah Wyman,	do.	do.	77 95
			$500 00

SUPPORTING THE POOR.

Amount of Orders drawn in favor of JONAS MUNROE, and others,	$616 33

CONTINGENCIES.

To John Tay, for repairing bridge near his house,	$ 7 28
To John Wade, for cash paid Phillip Abbot for plank,	4 70
To Rowe & Hooper, for printing bills of expences for 1813,	7 00
To John Eames, for his services as an assessor for 1814,	12 00
To amount of Orders drawn in favor of Henry Parker, and others, for their services as drafted soldiers, in 1814,	193 11
To John Odin, for a gun for the use of the town,	13 00
To Bowen Buckman, for a cartridge box,	2 00
To Elijah Leathe, for poling the road,	5 00
To Edmund Parker, for plank for a bridge,	14 03
To Samuel Richardson, Jun., for plank for Tay's bridge,	7 50
To John Edgell, for his services as an assessor for 1814,	11 86
To Luke Reed, for his services as an assessor for 1814,	11 25
To Jesse Convers, for the abatement of his son's taxes in 1813,	2 00
To Jacob Pierce, for the abatement of part of his tax in 1814,	1 87
To Caleb Richardson, for abatement of taxes in his lists, for 1811,	13 83
To Marshall Fowle, for abatements in his lists for 1812,	16 59
To Ebenezer Lawrence, for the abatement of part of his tax,	50
To Marshall Fowle, for premium for collecting taxes $65 66; refreshments furnished the assessor for 1814, 6 74	72 40
	$1012 25

The following are the sums voted for the expences of the town, for the year 1814.

For supporting the Poor, paying Town Debts, &c.,	$1300	
For Schools,	500	
		$1800 00

FROM APRIL 1, 1815 TO APRIL 1, 1816.

SCHOOLS.

To amount of Orders drawn in favor of Bartholomew Richardson.

School Committee,			$ 161 84
Samuel T. Richardson,	do.	do.	56 52
Zachariah Symmes,	do.	do.	84 07
Jonathan Tidd, Jun.	do.	do.	77 95
Joseph Parker,	do.	do.	119 62

SUPPORTING THE POOR.

To amount of Orders drawn in favor of JONAS MUNROE, and others, for supporting the Poor,	$ 697 72

CONTINGENCIES.

To James F. Baldwin, for plank for a bridge,	$ 11 64
To Josiah Parker, for labor and material for a bridge,	9 50
To Abel Pierce, for abatement of part of his taxes for 1814,	2 50
To Rowe & Hooper, for printing bills of expenses for 1814,	7 00
To John Scotlow, for oiling the town house in 1814 and 1815,	2 91
To John Edgell, for his services as an assessor for 1815,	11 25
To John Eames, for his services as an assessor for 1815,	11 25
To Marshall Fowle, for abatement of sundry persons taxes,	11 07
To Jesse Convers, for plank for a bridge,	4 00
To Samuel Tidd, for repairing a bridge,	20 59
To John Wade, for articles furnished paupers—Cash paid for powder, for the town stock, &c.	81 11
To Luke Reed, for his services as an assessor,	9 00
To Marshall Fowle, for collecting taxes, $77 54; do. for refreshments furnished the assessors, 6 87	84 41
	$963 95

The following are the sums voted for the expences of the town, for the year 1815.

For supporting the Poor, paying Town Debts, &c.	$1000	
For Schools,	500	
		$1500 00

SUBMITTED BY

JOSIAH RICHARDSON,
JOHN EAMES,
SAMUEL TIDD, } *Committee.*

WOBURN, May 19, 1816.

Full—Trowan.

On Thursday evening, July 30, the residence of Henry C. Trowan and wife, on Washing avenue, Chelsea, was the scene of a very delightful gathering, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Ida A., to George E. Full, Esq., of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The bride is a beautiful and accomplished brunette, and has been for several years one of the most popular and successful teachers in the public schools of Chelsea. The groom is a prominent business man of Charlottetown, where he is held in high esteem for his benevolence and integrity of character. The officiating clergyman was Rev. William Full.

The wedding presents were numerous and elegant, including a silver service from the family of the bride, costly gold watch and chain from the groom, numberless pieces of solid silver table ware, etchings, engravings and vases, from friends teachers and pupils.

During the evening supper was served by one of Boston's well-known caterers. Mr. Full will take his bride to Charlottetown, where a beautiful home and many friends await her coming; and she will carry with her the love and esteem of a large circle of acquaintances in Chelsea, Boston and vicinity, who wish the happy couple God-speed, praying that the prosperity of this world and the blessing of heaven may abide under their roof-tree.—*Chelsea Keening Record.*

Henry C. Trowan, father of the fair bride, was formerly a resident of Woburn, and therefore the JOURNAL bestows its benedictions on the blissful pair.

"Chipman's Liver Pills

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Late City News.

Yesterday was typical dog days weather—nasty and sticky.

Mr. Henry L. Andrews of the *News* and family have gone off on their vacation trip.

The Board of Trade will wade into internal improvements this fall.

Mr. T. W. Nichols and family of Ballston Spa, N. Y., are visiting relatives and friends in this city and will remain two weeks or more. They have been visiting in New Hampshire. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols are natives of Woburn.

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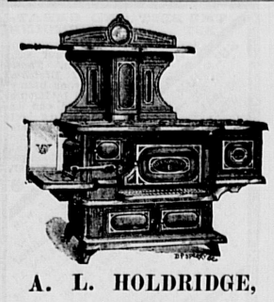

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The Chapel Sunday School held its first annual picnic last Thursday, July 30, at Wellman's Grove, a delightful place on the eastern shore of Burbank Pond, the use of which was very kindly loaned for the occasion by its genial owner, Mr. Wellman.

Meeting at the chapel at half past eight, the school, to the number of about seventy, took a short walk to the foot of the pond and were taken in boats (the use of which was also offered free) to the grove where the whole day was spent in swinging, boating, gathering pond lilies, ball playing for the boys, reading, talking, eating icecream, watermelon, and other good things, drinking lemonade, taking care of the children and babies, and in general having a good time. The day was a favorable one, though somewhat cloudy, and was much enjoyed by all without accident, and will be remembered with great pleasure.

By the careful management of the lady teachers all the supplies of lemonade, icecream, etc., were contributed without expense, and by their sale a considerable sum of money was obtained to replenish the school library. Under the wise care of the Directors the School is now prospering finely, and is undoubtedly laying in the minds and hearts of the boys and girls the foundation for Christian men and women bye and bye.—G.

Literary Notices.

The MUSICAL RECORD for August contains several pieces of new music and much fresh reading anent musical affairs. Published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston.

The Mid-summer number of THE CENTURY contains seven illustrated articles the titles of which are: The German Empire, Thumb-Nail Sketches, The Squirrel Inn, Life on the South Shoal Lightship, Play in Providence, The Little Renault, Cape Horn and Co Operative Mining. The frontispiece consists of the portraits of the Emperor and Empress of Germany. Some of the remaining articles are: A Common Story, Two Kings, On the Study of Tennyson, The Eleventh Hour Laborer, On Elkhorn, Gray Rocks and Grayer Sea, Faith Doctor VII, The Clam and the Missionary, The Lotterys Last Ditch, The Confederate Diplomatists, etc. Topics of the Times, Open Letters and Bric-a-Brac contain many good things.

The number of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for August 1st and 8th contain Prince Napoleon, Influenza, by Sir Morrell Mackenzie, M. D., and Bulgars and Serbs, The Locust Plague in Algeria, and Italy and France, The Gurkhas: a Fighting Race, Richard de la Pole, White Rose, A Night in a Hay-Stack, and Ways and Whims of Fresh-Water Fishes, John Bright's School, Monckton Milnes, The King's Luck, A Publisher and His Friends, L. E. L., Essays in the Obvious, with instalments of A Philanthropist, The Woman in the Morgue, and A Little Love Affair, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3 300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

The latest and best thing in the line of musical publications is OUR HEARTS' DELIGHT issued only a few days ago by the enterprising firm of H. J. Smith & Co. of Philadelphia. It contains 268 pages of songs, ballads, glees, and popular melodies, with a considerable space given to piano, violin and organ music, and many other pages devoted to biographical sketches of famous singers and members of the lyric stage, correct and admirable portraits of whom are scattered through the volume. The table of contents embraces all the most popular airs and melodies of the day with piano and organ accompaniments, old and new marching and dancing pieces, portraits (above alluded to) etc. the whole constituting a rare and very valuable musical publication. The mechanical work of the book is unsurpassed for thoroughness and beauty, and we advise our readers who are looking for something very desirable in this line to send to H. J. Smith & Co., 234-236 So. Eighth St., Philadelphia, for "OUR HEART'S DELIGHT."

The frontispiece of the August ST. NICHOLAS is Puck and Fairies drawn by George W. Edwards, and a nice piece of work it is. It makes an appropriate heading to the long list of beautiful pictures which the number contains. It is a midsummer issue of the best magazine designed for young people published anywhere, and as such it eclipses all former efforts at literary and pictorial perfection [Four Sides to a Triangle by Chas. R. Talbot, is a story that will greatly interest boys and girls especially good boys and girls; then there is A Rhyme of Robin Puck, Prince Elecampane with pictures, Jingle, The Crowned Children of Europe with portraits of the juvenile sovereigns, The Fortunes of Toby Trafford (continued), a delightful story; Plain Truths about Hunting, The Merry Outlaw—Bob-o' Lincoln, The Song of the Thrush, How the Maiden and the Bear Sailed Away, The Story of the "Century" Cat, with illustrations, A Morning in the Hay Field—a delightful summer scene on the farm; A Marble Quarry, Some Incidents on Stanley's Expedition, A New Tale of a Tub, and many other finely illustrated and very interesting papers. Published by the Century Co., N. Y.

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A Strong Self-Vindication.

A Sermon delivered at the Methodist Episcopal Church in Woburn on Sunday, Aug. 2, 1891,

BY HUGH MONTGOMERY.

Text: 1st Kings, xviii Chapter: 17th Verse. "Art thou he who troubleth Israel?"

The ministers of the Lord have generally been accounted the troublers of the nation, nay, even of the church, by ungodly rulers, because they oppose prevailing abuses sanctioned by law. Yes, many ministers have been treated as the authors of those calamities which have come upon men for neglecting the true God. If the Lord be God, let us worship him, choose him for our portion, and devote ourselves to his service; if Jesus be devine and the only Savior, let us come to him, cleave to him, and depend upon him alone for everything; if the Bible be the word of God, let us reverence, study and receive the whole of it. Let us no longer endeavor to serve God and Mammon, or try to reconcile religion with the legalized saloon.

The wicked Ahab said to Elijah, "O, thou disturber of my kingdom, the author of this famine, and of all our calamities." But the man of God answered: "I have not troubled Israel; these calamities are not to be imputed to me, but to you and to your father's wickedness." They who trouble our city and give it a bad reputation are they who break the laws of our State and the laws of our God, and not they who defend and keep them. Ahab and Jezebel, his wife, had forsaken the commandments of the law, and cast off the yoke of the devine law, and worshiped idols and followed Baalam. In all ages true reformers have been charged with disturbing the public peace, and interfering with that which is none of their business. This was true of Moses when he went before Pharaoh to deliver the children of Israel. It was also true of Elijah, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Hezkiah, Daniel, John the Baptist, Jesus Christ and all his Apostles; of Luther, John Knox, Edwards, Howard, John Wesley, Whitefield, and John Brown. These Bible heroes and modern reformers died that systems of truth might live and bless all future generations.

The liquor dealers and their sympathizers want to be let alone: so did Jefferson Davis and the slave holders; so do burglars, thieves and murderers and all evil doers. The liquor dealers confess that they are not controlled by any considerations but by what will contribute to the success of their business. Having brought the liquor question into politics they desire to keep it there, as they have done this city for many years. But these political men with their sympathizers urge ministers and others to keep out of the dirty pool and work for temperance on moral suasion lines etc.

If the church does not overcome the rum traffic the rum traffic will overcome the church. Doctor Strong says: "Our civilization must overcome the saloon, or the saloon will destroy our civilization." We as Christians have in our hands the only true remedy, the Gospel of Jesus Christ; we should so mould public opinion that the licensing of the abominable traffic should be impossible, for we all know in our large cities the saloon is a public menace and the centre and source of corruption, the confederate of all forms of evil and of crime. Vice of any sort asks of the ministers to be let alone. Grant to it this toleration and it will take care of itself. But I, as a minister of Christ, have to discharge my duty so as to secure the best good of the body and souls of my fellow men. In a word, if the vast influence which the church wield was filled with conviction of common justice, and fired by the spirit of truth, it would in a few years enthuse the civilized world; it would create a public sentiment that would tear from the liquor traffic the shield of law, and forever sweep it out of the world. It has been found by statistics that more than four-fifths of all pauperism in our cities is due to the legalized saloon, and fully ninety percent of all the crimes are in some way connected with the liquor traffic. It takes the brightest as well as the dullest of our young men; it pays no regard to culture or to character; it fosters all sins; it is the confederate of all villiany. The saloon is a school of vice and disorder. It is so wasteful and devilish that the great heart of the Christian nations is about to rise up against it and crush it forever.

The terrible influence of the traffic over political parties is beginning to bring together the people of God into one great National party that must overcome it. Our Protestant churches exclude rumsellers from membership, and any business which excludes a man from church membership ought not to be tolerated or licensed by Christian votes; and any minister who fails to preach against this evil and strike it a blow in his pulpit whenever he can, does not do his duty as a minister of Christ. We do not need to fear the numerical strength of the liquor traffic; we do not need to fear their wealth, for their wealth is small when compared with that of the church members. We have at least five dollars to their one. We have five million church members in the United States who are voters, so all we need is organization and true action. It is the duty of all Christian men to attend caucuses and control political parties. If the minister of the gospel be a citizen he owes to his country the duty of a citizen; nor is he, in any just sense, less religious when in the discharge of those duties than when he is praying with the sick or officiating at the sacraments. Does sin cease to be sin because preceded by the magic words, "Be it enacted?" It would be well for those who cry out, "do not meddle with politics" to read the Second Psalm: "Why do the heathen rage and the people imagine a vain thing? The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take council together, against the Lord, and against his anointed, saying let us break their bands asunder and cast away their cords from us." Christ meddled with politics, and with all hindrance to the spread of the gospel. The conscience must be reached through the pulpit. Would it be right to enact a law to pluck out eyes and fill up ears? Better lose eyes and ears than mind and the immortal soul forever. The final triumph of the Savior can never be achieved while the legalized liquor saloon lasts, or civil governments ordain or sustain it. For we read in the good book that the time will come when "All nations shall fall down before him and serve him."

Because I have called the attention of the people to the proper officers and asked them to enforce the liquor laws as they find them, and have tried to show that by not doing so they have purjured themselves—for this I have been denounced by the Woburn *News* and *Press*. They say I have defamed the city for the purpose of getting a little newspaper notoriety: for myself I have no apology to offer. And let me here divert your attention from the subject to Woburn:

I wonder how many of my hearers have ever stopped to consider the countless beauties of this city in which we are living; the many advantages with which we are encompassed; the hills and the dales "with verdure clad;" the magnificent views to be obtained from points elevated and yet comparatively easy of access? I do not hesitate to say from many a point right here in Woburn there lies open to our vision a vista of landscape and watershed unsurpassed for natural, God-given beauty anywhere; and then the many beautiful walks and drives, the close proximity to Boston, and the neighboring towns of historic interest, and the abundant supply of what has been amply termed "Gods greatest gift to man," pure sparkling water. All these blessings combined serve to make Woburn one of the most desirable places in the Commonwealth in which to dwell. I have lived in nine different places since I have been married, and I can safely say that I live to-day in the best neighborhood I ever lived in. When my family was afflicted the past year the neighbors were extremely kind.

It must be remembered that I stated through the Associated Press last year that our Chief of Police did a noble work, and I knew of no city in the Commonwealth where the law was so well enforced in regard to illegal liquor selling except Worcester as in Woburn; and this was done repeatedly in different ways and forms so that Mayor Johnson met and thanked me kindly for my high endorsement of Woburn.

But even as Eden had its serpent so this beautiful city of ours has its shining insiduous curse in the shape of the rum traffic. If we are to be cursed with the presence of this destroyer of the home at all, does it not behove us as good law abiding citizens, to extract the venom from his fangs as well as we may, by seeing to it that the restrictions imposed upon it by law are lived up to, and not made "a roaring farce?" Are not our city officials responsible for the oath of office? Are not the laws to be obeyed? Does the obedience to those laws and the compelling of such obedience on the part of male factors and law-breakers constitute an immoral act?

May God in his mercy grant that the terrible rum demon may never find a victim in the families of those editors who have seen fit to misrepresent me.

I wish to state right here, and desire to emphasize the fact that during a period of thirty years engaged in active advocacy of the cause of temperance, I have inevitably been treated by the public press with unbiased and courteous impartiality with about five exceptions, and as I can now recall these exceptions they were as follows: about twenty years ago, the Portsmouth (N. H.) *Evening Times*, then controlled by Frank Jones, a great brewer, said evil things of me. The next was about eight years ago in Norwich Connecticut. There were one daily and three weeklies which supported me and my work, and as the liquor dealers could not control any of them the liquor dealers of the county became a syndicate and established a paper known as the Liquor Dealers Organ that criticised my work; but my health failed me at the end of nine years labor and I was compelled to give up my work. The paper was abandoned in a few weeks from that time. When I moved to Worcester six years ago the Worcester Daily *Spy*, Daily *Telegram*, and *Gazette* gave my work their hearty support, but there was a paper there called the *Evening Times*, the Rum Organ, that severely criticised my labors. With these insignificant exceptions I have had only the kindest of editorials upon myself and my labors; all have commended my work; and I am indeed thankful that such are the facts, for the press is a mighty power to mould truth and morality, and when I have been misrepresented by reporters or letters no paper has to my knowledge ever refused to give me space for reply but the Woburn *News*. In all these places where I have labored the church has rallied to my support and been a unit so far as I know, and no man or woman during these thirty years has ever asked for a letter or withdrawn from the congregation on account of my preaching the gospel of temperance; and not only has the Methodist church rallied to my support and passed resolutions at the annual conference commending my work, but I have had the support of all Protestant churches, and have been asked frequently to address the annual conferences of the Congregationalist and Baptist churches in this State, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New Hampshire.

A few years ago in Rhode Island I was asked to address the ministers and manufacturers of that State. I spoke at 12 o'clock M. for two hours extemporaneously. It was published the next day in the Providence *Journal* verbatim. This has been done in many places all over the New England States; yet the lawyers who defend the liquor dealers in Woburn have said frequently in open court that the sole object of Mr. Montgomery was to get a little notoriety, and the editorial of the *News* reproduced it. Notoriety! Why, have I not been in the blaze of publicity for these 32 years?

I am told that I have nothing to do but to preach Christ. What is it to preach Christ but to proclaim his mission, proclaim liberty to the captive, and the opening of the prison doors to them that are bound by drunkenness? Paul made Phelix tremble on the judgment seat and Agrippa on the throne; he shook the pillars of State alike at Mars hill and Cæsar's household. There was no political system which was opposed to religion against which the Apostles did not wage an everlasting war. It was on a false charge of treason that Christ was crucified, and it was for political interference that the Apostles suffered martyr's deaths. It was for the same cause that Jerome and Huse and a long line of worthy predecessors and successors walked to the stake singing hymns. If we look back to the revolutionary times we will see what ministers did. Washington requested all the ministers in the colonies to preach on the affairs of the nation. The Provincial Congress of Massachusetts passed a resolution by which ministers of the gospel were requested to explain all the duties of the hour. John Adams said in a letter to his wife dated at Philadelphia, 1774: "The clergy here of all denominations thunder and lighten every sabbath." The teaching of the pulpit at Lexington caused the first blow to be struck for American Independence. Many of these men preached under the threat of martyrdom, but they feared God more than God's enemies. So it is now, the liquor men do not want the traffic investigated because they know that if the light of public investigation was turned on their business it would expose such depths of infamy, such degradation of human beings as would arouse a cyclone of indignation.

It belongs to ministers of the Gospel to be in the front of reform movements. It is our duty to mould and lead the thoughts of our people, not to wait for or merely to follow public opinion. Every question of great and vital importance must be brought into the pulpit and wicked men might as well try to efface God's image on the sky and stamp their own there as to stop God's ministers from preaching the whole truth. Under the old dispensation it was written "If thou forbear to deliver them that are drawn unto death, those that are ready to be slain; if thou sayest behold we know it not, doth not he that pondereth the heart consider it, and he that keepeth the soul doth he not know it, and shall he not render to every man according to his work?" Under the new dispensation, "Do unto others as ye would they should do unto you." This is a perfect gauge by which any man in any situation may measure his obligations to his fellow men.

Now I ask you, my dear hearers, to put yourself in the situation of the drunkard's wife or children. Were you in that place what would you have me do? Never say one word for you lest I offend some wiley politician, or call forth the denunciation of some faithless editor? No, no; so in my text there was one Ahab, and there was one Jezebel, and there was one Elijah, too, and when the King stole the vineyard and killed the owners then the prophet interfered and said plain things about them. Then Ahab said in the language of my text; "Art thou he that troubleth Israel?" or in other words Hast thou found me, oh mine enemy? And he answered, "I have found thee because thou hast sold thyself to work evil in the sight of the Lord." Nehemiah in finding the capitol polluted says: "Contended I with the rulers—then contended I with the nobles (that is the Mayor and Aldermen) of Judah and said unto them, What evil thing is this that thou do?" Neh. 13th Chap. 13th verse. Sometimes the prophets were called dumb dogs because they feared to proclaim the whole truth. I fear we have some ministers who are dumb and dead to the calls and cries of suffering humanity.

May God grant his blessing on the truths that have been uttered in keeping with his divine will. The times call for action. The world lieth in the hands of the wicked one. The powers of hell are bold, and the church of Christ should oppose a bold and united front to the hosts of sin and evil.

May God help us to see that "the King's business require haste."

WINCHESTER.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boynton are at Hyannisport.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Crowell are at ancient Hyannis.

Major Winn is enjoying the summer at Bethleham, N. H.

Lawyer McCall and family are spending the summer at Sandwich.

Miss Delia Whitney is having a glorious time at famous Intervale, N. H.

Miss Ethel Small, daughter of Mr. S. C. Small, is visiting at Belgrade, Me.

Mr. Henry C. Whitten is visiting the home of his boyhood, Belgrade, Me.

Miss Celia V. Leen of Boston is the guest of Miss Katie O'Connor of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Winn are at Marion, Mrs. Ex-President Cleveland's favorite retreat.

Masters Harold and George Huntress are going to Centre Harbor, N. H., for their outing.

The alarm form Box 23 last Wednesday noon was for a fire in the Centre Engine House.

There will be no Sunday School at the Highland Chapel until Aug. 3. It is being repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Pope are at Centre Harbor. So also are Mr. and Mrs. Conant and C. A. Conant.

Judge Tyler and Miss Gertrude, his daughter, will pass the remainder of the heated term at Nantucket.

Mrs. A. B. Coffin cordially entertained and made very comfortable Mrs. and Miss Newcomb of Boston last week.

Eugene Tappan and children are at No. Conway. So also are Mr. L. M. Richardson and Martha P. Richardson.

Henry C. and Robert C. Whitten, sons of Mr. Henry Whitten, are stopping at Belgrade, Me., the former home of the grandfather and grandmother of the young gentleman.

Burlington.

Rev. Elijah Harmon of Wilmington preached at the church Sunday.

Mrs. Hersey of Waterford, Maine, mother of Rev. C. F. Hersey, is visiting her son.

Mrs. Ella I. Getchell has returned from her vacation which she spent very pleasantly among the hills of New Hampshire. Mrs. J. Pearsons accompanied her.

Mr. M. H. Nichols of Lynn has recently been visiting his old friends in Burlington. He is now enjoying a vacation trip through the West. We wish him "bon voyage."

Last Saturday a party from this town enjoyed a fishing trip. Their objective point was Swampscott. They report a fine catch of fish. Mr. Beard of Billerica captured the heaviest fish, a monster cod said to weigh seventeen pounds. They had a jovial trip.

The Stay-at-Home Vote.

The Republican editors of Massachusetts can make a concerted effort in one direction at least, without the chance of a shadow of difference of opinion, and that is in combining to present facts that will draw out the stay-at-home vote. The statistics in regard to the non-voting class during recent years are startling when they are tabulated. By a combined effort citizens can be awakened to the importance of voting; can be educated to a realizing sense of the high privilege it is to have a share in the conduct of affairs. The evils this State received at the hands of the rum element in the last Legislature, seconded by the pliant tool of the rum power now in the Governor's chair, can be fairly chargable upon the men who failed to vote last fall.—*Arlington Advocate*.

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed made by Moses A. Tyler to John M. Harlow, dated August 6, 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1676, Fol. 324, for breach of the condition of said mortgage in the non-payment of principal of the debt thereby secured to be paid, and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the first parcel of land hereafter described, on **Tuesday, the first day of September, A. D., 1891,** at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—

First: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about a half mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, and on the easterly side of Main street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Main street, and there measuring about one hundred and two feet; northerly by land of Nathan J. Simonds, about one hundred and fifty feet; easterly by land of Michael McCue, and a private way about one hundred and twenty-six feet; southerly by land of Jonathan Garland, about forty-five feet; then easterly still by said Garland's land, about seventy-eight feet; then southerly about forty-five feet, on and by Fowle street; thence westerly by land of Thomas Richardson, about seventy-eight feet; thence southerly still by land of said T. Richardson, about sixty feet to Main street. This first described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz: A first mortgage of fourteen hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated January 1, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1408, Fol. 498; also, a second mortgage of two hundred and seventy-five dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated March 16, 1883, and recorded with said Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1625, Fol. 496: also, subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages and unpaid taxes. There is excepted from said first described parcel a lot fronting on Fowle street, which has been released from said mortgages, viz: A lot bounded southerly on Fowle street forty-five feet; westerly by land formerly of Thomas Richardson, about seventy-eight feet; northerly by the remaining portion of said first described parcel, forty-five feet; and easterly by land of said Garland about seventy-eight feet.

Second: A certain other lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about one mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, containing about twenty-three thousand six hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Pond street at land of one Fahay; from thence the line runs southerly by said Fahay's land two hundred and forty feet to land now or formerly belonging to one Pickering; thence the line turns and runs westerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-one and eight-tenths feet to a private street running southerly from said Pond street forty feet wide; thence northerly by said private street one hundred feet to said Pickering's land; thence easterly by last named land seventy-two feet to a corner; from thence the line runs northerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-seven and five-tenths feet to said Pond street; thence easterly on and by said Pond street to the point of beginning. The second described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz:—A first mortgage of six hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated May 12, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1509, Fol. 384. Also a second mortgage of eight hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated Nov. 26, 1880, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1536, Fol. 87; also subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages, and unpaid taxes.

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— OF —

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joshua E. Littlefield of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Ishmael Munroe and Jacob Munroe, dated October 9, 1861, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 868, Page 236, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of August, 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in said Woburn, about one-third of a mile southeasterly from the Common, on a new street leading from Highland street to Mount Pleasant street, and bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said new street, at the wall, at other land of said Joshua E. Littlefield, the line runs southerly by land of said Joshua E. Littlefield and land of J. C. Whitcher, as the wall now stands, about seventy-two feet, to a corner of the wall; thence nearly westerly by land of M. A. Fifield, as the wall now stands, about seventy-five feet to a stake; thence northerly by other land of said Joshua E. Littlefield, about one hundred and six feet, to a stake at said new street; thence easterly on and by said new street, about sixty-seven feet to the point of beginning. Being the premises granted or intended to be granted by said mortgage deed and all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Joshua E. Littlefield, the mortgagor, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, therein.

$500 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

GEORGE W. DUREN, Administrator of the Estate of Prudence Duren, Assignee of said Mortgage.
JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney.
Woburn, July 28, 1891.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE,

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James McDonald of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts to Richard Morris of said Woburn, dated October 11th, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1770, Page 235, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises below described, on Saturday, the fifth day of September, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at the corner of a private street and Canal street, the line runs northwesterly, by and with said Canal street, sixty-eight feet; thence a little north of east, seventy-five feet, to land of grantor; thence east of south by land of grantor, sixty feet, to private street aforesaid; thence a little south of west by and with said private street, sixty-six feet to point of beginning; meaning hereby to convey the southerly half of a lot of land conveyed to grantor by deed of Thomas Richardson, dated the twenty-second day of April, A. D. 1871, and recorded with the South Middlesex District Deeds, Book 1169, Page 629, however otherwise said half of said lot may be bounded and described.

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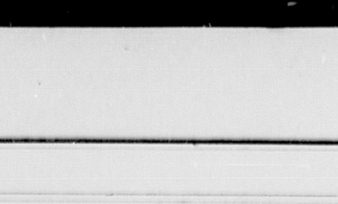

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LESSON VI, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 9.

Text of the Lesson, John v, 17-30—Commit Verses, 24-27—Golden Text, Matt. xviii, 18—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

After the last lesson we see Jesus at Cana again, whence He healed the nobleman's son at Capernaum. In the regular narrative of His life there would then come in, probably, the call of the four as they were engaged at their work by the sea of Galilee, the Sermon on the Mount, a number of miracles at Capernaum, and the call of Matthew. We now find Him again at Jerusalem, at one of the feasts of the Jews, and He heals a helpless man, who had been a sufferer for thirty-eight years, on the Sabbath day, commanding him to take up his bed and walk. Therefore did the Jews persecute Jesus, and sought to slay Him, because He had done these things on the Sabbath day.

17. "But Jesus answered them, My Father worketh hitherto, and I work."

The oneness of the Father and the Son is a truth much dwelt upon in this gospel, and constantly emphasized, and that all the words and works of Jesus were not His but the Father's.

18. "Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill Him, because He not only had broken the Sabbath, but said also that God was His father, making Himself equal with God."

Observe the significance of the relationship of Son and Father as here brought out—it is not inferiority, nor descent by generation, but equality, oneness of character.

19. "The Son can do nothing of Himself, but what seeth He the Father do; for what things soever He doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise."

Thus replied Jesus, prefixing His double verily, or Amen, Amen, reminding us of Isa. lxv, 16 (R. V., margin). Seeing Jesus, they saw God the Father; hearing Him, they heard the Father; in all His works they saw the Father's works (chapter i, 18; xiv, 9, 10). What a field for meditation is here for us, and what great reason for the deepest humiliation on the part of every believer!

20. "For the Father loveth the Son, and sheweth Him all things that Himself doeth; and He will shew Him greater works than these, that ye may marvel."

As to the Father's love to the Son, consider these wondrous words in reference to us who believe: "As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you;" "The Father Himself loveth you."

21. "For as the Father raiseth up the dead, and quickeneth them, even so the Son quickeneth whom He will."

The word "quicken" is sometimes used in reference to bringing life to a soul dead in sin, as in Eph. ii, 5; Col. ii, 13; and sometimes in reference to bringing to life a dead body.

22. "For the Father judgeth no man, but hath committed all judgment unto the Son."

Here is the great fact that all judgment hath been committed unto the Son.

23. "That all men should honor the Son, even as they honor the Father. He that honoreth not the Son honoreth not the Father which hath sent Him."

And yet there are many who say they believe in God, and trust in Him and worship Him, who will not acknowledge the Divinity of the Son, or, in other words, His equality with the Father; but all the while they insist that they are true worshipers of the true God. With this verse before us what conclusion can we come to but that all such are fearfully deceived.

24. "Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth My word, and believeth on Him that sent me, hath everlasting life."

So also in chapters iii, 16, 36; vi, 47. Not will have when we die, nor will have if we are faithful, nor will have if we add so many good works, but simply and emphatically, "He that heareth and believeth HATH." "This is the record that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. He that hath the Son hath life" (1 John v, 11, 12).

"And shall not come into condemnation, but is passed from death into life."

To the believer there is no future judgment for sins, for all were laid on Jesus, and we have the assurance of Him who cannot lie that they shall be remembered no more (Isa. liii, 5, 6; xliii, 25). But there shall be a judgment for service for all believers.

25. "Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God; and they that hear shall live."

As in chapter iv, 21-23, so here and in verse 28 our Lord uses the word "hour" in reference to an indefinite period of time. The hour of this verse still continues, and will till the hour of verse 28, and probably till the end of that hour, when the judgment of the great white throne shall be set. To prove that all who have not yet received Jesus are dead read I John v, 12; Eph ii, 4, 5; I Tim, v, 6; Rev. iii, 1.

26. "For as the Father hath life in Himself, so hath He given to the Son to have life in Himself."

Even science has proved that there can be no life apart from pre-existent life. If this is true of natural life, can we for a moment question the fact that there can be no spiritual life apart from God.

27. "And hath given Him authority to execute judgment also, because He is the Son of Man."

This emphasizes verse 22, but brings out a new thought, "because He is the son of man."

28. "Marvel not at this, for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear His voice."

If the hour of verse 25, which now is, and still continues, has already lasted over 1,800 years, it will not be strange if the coming hour shall last at least 1,000 years. Then shall His voice reach even the bodies of those whose spirits have been called from earth.

29. "And shall come forth; they that have done good unto the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation."

Here are two resurrections, one to life and one to loss eternal.

30. "I can of mine own self do nothing."

Let us therefore abide in Him, that we speak His words and do His works by His spirit dwelling in us.

"As I hear I judge, and My judgment is just, because I seek not Mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent Me."

His judgment is just or right eous because He judges not according to the appearance, which also he exhorts us not to do. Let our words and works testify that we delight to do God's will and seek only His glory, and then we shall stand approved in that day.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

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GOOD ENOUGH FER ME.

They say I missed my callin';
I might have been a sage
If I'd a-gone ter college
When twenty years of age.

They say my gift wuz langwidge;
Without a workin' much
I might a been quite fluent
In Hebrew, French an' Dutch.

I own 'tis very flatt'rin',
But answer 'em, "You see
The langwidge Shakespeare writ in
Wuz good enough fer me."

I used ter read his play books
When jest a little lad;
Though hard ter understand, yet
I liked the ring they had.

Then what's the sense in learnin'
The things I'd never use;
Fer though I'm glib at talkin',
I wouldn't have excuse

Ter chat in Dutch er Latin
With Lihu, John an' Zeke,
A-settin' on the store steps,
'Cause Yankee's all they speak.

There may be langwidge finer,
An' them more soft an' clear;
The one I courted Jane in
'S the one I like ter hear.

I tell my team in English
Ter "git up," "haw" and "gee,"
'N' the langwidge Shakspeare writ in
Is good enough fer me.
—Helen Chaffee in Detroit Free Press.

What Geology Reveals.

Geology reveals to us the fact that classes of animals rise and fall, are exalted and then brought low, just as empires among men. The deinosaurs were not destined to remain for more than a certain time in their exalted position. Already in the New Red Sandstone period the usurpers had appeared on the scene in the shape of humble little quadrupeds, creatures apparently unable to cope with their rivals of the reptile class, but destined, as ages rolled on, to grow in power and strength, and so to attain the proud position they now occupy.

One cannot help wondering how the victory was accomplished. But they had a more developed brain than reptiles; that would give them an immense advantage in the "struggle for existence." Thus it would seem that brains carried the day, and so mammals now "hold the field" against all their enemies.—Chambers' Journal.

She Couldn't Stop.

The Friday afternoon rehearsals of the Symphony orchestra, as is well known, are attended by a great concourse of women.

One afternoon the doors had just been opened, and there was a grand rush up the stairs for the unreserved seats in the second balcony. In the crush one woman shed some of her fine feathers in the shape of an overskirt.

The assistant manager held it up and cried, "Here, madam!"

She turned and looked, but music and a good seat had charms. "Keep it for me," she said, and hurried on up the stairs.—Boston Globe.

The Fighting Ostrich.

A sturdy newcomer, some six feet in height, laughed at the warnings that were given him when he set out for a walk, and disdainfully refused the protection of a tackey—a thorny branch, the dexterous use of which will keep the ostrich at bay—averring that he "was not afraid of a dicky bird!" He was missed, and discovered some hours after by a search party most uncomfortably perched on the top of an ironstone bowlder, and slowly grilling under the African sun, while the "dicky bird" did sentry up and down, watching him with an evil eye.—London Spectator.

Hall Bedrooms and Milk Bottles.

It is a very curious and remarkable fact that people who live in hall rooms at boarding houses drink bottled milk before going to bed. Each little dairy in boarding house neighborhoods, especially cross streets between Sixteenth and Thirty-second, do a thriving business in selling bottles of fresh milk. A walk on any of these streets any morning will reveal the presence of a milk bottle on the window ledge of nearly every house on the block. These will mark with unfailing regularity the position of the hall room in an ordinary New York house.—New York Recorder.

A Thrifty Mind.

The Collegian—Shall we be engaged again this summer or not?

The Accommodating Girl—It's just as you say.

The Collegian—Well, we might as well be engaged then—but you won't expect another ring, will you?—Munsey's Weekly.

At present the exports of French silk goods amount to about 250,000,000 francs per annum. England and the United States are the leading purchasers, taking over two-thirds of the whole amount exported. Then come Germany, Switzerland, Belgium, Spain, Turkey and Italy in the order mentioned.

The late Lord Granville was a fine specimen of the old school English statesmen who appeared born to rule their countrymen. He was one of the few connecting links that bound the statesmen of the early days of the century to those of the present decade and decadence.

The mean annual temperature of the whole United States, excepting Alaska, is 53 degs. Fahrenheit, and the figures show that the part of the country where this is the actual mean temperature is the center of the greatest density of population.

The erosion of big guns is thought to be largely due to igniting slow burning powder at the base of the charge, whereby the bore receives attrition from the hard unburned portions of the powder.

May Thank Her Stars.

The narrow escape of Mrs. B. M. Searles, of Elkhart, Ind., from a premature death is wonderful. She states that "for twenty years my heart troubled me greatly. I became worse. Had smothering spells, short breath, fluttering; could not sleep on my left side, had much Pain in Breast, shoulder and stomach. Ankles swelled. Had much headache and dizziness. Treatment did me no good, until I tried Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine. The first bottle helped me, and I was soon virtually cured. For sale at Charles H. Buss's drug store. A fine book on the Heart and Nerves free.

SOMETHING BIG IN RUBBER.

A Single "Biscuit" That Weighs Over a Thousand Pounds and Cost $1,010.

The biggest "biscuit" of rubber ever seen in North America is on exhibition in a store in Warren street. It came from the upper Amazon, weighs a trifle over a thousand pounds and cost its owners $1,010. Around its largest circumference it measures 10 feet, being composed of successive layers that form a practically solid mass throughout. There is enough rubber in the lump to make 5,000,000 "election" bands, or, if made into a single string, there is enough to make a line which would reach 150 miles.

Although the biscuit is now perfectly black, it was pure white, like the juice of the milk weed, when taken from the tree. The native who made the lump first drove two crotched stakes in the ground at a distance of ten feet apart, and in the crotches he rested a smooth pole. Then he built a fire midway between the posts, in such a position as to concentrate the heat at the center of the crosspiece. The rubber, in its fluid consistency, was poured on the hottest surface of the stringer, and as it felt the warmth of the fire it congealed. By turning the pole slowly around the layer of rubber took its present shape, which is that of a big, overgrown biscuit.

It is slow work turning the stick and congealing the rubber, and a whole day is consumed in making a single layer. It took forty days to complete the biscuit in question, for, besides hardening it, it had to be cured and smoked by processes very similar to those used in curing and smoking hams. The Amazon natives use a peculiar bark to effect the curing process, which is burned in the fire, and which imparts certain properties that prepare the rubber for preservation.

The rubber which is here described smells so much like the ordinary sugar cured ham that one could not tell the difference if blindfolded. In this respect the rubber from the Amazon possesses a distinct superiority over that from Africa. In the latter country the natives seem to know nothing whatever about the curing and smoking process, and the result is that their rubber has an indescribably vile odor.

In preparing this big lump for commercial use it will be first put into the grinder or mill, where it will undergo a treatment very like that of mastication. This makes it pliable. It will then be put into a calendar, where it will be flattened and drawn out into the required size and shape, after which it will be cut up into the shapes used in commerce.—New York Times.

The Work of Years Undone in a Day.

There is such a thing as being too careful about your youngsters. A prominent Maine clergyman endeavored to bring up his children far from the contaminating influence of the vulgar mob. No public schools, no games with the boys, no hilarious fun, "no nothin'," as young America graphically expresses it. The boys were not allowed to leave the dooryard unless they were securely shackled to the parson's hand.

Well, one day boyish nature asserted itself, and they ran away. As might be expected, they immediately gravitated among the worst crowd in town. All day they heard those names and words so reverently spoken by their father in his prayers coupled in the most astonishing and startling manner.

They arrived in the paternal dooryard at night—dusty, torn, tired, but happy.

"Well, young sirs, where have you been this day?"

"Oh, father, we've been down to see the Brown boys and"——

"The Brown boys, you rascals! and don't you know that they are the most wicked little boys in the village?"

"Oh, no, no, father," expostulated the youngsters; "they're surely not wicked, for there's not been a minute this afternoon but that they've earnestly called upon the name of the Lord."—Lewiston Journal.

The Key of Death.

The "Key of Death" is apparently a large key which is shown among the weapons at the arsenal at Venice. It was invented by Tibaldo, who, disappointed in love, designed this instrument for the destruction of his rival. The key is so constructed that the handle may be turned around, revealing a small spring, which being pressed a very fine needle is driven with considerable force from the other end. This needle is so very fine that the flesh closes over the wound immediately, leaving no mark, but the death of the victim is almost instantaneous.—Detroit Free Press.

The Monkey Wrench and Its Inventor.

Monkey wrench is the name applied to a tool, a sort of spanner with a movable jaw. Some etymologists account for the forepart of the name by recalling the fact that a monkey's jaw is movable also. The monkey wrench was invented some years ago by a poor mechanic whose name is Charles Monckey. He sold his patent for a song, and is now working for day's wages in Brooklyn. His invention has made millions of dollars for those who were able to place it upon the market.—Harper's Young People.

A Rather Doubtful Accomplishment.

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ACCUSED BY A FEATHERED WITNESS.

A Cockatoo's Declaration Over the Body of Its Murdered Master.

The officers who took the body of William R. de Rose, alias La Chapelle, from the bedroom in the rear of the saloon where he was shot and killed by Maggie Getty, tell a strange story of the loquacity of a big cockatoo that belonged to the murdered man.

The body lay on the floor at the foot of the bed when the officers arrived. The bird was perched upon the mantelpiece overlooking the scene, and as the bluecoats entered the room he screeched out:

"Maggie did it! Maggie did it!"

The officers were startled. Where did the strange voice come from? It was not a human voice, yet strangely clear and distinct.

"Maggie did it! Maggie did it! Maggie did it!" again came the voice. A light was struck by this time, and then the source of that inhuman screech was discovered.

"Mag"——

"Did what?" said one of the officers, interrupting, as it was about to screech out again.

"Shot him! Shot him! Shot him! Maggie did it!" answered the cockatoo.

The officers bent over the corpse, placed a hand on the heart to see if life were really extinct, then stood silently a moment, as if considering the best means of removing it.

"Well, what are you going to do with it?" broke out the bird again.

"Going to take it to the morgue. Want to come along?" said the officer, bending an elbow out for the cockatoo to perch upon.

"Yes, I'll go," said the bird, hopping down on the elbow.

It was with much difficulty that the body was finally carried out to the patrol wagon without allowing the bird to escape. When this had been done finally, and the bird safely locked in the room, his ghoulish screech could be heard out on the street calling:

"Maggie did it! Maggie did it!"—San Francisco Chronicle.

An Outraged Doctor.

An elderly lady, who was very wealthy, and who had a very inflated idea of her own importance, owned a pet monkey, which suddenly became quite ill. The lady, whom we shall call Mrs. Portly Pompous, had the assurance to send for one of the most prominent physicians to attend the ailing simia.

When the doctor was introduced to his patient he was very much enraged, but he did not betray it. He examined the sick monkey's pulse, and asked the usual questions. In the corner of the room was a little boy, a grandson of Mrs. Portly Pompous. The doctor approached the boy, examined his pulse and then said solemnly to the lady:

"Madam, your two little grandchildren are suffering from indigestion. Give them light food, with plenty of exercise, and they will soon come around all right."

After the doctor had said this he bowed himself out, with a feeling that he had in a measure vindicated his professional dignity. The bill which he sent in was so heavy that Mrs. Portly Pompous, who is somewhat stingy, almost had a fit herself over it.—Irish Times.

Fear of the Cholera Demon.

The existence of a cholera demon is still firmly credited in certain districts of India. A native in a village near Allahabad recently assured an inspector of police that the previous night his home had been visited by the cholera monster, with a head like a large earthen pot. He and his brother drove away the spirit with bamboo clubs, and fired a gun to complete its defeat, as the creature fears noise. Some years ago, say the natives, three wise men enticed the demon into an earthen pot and carried it to a neighboring hostile village to bury it by night. The rival villagers objected, however, and a fight ensued, in which the demon's prison was broken, and he escaped to continue his evil works.—London Graphic.

Love Finds a Way.

Billson—Whose pocketbook is that you are advertising for?

Jimson—Mine, of course.

"Get out. Pocketbook containing a roll of bills and a large number of checks and securities. Finder can keep money if he will return papers.' Get out! You don't see a roll of bills or a check once a year."

"N-o, but Bertha Bullion's father takes the paper I advertised the loss in, and he'll see that advertisement. See?"

"Humph! Where did you get the money to pay for that big ad?"

"Bertha loaned it to me, bless the darling."—New York Weekly.

Benzine Pencils for Removing Stains.

A device has been patented in England for the purpose of removing grease from gloves or fabrics. It is called a benzine pencil, and consists of a cylindrical body, which is about the size of an ordinary lead pencil, containing benzine. At each end there is a thick piece of felt, one piece intended to be moistened by the benzine, while the other end of the pencil is kept perfectly dry to take up the superfluous moisture.—New York Telegram.

Extreme Old Age.

"How is your father coming on?" asked Col. Percy Yerger of a darkey he used to own before the war.

"He am dead."

"Dead, is he? He must have reached an advanced age."

"He did dat, for a fact. He was libin' up to de bery day of his deff."—Texas Siftings.

The Engineer

Gf the Wakefield, Mass., Rattan Works, C. N. Young, says: In all cases of biliousness accompanied with those terrible sick headaches, I have found no other medicine that seems to take hold and do me the good that your Sulphur Bitters does. It is the best family medicine made.

Leland Stanford is reported to have announced his intention of endowing the University of the Pacific with $20,000,000 over and above its present resources.

DIED AT THE LEVER.

Heroic Death of a Brave but Foolhardy Knight of the Throttle.

In my long service as a railroad engineer I have become well acquainted with oil and smoke, coal and cinders. It was while "firing" that the practical knowledge of my engine was gained. It takes time to learn to fire well, so as to have the highest pressure of steam at the grade where needed. His fire must be kept steady and hot, and it is necessary that he know the road as well as the engine.

What with shoveling coal, oiling his engine and looking after his stock of coal and water the fireman is a busy man.

When I began firing under Nell Aness I knew him to be a good hearted, pleasant fellow, and he always spoke pleasantly to me while I was learning my duties, and I must have been a trying chap at first.

One bitter cold night in the month of January found us pulling out of Omaha, westward bound, about twenty minutes late.

Our train was heavy, the rails frosty, and the wheels seemed to stick to the line, while the icy winds almost froze the blood in our veins. We used every ounce of steam. It takes more coal to make steam on such a night, though the fire seems to burn fiercer and brighter.

As we pulled out Nell showed in his determined manner and by the way he handled her that he meant to make up the twenty minutes, for all ahead our line was clear.

On we sped, counting off the milestones at the rate of forty an hour where the road was level. Ah, these bleak winter nights!

Hopefully we peer into the darkness, but can only see what the headlight shows us.

"No. 145" eastbound freight train running to Omaha would either sidetrack at a small station called Sheldon or one three miles further east called Elbling, until we passed. We passed Elbling at 10:45, and it was a comfort to think there would be no delay on our road, and we swept swiftly onward toward Sheldon, where we expected "No. 145" to be safely sidetracked, since she had not run into Elbling.

But an unavoidable accident had occurred just around a curve, where the road followed the smooth, winding bank of the Platte.

An axle had broken and got one of their cars off the track. The train hands—conductor and brakemen—were in the caboose for warmth, and did not notice the accident for a time. The train was finally brought to a standstill, and as they did so other cars were derailed, which threw the whole train into confusion. Signals are often obscure in the frosty air, and they said we came upon them very quickly after the signal lanterns were gotten out.

As we shot around the curve going at a great speed I saw the steam from the freight engine. Nell was looking out on his side.

"We are lost, Nell!" I shouted. "No. 145 is on our line." In an instant we had shut off, reversed and whistled for brakes.

As we came up I swung out, for I saw death ahead of us.

"Jump, Nell!" I cried. He glanced toward me, and then straight ahead. The look on his face seemed to say to me, "It is all right for you to go; I must not leave my engine!" In that one lightning glance I seemed to see the brave, heroic soul of my engineer shining in his honest, pleasant face. Then I jumped, rolled over and over down the steep river bank, and landed on the ice. There was a mighty crash, and I saw from the spot where I had fallen, dazed but unhurt, our engine and several cars pitched headlong down the embankment. The silence of the night was broken by agonizing cries for help and heartrending screams and prayers.

We who were uninjured worked with a will. Twelve passengers were killed and many injured. I looked and watched for Nell, hoping he would soon be seen at work among us. After clearing away piles of wreck, we found him at dawn lying under his engine in the shallow water beneath the ice. He met death fearlessly with his hand on the lever, giving his own life in the hope that others might be saved. Brave Nell Aness! He was, indeed, a hero.—Arkansaw Traveler.

Turning the Tables on the Church.

One of the earlier yeomen of Bridgton was a pump maker, a good citizen, but with "no religious preferences." One day he was waited upon by one of the church assessors, who handed him a bill for the support of preaching.

"I hain't heard no preaching," said the old man, somewhat surprised.

"Well, brother, it's your own fault then," replied the churchman. "It's been accessible to all, every Sabbath for a year."

The old gentleman acknowledged the corn and paid. Not long after this the parish received from him a bill for a pump.

"We have bought no pump of you," was the answer.

"Well, then," replied the old gentleman, with a twinkle in his eye, "it's your own fault, for I have been making them for years."—Lewiston Journal.

Where French Was Greek.

Wifey—It's 2 o'clock. What on earth have you been doing?

Hubby—Eating.

Wifey—Eating what?

Hubby—Haven't the least idea. I'm not a French scholar.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Look Out For That Pain In Your Back

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More Than Ready.

"The successful canvasser," once said a business man, "is the one who can persuade you to buy what you don't want."

A "summer boarder" was one day sitting on the farmhouse steps, when a vender of patent medicines appeared and began to advertise his wares.

"Good for toothache, rheumatism, gout, ague," he said rapidly, displaying a bottle. "Got rheumatism now, haven't ye? I could tell that the minute I set eyes on ye."

"Never had a twinge in my life," said the victim.

"Subject to headache?"

"No."

"Teeth trouble ye?"

"Never."

So the conversation went on, from nostrums to liquids for cleansing purposes, and still nothing was sold. After half an hour's steady effort the agent slowly packed up his wares and sadly prepared to depart. As he was about to go a neighbor approached, bringing the morning's mail, and called out triumphantly:

"I've got two magazines, and there's a story by you in each!"

The agent threw open his bag with a lightning-like gesture. He seized a bottle from its contents and proffered it imploringly.

"Why didn't you tell me you was a writer?" cried he. "Twenty-five cents a bottle! Best thing on earth for writer's cramp!"

He had conquered—the nostrum was bought, though only to be tossed over the orchard wall.—Youth's Companion.

A Hard Pipe to Beat.

There were two captains in the ——th cavalry. Each was proud of his record, his horses, his family, his dogs—in short, everything that was his. If one had a thing that he particularly prized, the other had a better one, or got one, or tried to get one. Captaix X. had a very old meerschaum pipe, and, scenting an antiquity, he sent it to an expert in New York, who returned it with a certificate to the effect that it was 300 years old. He impatiently waited until the officers assembled at headquarters the next morning, exhibited his prize, and read the figures on the expert's certificate. Captain B., his rival, declared that his family had a meerschaum pipe that had been in their possession for 900 years.

Now Captain X. was too polite to remind Captain B. that neither tobacco nor pipes were known in Europe 900 years ago, and he went home crushed. There a bright idea occurred to him. He put a figure 1 before the 300 on his certificate, and his pipe was certified to be 1,300 years old. The next morning he returned to headquarters, announced that he had made a mistake in reading the certificate on the previous day, and that his pipe was really 1,300 years old. To prove it he showed the certificate.—New York Sun.

A Ruble on Its Travels.

Some short time ago a Mr. P—— forwarded to the district court at St Petersburg a ruble as payment for the copy of a document. As by law copies of documents in criminal cases are supplied free of charge, the district court sent the ruble back to Mr. P—— in Moscow, the postoffice retaining eight kopeks for carriage. Mr. P—— could not be found at Moscow; he had gone to Twer, and the ninety-two kopeks followed him, the postoffice again deducting six kopeks. Meantime, how ever, Mr. P—— had departed to St. Petersburg; the eighty-six kopeks were sent after him to the capital, having melted down to seventy-two kopeks as before.

Strange to say, Mr. P—— had been compelled to leave St. Petersburg and return to Moscow by way of Twer. The money dogged his steps from place to place without overtaking him until it had dwindled down to the sum of one kopek, which was finally deposited at the offices of the exchequer.—Novoye Vremya.

How Riley Does It.

Two well known authors, who are also very successful lecturers, were talking together a few days ago over their experiences on the platform. One of the twain was James Whitcomb Riley, the Hoosier poet. They were discussing the question of the best way of handling audiences, when one of them said:

"What do you do, Riley, when you find you have a cold audience? How do you warm them up?"

"Don't try," said the poet. "You know I am nearsighted, and without my glasses I ain't worth a cuss. Well, when I see I have a cold and critical audience I just take off my glasses and lay them on the desk. Then the house can be just as uneasy as they like, for I can't see a thing. The whole house might get up and leave, and I'd never know it. Don't pay for an audience of mine to be cold, for I let them do all the freezing."—New York Letter.

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Dr. Mortimore Granville, who has been for some time studying the properties of the juice of the papaw tree, states that he has discovered in it a remedy for cancer when used with some other preparations. The organized ferment of the papaw is believed to be a bacillus; but Dr. Granville says he has satisfied himself of the therapeutic value of the juice, or certain of its elements, as a solvent of the morbifically indurated tissues in cancer when administered in combination with certain specified adjuncts.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50, A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

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JOHN G. WOOLLEY AT MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

AN ADDRESS TO THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CONVENTION.

John G. Woolley, Esq., delivered, says the *Minneapolis Tribune*, an address on "Gospel Temperance" which aroused tremendous enthusiasm, and commanded close attention throughout. His plea for prohibition sent the audience wild, and brought to the front a big white banner in the Iowa quarter. The following is a full report of Mr. Woolley's address:

"I am to speak about gospel temperance. I intend to consider the subject in the most elementary view of it. That is easy enough intrinsically, but practically difficult. The trouble is, there is such a variety of definitions. The phrase is a lexicographical ghost, visible, vocal, voluble, volitile, vanishing. Three years ago I became a gospel temperance missionary. My first appointment was for a month of nightly meetings. At the fourth meeting, a man arose and said, in substance, he was a Christian and a good one, but I was too gentle to suit him, and later the committee, evidently of the same mind, told me they wanted the old political parties skinned. Being neither a butcher nor a texidermist, I withdrew with such grace as I could, and left them poorer but wiser, for I had learned that gospel temperance was but another name for vivisection.

My next appointment was in another state. The leading citizen of the place —a deacon of the church—said if I spoke on gospel temperance, he would stand by me, but warned me to leave his party alone. I made the speech so coldly rejected for its excess of gospel in the other state. Before I finished, a howling mob was stoning me. A blind old man, sitting on the platform, was struck by a rock, and my wife stood at the door and kept the crowd from killing me till I had done. We were escorted to our hotel between two lines of Caucasian savages, insulting us at every step, meanwhile yelping the name of their candidate, a Christian man. Then I knew that gospel temperance was a hideous discord with a treble of righteousness and a diapason of expediency, and loud and soft pedals of politics, and I said, God helping me, I'll never sound it, and I never did. Then I came to this sweet city of my heart and home, preaching the same thing from the same Bible, as I was moved by the Holy Ghost. I prepared my sermons on my knees those days, and a good Christian woman, a member of my committee, and my friend, said: You are violating our pledges, and you are not teaching gospel temperance. You must not speak against high license. I learned then that gospel temperance was a bombastic and flimsy paradox, composed of a gospel that had to be free, and a temperance that had to be sold, a gospel that had to be smothered, and I said, so help me God, I'll never teach it, and I never did. But I kept on; part of my friends and helpers withdrew, deeply offended because I said a Christless temperance pledge was untrustworthy, and then I learned that gospel temperance was a wretched sham, with God put in a parenthseis, or spoken in low breath, or left out, and I said, God helping me, I'll know nothing but Jesus Christ crucified and risen, and walking the earth in all the ways of men, and I never did.

Now, there is danger that the confusion of tongues among the workers will end as Babel ended. The blunder of Babel was at the bottom of it, not the top, and I propose that in this temperance reform we stop building a top on it and dig for the foundation that was laid in Jesus Christ. What we want is to focus on the centre of the subject and then we shall be able to work on broad lines and get the knack of putting our hand to everything that is Christ-like in temperance endeavor. We cannot all play the same instruments but we can all play in the right key.

A woman here in Minneapolis stopped at the gutter side and spread her handkerchief over a drunken man's face. He was a stranger, and repulsive enough, but she did it for Jesus, sake. I call that gospel temperance.

A woman in this city, an invalid, totally strange to me, and who had never seen me and whom I had never seen, prayed every day at twelve o'clock for three years for me before I was saved. I call that gospel temperance.

When four years ago I said that religion was a lie and fled from the wreck of a fair name and a good estate, Edwin Sidney Williams put money in my pocket and a letter for Christians and officers and morgue keepers, signed with his name like this: "In the name of Jesus Christ, the Saviour of men, help this man." I call that gospel temperance.

I walked the streets of New York city one August day—starving—but I was sober. It is sometimes an awful thing to be sober. The play of my life was over; the light was burned out. I was a ruined man, Godless and hopeless, and that is hell whether it happens to a man in this world or another. I saw the three witches, starvation, beggary and crime, stirring a black broth for me on the bleakest moor of life that ever the fanged hounds of appetite and remore hunted a man over. But I was sober!

"And as a man with difficult, short breath,
Forespent with toiling, 'scaped from sea to shore,
Turn to the desolate wide waste and stand at gaze.'

So I looked back on the wreck of my life that day. All was lost. Father had died calling me to come to him from the saloon to see him die. Mother had died calling upon me to stay out of the saloon and see her die. Wife was worse than the widowed; children worse than orphans—shelterless but for the grace of creditors and God's canopy that shelters all, and the future was an infinity of pitch. But I was sober! If I had said I had left off drink forever, no man who knew me would have believed me. If I had been able to telegraph to my wife I was going home—she would have answered, though it broke her heart: "You must not come home." If I asked for employment no man would trust me. The asylums would not receive me for I was not sane. Nor the hospitals, for I was not sick. Nor the morgue, for I was not dead. I had not been to bed for I had no bed. I remember nothing of the night before or of the morning, but I was sober. I thought I was going mad. I washed my face at the fountain in Union Square and crossed over to Eighth Avenue. At the corner of Twenty-First Street I saw the sign of Stephen Merritt—you know him some of you—all the angels know him well. I had never seen him, but had heard of him. It was not food I thought of, but an overwhelming desire filled me to touch the hand of a good man. I entered. A man with the joy of the Lord in his face came to meet me, with his hand extended, and as he grasped mine I said: "I don't know why I came"—the sentence was never finished for I burst into tears, and then I told him who and what I was, I said not a word about money nor hunger. I had forgotten both. He said: "You need the woods! Did you ever go to Camp meeting? I have a tent on the Hudson at the camp meeting, there's a boat at one o'clock. You can catch it. Go out and rest and perhaps you'll enjoy the sermons, too. I'll be out in three days." Then he snatched up a pen and wrote a letter to a Christian woman and read it to me before he closed it. "This is my friend John G. Woolley, of Minneapolis; show him my tent and do for him as you would do for me." Then he slipped a five dollar bill into my hand and said, "Goodby, see you Monday," and pretending he was called, was gone before I said a word.

I call that gospel temperance work, and this incident will reveal to some of you the secret of my belief in the woods and five-dollar bills as a means of grace.

And when a young man simply declines a glass of wine, giving the name of Jesus for the reason, I call that gospel temperance!

And when a young woman with Christian tact and grace demands—as Christian ladies can demand—for Jesus' sake, who never once reproached a woman, abstinence as pre-requisite to her respect, I call that gospel temperance. And when the honored wife of Minnesota's spotless senator who died with his glass reversed—Mrs. William Windom—refused to serve wine at her table according to the custom, saying she would rather offend a few than to tempt any, I call that gospel temperance. And when a Christian man stands up and votes the will of God touching the drink into the ballot box, and does it for His sake and in His name, though he stands alone among a million, and against overwhelming odds of policy or politics or worldly wisdom, I call that gospel temperance.

And when a Christian man, however good and true, stands with the crowd and for the policy of it, or the revenue of it, or the difficulty of it, or the best-that-can-be-done-now-ness of it, for free trades' sake, or tariff's sake, or silver's sake, or for election's sake, with or without a Sunday law—with or without a patrol limit, with or without public sentiment, with a low price or a high one, with long hours or short, in a dram shop, drug store or hotel, in his own town or in Alaska or Nyanza, votes for the sale of drink or fails to vote against it—I do not call that gospel temperance!

It needs the gentleness and charity of Jesus Christ to be a temperance evangelist, and no such man will ever have power until he lays down his theories at the feet of the son of God. I think I have done that. Let me show you what I brought from there. If I seem dogmatic it is because I must be brief. A position to be strong must be simple. The temperance question in most minds is complex, hence the strategies, diplomacies, truces, compromises and defeats. Conscience is the main shaft of the mine and the gospel is the gear that belts us to God's mind. There is no confusion in the mind in gear. And now, please God, I am going to maintain this proposition.

The Bible is anti-alcohol. I know the learning of it, the arguments of the spiritious scholars of the church, the onios, yayin, glenkos, and I assert that the word of God is against alcohol, not intemperance in alcohol, and there's the kernel of this subject. Do I deny that Jesus made alcohol at Cana? Of course I deny it; what he made there was "onios," and no respectable Greek scholar will say that means necessarily or ordinarily any more than grape juice.

But were not the men "well drunk" and did not the master of the feast pronounce the wine of the miracle the best of all?

I deny the men were drunk. No Greek scholar will say that "Methuo" must mean "intoxicate," but suppose they were drunk. Am I then to admit against the plain bulk of the book—and against the known character of Jesus, that he made alcohol,—on the testimony of a mushy compliment of a tipsy toastmaster, speaking for the giver of the feast, when the language itself admits another meaning?

Do you tell me that he who saved me from the hell of drunkenness and gave me back to the wife from which drink had driven me, went to a wedding where men were drunk and made more alcohol for them to drink?

Then I say, away with the nonsense that marriage is a sacrament, a holy rite: it is nothing but a contract-like bond, or a policy of insurance. Widen the doors of your divorce courts, and let us hear no more of the ridiculous canons of the church. The head of the church sanctioned and abetted drunkenness at the only wedding he ever saw. He never did it! He could not have done it! Jesus said, "The words that I speak, they are life."

Alcohol is chemical death. Jesus said: "I am the bread life." Alcohol is post mortem bread. Jesus said: "I am the resurrection and the life." To be alcohol is the hell of fruit and grain.

"This is life eternal that they might know Jesus Christ."

Do you tell me that water knew the voice of Jesus Christ and died and rotted and putrified to alcohol in an instant—and that "this first miracle did Jesus at Cana, in Gallilee, and manifested forth his glory" in the shame of men?

But what about the Lord's supper? The hush of the oriental evening had fallen on Palestine. Scarce any sound was audible save now and then the flutter of a late retiring sparrow or the stridor of some sullen locust rasping off the last bright edge of the sinking day. Darkness lay in puddles in the valleys which run together like drops of ink on a glass, as night rose like a black tide up the hillside where a lonely man was standing; it crept to his feet, but he took no notice of it; to his waist, his head, then it covered him; his face was almost transparent in its paleness; he was motionless, his eyes were open but seemed fixed upon some object in the farthest sky, and as he looked he seemed to listen with his whole soul; he looked down presently, drew his cloak about him and moved toward the city gate. The stars came out timidly. The city lights glared haughtily. The night flowers by the wayside opened an instant as he passed then closed again. His sandals were dirty and he seemed weary. He passed up the Jericho road round by the south of Olivet toward the East gate. It was Passover, and he had sent his disciples to the city to prepare his last supper, for this lonely man with dusty sandals was Jesus of Nazareth on his way to Gethsemane and Calvary. He was the last to arrive at the upper room where the table was set. It was harvest time. As they had come on Peter had plucked a small sheaf of yellow grain for the tables and John, the beloved, had gotten a basket of the smallest, sweetest grapes, and pressed from some with his own hands, a cup of wine for the Master, and some were on the table in bunches, and when he came, they all sat down to eat. He asked a blessing, the sweetest they had ever heard. Then he took the loaf; he looked surprised and said: "Why, John, this is fermented bread. What does this mean? Have you forgotten the scripture, 'Seven days shall ye eat unleavened bread. Even the first day ye shall put leaven out of your homes, for whosoever eateth leavened bread from the first day until the seventh their soul shall be cut off from Israel.' Take it away quickly and bring unleavened bread." When that was done he broke it among them and said: "Have you never noticed that ferment or yeast is never used in the scripture except to signify evil, and this is to remind you of my body broken for you. Then he took the cup, and as he saw the color of it and thought of his bloody death now so near, he prayed again, then just touched the wine before passing it to the disciple, but stopped suddenly and said: "Why this is unfermented wine," and John said, "Yes it is fruit of the vine. I pressed it out for you from ripe grapes. I thought you'd like it, and I loved to do so." And then Jesus said, "Judas, you will have to go and bring some alcoholic wine."

Son of God, forgive this if it is sacrifice. My friends, there was no alcohol at the Last Supper. What! alcohol—the death-sweet of grapes—an emblem of blood of everlasting life? That cannot be!

But listen, let Jesus testify: "I say unto you, I will not drink henceforth of the fruit of the vine, until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's Kingdom.

When we set down at the marriage supper of the Lamb, we are to drink the same kind of wine they drank that night in Jerusalem.

It is to be new—made on the spot. The fruit of the vintage of the year 1 of the new heaven and earth. Alcohol can't be new. It is expressed decomposition. It is fluid old age—the rigor mortis of vintages past and gone.

There will be no alcohol in heaven. Listen; let Jesus testify:—

"And God shall wipe all tears from the eyes, and there shall be no more death; neither sorrow, nor crying. Neither shall there be any more pain.

And there shall in no wise enter there, anything that defileth nor worketh abomination, nor maketh a lie." No tears in heaven? There will be no alcohol. No death? no crying? no pain? no defilement? no abomination? no lying? Then there can be no alcohol, for alcohol contains them all.

And listen to what John saw: "And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire." That includes alcohol. Abolish death and alcohol will be impossible. Let hotter flames lick hell out of being, and alcohol being sourceless and purposeless, would cease forever. Make haste, O God, fulfilling that Apocalypse!

The Bible is against alcohol! It curses it from Genesis to Malachi. There will be none at the marriage supper of the Lamb. There was none at the last supper of our Lord. There was none at the Cana wedding. There ought to be none anywhere. There is, but I'll not touch it. Other men will, but I'll dissuade them; and as they fall, I'll lift upon them in the name of Jesus Christ. And still they'll drink, and men will sell it to them, and government permit it, but not with my consent.

I call that gospel temperance.

GREAT MARK-DOWN SALE
— AT —
Munroe's Clothing House.

We are offering a large discount on all of our LIGHT WEIGHT SUITS, TROUSERS, STRAW HATS, YACHTING CAPS, OUTING SHIRTS, &c.
Very low prices on Trunks and Travelling Bags.
Come early and secure a bargain.

C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Remarkable Facts.

Heart disease is usually supposed to be incurable, but when properly treated a large proportion of cases can be cured. Thus Mrs. Elmira Hatch, of Elkhart, Ind., and Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., were cured after suffering 20 years. S. C. Linburger, druggist at San Jose, Ill., says that Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, which cured the former, "worked wondors for his wife." Levi Logan, of Buchanan, Mich., who had heart disease for 30 years, says two bottles made him "feel like a new man." Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is sold and guaranteed by Chas. H. Buss. Book of wonderful testimonials free.

Encourage the Editor.

As a rule the editor gets a thousand kicks to one caress. Once in a while he gets a kind word, and it warms and cheers his weather beaten, storm racked heart to the innermost core. Most people are afraid to tell an editor when he writes an article that particularly pleases them for fear of making him proud, we suppose, but if they find anything that does not accord precisely with their views they will neglect their business to hunt him up and tell him of it. Pshaw! dear friends, don't think you will spoil the editor by giving him an occasional word of cheer any more than you will spoil your child by complimenting her upon a piece of patchwork she has finished. Of course you could beat the job your

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FRIDAY, AUG. 14, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

The Republican Ward and City Committee of Woburn held a meeting on last Monday evening for the purpose of taking initiatory steps towards opening the fall campaign.

Considering the intense heat that prevailed the meeting was well attended, and an encouraging interest was apparent.

As will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, the meeting voted to hold the Ward Caucuses for the purpose of choosing delegates to the several Republican conventions and to elect a Ward Committee for the year to come, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 9th prox.

AN EXPLANATION.

In this issue of THE JOURNAL appears a communication on the Montgomery-*News* controversy. It comes from a reputable source.

Now, good sirs, we want it distinctly understood that the JOURNAL'S interest in said controversy is *nix*. We care nothing at all about the personal quarrels of parties outside of the JOURNAL office.

We don't believe such quarrels are good things for anybody to indulge in.

But this is not our funeral.

So long as Rev. Mr. Montgomery continues to fight illegal liquor selling with an eye single to the glory of God and the best interests of society the JOURNAL is with him soul and body. But when he tries to make ostensibly honest temperance work a tool to bolster up his personal popularity (if he does that thing) then we drop him like a hot potato.

The *News* has a perfect right to criticise Mr. Montgomery's methods as a public man. Evidently that paper does not agree with Mr. Montgomery in some of his ways of carrying on temperance work; it takes issue with him in a few things. That is legitimate journalism.

No doubt exists in our mind but that the *News* is as honest in its criticisms of Mr. Montgomery's work as that gentleman is honest in prosecuting it.

The JOURNAL fails to discover much of anything that ought to be a bone of contention between these highly respectable and entirely honest parties.

Gentlemen, let us drop personal considerations and all join hands heartily in the good work of putting down rumselling.

THAT'S NEWS OVER THIS WAY.

Indications point to the nomination Mr. Loring of Melrose as successor of Councillor Byron Truell. It is understood that delegates favorable to his candidacy are likely to be elected in sufficient towns and cities in the District to easily secure his nomination.—*Malden City Press.*

It is a pity that Mr. Loring can't get an office of some kind or other seeing that his heart has been bent on one so long. He certainly ought to have a nibble at the public crib, and perhaps he will get one one of these days if he will only be patient.

But this don't seem to be Mr. Loring's year for nibbling at the public crib. Certainly not at the Councilor crib, unless he moves into another District. Mr. Byron Truell, the present incumbent, gives good satisfaction and will be re-elected next November unless he delines to fill the place again. Nobody finds any fault with him except those who want to be his successor, and the way he has stood up against the blandishments and bulldozing of Gov. Russell this year entitles him to the most favorable treatment at the hands of the Republican voters of this Councilor District.

GOOD CROPS.

The West are rejoicing in sure signs of the best crops of wheat and corn they have been blessed with for several years past. The same news comes from every section of the Western country and the farmers are happy.

Big crops and remunerative prices will however prove disastrous if not fatal to the political hopes and aspirations of the Grangers. The arch demagogues who head the Farmers' Alliance and are leading the tillers of the soil to pecuniary destruction had rather see almost anything than large crops and quick sales because such agricultural good fortune would thrust them out of employment without ceremony and rob them of a pleasing and profitable occupation.

The big crops of the west have thrown the whole country into a fit of rejoicing, always excepting the demagogues aforesaid.

CITY PRINTING.

We are preparing an article on Woburn city printing principally with a view of finding out why very nearly all of it is given to one particular job office. We propose to give "facts and figures," and we also propose to find out why some of the Departments have never given the JOURNAL job office a penny's worth of work, and others, the merest morsel.

We are in pursuit of more light on this subject and expect to obtain it.

Favoritism in this branch of public expenditures has cost and is costing the City of Woburn more than the taxpayers will put up with when they come to understand all the facts about it.

NOT A SURE THING.

Although straws point strongly in that direction it is not yet settled beyond a peradventure that Mr. Crapo will get the Republican nomination for Governor on the 16th of next month. Collector Beard, albeit getting well along in years, is still a power in Massachusetts politics and unless he is greatly belied he is doing his level best for the nomination of Mr. Allen. Should he continue to exert himself on the same line Crapo may fail of the nomination again this year. Notwithstanding the apparent bent of the Republican sentiment stranger things than the choice of Allen have happened.

REPUBLICAN WARD CAUCUSES.

At a meeting of the Republican WARD AND CITY COMMITTEE held on Monday evening, August 10, inst., it was voted to hold the Republican Ward Caucuses on

Wednesday Evening, Sept. 9, 1891,

At 7.30 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the several Conventions and the election of a WARD COMMITTEE for the coming year.

A prompt and full attendance is earnestly desired.

H. E. MARION, Secretary.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
G. H. Carter—Auction.
City—City Aud. Notice.
W. R. Putnam—To Let.
S. R. Niles—Keen Op. Co.
T. H. Cahill—Laudry & Co.
H. Dodd—Cha. Hall School.
14 Church Avenue—For Sale
W. Cutler—Strawberry Plants.
Rep. W. & C. Com.—Caucuses.
Dr. Miles Med. Co.—Medicine.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Kate Claffy and her sister Grace are at Chelsea.

— Yesterday Ward Six Rock Cod Club went fishing.

— Mr. W. R. Putnam publishes a "To Let" in the JOURNAL this week.

— Mr. Edward E. Parker, is about to build him a home on Middle street.

— Mr. Thomas F. McCormick's family are visiting at Milford, Mass.

— Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Wentworth are at Sutton, Vt., for a few weeks.

— Mr. Frank Sawyer is having a very nice time in the wilds of New Hampshire.

— Painters and Decorators Union of this city will parade in Boston on Labor Day.

— The Library Commissioners have increased the salary of Librarian Cutter $200.

— Mr. Leslie's daughters Lillie and Clara are having a delightful time at Peterboro, N. H.

— Mrs. James Walker of Church Ave., has gone to Hudson to visit her son who resides there.

— Mrs. George S. Hudson and her heir-apparent are having a delightful time at rural Harvard.

— Hose 1 lost their big fine carriage horse last Wednesday from colic. He was a valuable animal.

— Leon Vaughn was round the other day generously scattering Mr. Goddard's insurance blotters.

— Conductor Sewall Hill sprained his leg last Sunday so seriously as to compel his temporary retirement from duty.

— The Albert A. Ferrin building on Fowle street was damaged about $500 by fire last Thursday evening week.

— John Johnson, Esq., has been curbing and otherwise fixing up the sidewalk in front of his Main street block.

— Waldron, the tailor on Walnut st., can show as fine samples of goods for men's suits, overcoats, etc. as anybody in Woburn.

— Nothwithstanding the reign of the Dog-star our Woburn Court is kept busy every day. Hot or cold, people will break the laws.

— The JOURNAL office is primping up pretty well this week. Did you note its new concrete sidewalk? Mr. J. M. Ellis's men did it.

— Water Registrar Barrett has been on a 3 weeks tour of service inspection with Supt. Crilley. He has got about through with the work.

— Mr. Charles Cummings of Cambridge street, the big dealer in Canadian horses, recently sold a fine span to Mr. Jacob M. Ellis, the contractor.

— Officer Marrinan shot a dog supposed to be mad last Tuesday. The animal sorely frightened several people but bit no one so far as can be learned.

— Capt. W. H. Mathews has returned from Detroit where he and Mrs. Mathews with others went to attend the G. A. R. National Encampment.

— Dr. Seth W. Kelley is now devoting more time to the practice of his profession here than for a year past. A great many people will be glad of it.

— Hon. J. G. Pollard and his sisters, the Misses Pollard of 21 Green street, passed a very pleasant vacation among familiar scenes in New Hampshire.

— Mr. Lawrence Reade lost a fine horse last Monday night. It was one of a handsome span lately bought and was a serious loss. The animal was insured.

— We have carefully examined City Auditor Preston's report for July and have placed thereon O K. The figures are correct and are intelligently put together.

— Mr. Forest Hooper, having sold his place, 22 High street, expects to build for himself a nice residence on real estate owned by him on Mt. Pleasant street.

— Mr. F. A. Flint left last Saturday in the best of spirits and high hopes for his old summer resort at Camden, Maine, where he will remain through this month.

— Mr. Fred Bosworth, Miss Hattie Bosworth (one of the best of our school teachers) and perhaps others of the family are rusticating in New Hampshire.

— The beaches are just more than thronged this hot weather. Sea breezes are quite enjoyable when the weather gets pretty well up towards 100 degrees in the shade.

— During the prevalence of such fervid heat as we have had this week generous doses of Patten & Son's delicious Philadelphia icecream seem to go to the right spot.

— Miss Lizzie Nichols of Academy Hill returned from Portland last week and reported one of the best visits she ever had anywhere. She was down there about a month.

— Tanners and Curriers Assembly, K. of L., will hold their annual picnic on Labor Day at Hudson's Grove. That is more sensible than going away from home to hold it.

— Wednesday night was altogether more comfortable than its two immediate predecessors. People, with fairish kind of consciences and decent beds could sleep and did.

— Mrs. F. H. Lewis, the piano teacher, left for her native land, Taunton, Mass., last evening, where she will remain among her old friends during the balance of the vacation.

— Mr. Michael McKay was dangerously ill last Tuesday and Wednesday but with Dr. Harlow's medical skill and the smiles of providence he is now on the road to a speedy recovery.

— Mr. Warren Cutler of No. Woburn advertises "Strawberry Plants" for sale. He has all of the best varieties of that fruit, and August is the right month to set out the plants.

— William L. Murdock, William Buchanan Brown, Carl Dow, and others, are enjoying camp life at Newfound-lake, N. H., and how the woods do ring when the cooks get to work!

— Mrs. William Kenworthy, spouse of the old and one of the best machinists Woburn ever had, writes the JOURNAL that everything is lovely at Franklin Falls, N. H., where her home is.

— How refreshing the thunder and lightning and the rain were in the fore part of last Wednesday afternoon. It followed the hottest night and forenoon that this country has experienced for many a year.

— Mr. Chester R. Smith, salesman at the dry goods store of C. Willard Smith, took his grip a few days ago and departed for Lubec, Me., where so many good Woburn people are enjoying the summer.

— Mr. J. J. Leahy, Manager of Mr. Moses Bancroft's boot and shoe store, is not entirely clear in his own mind that he will take much of an outing this summer. He thinks well of staying at home.

— Foreman Bartlett for Contractor J. M. Ellis kept his crews busy on Monday and Tuesday although it was hot enough to roast eggs. He was particular to keep the men in the shade all he could though.

— With chapeau in hand we make our best bow and return warmest thanks to Mrs. Sparrow Horton for a very large bunch of German Astors—about the handsomest bunch of bloom we have laid eyes on this season.

— Read the notice of the Chauncey Hall School in this paper. It is one of the educational institutions that Boston takes pride in. Mr. Oliver F. Bryant of this city has been a teacher in Chauncey Hall for a great many years.

— Mr. Howard Strout and family of Brockton are visiting their relatives and old friends here. It is nearly five years now since they left Woburn for Brockton during which period they look as though they had been happy.

— Brewster Colony, P. F., enjoyed a day's outing at Pine Banks Park, Malden, last Wednesday. A large number of them went over in the East Middlesex street cars. Pine Banks Park is a charming place to picnic in.

— Mr. Walter Cushing, once a popular salesman at the clothing store of Mr. C. M. Munroe but for several years connected with a large Boston establishment, visited this city last Friday and went around among his old friends.

— Mr. Wilbur Brown of Canal and Pleasant streets and family are at the beaches. They couldn't stand the torrid heat any longer so hied themselves to the seaside to see if they could find out what the wild waves had to say about it.

— Druggist Lovell, whose neat and well filled store faces the Common, has just suspended some signs on the front of the same which are as ornamental as useful. They attract attention. Mr. Lovell's drug establishment is a very genteel one.

— Mrs. Lovell, wife of our popular druggist opposite the Common, Mr. F. E. Lovell, and baby started for Amherst last Wednesday morning for a fortnight's vacation, rest and recuperation. Dr. L. bears his temporary widowhood manfully.

— Mr. Waterman Brown's meteorological records stands thus: 6 A. M. on Aug. 10. 70: same hour on Aug. 11, 68: ditto on Aug. 12, 75. At 7 A. M on the last named date Mr. Brown's thermometer registered 79! This has been a heated term with a vengeance.

— Just as soon as Master Len Fowle's advertisement of a "Watch Lost" appeared in the JOURNAL the missing property was found in the middle of the street uninjured and reeling off time at the rate of ten knots an hour. There's nothing like printers' ink.

— Mr. F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Lewis Music School of this city, has returned from the pleasant trip to Detroit, Michigan, which he made last week. He came back by way of Niagara Falls and New York City, and enjoyed the whole thing very much indeed.

— Dr. Harrison Blake has bought for a home the Mrs. Eaton real estate on the corner of Main and Hovey streets. It is a niece piece of residence property and will make a pleasant home. The location is a good one for a physician and everything about it is attractive and comfortable looking.

— A postscript to a business note dated Aug. 8 from Mr. C. F. Hayes, Superintendent of the big boot and shoe manufactory of George F. Slater & Sons at Montreal, Canada, says: "The G. A. R. men are walking the streets of Montreal, and they seem happy. 'It is good for sore eyes' to an American away from his native land to see them." Mr. Hayes's father-in-law, Capt. James L. Pinkham, is Past Commander of G. A. R. Post 161 in this city. Evidently Mr. H. has a warm place in his heart for the Stars and Stripes.

— Mr. Curtis Greenwood and wife, and Mr. Ormond E. Greenwood and wife, are enjoying the cool mountain zephyrs, the rural repose, the charming scenery, the clear cold spring water, and the fresh vegetables and spring chickens of the Old Granite State at Woodward's Hotel, Hancock, N. H.

— Monday and Tuesday as specimens of dog-days were simply immense. Quite a good many of outdoor workmen such as painters, roofers, highwaymen, etc. were obliged to knock off work on account of the excessive heat. What added so much to its power on the human frame was its great humidity.

— The "August Meteors" have been indulging in quite a lively and brilliant pyrotechnic display of late. There has been a prolific "fall" of these bodies, the exhibition having set in on Monday evening last with a profusion of them and have continued ever since. The northeasterly part of the heavens is the quarter to look for them.

— Particular attention is directed to the notice of City Auditor Preston in another column of this paper. It contains matter of particular importance to those people who may be fortunate enough to have bills against the city and they ought to read and abide by its rules. Some of them can see by it why their bills are not always promptly audited.

— Mullett, the decorator, etc., of Mechanic Building, has been painting a lot of guideboards for the streets of this city and has made a prime job of it. Some of them which go up on the principal thoroughfares have been gold-leafed, while the others are pure black and white. They are about as neat a lot of signs as you'll find anywhere. Mullett is doing a good deal work for the city.

— Annie M. Smith, Jennie E. Skinner, Agnes Cummings, and Chester R. Smith arrived at the beautiful summer resort, the Na-mat-ta-no, North Lubec, Maine, on Saturday evening, Aug. 8. This delightful place is crowded and two-thirds of the guests are young men—Y. M. C. A. workers. This summer Encampment is a great success. So writes a valued JOURNAL correspondent.

— Last Wednesday a 3-year old child of Mr. Bond on Russell street fell into a well at home and was in danger of speedy death and would have perished but for the heroic conduct of a 11-year old sister who descended the well on its slippery rock walls and rescued the little one from a watery grave. That youthful rescuer deserves a gold medal for her thoughtfulness, coolness and courage.

— There is solid literary meat in generous quantity on the outside of this week's JOURNAL. Many people will be deeply interested in the temperance address of Evangelist Woolley which will attract general attention and ought to be read by everybody because of its intrinsic merits; poetry of the purest water will suit a good many people; then there is miscellaneous reading that will interest everybody.

— Tomorrow is the day appointed for the grand picnic to be given by the St. Charles Total Abstinence Society at Nantasket and if the weather is favorable a very large company will go down. The Ladies' Auxiliary will join with the St. Charles which will constitute a big party, but when the friends come to be added it will be immense. A great number of tickets for the excursion and picnic have been sold.

— A kick against "One Man Power" was the reason given out for not holding the advertisd union temperance meeting last Sunday evening. It was all blamed on to the alleged officiousness of Rev. Hugh Montgomery, while that gentleman laid it to the non-est-come-at-a-bus of "the Committee" and the coolness with which the proposition for a meeting was received by those from whom a cordial response was expected.

— Mr. H. B. Wood of Allston, visited his old home and friends in this city last week. He only recently left here and moved over to the other side of the Hub, but in this short time he has found out that he likes living over there firstrate. He is employed in a responsible and lucrative position in the Streets, etc. Department of the City of Boston where he has the reputation of being one of the best and most capable Civil Engineers in the country. He has a pleasant home at Allston.

— Mrs. Frank T. Robinson, wife of the General Manager of the Johnston Electric Train Signal Company, and daughter, of Melrose Highlands, paid Woburn a visit one afternoon last week. In the course of a pleasant sidewalk *tete-a-tete* with the Editor the ladies paid the JOURNAL, which has been a regular hebdomadal visitor of their fireside for many years, a handsome compliment for its easily recognized superiority over the common run of country journals designed for family use.

— Poor Hannah Dillon! Betrayed, ruined, deserted, crazed and now under $1000 bonds to appear in Court and answer the charge of an attempt on the life of the man she says ruined her! She was a bright, pretty girl once, as innocent of wrong as the nameless infant she holds lovingly to her breast is of the cause of her mother's shame. Through disappointment and grief poor Hannah Dillon has lost her reason. Twice she has attempted to shoot her former lover for his cruelty in deserting her, and she swears she will be the death of him yet. It is a hard, hard case.

— We entertained quality last Tuesday afternoon, as hot as it was, and in tolerable good shape too. They were editorial visits that we were favored with. First came Mr. W. A. Woodward, Editor of the Milton *Journal*, one of the livest and best of the suburban newspapers; and in a little while he was followed by Editor Wilson of the Winchester *Star*, a neat, nice, newsy and well patronized journal in Woburn's prettiest suburb—Winchester. Mr. Woodward is a prominent member of the Boston Press Club, and also a chief promoter of Terminal City, a Boston enterprise located away down in Nova Scotia somewhere. We enjoyed the calls of these worthy members of the craft very much and hope they will come again some day.

— Sarah F. Conn has purchased a portion of the Tidd farm on Salem st. in this city on which she will build a nice house and make her future home there. "Cloverdale Park" is the name given to the fine piece of real property by Capt. Charles K. Conn who is a relative by marriage of Sarah F. and will also reside the principal part of his time on the new purchase most likely.

— Mr. Rufus Smith of Auburn street returned a few days ago from a week's visit with his sister at So. Berwick, Maine, with whom he had a very fine time. While down there Mr. Smith went to Dover, Great Falls, Salmon Falls, and especially "Balanced Rock," a natural curiosity some 10 miles from the residence of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. Bradford. He was greatly taken with this big bowlder so curiously balanced on another and took measurements of the same. It attracts a great many visitors. Uncle Rufus says he never wants a pleasanter visit anywhere than he had down to So. Berwick last week.

— Look out for fish! At 10 minutes after midnight on Aug. 27 a party of Wilmington bloods will leave the Central House Stables in this city in Mr. Gilman F. Jones's big barge "Commonwealth" for a fishing taip to Swampscott. Mr. Sheldon Sargent is head manager of the enterprise and if he isn't equal to the emergency then nobody is. Judging from specimens seen it will be the jolliest lot of fishermen that ever struck Swampscott or any other seaport place, and it is safe to say they'll bring back all the cod, halibut, mackerel, and other toothsome denizens of the deep that dwell in the region of that delightful summer resort, Old Swampscott.

— On last Friday evening Mr. B. C. Golden gave a very pleasant reception to a large party of his hosts of good friends at his residence at Montvale before sailing the next day with his daughter Nellie for Europe. It was a highly enjoyable affair, the guests being royally entertained by the free-fisted Golden household. On Saturday morning the employees of the Baeder, Adamson & Co., glue works, of which Mr. Golden has been Superintendent for many years, met at the railroad station and gave him and Nellie a hearty sendoff and godspeed. They will be gone about two months and a large part of the time will be spent in Ireland and England.

— Mrs. Jennings's Intelligence Office business has increased very much within the last year and is growing faster than ever at the present time. The reason of this is, that the public, both employers and applicants for places, have complete confidence in the good judgment and business integrity of Mrs. Jennings, which fact brings people from all around Woburn to her office to seek help and employment. Just now the demand for good, trusty, intelligent domestics for service in the best of families is much larger than the supply, a fact which girls who want situations should bear in mind. Firstrate places can be secured by the right kind of girls by applying at Mrs. Jennings's at once.

— Mr. W. W. Hill returned several days since from Minneapolis, Minn., but failed to fetch Mrs. Hill and Miss Avis along with him. It is understood that they will remain there through the month of August and choose the cool of autumn for their return trip. We caught Mr. Hill on the fly a few days ago, but he had got his eye fixed on a man who looked as though he ought to have some insurance on his life and so our interview with him was brief and unsatisfactory. It is surmised by some that Mr. Hill's unusual business activity just now is the result of a loneliness consequent on "keeping Bachelors Hall." The JOURNAL would gladly welcome the early return of Mrs. Hill and the daughter Avis.

— Last Wednesday the proprietor of the JOURNAL establishment received the wedding card of Mr. John A. Shaw and she that was Jane Florence Colwell, who were recently united in the holy bonds of wedlock, as we infer from said card coupled with that of the bride with her maiden name handsomely engraved thereon, for which we return thanks, although we are a good deal in the dark as to the whys and wherefores of the sending of the same to us. Pro forma we return greetings and good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Shaw of Dover, N. H., and if they turn out to be anybody we know and care something about greetings of a more cordial character will be duly forwarded through the columns of the JOURNAL.

— Mr. Sargent, senior member of the firm of Sargent & Patter, has recently bought of Mr. Forest Hooper his residence property, 22 High street, and converted it into a marbleyard, the firm being stone and marble workers. They have already taken possession and commenced business on the premises and are busily engaged in filling orders for their excellent productions of the yard. There are no better or more skilful workmen in the country than Sargent & Patter. They turn out ornamental work of the most artistic designs in granite, marble, and all other stones; monuments, memorial and mural tablets are a specialty with them; they polish all sorts of products from their chisels in the highest style, and these are some of the reasons why they have so much business on hand. Their patronage is not confined to Woburn but comes from all over this part of the county.

— The Hartwell Family Association will hold their Eighth Annual Reunion at the Town Hall, Concord, Mass., on Thursday, August 27, 1891, at which time several matters of special interest to the family will be presented. Reports of transactions during the year past, election of officers for the ensuing year, dinner, music, speeches, social converse, will fill the day. Those who find it impossible to be present, are requested to forward their annual dues, as the work of collecting and preparing material for the final publication of a history of the family is being actively carried on, and it is of interest to all that no time be lost. Go early, prepared to give details of any changes or additional data within your knowledge as to the records of your respective families. Please notify any members of the family within your reach, to guard against omissions. All members of the Hartwell connection are cordially invited.—X.

— Auctioneer and real estate broker Mr. E. J. Gregory has recently sold for $2,600 the Thomas Ryan property on the southern slope of Academy Hill and adjoining the Esquire Norris homestead, to Mr. Thomas A. Patterson, manager of a syndicate of Boston capitalists who have also bought the aforesaid Norris estate. The sale was a good one, it having yielded Ryan several hundred dollars more than the place cost him. The syndicate above mentioned have under advisement great changes in that part of Academy Hill where their late purchases lie. They are planning for the erection of about a dozen neat, handsome cottages, on which they will go to work at an early day. The cottages will be built in modern style with all the latest improvements and will be offered for sale to the right kind of parties at reasonable figures. This building enterprise will, if we understand the nature of it, be a good thing for Academy Hill. By the way, Mr. Gregory says there is a brisk demand for residence property of moderate costs, say between $1500 and $2500, for the purchase of which he has more applications filed on his books than he has property to meet them with. At no time since he has been in the business here have real estate transactions been so brisk or promised better for the growth and prosperity of our city. Messrs. Cooper & Rand, John I. Munroe, and other real estate brokers tell the same encouraging story.

A Very Pleasant Housewarming.

EDITORS HANDSOMELY ENTERTAINED.

It was a "Press housewarming" at the new quarters of the Burdett Business College, 694 Washington street, Boston, Wednesday afternoon, and nearly 100 representatives of Boston and Suburban papers paid their respects to the institution. The Burdetts have been located in Boston for several years and the methods of instruction which they have advocated and advanced have become so popular that the capacity of their old quarters was found to be entirely inadequate for the accommodation of the large number of people who wished to enroll themselves on the school registers. So the Principals of the school, with the business tact which distinguishes them, cast their eyes about for a better headquarters which they think they have discovered, in the fourth floor of the Commonwealth Building, corner of Washington and Kneeland streets. This is one of the largest and best ventilated structures in Boston and the space occupied by the College is nearly a third of an acre in extent.

Both of the Principals and a capable corps of assistants were kept busy receiving their guests as they arrived, and in showing them the good qualities of their new home. After passing through the pleasant business offices, three in number, of the Principals, the visitors were shown the large room of the Commercial Department with its tall business like bookkeeper's desks. At the Washington street end of this room is located the College Bank with all the usual splendor of plate glass windows and polished brass. This is for a practical demonstration of banking and commercial business, and the pupils alternately serve as Cashiers or depositors, buyers or sellers.

A special currency of the bank is used in the transaction, and this paper has a small pecuniary value which causes the cashier to be careful that the accounts balance correctly. Then there is the shorthand room, and the type-writing room, the intermediate, initiatory, and reception rooms, a large toilet and bath room, and a ladies toilet room. All departments were closely inspected and unstintedly praised.

Several thousand dollars have been expended by the proprietors of the school in the changes and improvements made necessary in the new quarters and have now secured the finest place of the kind in New England. For convenience of location the school cannot be excelled, as it is within a few minutes walk of all the depots, and for ventilation and light it is above possible criticism.

The proprietors have engaged a competent corps of instructors to assist them in their work. P. C. Shattuck will have charge of the commercial department, C. H. Condy, of the intermediate department, H. W. Pelton, of the initiatory department, C. C. Dexter, of shorthand and typewriting, and Miss Bessie G. Moore will be head stenographer and typewritest. There will also be a competent corps of assistants.

The visitors had the pleasure of meeting these gentlemen at the reception and the promenade over the new quarters was made to the music of Baldwin's Cadet Orchestra, while at its conclusion Harvey Blunt, the well-known Caterer, furnished pleasant subjects for discussion. The school opens on the first Tuesday in September.

The JOURNAL man enjoyed the house-warming very much indeed.

Very Latest Local News.

Police Officer Keane is taking his annual vacation.

Mrs. W. D. Wright starts to-day for Titusville, Penn.

Municipal Building has received its final touches from the decorators.

The annual reunion of the 39th Regt. will be holden at Lynnfield on Sept. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Cram and their children are having a very fine visit with friends in this city.

Mr. E. G. Barker of Pleasant street and family are at beautiful and invigorating Marblehead Neck.

"A large quantity of the water [from Horn Pond] is shipped to Boston for drinking purposes!"—*Boston Globe.*

According to the *Globe* the name of Woburn's City Treasurer is "Brick" instead of Buck, as we have always thought it was. "Perfect Brick!"

Miss Belle Menard, one of Woburn's best teachers, a poet and musical composer, is having just the lovliest time at Cottage City! Miss Eva Claffy is down there too.

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[Written for the Journal.]

Interesting Public Library Notes.

After the customary vacation of two weeks the doors of the Library were opened to the public on Aug. 3, and notwithstanding the absence of many of our patrons from town the circulation footed up to 1254 for the week. It may be interesting to those who have charge of the education of the young to learn of some of the questions which have been presented to the "Bureau of Information" by the children of the grammar classes during the last year. These questions have been largely of an historical nature but we do not hesitate to say that sometimes we have wished we could call to our assistance the storied wisdom of the "Philadelphia lawyer" whom no question could puzzle. "What and where is the Alhambra?" "What has happened to it lately?" "When and where was the first mint of the U. S. established?" "What is Volapuk and by whom invented?" "Who wrote our lives are albums written through with good or ill, or false and true?" What celebrated character after spending sixteen years in writing a history burned it, and why?" "Who was the best of the Cæsars, where and how did he die?" "Who was called the White Rose of Scotland?" "What noted engineer died in 1889, and what was the work that made him famous?" "Mention five Signal stations of the U. S." "How many railroads cross North America to the Pacific?" "What was the classical revival of the fifteenth century called?" "What centuries composed the Dark Ages?" "Where was the first electric telegraph invented and in what year?" How did the term 'Almighty Dollar' originate?" These are called research questions and are without doubt good exercise for our young friends, for, it may be taken for granted, that when the boy or girl becomes interested in the White Rose of Scotland or the fate of the Cæsars the novel or story book will have lost something of its charm.

Among the books which we present are "The Philadelphian" by S. J. Jennings "Adopting an Abandoned Farm" by Kate Sanborn—"Dally" by Maria Louise Pool, Author of "Tenting at Stony Beach." The Golden Goat" by P. Arene. "A Field of Tares" by Clo. Graves. St. Katherine by the Tower," by Walter Besant "Tales of Two Countries" by Alexander Reillard a book of short stories but will be worth reading as it comes from the pen of one who has taken his place among the first rank of Authors and now occupies a conspicuous and famous position as it is said no man has ever written the Norwegian language as this man has written it.

"Book on Farming" by R K. Munkittrick is a book neatly bound pertaining to humor, but the reader may sometimes think the jokes overdrawn but nothing but praise can be given to the unique and abundant sketches from the pen of A. B. Frost, they give the book a distinct value apart from the descriptive matter—"Go Right on, Girls" by Annie H. Rider, who has in the treatment of a very important subject invested it with brightness and interest, which makes it pleasant as well as profitable reading for the class of young people to whom it is addressed, there is much sound practical advice sensibly put on points of every day importance to girls, "Chapters on Physical culture," where it is said, unless we look sharply at ourselves, the glorious physique of the Venus will become more of a myth in the future than it is now. The glorious form divine has become a good deal crooked, crumpled and out of plumb, angles instead of curves are the rule rather than the exception—Chapters on Reading, Conversation, and the importance of using the English language correctly, with as much beauty of voice and manner as possible, for it is true that whether in America or Europe there are such things as a cultivated and agreeable voice, a correct pronunciation and accent and no one is so dependant on these charms as a woman.

The 11th volume of "The Library of American Literature" by Stedman and Hutchinson completes this valuable work. It covers a period of nearly three centuries from the earliest American settlement to the latest time. In this work several requirements have been kept in mind. First it is made interesting and attractive to the general reader, made for popular use and enjoyment. Second it is a book suited to the needs of American Authors and teachers and is also adapted to meet the want of the advanced classes of the public schools—"Church and Creed" by Heber Newton, where he says, I have sought and I trust successfully, in all things, so to speak, as mindful of that Word of old "I Prudence dwell with wisdom" that wisdom which is first is pure, is then peaceable—This book is a defense of one who claims to represent the advanced thought of the time—"Life of Laurence Oliphant and His Wife Alice" in two volumes, by M. O. W. Oliphant, is written in her well known easy and graceful style. Mr. Oliphant's unusual education, life in Ceylon, afterwards his adventurous journey to the East. His explorations in Palestine are strikingly narrated, much is said of Alice his wife and the reader keeps up a certain degree of love and sympathy for her throughout all her strange experiences, she is spoken of as one of the most attractive and charming of Gods' creatures with considerable beauty and much intellect, full of brightness and originality, a fine musician and a brilliant conversationalist, but with all her gifts, was happy in winning the hearts of the Druse women, teaching them a little Western lore in the shape of domestic comforts, ministring to them in their sickness and making herself queen in her little kingdom with all these primitive creatures about her, and who followed her every movement with admiration.—E. F. P.

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Obituary.

On Saturday evening, Aug. 11, at his residence on New Boston street, Mr. Andrew M. Faden departed this life at a ripe old age deeply lamented by a large circle of relatives and friends.

The deceased was born at Bangor, Maine, on Sept. 23, 1812, and was consequently closely verging on four score years. He came to Boston when a young man where he resided for many years and accumulated by industry, economy and honest dealing a competency which he enjoyed in his declining years. For 30 years or more he carried on a provision store at the corner of Washington and Orange streets in Boston; subsequently he did a successful real estate business, from which he retired about 20 years ago and came to Woburn to live.

He had been a singularly healthy man all his life up to two months of his death and a very active, stirring person, having retained his mental and physical faculties in a remarkable degree. He was of a cheerful, happy disposition, and fully enjoyed life.

Mr. Faden left a widow who was his second wife, and one child, Mrs. Dodge, wife of Mr. Frank B. Dodge, the well known jeweler of this city, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and many friends who will miss him and seriously mourn his death.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at his late residence and that of his son-in-law Mr. Dodge, and was generally attended by neighbors and friends. The remains were interred in the Salem street cemetery.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

METHODIST. At 10.30, a. m. preaching by Rev. Daniel Richards. Epworth League at 6 p. m. General prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Hrayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meeting Friday evening.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Speech, Thought, Life." At 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching by Rev. J. W. T. Boothe, D.D., of Holyoke. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. Christian Endeavor at 5 45 p. m. Prayer and Praise service led by Dr. Boothe at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

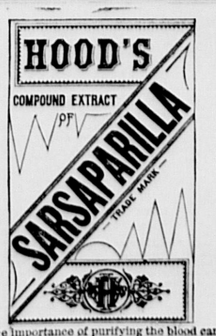
Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Aug. 1, Samuel T. Hooper, aged 7 months, 21 days.

In this city, Aug. 7, Ignatius Sargent, aged 84 years, 6 months.

In this city, Aug. 8, Andrew M. Faden, aged 78 years, 10 months, 16 days.



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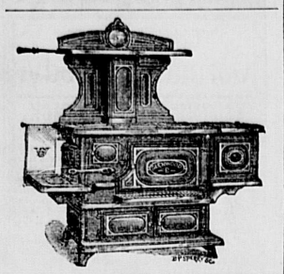

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Frank Taylor is at Mansfield.

C. G. Redstone is stopping at Salem.

Rufus R. Whitten is at Portland, Me.

Mrs. F. C. Wheeler is at Manchester.

Oh, what delicious air yesterday morning!

Mrs. Charles H. Gooding is at Yarmouth, Me.

Mr. Alex Murdock is visiting in Pictou, N. S.

Mr. Cyrus N. Richardson is at Wellesley Hills.

Miss Edith May Crocker is "doing" Cotuit.

Mr. J. I. Williams has gone to Dorchester.

Miss Susan E. Frye is visiting friends at Newton.

Miss G. R. Kendrick was at Pigeon Cove last week.

Charlie O'Brien hasn't got started on his outing yet.

Mr. Charles M. Strout and family are at Belfast, Me.

Miss Mina Dearth is having a fine time at Weirs, N. H.

Officer Mulkeen will return to duty first of next week.

Miss Marguerite Melville is at Lincolnville Beach, Me.

Officer Thomas Mulkeen is enjoying his annual vacation.

Eugene M. Chapman is rusticating at Manchester, N. H.

Miss May Knowlton is at Asbury Grove, and so is her mother.

Erie, Kansas, is the present address of Mrs. A. W. Dennison.

Principal Meadum has been fishing with great success at Belgrade, Me.

Miss Bertha Tidd has got back from a pleasant vist to Lyndeboro, N. H.

Editor Andrews of the *News* and wife went to Asbury Grove last week.

Capt. and Mrs. John E. Tidd were at Marblehead Neck a few days since.

Postmaster Wyman went down to Edgartown last week to visit his family there.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cummings are active and happy tourists in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Josiah Leathe and wife are visiting friends in Ohio and other parts of the West.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. W. Phinney have got back from their vacation in the Granite State.

Mr. R. J. W. Phinney and lady were booked at the Profile House one day last week.

Mrs. Oliver Sevrens prefers Lincolnville Beach, Me., to all other spots for summer pleasures.

Miss Alice H Cottle is enjoying life down at Martha's Vineyard. It is her favorite summer beat.

Dickinson, the marketman, went on a deep-sea fishing excursion with the Ward 6 Club on Wednesday.

The family of Mr. Benjamin Hinckley have returned from Edgartown to their home on Academy Hill.

Mrs. E. G. Clough and her daughter Agnes were reported in the *Sunday Herald* as at Marblehead Neck.

C. Alonzo Pierce has gone to Cleveland, O, where his son Frederic is Superintendent of an electrical factory.

Miss C. Adelaide Richards was one of the fair guests of the Summit House, Mt. Washington, a few days ago.

Chief McIntosh will take his outing after all the rest of the force have got through. "The last the best of all game."

Last week Master John Jaquith took a spin on his bicycle to Fitchburg. Pretty fair pull for a lad in hot weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Grammer and Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Dodge and boys were domiciled at Rye Beach last week.

Mr. Charles H. Buss and children are having a delightful time at Intervale, N. H. The head of the family may go up later.

The family of ex-Ald. J. F. Ramsdell are getting through the hot weather very comfortably down on the coast of Maine.

Mrs. L. F. Hartshorn of Union street, and Miss Alice S. Hartshorn, teacher in the Morse street school, are visiting in N. H.

The brothers Edward E. and Abijah Thompson and their families returned from a visit to the White Mts. last Monday evening.

Mr. Winfield S. Ward who occupied the pulpit of the M. E. church last Sunday has been a teacher at Ashburnham for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Richardson think there is no region equal to the coast of Maine for a summer outing. And they are about right.

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Miss Minnie McSweeney and Miss Lizzie Caulfield left here last Monday for a fortnight's stay on fair Cohasset's sandy shores amid the lovely clam.

Mr. John F. McSweeney is spending a pleasant vacation from his work at Brown, Durell & Co's big dry goods house in Boston at Lebanon, N. H.

When last heard from Frank Gould's, Fred Dow's and Bert Richards's cup of happiness was brimful and running over at and about Littleton, N. H.

John McSweeney of this city pitched for the Lebanons in a fine game of basball played by the Lebanons and Newports at Newport, N. H., last Wednesday.

Miss Louise Bacon, bookkeeper and writer in the insurance office of Mr. S. B. Goddard, is taking her vacation at Henniker, N. H. She deserves a pleasant one.

Mr. Charles M. Munroe, proprietor oft he well known Munroe Clothing Store, has been spending the week at Peake's Island, Casco Bay, off Portland, an old and favorite resort of his.

Herman Long, Harry Stacy, Robert Lowe, members of the Boston League B. B. Club, and Mr. McQuade, umpire of the National League, visited friends in this city last Saturday evening.

Mr. Thomas C. Quinn, formerly on the Boston *Globe* but for some time past Managing Editor of the Sunday (N. Y.) *Press*, was an honored visitor at Melville Gardens, last Saturday.

Mr. Charles Colgate, the well known Boston manufacturer of all the most popular flavoring extracts, visited his brother Mr. Daniel Colgate, a prominent resident of Cummingsville, last Saturday.

It is Mr. E. C. Cotton who has entered the employ of the Weston Lumber Co. of Boston instead of Mr. Mark Cotton who has been for a long time and is still salesman at Mr. A. Buckman's boot and shoe store.

The guests of the famous Wentworth Hall, Jackson, N. H., including our respected townspeople, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. J. Phinney, made a tour of the most romantic sections of the White Mountains last week.

Miss Grace Spear, one of Woburns most highly esteemed young ladies and a prominent worker in the temperance cause, is enjoying her outing at Jeffrey, N. H., with her brother William H. Spear of Garfield Ave., this city.

Mr. William H. Swain, a true-blue Somerset county boy, and family are visiting the old homestead at Skowhegan and making the most of their visit. Skowhegan Falls is one of the pleasantest towns on the Kennebec river.

Miss Mertena Bancroft, the accomplished and popular teacher of the piano in this city and vicinity and whose success in the profession anyone might well be proud of, will betake herself to the White Mountains later in the season before resuming her autumn work.

Miss Carolyn B. Crane, the accomplished daughter of Capt. John P. Crane, graduate of the W. H. S. Class '91, was testing the temperature of the surf and the qualities of the sea breezes at Rye Beach the other day. She could probably be found among the rocks and sands of that favorite summer resort now.

Cummingsville.

Hon. John Cummings continues to improve and gain strength. We all hope to see him as good as new before loug.

Times were never duller in this section of Woburn than they are now. When the John Cummings tannery was in full operation and 150 to 200 men were constantly employ in it, and other manufactories were running, things were lively over here. Money was plenty, men had work enough, and everything was O K. But it is very different now, and the worst of it is, there is no bright prospect ahead.

Dr. I. Sargent formerly a practicing physician in Woburn, died at his residence last Friday evening aged eighty-six years. He fell on the sidewalk and fracturing his hip, 12 years ago which compelled him him to use crutches ever after. His health has been good up to a week ago, when he was attacked with typhoid dysentery. Mrs. Joseph Stevens, his sister-in-law, died in a house near that occupied by him last Wednesday. Dr. Sargent's only surviving relatives are his wife and a sister aged 94 years, who resides in Worcester. The funeral took place last Sunday afternoon at his late residence corner Bedford and Sheridan streets, Cummingsville, at 2.30. Dr. Sarget's mother lived to be over 100 years, his surviving sister is 94 and other brothers and sisters lived to be octogenarians.

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The Other Side.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL: As a matter of preface to this communication I submit two or three quotations from the Woburn *News* which read as follows:

"The gypsy moth and the liquor spotter are abroad in the land. *Both pests deserve extermination.*" This was under date of May 23, 1891.

Again: "We shall not enter into any controversy with the *Reverend gentleman*, who, it would seem is more *desirous of notoriety* than anything else."

And once more: "The statement he (Rev. Hugh Montgomery) makes, therefore, that we have denounced him for any such reason as he alleges, is unqualifiedly false."

Now the first quotation given above was apparently one of the causes leading up to a brutal assault which might easily have culminated in murder, the facts pertaining to which are as follows: a few days after the matter quoted was published the two detectives employed by Mr. Montgomery were, in company with a friend, proceeding up Fowle street, where they were set upon by a gang of "toughs" and rowdies who with blood curdling oaths threatened to kill them and forcing one of the detectives to the ground pounded his head upon the stones in such a terrible manner as to give him every prospect of a speedy and violent death. His companions being armed came to his rescue and firing their revolvers into the air caused the crowd to break for cover like the curs they were.

Now, I and other thinking men hold that that significant item, to wit, "*both pests deserve extermination*," bore its legitimate fruit. The *News* is evidently trying to crawl out of the charge that it had classed Mr. Montgomery as a seeker after notoriety. I refer your readers to the secon.1 quotation mentioned and ask, Who do they mean? Who, but the brave man who was upholding the laws of God and morality, the very opposite extreme of the nefarious traffic which the *News* was doing its best to bolster up?

Again they say and repeat literally, "his statements are unqualifiedly false." Now, one word to the writer of these articles: the language of Billingsgate is no part of a gentleman's equipment, and you, my worthy friend, might find yourself a great deal better off without it. Mere bald assertion is not argument, neither is it necessarily fact. I find among all classes of our citizens a most complimentary readiness to testify to Mr. Montgomery's honesty of purpose and this applies to his many enemies as well as his friends, for I have talked with both. One other word to the *News*: when you talk about "washing dirty linen" don't make a mistake and call whitewashing, "washing." I proffer this advice gratis, as you don't appear to be able to distinguish the difference between covering up a "social ulcer," and eradicating it entirely from the community.

Bearing in mind the excuse offered by the *News* that the attacks made by that paper upon the pastor of the M. E. church and his people, through him, were prompted by a desire to valiantly defend Judge Converse from the "foul aspersions" cast upon him, the writer of this letter thought he would interview Mr. Montgomery concerning the subject and did so in this manner:

"What are your personal relations to Judge Converse, Mr. Montgomery, and how are they influenced by the outcome of the late liquor cases?"

"Well, said the Rev'd gentleman with a smile, I do not think there are two men in Woburn who understand each other better than Judge Converse and myself and while we may differ in our interpretation of a law I am happy to state that such difference of opinion does not militate against our mutual esteem and friendship for each other in the particle, and as far as needing any defence by the Woburn *News*, I think my friend, the Judge, with his thirty odd years in the judiciary, is abundantly able to take care of himself."

"How about the refusal of the *News* to print your reply to the letter of Mr. Dudley which they had copied?"

"Well, in answer to that I would state that Mr. Dudley's reputation has not been gained as a champion of the Temperance cause but as the head and front of the Law and Order League, and after the Boston *Herald* had opened their columns to my reply to his letter I called at the *News* office and requested the same courtesy with some little additions but was assured by the Editor that the reply as printed in the *Herald* was all ready set up and on that account he demurred against making any addition to it. I have not however heard of the *News* printing it yet."

"Do you know of any reason that the *News* has for attacking you as it has done?"

"None whatever, unless it arose from circumstances connected with printing a temperance circular in their paper and afterwards using the same matter in some flyers for distribution round town, for which last they charged me about twice the regular rates that I should have paid had it been necessary to set the matter up in type again, which was not the case. I had had some experience in publishing papers, among others the *Reformer*, the *Vim*, and the *No License Advocate*, and knew they were overcharging me, and accordingly said so. Concerning the "advertising" they talk of I would say that when the *News* was started the Editor came to me and bespoke my efforts in its behalf and while it remained as it began I did what I could to help them."

"Is your church in full sympathy with the position you have taken in this controversy?"

"So far as I know, sir, they are a unit in their support of my course, and I am glad to say that I have the personal assurances of leading members of all the other churches in this city that they heartily condemn the ungentlemanly tactics of my journalistic critic of the *News*, one of them remarking: 'Mr. Montgomery, I guess the Rum-sellers have more money than you, to spend.'"

As an outsider I came away convinced that the *News* man was "fooling with a buzz-saw," and while thinking over the matter remembered with some degree of amusement, how the other night at the "Golden Wedding" reception in the M. E. Church the editor of the *News*, after being cordially welcomed by the pastor and Supt. of Sunday School, in his report of the occasion very carefully placed *his own name* among the list of speakers, but had not sufficient grace to mention the pastor as taking *any part at all*. I can't but feel sorry for a man who shows such a spirit as that, and hope that time will heal his wounds.

OUTSIDE OBSERVER.

Woburn, Aug. 10, 1891.

Burlington,

The tax rate of Burlington is $12.70 per $1000.

Mr. A. Partridge and family of Philadelphia are visiting their relatives in town.

Mr. W. Carter's trout pond has been again robbed by some unknown thieves. Such mean and dishonest acts richly merit severe punishment.

Mr. G. L. Tebbetts has gone on the Odd Fellows' excursion to Nova Scotia. Messrs. Arthur W. and Albert S. Wood have gone on the same excursion.

Mr. Samuel Walker is harvesting a fine crop of blackberries. One day's picking was between forty and fifty bushels. Mr. Walker is the champion small fruit grower of this vicinity.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed made by Moses A. Tyler to John M. Harlow, dated August 6, 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1676, Fol. 324, for breach of the condition of said mortgage in the non-payment of principal of the debt thereby secured to be paid, and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the first parcel of land hereafter described, on **Tuesday, the eighth day of September, A. D., 1891,** at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—

First: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about a half mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, and on the easterly side of Main street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Main street, and there measuring about one hundred and two feet; northerly by land of Nathan J. Simonds, about one hundred and fifty feet; easterly by land of Michael McCue, and a private way about one hundred and twenty-six feet; southerly by land of Jonathan Garland, about forty-five feet; then easterly still by said Garland's land, about seventy-eight feet; then southerly about forty-five feet, on and by Fowle street; thence westerly by land of Thomas Richardson, about seventy-eight feet; thence southerly still by land of said T. Richardson, about sixty feet to Main street. This first described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz: A first mortgage of fourteen hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated January 1, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1498, Fol. 498; also, a second mortgage of two hundred and seventy-five dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated March 16, 1883, and recorded with said Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1625, Fol. 496: also, subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages and unpaid taxes. There is excepted from said first described parcel a lot fronting on Fowle street, which has been released from said mortgages by release deed from said Harlow to Sarah M. Tyler, et. al., dated June 12, 1886, and recorded with said Middlesex Deeds, Lib. 1750, Fol. 146. Said release lot is bounded as follows: Beginning on the northerly side of Fowle street the line runs northerly through the middle of the dwelling house, the westerly half of which is on the released piece, to the back side thereof; thence north thirteen (13) degrees east two rods and fourteen links to land formerly of M. A. Tyler; thence north sixty-nine degrees west by said land last named three rods and ten links; thence south five degrees west by land formerly of Thomas Richardson now or late of George J. Munroe five rods and eighteen links to said Fowle street; thence south eighty-four degrees and thirty-nine minutes east by Fowle street to the point of beginning.

Second: A certain other lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about one mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, containing about twenty-three thousand six hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Pond street at land of one Fahay; from thence the line runs southerly by said Fahay's land two hundred and forty feet to land now or formerly belonging to one Pickering; thence the line turns and runs westerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-one and eight-tenths feet to a private street running southerly from said Pond street forty feet wide; thence northerly by said private street one hundred feet to said Pickering's land; thence easterly by last named land seventy-two feet to a corner; from thence the line runs northerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-seven and five-tenths feet to said Pond street; thence easterly on and by said Pond street to the point of beginning. The second described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz:—A first mortgage of six hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated May 12, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1509, Fol. 384. Also a second mortgage of eight hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated Nov. 26, 1880, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1556, Fol. 87; also subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages, and unpaid taxes.

Terms made known at sale.

JOHN M. HARLOW, Mortgagee.

CHARLES D. ADAMS, Attorney, 23 Court St., Boston.

E. J. GREGORY, Auctioneer, Woburn, Aug. 12, 1891.

CITY OF WOBURN.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

DEAR SIR:

In order to facilitate the handling of bills chargeable to the City of Woburn, and to avoid unnecessary delays in settlement, your attention is hereby called to the following rules which should be observed in presenting such bills for payment, viz:

All bills, whether for labor or supplies, must be made out in detail.

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To insure payment of bills on the 15th of the month, they must be presented as per the preceding section, **not later than the first day of the month,** and Heads of Departments will be expected to see that bills coming under their jurisdiction are delivered to the Auditor, properly approved, not later than the third day of each month.

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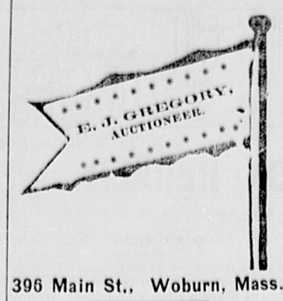

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Joshua E. Littlefield of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Ishmael Munroe and Jacob Munroe, dated October 9, 1861, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 898, Page 236, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of August, 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and thereig described as follows, to wit:—A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in said Woburn, about one-third of a mile southeasterly from the Common, on a new street leading from Highland street to Mount Pleasant street, and bounded as follows, namely:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said new street, at the wall, at other land of said Joshua E. Littlefield; the line runs southerly by land of said Joshua E. Littlefield and land of J. C. Whitcher, as the wall now stands, about seventy-two feet, to a corner of the wall; thence nearly westerly by land of M. A. Fifield, as the wall now stands, about seventy-five feet to a stake; thence northerly by other land of said Joshua E. Littlefield, about one hundred and six feet, to a stake at said new street; thence easterly on and by said new street, about sixty-seven feet to the point of beginning: Being the premises granted or intended to be granted by said mortgage deed and all benefit and equity of redemption of the said Joshua E. Littlefield, the mortgagor, his heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, therein.

$300 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

GEORGE W. DUREN, Administrator of the Estate of Prudence Duren, Assignee of said Mortgage.

JOHN W. JOHNSON, Attorney, Woburn, July 28, 1891.

E. J. GREGORY, - - Auctioneer, 396 Main Street.

Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE,

IN WOBURN.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James McDonald of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachuseits to Richard Morris of said Woburn, dated October 11th, 1886, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1770, Page 235, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises below described, on Saturday, the 5th day of September, A. D., 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—A certain lot of land with the buildings thereon standing, situated in the southerly part of said Woburn, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at the corner of a private street and Canal street, the line runs northwesterly, by and with said Canal street, sixty-eight feet; thence a little north of east, seventy-five feet, to land of grantor; thence east of south by land of grantor, sixty feet, to private street aforesaid; thence a little south of west by and with said private street, sixty-six feet to point of beginning; meaning hereby to convey the southerly half of a lot of land conveyed to grantor by deed of Thomas Richardson, dated the twenty-second day of April, A. D. 1871, and recorded with the South Middlesex District Deeds, Book 1160, Page 629, however otherwise said half of said lot may be bounded and described.

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RICHARD MORRIS, Mortgagee.

J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, July 29, 1891.

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[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permisson of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "After these things Jesus went over the sea of Galilee, which is the sea of Tiberias."

According to Matthew, Mark and Luke this was shortly after the beheading of John the Baptist, and also the return of the twelve apostles from their missionary tour. The disciples of John, having buried his body, went and told Jesus. The apostles, having returned, gathered themselves together unto Jesus and told Him all things, both what they had done and what they had taught (Math. xiv, 12; Mark vi, 30; Luke ix, 10).

2. "And a great multitude followed Him, because they saw His miracles which He did on them that were diseased."

There were so many coming and going that Jesus and His apostles had no time to eat, therefore He said to them, "Come apart into a desert place and rest awhile." So they departed by ship privately, to cross the sea to a desert place belonging to the city of Bethsaida (Luke ix, 10). But the people knew it and ran afoot out of all the cities and outwent them (Mark vi, 31-33).

3. "And Jesus went up into a mountain, and there He sat with His disciples."

4. "And the Passover, a feast of the Jews, was nigh."

It is most interesting to notice that His teaching in the fifth, sixth and seventh chapters of this gospel is associated with three different feasts of the Jews (chapters v, 1; vi, 4; vii, 2). When they were first instituted they were called "Feasts of the Lord" (Lev. xxiii, 2, 4, 37, 44), but now the Lord is so completely left out that they are only "Feasts of the Jews."

5. "When Jesus then lifted up His eyes, and saw a great company come unto Him."

The testimony of the other three gospels is that He was moved with compassion toward them, because they were as sheep not having a shepherd; that He healed their sick, and that He received them and spake unto them of the kingdom of God.

"He saith unto Philip, Whence shall we buy bread, that these may eat?"

Philip was of Bethsaida, and Bethsaida was the nearest city (John i, 44; Luke ix, 10). This may have been one reason why he asked Philip. This apostle is mentioned in the other gospels only once in each, in connection with the choosing of the twelve, but he is mentioned by the writer of this gospel four different times (chapters i, 43-48; vi, 5, 7; xii, 21, 22; xiv, 8, 9).

6. "And this He said to prove Him, for He Himself knew what He would do."

Having chosen us to be His, He lovingly tests or tries or proves us day by day to fit us for better service. After many testings it is written in reference to the hardest yet "God did tempt (or try) Abraham (Gen. xxii, 1). And concerning Israel it is written that the Lord their God led them so as to humble and prove them and do them good at their latter end (Deut. viii, 2, 16).

7. "Philip answered Him, Two hundred pennyworth of bread is not sufficient for them, that every one of them may take a little."

8. "One of His disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, saith unto Him."

Andrew was one of the first to follow Jesus, and he was also of the city of Bethsaida (John i, 40, 44). He was one of the four who privately asked the questions which drew from our Saviour the great discourse on last things, which is recorded in Mark xiii, Matt. xxiv and Luke xxi.

9. "There is a lad here which hath five barley loaves and two small fishes, but what are they among so many?"

After healing and teaching the multitudes, the day being far spent, His disciples asked Him to send them away into the villages round about that they might buy themselves bread; upon which He said, "They need not depart, give ye them to eat." Then He asked how many loaves they had, and told them to go and see (Matt. xiv, 15, 16; Mark vi, 35-38). It was after that that Andrew reported the amount on hand, with the remark, "What are they among so many?" Impossible! was evidently the thought of each disciple.

10. "And Jesus said, Make the men sit down. Now there was much grass in the place. So the men sat down in number about five thousand."

Mark says they sat upon the green grass in ranks by hundreds and by fifties. He who teaches by His Spirit through His servant to "Let all things be done decently and in order" fails not to set us the example Himself, for "God is not the author of confusion, but of peace" (I Cor. xiv, 33, 40).

11. "And Jesus took the loaves."

He had said, "Bring them hither to Me" (Matt. xiv, 18), reminding us of "Come unto Me," "Bring him hither to Me," and of Elisha's "Let him come now to me" (Matt. xi, 28; xvii, 17; II Kings v, 8). Without Him we can do nothing (John xv, 5).

"And when He had given thanks."

The other three say that He looked up to heaven and blessed them. In all things He acknowledged the Father; even He testified, "I can of mine own self do nothing" (chapter v, 30). "The Father that dwelleth in Me, He doeth the works" (chapter xiv, 10). Do we not see here wherein our great failures lie?

"He distributed to the disciples, and the disciples to them that were set down, and likewise of the fishes as much as they would."

12. "When they were filled, He said unto His disciples, Gather up the fragments that remain, that nothing be lost."

"They did all eat and were filled," so say Matthew, Mark and Luke. They had not "each a little," as Philip had thought might possibly be accomplished if the two hundred pence had been forthcoming and the bread obtainable, but all had "as much as they would" (verse 11). When teachers and preachers receive the living bread directly from Him the people will never go away with just a little, but will be filled for the time being and want to come for more.

13. "Therefore they gathered together, and filled twelve baskets with the fragments of the five barley loaves, which remained over and above unto them that had eaten."

Twelve baskets over and above! What a contrast to the five loaves and two fishes with which they started! And 5,000 men had been abundantly fed, besides women and children (Matt. xiv, 21). Is it still possible to do much good with small means, and yet have more left to do with than when we started? Yes, surely!

14. "Then those men, when they had seen the miracle that Jesus did, said, This is of a truth that prophet that should come into the world."

Thus they in some sense believed in Him and would have by force made Him a king, not knowing that His kingdom is not of this world, it is not from hence (verse 15 and chapter xviii, 36).

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But I—I will pass from this rage of renown,
This ant hill commotion and strife;
Pass by where the marbles and bronzes look down
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On, out of the nameless who lie 'neath the gloom
Of the pitying cypress and pine;
Your man is the man of the sword and the plume,
But the man with the musket is mine.

I knew him, I tell you! And also I know
When he fell on the battle swept ridge,
That the poor battered body that lay there in blue
Was only a plank in the bridge
Over which some should pass to a fame
That shall shine while the high stars shall shine!
Your hero is known by an echoing name,
But the man of the musket is mine.

I knew him! All through him the good and the bad
Ran together and equally free;
But I judge, as I trust Christ has judged the poor lad,
For death made him noble to me!
In the cyclone of war, in the battle's eclipse,
Life shook out its lingering sands,
And he died with the names that he loved on his lips,
His musket still grasped in his hands!
Up close to the flag my soldier went down,
In the salient front of the line.
You may take for your heroes the men of renown,
But the man of the musket is mine!

There is peace in the May laden grace of the hours
That come when the day's work is done,
And peace with the nameless, who under the flowers
Lie asleep in the slant of the sun.
Beat the taps! Put out lights! and silence all sound;
There is rifle pit strength in the grave!
They sleep well who sleep, be they crowned or uncrowned,
And death will be kind to the brave.
—Milwaukee Sentinel.

How Silk is Weighted.

Various methods have been resorted to, with different and in some cases far from satisfactory results, in the weighing of silk, particular efforts having been made in this direction by French and German manufacturers, each having its peculiar advantages, or otherwise. In one of the processes now generally adopted the plan pursued is to reduce the bichloride by water to 30 degs. Reaumur, any stronger solution being likely to injure the fiber, while at 34 degs. the silk is found to become rough and valueless, and at 40 degs. the fiber is dissolved.

The silk is well worked in the solution until complete saturation is effected, allowed to remain two hours in the liquor, and then taken out and washed. The adaptation of this simple method is made apparent in the fact that one dip adds about 8 per cent. to the weight, and three treatments give an increase of about 25 per cent. Bare hands are not used in working the goods in bichloride of tin at 20 degs. Reaumur, as it acts injuriously. The silk has to be well washed before being soaped.—New York Sun.

A Bible Legend of the Panther.

One of the oddest tales in the "Bestiaries," or stories of Bible animals written by the monks, is the legend of the panther. "The panther," so the homily runs, "is the most beautiful of all beasts. More than this, when it goes abroad it diffuses a marvelous sweet perfume. This odor is so sweet that all the other beasts and birds follow the panther wherever it goes. Wherefore the panther is a type of virtue." Perhaps the old monks who borrowed and embellished this story had heard of and misunderstood the strong love of sweet scents which the panther and its relations, the lions and leopards, often show.—Spectator.

Why the Earth Is Round.

It seems as if textbooks for children were now made so simple as to leave hardly any chance for misunderstanding, but the little folks still continue to commit to memory the words without much thought of their meaning. "How do we know that the earth is round?" asked a teacher of one of her boys. The pupil rose promptly and, with a perfectly stolid expression, answered glibly, "We learn that the earth is round from the following facts," and immediately sat down again, evidently feeling that he had given a full and most satisfactory reply.—Christian Intelligencer.

What Makes Hair Grow.

In the case of horses, where the skin has been abraded by the harness, if the galled region is left to itself the hair will grow in, but be colorless, while if oil is applied freely to the abrasion hair of a dark or normal color will be produced, thus indicating that the color is ordinarily due to the secretions of the skin sinking down as a sediment to the base of the hair follicle, where it is absorbed by the shaft of the hair.—Hyland C. Kirk in New York Times.

Political Alimony.

Politics had been quite warm in one of the rural sections, and there was a little family dispute going on.

"Lucy," said her husband, "I'm sorry you don't like my politics an' things, but I've got my opinions, an' I've got to support 'em."

"Well," she replied, "ye'v got me an' the children, too, an' ye kin jis make up yer mind which ye'd ruthur put down alimony fur, yer family or yer opinions."—Washington Post.

No Brute.

Brown—Goodby; be good to yourself.

Blossom (heartily)—I will; I'm a kind hearted man.—New York Epoch.

Good Looks.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the Liver be inactive, you have a bilious look, if your stomach be disordered you have a dyspeptic look and if your kidneys be affected you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures pimples, blotches, boils and gives a good complexion. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore, 50 cents per bottle.

MR. ARMOUR'S FIRST COACHMAN.

What Happened When He Gave Him Instructions to Order an Outfit.

"I heard a story about P. D. Armour the other day," said a board of trade man. "It was regarding an incident that occurred some years ago. It was about the time that gorgeous turnouts became fashionable, and Mr. Armour had just purchased a costly carriage and a pair of high steppers to draw it.

"It was the caper then—and is now, for that matter—to have a real imported coachman. To sit behind a coachee who had driven a duchess' carriage was the wild ambition of South Sidedom. Well, Mr. Armour was right up with the procession. He imported an Englishman who was 'strictly proper' as to side whiskers and legs, and who had been employed in the 'hold kentry' by the Duke of Seven Dials or some equally important personage.

"Of course the new man had not brought his master's livery with him, and his wardrobe when he took possession of the Armour reins was not particularly 'smart.' In fact, it was shabby. When the great pork packer ended his first drive behind the imported coachman he looked at the latter with an expression almost akin to contempt and called him to approach.

"'Haven't you any better clothes than these?' he inquired.

"'Hi 'ave not, your honor. W'en iHi was at 'ome Hi wore 'is grace's livery, hand I couldn't 'ave brought that with me; hand, hif your honor pleases —beggin' your honor's parding—Hi thought your honor would find me in your honor's livery.'

"'I haven't got livery—how could I find you in it?'

"'Beggin' your honor's parding again, Hi would be 'appy hif your honor would give me livery,' said the coachman.

"'I don't care whether it's livery or not, but you must dress decently. You can't drive my carriage in togs like you have on now. Here,' continued Mr. Armour, 'go down to this place and tell that man to make you whatever clothes may be necessary,' and he gave him the address of Matthews, the fashionable tailor.

"A week or so later a bill from Matthews came to the office. The clerks read it and whistled softly, and passed it from one to another to admire. That Englishman had played the old man's carte blanche to the limit. There was a 'box coat' that was charged at $90. A 'top coat' for $110. A 'livery suit' for $85. And there were gloves and breeches and waistcoats and more 'livery' till the bill footed up about $500.

"The 'old man' had not yet come to the office, and the 'boys' speculated as to what he would say and do when he saw that bill. All agreed that it would be something out of the common. And it was, but not as we expected it. The 'old man' was younger and more vehement then than he is now, and when necessary he could inject a great deal of forcefulness into his utterances, as many a clerk in the office knew.

"The bill, with others, was laid on his desk, and when he came in the boys stood around in silence and expectancy waiting the explosion. The 'old man' finally reached Matthews' bill. He kind of started at first sight of the figures, but then an amused expression and later a broad smile came on his face.

"'Come here, Favorite, come here, Webster,' said he, calling to him his two chief lieutenants and holding up the bill for their inspection. When they had inspected the bill a moment in silence the 'old man' laughed till his sides shook, and said, with an air of satisfaction, 'That's the kind of a coachman to have; he knows his busines.'"—Chicago Times.

Even Up.

In a fashionable cafe not many blocks from Madison square:

"Waiter," calls a gentleman who was giving the finishing touches to a sumptuous repast, "why do you give me such a small portion of Pont Lveque cheese? I want more than that."

"I am veree sawree, sair, but eet ees against ze rules of ze place to give more of zis sheese at a time, because ze ozer customairs object to ze—you know," replied the waiter, tapping the point of his nose with his index finger.

The gentleman eats his cheese in silence. While sipping his cafe noir and smoking his cigar he calls for la carte, pays the amount of his indebtedness and leaves a nickel on the silver plate for the waiter.

"Zat is a veree small teep, sair," remarks the modest flunky.

"Well," replies the gentleman, "I would give you more, but I understand the other customers object to large tips!"—New York Herald.

Danger in Machine Oil.

Take care how you let any machine oil or lubricator come in contact with a cut or scratch on your hand or arm, or serious blood poisoning may result. In the manufacture of some of these machine oils fat from diseased and decomposed animals is used. All physicians know how poisonous such matter is. The only safeguard is not to let any spot where the skin is broken be touched by any machine oil or lubricator.—Washington Star.

A Cheap Method of Purifying Water.

The method of purifying water invented by Dr. William Anderson, and now employed at Antwerp with success, consists in passing the water through a slowly revolving cylinder containing metallic iron in the form of scraps or filings. The estimated cost of purifying a million gallons in this way is about $1.50.—New York Times.

A National Event.

The holding of the World's Fair in a city scarcely fifty years old will be a remarkable event, but whether it will really benefit this nation as much as the discovery of the Restorative Nervine by Dr. Franklin Miles is doubtful. This is just what the American people need to cure their excessive nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, dizziness, sleeplessness, neuralgia, nervous debility, dullness, confusion of mind, etc. It acts like a charm. Trial bottles and fine book on "Nervous and Heart Diseases," with unequaled testimonials, *free* at Chas. H. Buss's Drug Store. *It is warranted to contain no opium, morphine or dangerous drugs.*

WAS HE A REBEL?

A Captain Who Fought in Chili, but He Doesn't Know on Which Side.

Captain Kenneth Pritchard, of the British steamship Tangier, had quite a thrilling war experience while at Buenos Ayres. The steamer had been chartered to load cargo at Liverpool for Buenos Ayres, and arrived at that port shortly after the revolution had ceased. All large vessels, such as the Tangier, were compelled to remain out in the Buenos Ayres Roads, which is about fourteen miles from the port. The masters quartered themselves at the different hotels, and most of their business was done ashore until the vessels were loaded or discharged, as the case happened to be.

On May 1 some little trouble again arose between the rebels and the government and another revolution was threatened. The troops began to fire at all rebels, and within a short while firing was general on all sides. Captain Pritchard was anxious to see what was going on throughout the town, and meandered slowly in the direction of the arsenal. Before he had gotten far, however, he was captured by two soldiers and led, at the point of the bayonet, to the arsenal.

He was given a Winchester rifle, and, by command of the officers in charge, was compelled to join the warlike crowd. Without much complaint, but a great deal of nervous dissatisfaction, he began popping away at every object in the shape of a man who passed within range of the arsenal. Here he was kept at work with his rifle for three hours, when he was relieved and a picket put on guard.

An opportunity presented itself, and Captain Pritchard slipped around the wall and escaped from his captors. He had gotten but a few yards from the place when he heard some grape shot whiz by him, and upon looking around he saw two guns being used at the head of the street to keep it clear. Captain Pritchard, without much ceremony, dropped himself into a three foot gutter, and there remained with the water streaming over him for about an hour, when the firing ceased. After that evening the captain did not trust himself far from the hotel until his steamer sailed.

He said he fought hard, but he has not learned whether he was a government soldier or a rebel, and he wasn't curious enough to ask. — Baltimore American.

The Women Conductors.

Dickens certainly made a mistake when he created Micawber of the masculine persuasion. "Waiting for something to turn up" is a feminine characteristic. And after all, isn't it true that "all things come to those who wait?" They do turn up for woman if she waits long enough. Today, after waiting forty years, she beholds 400 occupations open to her. Forty years ago she did not need more than one hand to count all the things she was allowed to do for a living. But one of the things she never did expect has turned up, and this is the woman street car conductor.

She gives perfect satisfaction, they say, and she is certainly picturesque. She wears a blue flannel uniform, a big Panama straw hat and a long white pinafore with frills and innumerable pockets. In the pockets she carries tickets and change, while strapped over her shoulder she carries a small leather bag in which are the surplus money and tickets. She hands the passenger who pays his fare a yellow ticket, which he is supposed to destroy. For all that are missing she must hand over the money.

If there be any she can't account for, the money is deducted from her wages of twenty-five dollars a month. Of course this is not in New York, but it may come some day, since women have begun to enter service on the elevated roads in Brooklyn. It is in Chili that the woman conductor flourishes. After the war with Peru there was a surplus of women that had to be utilized, so they became, among other things, street car conductors.—New York Recorder.

Split the Difference.

An old farmer entered the grocery and asked, "Whut's strawb'ries, Zeb?"

"Hev y' got some?"

"That depends."

"Eight fer good ones."

"I met old Brown yest'day; said he 'lowed they'd be 'bout nine."

"No, eight."

"Couldn't make it nine, Zeb, could y'?"

"Not now, Joe. Berries is comin' in right fast now'days."

"Will y' split the difference? Mandy'll feel cut up 'bout it anyway. She 'lowed they'd be nine."

"How many y' got?"

"Three quarts, and they're 'Wilson's seedlin's,' and 's good as y' ever clapped eyes on."

"Wall, I'll do it, seein' it's you, Joe. Bring 'em in."—Chicago Mail.

An Alleged Cure for Cancer.

Professor Rosander, of Stockholm, claims he has found a cure for cancer. According to his statement he has cured four cases of this disease by the inoculation of the patients with some lymph of his own invention. His experiments were varied in so far as the place in which the fluid was injected is concerned, for two of the patients were inoculated in the breast and two in the face.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Fast Enough.

"He is aging very rapidly, is he not?"

"Well—at the usual rate. Sixty seconds to the minute."—New York Epoch.

See What

The well-known manager of excursions to Washington, California, and the White Mountains, I. A. Whitcomb, says: I have never had anything do me so much good as your Sulphur Bitters. It is the best spring medicine I ever used. I would advise all who suffer from biliousness and dyspepsia to use Sulphur Bitters, for I know they cured me.

New Jersey Socialists held a State Convention.

Grisi's Children.

It is delightful to read of two persons in the same profession who are happily married. Identical tastes and pursuits bring about a certain harmony of relation which is both rare and beautiful. Grisi, the great singer, married the tenor Mario, and some incidents told of them and their children prove an unusually happy domestic life.

The prima donna identified her own success entirely with that of her husband, always preferring his advancement to her own. Perhaps the clever reply which she made to the Emperor Nicholas of Russia was half serious in embodying this spirit of self surrender.

"So," said his majesty jocosely, pointing to her children, "these are your little Grisettes!"

"No, sire," she returned, "they are my little Marionettes."

The children themselves tell an amusing story of their own sensations at one of their mother's public triumphs in Dublin. Grisi's admirers had dragged her carriage to the hotel, and she had sung to them again, "as if she were tearing the harpstrings asunder and singing from the depths of her heart." The enthusiasm of the listeners knew no bounds.

"They climbed up the lamp post," said one of the children, in after years. "We thought they would come into the room, and when one of the speakers called out, 'Leave us one of your children!' our fright was awful. In a chorus of pitiful little voices we begged mamma not to leave us behind; we would be such good children."—Youth's Companion.

Didn't Meet Them.

Mrs. Hayseed—Did ye see any o' them sharpers in the city.

Mr. Hayseed—Not a one, Miranda, not a one. But I met some old friends I never expected to see again. Do ye remember old Mr. Bigcrop? Well, I met a son of his. Thought both those boys was dead an' lyin' out there in the cemetery; but this one said he was snatched by grave robbers, and just as they was sellin' his body to a medical college he came to. Good enough fer a book, Miranda, good enough fer a book, and I told him he ought to write it, and he said he guessed he would, and he'd dedicate the book to me as his father's old friend. There's one queer thing Mirnnda. This man's hair is black, while the Bigcrop boys had red hair, but he said it turned black from fright. He's way up in society, Miranda, and introduced me to young men named Vanderbilt and Astor and Gould and Drexel and ever so many more. I tell you, Miranda, these young fellers spend money! Some bills fer cigars and things came in while we was talking, hundreds o' dollars' worth, an' they whipped out the cash like a breeze. One of 'em happened to run short, and so I lent him all I had, but he said he'd send it by express tomorrow. I tell you what, Miranda, a smart man like me is just as safe in the city as in the country.—Good News.

Carlyle and Bores.

Whether Carlyle was a dead failure or not is a moot point, but he certainly did not know how to put up with bores. "The art of being savage to those people," or "such things"—as he would have designated them—which Scott so signally lacked, was possessed by him in its perfection. What he could "least endure," we are told, was being bored. "The anathemas which he heaped on unfortunate bores exceed Ernulphus' in exquisite variety."

A whole museum might be filled with Carlyle's bores alone. He obtained access to the immortals, and they bored him. To his acrid humor Charles Lamb was something less, almost, than a bore. Coleridge, whom he had not been disinclined to revere, was a bore of the most oppressive kind. "He hobbled about with us," writes the irreverent Thomas, "talking with a kind of solemn emphasis on matters which were of no interest. Nothing came from him that was of use to me that day, or in fact any day."—Exchange.

The Deadly Tarantula.

The poison of the Mygale species of tarantula is of a fearful nature—more dreaded than that of a rattlesnake—and unless only slightly scratched and heroic measures used the result is fatal. Many deaths are on record caused by these spiders. The most prolonged suffering was that of a San Diego woman. A tarantula sunk its fangs in her hand during the night. The flesh was cut away with a razor and medical assistance summoned at once. Her life was prolonged for a time as well as her sufferings. For three months she lingered under the effects, her hands constantly creeping and crawling along the bedding in horrible imitations of the motions of the tarantula.—Florence Companion.

Flora of the Earth.

The flora of Europe embraces about 10,000 species; India has about 15,000; the British possessions in North America have about 5,000; the Cape of Good Hope and Natal about 10,000, and Australia about 10,000.—Current Literature.

Cowed the Old Man.

Father (threateningly)—I've a great mind to thrash you.

Little Son—Take a man of yer size. Take ma!

Father trembles at the thought and sits down.—Good News.

An Important Feature.

Friend—I suppose everything is settled in regard to the marriage of your daughter?

Stoakley—Well, yes; everything but the bills.—Exchange.

Look Out For That Pain In Your Back.

It threatens your kidneys. Let it go on a little while and you will suffer much more keenly throughout the entire system. Take—at once—Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Roundout, N. Y., which is the most effective medicine known for the treatment of all diseases of the Kidneys and Liver, and for Malaria, as well as the purification of the blood.

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Sentiment in a Big Crowd.

"My Darling."

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"Why," he said, "because it keeps green the memory of my daughter, little Nellie. She's dead now, but before she joined the angels she clasped her hands around my neck and said:

"'Papa, I'm going to die, and I want you to promise me one thing, because it will make me so happy. Will you promise?'

"'Yes,' I said; 'I'll promise anything. What is it?'

"'Then, fixing her eyes upon mine, she said, 'Oh, papa, don't be angry, but promise me you'll never swear any more, nor whip your horses hard, and be kind to mamma.'

"'That's all there is about it, mister, for I promised my little girl I'd grant her last request, and, sir, I've kept my word."

Then the blockade was lifted, the big truckman resumed his seat, dashed a tear from his eye and was soon lost in the muddy tide of travel.—New York Herald.

In Time of Trouble.

I don't know of anything easier than to theorize about other folks' troubles. How feelingly we can wipe away our neighbor's tears when her baby dies! What! mourn a bud transplanted, a blossom borne to sunnier gardens, a lamb lifted in tender arms above snow, wind and loss? So we talk until one day death lifts our own latchstring, and away flies our own singing bird to heaven! Are we not dumb then? Do we waste breath then on poetic metaphors or songful platitudes? When the Lord sends along an experience that sears the soul as with a hot iron, or stamps it for eternity with the mint mark of sorrow, we find no help in beautifully turned sentences of comfort, nor in poems, nor philosophies, nor any such thing.

The slow processes of time alone bring healing, and even the passage of years can never efface the scar nor cure its secret bleeding. As well go out and say to the raincloud, "Shed no rain," or to the night wind, "Make no moan," as counsel eyes which grief has touched with the dark chrism of woe to cease their weeping, or hearts which despair has entered to hush the clamor of their pitiful unrest.—Chicago Herald.

The Long Prayer Cut Short.

Many men still comparatively young will remember the terrors of the "long prayer" in the Presbyterian churches of twenty-five or thirty years ago. It seemed to be a matter of personal pride with the old style Presbyterian clergyman to pray as long as he could, and frequently the prayer was longer than the sermon.

A prayer of thirty minutes was extremely common, and not infrequently the supplication extended to forty or forty-five minutes, and when it was ended no one in the audience could think of a single item in the list of human needs that had not been mentioned and asked for. The long prayer is a thing of the past, however, for the tendency among Presbyterian clergymen is to shorten this part of the service, and now, if a preacher prays for more than ten minutes, his congregation show unmistakable signs of weariness.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Salaries of Colonial Governors.

The salaries of colonial governors are absurdly high. New Zealand, for instance, staggering under a pile of debt and an accumulation of disaster, will requite Lord Onslow with £7,500 a year. Bermuda, a petty islet with 13,000 parti-colored inhabitants, and 2,000 acres under cultivation, pays its £3,000 for the luxury of being ruled by General Newdigate; bankrupt Jamaica subsidizes Sir Henry Norman in the stiff tune of £6,000 per annum; out of its £76,000 of annual revenue Fiji, with its handful of white settlers, pays its governor £5,000 a year, and British Guiana is saddled with a governor at £5,000, a lieutenant governor at £1,500 and an administrative entourage whose collective pay is close upon £20,000 a year, its total revenue being considerably under half a million sterling.—London Tit-Bits.

Misplaced Compliments.

"Did you see the notice I gave you?" said the editor to the grocer.

"Yes, and I don't want another. The man who says I've got plenty of sand, that the milk I sell is of the first water, that there are no flies on my sugar, and that my butter is the strongest in the market, may mean well, but he is not the man I want to flatter me a second time."—Harper's Bazar.

Wooed, Not Won.

Bowles—Dauberre is veritably married to his art.

Knowles—I always thought he was a bachelor of arts.—Jewelers' Weekly.

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.25, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P. M. **Return,** 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.26 9.26, P.M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.06, 7.38, 7.48, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.36, 6.44, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday at** 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M. Sunday, 5.26, P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.30 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.30, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.30 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 7.21, 8.03, 8.23, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 11.59, A. M., 12.37, 1.24, 2.19, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.51, 6 53, 6.23, 6.34, 7.05, 7.50, 9.25, 10.22, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.26, A. M., 1.08, 2.41, 4.27, 5.19, 8.13, 9.20, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester, and Medford at w5.50, w6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, w9.15, 9.45, w10.15, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, w1.15, 1.45, w2.15, 2.45, w3.15, 3.45, w4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.35, 6.45, w7.15, 7.45, w8.15, 8.45, w9.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10 40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 8, 9, 10, 11, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, †6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15, 10.30 P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.55, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.10, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.55, 10.35, 10.59, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, *10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, w9.15, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50, A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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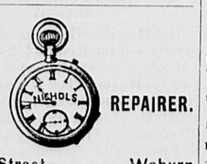

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Montvale, 7.00 A. M.
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[Orignal.]

BESIDE THE FORGE.

BY FRANK WALCOTT HUTT.

Beside the forge. The children's Poet-seer
Sang not in passion light and insincere
Of "mighty arms," of "large and brawny hands,"
Of "muscle," powerful "as iron bands,"
Of life as strong, of conscience large and clear:
For, lo, the antitype before us stands,
Lord of himself, calm Magus of strange brands
Of strange devising, sputtering there and here
Beside the forge.

So, or in lofty or lowly sphere,
We, the on-lookers, standing idly near,
Toil as he toils, command as he commands,
Grow strong and ruddy as the flame expands,
And mould the magic of each passing year
Beside the forge.

DIMPLE AND DUMPLING.

There was only one chair vacant in a down town barber shop the other day when a tall young man, accompanied by a lady and a lovely little girl of five, entered, and calling the head barber to one side gave him a few explicit directions. Then the little girl's hat was removed, and the barber enveloped her in one of the big white aprons. The young man lifted her up into the barber's chair with a whispered word of reassurance, and the lady, after kissing her, passed her hands caressingly over all the beautiful golden brown curls. Then she sat down in a corner, where the child could not see her face, and pulled out her pocket handkerchief.

By this time the occupants of the five other chairs had become vastly interested. All eyes were fixed on the sweet baby face with its curly halo. It was a pale little face, and there were no rosebuds on its cheeks, but above them were two glorious gray eyes that shone like a pair of stars. On each side of the little face rested a particularly fat curl. The child placed her hand upon each as the barber advanced with the big shears, and gazed beseechingly up into his face.

"Now, Mr. Barber, I want you to leave Dimple and Dumpling until the very last. Cut all the rest of them off first, please. I shall miss them dreffully, you know. Me and Dimple and Dumpling has always been such friends. Dimple is going out to my papa in a letter. My papa is way out in Ceylon, you know. You haven't got a papa way out in Ceylon, Mr. Barber?"

"No, miss; I ain't got none at all."

"And haven't you got a mamma, Mr. Barber? My mamma is going to put Dumpling into her 'Don't You Remember' box. Did you ever see a 'Don't You Remember' box, Mr. Barber?"

"No, miss, I never did."

"Mamma's got such a funny lot of things in it. There's a little bit of orange blossom and a little pinafore that Alec used to wear. That's Alec over there by the window. And there's a little red shoe that was our little bruffer's. His name was Robin, and he died before any of us was borned, you know."

At this moment the mother stepped forward and whispered to the little girl. There was an old gentleman with a very red face in one of the chairs who shook like a veritable jelly at the child's remark. Big brother Alec was blushing furiously and the whole barber shop was all agog.

There was silence for a moment or two, while the scissors went snip, snip, snip. Then the little prattler broke forth again.

"Mamma says I'm talking too much, Mr. Barber; but if I don't talk I shall begin to cry. I cried awfully yesterday, you know; so did mamma and nurse. That was when the doctor came and said they'd have to be cutted off. We all cried—'cept Cecil. He's eight years old. He never cries—'cepting when mamma spanks him; then he howls. But at last I stopped crying, for Alec said he'd take me to lunch with him when we came in to have it done; nurse said she'd let me sit up till half past seven for a whole week; mamma's going to get me a silver thimble, and cook is going to have waffles for tea when we get back. Do you like waffles, Mr. Barber?"

The barber replied in the affirmative, and then there was silence for a little while.

"Have you got a sweetheart, Mr. Barber?" A titter ran around the room and the barber turned as red as his pole outside, but he replied in the negative.

"Alec's got one," pursued the child. "He goes to tea with her on Sunday. Cecil says he is awfully sweet on her. Cecil knows, too; he was under the sofa when"—

But Alec waited to hear no further. He bolted bodily and waited on the corner until the ordeal was at an end. The lady arose and whispered some further cautions, but they proved of no avail.

"Well, Mr. Barber, if you haven't got any sweetheart or papa or mamma, you must be a norphan. Are you a norphan, Mr. Barber?"

The man nodded his head and then asked his questioner to keep her head still, like a good girl.

Another pause. Then:

"Mr. Barber!"

"Yes, miss."

"If you is a norphan what does you say when you go to bed? You can't say 'God bless papa and mamma' any more. I'm very glad I'm not a norphan."

There was a dead silence in the room after that until the redfaced old gentleman blew his nose. The barber's task was almost finished now.

"What's the matter, mamma? You're cryin'."

"Why, no, I'm not Lena. What makes"—

"Oh, but yes you are, mamma. I can hear you sniffling, and besides, I can see your face in the looking glass. There's two big tears running down your nose."

"Now, miss, just please sit steady a minute."

The scissors gave a snip, and poor Dumpling fell down into her lap. Dimple followed an instant later, and the child gazed ruefully at the two beautiful severed curls.

"Goodby, Dumpling and Dimple," she said, and the tears began to gather. They almost overflowed a moment later as the barber lifted her from the chair and she walked to the long mirror to survey herself. But her mother was equal to the emergency. Before Lena had time to realize her changed appearance she called to her to come and help her put Dimple into the letter for Ceylon. The mother wound the two curls about her finger and then tied a little bit of blue ribbon round each of them. She put Dumpling away in her reticule and Dimple was placed among the closely written sheets of foreign paper which she took out of an envelope. The letter was sealed then, and after that they arose to go.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Barber," said the little girl, holding her hand out. "When me and Cecil get whiskers we'll come to you to cut them off. Do you play baseball, Mr. Barber? 'Cause if you do I'm going to give you a present. Would you like a ticket for our baseball match, Mr. Barber?"

She pulled out a little bit of pasteboard from her pocket and handed it to him:

GRAND BASEBALL MATCH.
DICK TURPINS VERSUS TUSCARORAHS.
Admishun, 3 Pins.

"Cecil is captain of the Dick Turpins, and he said now that I was going to have my hair cut off I'd be just as good as a boy. So he's going to lend me a pair of his trousers and I'm to be second base."

A roar arose from each respective chair. As for the jolly old gentleman, he collapsed utterly. In the midst of the confusion the lady tried to escape, but Lena's hat had to be put on and that caused still another delay.

"No more snarls in the morning now, mamma," remarked the young lady as she put it on. But then she drew a very long face. "Oh, mamma, it wabbles dreadfully."

The barber then slipped some paper inside the lining of the hat and they set off.

But just at the doorway the redfaced old gentleman accosted them. He had his hat on by this time, but he took it off immediately and made a most courteous bow.

"Madam," he exclaimed, "there are two things I want particularly, and you can grant me both of them. I want a kiss from that little daughter of yours and a ticket for that baseball match. I can't pay the price of admission, for I haven't three pins to my name, but perhaps this," and as he spoke he slipped something bright and shiny into Lena's hand, "to be devoted to soda water after the Tuscaroras have been completely done up might answer the purpose just as well."

The lady smiled and allowed Lena to give him the desired kiss, but she handed him back the money, and could not be prevailed upon to accept it. Then with a parting nod to the barber the two joined Alec on the corner. When last seen Lena was lifted up to the letter box to dispatch Dimple on the first stage of its long journey, and the redfaced gentleman, as he lost sight of her in the crowd on Broadway, vowed fervently that he would see that game of baseball, even if it cost a leg. —*Acton Davies in New York Evening Sun.*

How to Succeed.

This is the great problem of life which few satisfactorily solve. Some fail because of poor health, others want of luck, but the majority from deficient grit—want of nerve. They are nervous, irresolute, changeable, easily get the blues and "take the spirits down to keep the spirits up," thus wasting money, time, opportunity and nerve force. There is nothing like the Restorative Nervine, discovered by the great specialist, Dr. Miles, to cure all nervous diseases, as headache, the blues, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, fits, and hysteria. Trial bottles and fine book of testimonials free at Chas. H. Buss's Drug Store.

Pick the geese regularly during the summer to make them pay well.

JUST THE PLACE FOR SNAKES.

Where They Lie Around as Thick as Prairie Dogs in a Colony.

"Talking about snakes," said J. A. Prickett, "you should have been with me the other day. I was in the range south of town looking after some mining property recently acquired in that region. I was camped about eighteen miles from the city, and near me was a peculiar mountain known to the old timers there as the Black Range. It is the form of a horseshoe, with the heels pointing south, and consequently the rocks within the arch are open to the rays of the sun on every day of the year.

"Not only that, but the men who know the place say that these rocks draw heat from beneath and are warm at all times, no matter how cold it is about them. However that may be, it is a fact that the nook is a cozy one, and so warm that snow always melts and runs off, no matter how great the fall.

"This you will readily see would make it a splendid resort for rattlesnakes, and they do congregate there in great numbers. The afternoon I was there it cleared off, and the sun shone so bright that my guide advised a visit to the Black Range in order to see the greatest curiosity of its kind in the west. It is needless to say we were not disappointed. When we stood upon the summit of one heel of the horseshoe and looked down into that little nook it presented a sight such as once seen is never forgotten.

"The sunshine had been just warm enough to arouse them from their torpor, and in every direction could be seen snakes sluggishly basking in the first hot rays of the season. It was for all the world like a prairie dog town, save that there were snakes for dogs and the twinkling activity of those little animals was wanting.

"In a few moments I was armed with a twig that would have created consternation at a Donnybrook fair, and was wreaking vengeance for all my family upon the torpid monsters before me. In almost every instance they had not crawled far from their holes under the rocks, and a great many took the alarm, escaping before I could secure an opportunity at their shining backs.

"Thus it was that I only bagged a few hundred, and was obliged to content myself with that. I dare not give the exact number, as you might think it stretched, but it was a pretty fair hour's sport considering the season. The great mistake made was in not taking a shotgun, when the carnage could have been truly frightful."—Butte Inter-Mountain.

Climate and Veracity.

It never occurs to us to expect veracity in Egypt nor in any part of Africa. We should never think of saying that an inhabitant of Malta was untruthful; we should simply say that he was a Maltese. The name Levantine carries with it the same idea. The Levantine, the African, the Oriental habit of indirection is sometimes explained by the amiability of the people, their desire to say that which will be agreeable. Whereas the Englishman prides himself on his blunt honesty and on speaking the truth, especially if it is disagreeable.

But plant the Englishman, or any man whose moral fiber is hardened by a frigid climate, in Egypt, and how long will he continue to speak the truth? How is it about the northern travelers in Africa, who never agree with each other about anything, and habitually accuse each other of misrepresentation? Is this due to climate or to the contagion of a bad moral example in an atmosphere of duplicity?—Charles Dudley Warner in Harper's.

A Restraining Consideration.

A precocious young member of the Loyal Temperance legion, of Kingfield, had learned some profane words, and his mother, on his joining the society, strove to impress upon his mind the necessity of keeping his pledge, which included one against profanity. He was very desirous of changing his kilted skirts for waists and trousers, and she finally told him that when he had left off all swearing and slang words the trousers should be forthcoming.

One day he was building a block house in her presence. He would get it nearly completed, when it would topple over. After several unsuccessful attempts, he jumped up, clasped his hands together and excitedly exclaimed, "If it wasn't for pants, I'd swear."—Farmington (Me.) Chronicle.

How the African Eats.

At eating, the African negro, having always first washed his hands and rinsed his mouth, sits upon the ground, holds the larger pieces between his teeth while he cuts off a bite with his knife, but does not use both hands to hold food, except in gnawing bones; with the usual dishes he lays his right arm over his knees, and reaching into the pot molds the thick mess into lumps about the size of a walnut, which he throws into his mouth with a jerk, without scattering any of the food. To take out vegetables or soup he presses a hollow into the lump and dips with it. Politeness is shown to the host or housewife after eating by smacking loudly enough to be heard.—Paul Reichard in Popular Science Monthly

Lacking the Motive Power.

"I wonder why the car doesn't start!" exclaimed an impatient passenger.

"There are not enough people on board yet to make the cargo," replied another who understood the situation.—New York Truth.

Be Your Own Doctor.

It won't cost you one half as much. Do not delay. Send three 2-cent stamps for postage, and we will send you Dr. Kaufmann's great work, fine colored plates from life, on disease, its causes and home cure. Address A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass

The Houdans are good layers and non-setters, and their flesh is considered very delicate.

GREAT MARK-DOWN SALE
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We are offering a large discount on all of our LIGHT WEIGHT SUITS, TROUSERS, STRAW HATS, YACHTING CAPS, OUTING SHIRTS, &c.
Very low prices on Trunks and Travelling Bags.
Come early and secure a bargain.

C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

Chloroform and Ether.

We believe that St. Bartholemew's hospital is the only one in the metropolis in which a record is kept and statistics published of the number of times anæsthetics are administered during the year. These statistics are both interesting and instructive, and become valuable as showing the current in favor of or against a particular anæsthetic agent.

Turning, for example, to the records of 1879, we find that out of 2,094 anæsthetizations chloroform was given 975 times, nitrous oxide gas alone 112 times, ether alone 23 times and ether preceded by nitrous oxide 983 times. In 1889, however, the records are as follows: In 3,606 administrations—chloroform 1,601 times, gas 686, ether 810, gas and ether 509 times. Thus on comparing these figures the remarkable fact becomes apparent that chloroform has again come to the front as the most popular anæsthetic at St. Bartholomew's hospital.

Not only does the mixture of ether and gas not maintain its position of superiority, as was the case in the year 1879, but in 1889 not even the total administrations of ether alone, and gas and ether combined, reached by a long way the number of administrations of chloroform. It is just possible that in part this change of opinion may be due to the results published by the Hyderabad commission, of which a member of the staff of the hospital was the shining light.

But investigations show that ether has been declining in favor for some years at St. Bartholomew's. In 1888 it was administered 1,003 times out of 3,788, while, during the same year, gas and ether combined was only given 349 times. What a contrast with this eleven years ago, as the records above quoted demonstrate! As we see now, chloroform takes the lead, then a long way behind comes ether alone, while gas and ether combined makes a shockingly bad third.—Medical Press.

Horses Instead of Beeves.

That Paris accepts the horse as a partial substitute for the beeve every one ought to know by this time. Perhaps a page from my own experience may assist in justifying France in what is but one of the gastronomic eccentricities by which she has won inter national renown.

I speak of France because I believe that it was in Paris, which we have her own authority for regarding as France, that hippophagy found its first artistic introduction into modern civilization. That horses have been eaten ever since there were human beings to eat them is as certain as that there are human beings and horses.

The Frenchman, no matter what his other weaknesses may be, is a true philosopher when it comes to his own nourishment. No weed is too humble for a salad, if it be but savory. No experiment is too daring which holds the possibility of a new sensation to the palate. I have always believed that the man who ate the first oyster was at least protoplasmically a French

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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 195 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

Hon. Byron Truell writes to the JOURNAL: "I have decided not to be a candidate for renomination," which leaves the Councillor field open to someone else.

The names most prominently mentioned among the politicians are Hon. Mr. Jefts of Hudson, and Mr. Loring of Melrose, either of whom would fill the bill very well.

Prominent and influential Republicans of the District have importuned Dr. John M. Harlow of this city to allow his name to be presented to the convention but have received no encouragement that he will permit it to be done. It is conceded on all hands that Dr. Harlow would represent the District on the Governor's Council ably and with marked credit to all concerned, and the Republicans who do not approve of the nomination of either Mr. Jefts or Mr. Loring are not without hope that he will reconsider his determination and finally consent to become a candidate. His election would follow as a matter of course by a large majority.

At the present writing it is said that Loring is ahead of Jefts several lengths.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The rum power in this State will leave no stone unturned to elect a Legislature this fall favorable to their nefarious business.

They care vastly less about who shall be Governor than they do about the position on the temperance question of the members of the next House and Senate.

Friends of temperance should make it a point to meet the rum party on their own ground and wage a bold, aggressive and successful fight for the Legislature, on the character of which will depend the result of their work for prohibition next year.

Let good temperance voters see to it then that the right kind of men are nominated for the Legislature this fall, and further, that they are elected.

The rum power must be put down.

IT IS GROWING.

His friends say that the Gubernatorial candidacy of Mr. Allen grows stronger every day.

The Boston *Journal's* espousal of his cause has added largely to his chances for the nomination.

A dozen of Mr. Allen's most ardent supporters held a symposium in Boston last week at which reports concerning the condition of his canvass were received from all parts of the State. It was agreed that the outlook for the Lowell statesman was brilliant.

There has been a marked change in public sentiment during the last fortnight respecting this business—so much of a change indeed that Mr. Allen's nomination would surprise nobody, unless it might be the Boston *Advertiser* and a few other of Mr. Crapo's friends.

☞ Mr. E. C. Cottle is talked of for a candidate for the Legislature at the coming election. He is a gentleman of ability and correct principles; and it is quite certain that he would make a strong candidate for votes.

☞ The war on hoodlums which the Boston *Traveller* is waging is worthy of all praise.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

R. B. P. Co.—R. B. P.
W. R. Putnam—To Let.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
Ayer & Son—Mel. Food.
His. Pub. Co.—"Footprints."

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— Yesterday was a perfect jewel of a day.

— Mrs. W. H. Hart was stopping at New Bedford last week.

— Miss Annie Smith of Spring street is visiting Natick.

— Mr. W. R. Putnam offers a good tenement to rent. See card.

— Miss Nellie McDonough has left the city for a two weeks outing.

— Mr. Alfred H. Whitford has been visiting his folks here this week.

— James Murphy, salesman at the Boston Branch, is away on his vacation.

— Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Trull have returned from their summer vacation.

— J. W. Johnson, Esq., and family have been at Buzzard's Bay this week.

— Mr. Parker L. Richardson will leave tomorrow for his home in Texas.

— Mr. William Beggs and family are enjoying the scenes in Canada this week.

— The O. U. A. M. and D. of L. will picnic at Downers Landing on Aug. 27.

— The Fire Committee voted to purchase a Hose Wagon and horse for Hose 1.

— Judge Charles D. Adams held Court in the absence of Judge Johnson this week.

— Officer Henchy's young brother died after a brief illness last week Thursday.

— Mr. Patrick Fallon of Broad street, has gone to the White Mts. for his outing.

— Several worthy people joined Aberjona Colony, P. F., last Wednesday evening.

— Painter Mullett having sold out a half interest of his business it is now Mullett & Co.

— We had a brief but pleasant call from Mr. J. S. Munroe of Peabody last Saturday.

— Rev. H. Montgomery preached at the M. E. Camp-meeting at Weirs last Wednesday.

— The Democratic Ward and City Committee held a business meeting last Tuesday evening.

— Golden Rod, America's National Flower, is blooming by country roadsides in all its glory.

— Mrs. Thomas Coombs was the guest of Mrs. A. Brown at Pigeon Cove a few days ago.

— There have been some very hot days this week, but nearly all the nights have been comfortable.

— Hen thieves are plying their avocation in this city and if caught may get their necks wrung.

— Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Leathe of Canal st. have got back from a very agreeable Western trip.

— Two daughters of Mr. Justin Thompson went to New Hampshire last week for a vacation.

— Miss Bertha Bulfinich, daughter of Henry F. Bulfinch, the marketman, is visiting at Marblehead.

— Mr. Samuel R. Dolliver of San Francisco, Cal., has been visiting at Lyneboro, N. H., this week.

— There was a glorious rain last Saturday which was good for parched fields although bad for picnickers.

— Miss Eva Claffy, after her return home from Cottage City, will go to Springfield and visit friends there.

— The Democrats don't think of dropping Representative Hevey this fall. He will have a second term.

— The Class '91 of the Sisters' School have planned for a pleasure trip to Salem Willows next Sunday.

— Mr. Watson of Ward 6, Secretary of the Sewerage Commission, is recovering from a rheumatic attack.

— Rev. W. J. Murphy, pastor of the North Congregational Church, and Mrs. Murphy are visiting the Provinces.

— The Republican Ward and City Committee Headquarters will be in Mechanic Building, Room 9, hereafter.

— Druggist Gordon Parker and sister have gone to housekeeping in the Dea. Millett residence on Pleasant St.

— To buy stoves and ranges there is no better place in Woburn than the store of Mr. C. M. Strout. Try him.

— Officer Charles F. McDermott is away on his vacation. Officer Thomas Mulkeen takes his place on the force.

— Mrs. Amos Cummings has been visiting at Old Orchard. Probably Mr. C. will go to Newport for a brief stay.

— Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Tidd of North Woburn are still traveling and visiting scenes of interest in York State.

— Supt. Jones has several macademizing jobs in view for our highways. He is bound that Woburn shall have good roads.

— The *Globe* says "fishing is good in Horn Pond" and so indeed it is, but nobody catches any fish there worth mentioning.

— Judge Johnson went to Newport on Tuesday to attend the National Tennis Tournament. Supt. Richardson went too.

— Assistant City Collector Mrs. Phillips has abandoned housekeeping and gone to Mrs. Taylor's popular boarding house.

— Last week Walter P. Richardson of Oil City, Penn., was warmly greeted by numerous friends in this city on his arrival at this port.

— Mr. H. L. Andrews and Mr. Cyrus Lamb represented Crystal Fount Lodge at the Grand Lodge meeting last week in Boston.

— W. S. McGregor a florist of this city was seriously stabbed by Daniel Downing last evening in Boston. His recovery is doubtful.

— Mr. Robert Collamore is master carpenter at the new factory of the Pantasote Leather Co., and J. C. Knight is the engineer.

— Mr. Walter O. Bacon, an overseer in Chickering's great piano factory in New York, is visiting his relatives and friends in this city.

— Last Friday evening Clan MacKennon gave a very pleasant ice cream party in 161 G. A. R. Post Hall which was well attended.

— The 25-cent butter which Fitz & Stanley keep for sale at the Boston Branch is a prime article for domestic use. There is no better.

— Dr. Harry G. Blake is making many improvements on the residence recently purchased by him. He is going to have a fine home.

— Miss Mary Agnew proposes to begin her summer holiday season of two weeks to-morrow. She has several plans and things in her head for it.

— Miss Josie Mead of Dorchester is visiting the family of her uncle Mr. John Horrigan of New Boston street, and "lots" of other good friends.

— Some of the evenings begin to have a touch of frost in their breath and pleasure-seekers at the seaside are getting back to their homes again.

— Alderman and Mrs. William F. Davis and Master Fred Davis (W. F., Jr.) were guests at the famous Humarock House at Scituate the other day.

— The Bellevue Club have rented a fine hall in Mechanic building of which they will take possession about the first of Sept. They have nice quarters now.

— A raid on our city treasury is threatened. The aggregate amount demanded by Albert G. Page, Mrs. Ann Page and Bridget F. McCarthy is $11,000.

— Mr. Elijah Wyman was quite sick last week but had improved so much by Friday morning as to be able to visit the JOURNAL office although still feeble.

— The Woburn Co-operative Bank's money is building five good houses at the present time besides the many other excellent things it is accomplishing for worthy people.

— Miss Josephine Costello of North Adams, who is a sister of Mrs. E. F. Blank of this city, is visiting here at the present time. She is a fine appearing young lady.

— The merchants of this city are beginning to spruce up and get ready for a big fall trade. They will probably want to use the columns of the JOURNAL pretty freely for advertising purposes this season.

— "A Few Points on Church Etiquette" will be printed in the JOURNAL next week. It was received too late for this issue.

— Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brooks ascended Mt. Washington and registered at the Summit (formerly Tip-top) House last week. They enjoyed the climb very much.

— Go to Hall & Jaquith's Woburn Grain Mills to buy your meal where you can see the corn before it is ground and know you are getting what you pay for—honest meal.

— The tax commitment by the Assessors for tax of 1891 is $150,832.04, of which $134,549.35 is the City tax; $6,465 State; $6,940.77, County; $2,877.72, Overlayings.

— The Katydids sounded their first note hereaway on last Tuesday evening. Their monotonous raspings lent an autumnal air to things and reminded one that winter is coming.

— Dr. Chalmers has improved the appearance of his lawn very much by putting down some well cut granite curbing. The Doctor's is one of the pleasantest homes in this city.

— Dr. Bixby's father has been visiting him at his home in No. Woburn of late. Rev. Mr. Bixby, his wife, and Dr. J. P., the son, are all good solid Somerset county (Me.) people.

— The teacher of the cooking class at the Industrial School is Miss Charlotte Mills of Winchester—just as though Winchester women could beat Woburn women at the business!

— Mr. Webster Woodman, head salesman at the clothing store of Mr. C. M. Munroe in this city, and family went to Fitzwilliam, N. H., last Saturday for a fortnight's stay and rest.

— Mr. Frank Walcott Hutt, a student in Boston College, has a little poem on the first page of the JOURNAL which is good. He'll be heard of more widely one of these days as a poet.

— Mr. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., a member of the Editorial Staff of the Boston *Globe*, and lady were at Newport last week and attended the races there. So said the Boston *Herald*.

— Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Darling went down to Plymouth last week and viewed the ground on which the hardy Pilgrims landed on their first visit to this then cold, barren and inhospitable clime.

— The familiar face of Mr. S. Franksford Trull is once more seen on our streets after his Boston business hours. He and his family enjoyed their New Hampshire trip and visit finely.

— Judge Johnson and Mrs. Johnson leave for Bar Harbor to-morrow on a pleasure trip. They will go by one of the fine steamers that ply between Boston and the Maine coast. Bon voyage!

— Mr. Jacob M. Ellis has been awarded the contract of putting in the foundation of the new Central Square school house which is tantamount to saying that it will be a complete and honest job.

— The alarm from box 61 at 2.50 last Wednesday afternoon was for a slight fire on the roof of the building occupied by the Woburn City Laundry and G. W. Nichols shoe stitcher, 489 Main street.

— Assistant City Treasurer Miss Lottie Wyman has gone to Antrim, N. H., for her vacation. She is a faithful and very popular public servant and everybody will hope she may have a pleasant outing

— Miss Belle Menard didn't get drowned or shipwrecked down at Cottrge City, leastwise, we saw her on our streets last Saturday and she had no appearance of having met with any marine accident.

— Mr. George H. Carter advertises in the JOURNAL to-day to sell at auction on Aug. 27, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at Winchester, some fine cows and other property which will doubtless find ready bidders. See ad.

— One of Dr. S. W. Kelley's "Complete Combustion" 60 H. P. boilers has been put into the Richardson Brothers Woburn Steam Laundry. They are said to be away ahead of any boiler made in point of utility.

— Police Officers C. F. McDermott and John Welch are taking their annual outing. They will sniff a few sea zephyrs and then take in a supply of mountain breezes, making it a point to tie up at home at least once a week.

— Mr. A. A. Fowle, Managing Editor of the *Globe*, who has been having a serious time with his old enemy, the rheumatism, has resumed work although not entirely well and makes regular daily trips to the city as usual.

— Several tanneries and currying shops shut down last Saturday to give the employees a chance to attend the grand excursion and picnic of the St. Charles C. T. A. S. and Auxiliary at Nantasket. It was very good of the bosses.

— Col. and Mrs. H. B. Hayes of Main street spent last Monday at the Point of Pines and had a right down good time. The Colonel says he can do as much real solid resting on a hot day as any man of his size and age in America.

— The National Band had fine weather for their open-air concert last Wednesday evening and the people had good weather to assemble to enjoy the music. There was a large attendance and the concert was firstclass in every particular.

— Mrs. Sparrow Horton & Son, florists, have a fine display of German asters, pinks and other summer flowers in the bookstore of Mr. Horton, where bouquets, nosegays, and bunches of other brilliant things can be bought at small prices.

— Members of Company K, 39th Regiment of Volunteers, in this city will hold a meeting this evening at Post 161, G. A. R. Hall on Pleasant st., to make arrangements for joining in the annual reunion of the Regiment on next Labor Day.

— We return thanks to Representative Thomas D. Hevey for a copy of "The Twenty-first Annual Report on the Bureau of Statistics of Labor—March, 1891," which is the work of Supt. Horace G. Wadlin and a very useful and valuable one.

— Mr. William E. Blodgett, who we had hoped had outgrown such boyish things, must needs spend a lot of money to go to Newport to see some lawn tennis played there last Tuesday. We wonder if William will ever get over his youthful follies?

— Last Sunday night Mr. Sewall Taylor of the West Side experienced such a severe attack of cholera morbus in Boston that he was obliged to put up his load of vegetables and betake himself to his home as quickly as a locomotive could carry him.

— The Woburn Traders Association will take their annual outing on Sept. 7—Labor Day. As usual they will probably "flock together" singly and in pairs instead of droves and bevies, and stray off in various directions to various places for fun.

— The Woburn Co-operative Bank held a monthly meeting last week Thursday at which there was sold $2,900 at premiums satisfactory to the Directors. Treasurer Whitcher says more money could have been sold had there been more in the Treasury.

— The following three good men are prominently talked about for the next Mayor of this city, viz.: E. E. Thompson, S. B. Goddard and George F. Bean, the present incumbent. It is more than probable that one of this trio will fill the Mayor's chair next year.

— Mr. Waterman Brown, the venerable and faithful gateman at Church Avenue, was prostrated by an attack of heart trouble or indigestion yestesday and had to be carried to his home at Depot Master Green's close by. It was thought the stroke was a fatal one, but he recovered after awhile.

— Miss Abby McSweeney, an *attache* of THE WOBURN JOURNAL establishment, is taking her vacation. During her outing she will visit friends at Marlboro, Waltham and other inland points and perhaps go a-fishing. Abigail is entitled to a good refreshing rest, and she's bound to get it.

— The Dow tannery is running nearly full handed. Manufacturers say leather business is going to be good this fall. We don't see much of a prospect for it just now. A great many men are out of employment yet, and we hope it is really true that leathermaking is on the eve of a boom.

— Mr. Waldo Thompson, Manager of Mr. Leonard Thompson's extensive hardware, stove, tinware and building goods store, set men at work last Monday morning to renovating the interior of the building and when the proprietor returns from Vermont he will hardly recognize the premises.

— Rev. Lawrence W. Slattery of St. Charles Church got back to the parsonage last Saturday from his summer vacation which he put in on a yachting trip and enjoyed it to the brim. The Rev. Fr. loves salt water and a yacht dearly and he got well filled up with both on his late ocean voyage.

— Major Ambrose Bancroft, Capt. John E. Tidd, Warren F. Taylor, and other Veterans, attended the reunion of the 32d Regiment at Downer Landing yesterday. These are the days for Regimental reunions at which the Veterans renew acquaintances, enjoy banquets, and have good times. May their shadow never grow less.

— Mr. William P. Pierce, formerly of Woburn and now a live, wideawake and successful leather maker a Olean, N. Y., and family left here last week for a fortnight's sojourn at Biddeford, Old Orchard, Fortunes Rocks, Biddeford Pool and other popular seaside resorts in that region of country. They will return to York State later.

— Mr. Charles March, youngest son of Rev. Dr. March of the First Congregational church in this city, who is an employee of the Pension Department at Washington, visited his father here last Monday morning and left on the same day for an ocean trip to the Kennebec region in Maine in company with a co-worker in the same Department of public service.

— Although it rained all day and part of the time very powerfully the picnic of the St. Charles C. T. A. Society and Ladies Auxiliary at Nantasket Beach last Saturday was a great success. Several hundred tickets were sold and nearly all the holders went. There was dancing in the rink all the afternoon, a good dinner was enjoyed, and many sports indulged in.

— Clerk of the Common Council Lounsbury and Auditor Preston quietly slipped away from their respective posts of duty last week and betook themselves to an out-of-the-way retreat in New Hampshire where they claim to have enjoyed life to the brim. We wish all of our city officials were as worthy of a fortnight's rest as these most estimable gentlemen were.

— We consider Keeler & Co. among the most fair and reliable dealers in furniture to be found in Boston. So far as we know, the public are of the same opinion. The firm deal in the very best goods in their line, all of the latest styles, honest in make, always just as represented, and as favorable bargains can be secured at Keeler's as at any furniture establishment in the country.

— Mrs. E. V. Bridgham and her sister Miss Lydia J. Valentine of Court st. left yesterday for a visit to relatives and friends in Maine, their native State. They will stay in Cumberland County a considerable part of the time, the quaint old town of New Gloucester being their P. O. address. These estimable ladies cherish the old home and visit it as often as circumstances will permit.

— During the past week the family of Capt. J. P. Whitney of Chicago, Ill., have been visiting their uncle L. L. Whitney, Esq., of this city. Mrs. J. P. Whitney, Miss Crescenta and Miss Brizette G. Whitney, and Mrs. Troy Bumstead, with her husband, F. K. Bumstead, Esq., publisher, after visiting various places in the East, concluded that Woburn is a beautiful and thriving city and a good place to live in. The Misses Whitney are highly accomplished young ladies, thoroughly educated in music and other polite arts, and it is suspected, although of course we would not say so, that their uncle L. L. was uncommonly proud of them and enjoyed their visit at his pleasant home in this city very much indeed.

— If any one of the following named gentlemen should be chosen to represent Woburn in the lower branch of the Massachusetts General Court next winter the temperance cause would be safe in his hands, to wit:—Griffin Place, Luke Warren Fowle, Joseph G. Pollard, Samuel Cook, E. E. Thompson. So it would be in the hands of a large number of other gentlemen, for the publication of whose names we have no space this week.

— The Mechanic Investment Company of this city recently elected the following gentlemen a Board of Directors: Charles F. Spear was elected Secretary and W. Frank Fowle, Treasurer: B. Frank Waldron, W. Frank Fowle, Fremont S. Bassett, Charles F. Spear, James E. Furlong, George L. Tebbetts, Charles H. Kimball, Ansel Cummings and Horace N. Conn. This Company is earning at the rate of eight per cent on its stock.

— Com. John Ferguson, Principal City Assessor, is taking a vacation this week and resting. He very wisely remains at his pleasant home in Ferguson Place and passes the time sitting beneath his own vine and fig tree figuratively speaking and does as little thinking and working as the law allows a public officer to indulge in. The Commodore has had a busy season of it over the assessing and tax making and deserves a season of rest.

— The following are the dimensions of the "Balanced Rock" at South Berwick, Me., which Mr. Rufus Smith visited two or three weeks ago and reported to the JOURNAL last week: the small rock on which the large one rests is 2 1-2 feet high and 4 1-2 feet square. The large one is 22 feet long, 18 feet wide and 15 feet high, and the bearing on which it rests on the small one is 2 1-2x4 1-2. The freak attracts many visitors and well it may for it is a great curiosity.

— A large society will soon be formed in this city whose aim and object will be to fight rum. We have been informed that Mr. Griffin Place, Mr. E. Everett Thompson, and other influential citizens will take prominent parts in the organization and inaugurate and wage an aggressive and very hot war against the rumsellers who carry on business without the sanction of or contrary to law. The Society can't organize, equip itself, and go to work a minute too soon.

— Rev. Mr. Jackson, formerly pastor of the African M. E. Church in this city, but now and for several years pastor of a church at Providence, R. I., has been holding grove meetings here this week with much success as to attendance and the arousing of religious feeling among the members of that church. He proved himself while here a successful preacher and pastor and was a great help to his flock both materially and spiritually. He has many friends in this city.

— The Democratic Ward and City Committee held their first meeting of the season at the Central House last Tuesday evening for the transaction of business and to "talk over matters." They appear to be full of pluck and confidence and pretend that they expect to re-elect Gov. Russell this fall! The Democracy are great brags. It was voted to hold the city caucus to choose delegates to the several conventions on Tuesday, Sept. 15. Everybody wants to be a delegate.

— Croquet Redivivus! The fine old game of croquet has come to the front again and is gallantly contesting for first place in public favor with tennis with more than a fighting chance for victory. The fine old game has experienced a wonderful revival all over the country this summer. In some fashionable circles it has been "all the go" while tennis has been relegated to a back seat. Lovers of the sport say croquet has come to stay and we shouldn't wonder if that was so.

— The Rock Cod Club of Wilmington-Woburn, Mr. Sheldon Sargent, President, will fish for their favorite deep water denizens off Swampscott on the 27th instant. At a few minutes past 12 midnight the Woburn members will leave the Central House Stables in Mr. G. F. Jones's "Commonwealth" and proceed to Wilmington where the rest of the party will embark, and thence proceed per barge aforesaid to Swampscott where they will board a schooner and put out to sea. A jolly time is anticipated. The JOURNAL thanks President Sargent for a free pass all through.

— To-morrow Lawyer Curran and Madam Curran of Scott street in this city will take a steamer in Boston for Bar Harbor, Mt. Desert, where, wind and weather permitting, they will arrive on Sunday morning. They expect to remain at that fashionable resort until Tuesday when tents will be struck and they will repair to beautiful Camden, thence to Old Orchard, thence home via the White Mountains. They have marked out a very delightful trip and with good weather will enjoy it. Many months of hard work at briefs and panels has entitled Lawyer Curran to an extended vacation.

— The celebration of the 40th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammond's wedding day, which occurred last week, was a very pleasant affair. Many friends and neighbors were present at the gathering, and the beauty of it was that the fair bride and gallant groom of 40 years ago were kept in ignorance of it until their handsome parlors and other rooms were full of the uninvited raiders and noisy with mirth and jollity. A delightful evening was spent by everyone present, and Mr. and Mrs. Hammond will not very soon forget the 40th anniversary of the day of their union in the sacred ties of wedlock.

— We are very glad to learn that proceedings against Mr. Edward E. Heckbert of this city, an instructor in Boston College, for the alleged stealing of a bicycle about a month ago, have been "nol prossed" by the prosecution, he having shown beyond a shadow of doubt that the charge was totally groundless and that he was entirely innocent in the premises. His relatives and many friends in this city are pleased with the establishment of Mr. Heckbert's innocence and his honorable discharge from prosecution. The JOURNAL, knowing that it would wound the feelings of the family and do the young man no good, refrained from publishing anything about the case at the time it happened.

— Mrs. Louise Bangs and her young son Lester and maid, all of Chicago, visited old friends in this city last Monday afternoon. Mr. E. W. Bangs, head of the family, has been a successful Chicago Board of Trade man for more than 20 years, and is at present altogether too busy in the rush and push and swirl of grain corners and all that sort of thing to take a day off on the Atlantic coast, but makes a visit of the Madam and son do for the whole family. Mrs. Bangs, Master Bangs and the maid are guests of Major and Mrs. Dexter Follett at Marblehead Neck, but expect to go to Narragansett Pier next week, and thence home to Chicago.

— In the way of rum raids Chief of Police McIntosh and his aids did a land-office business last Sunday. They seized and brought in a big heap of the stuff, every owner of which we hope will be convicted and sent to jail. That will be their fate if the Chief has his way about it. The places raided were: Mary McGovern, Main street; Silas W. Gordon, Main street; James W. Doherty, Main street; John B. Dever, Main street; Martin O'Hara, Oak street. At each of these contraband rum was seized. Unsuccessful descents were made on the places of Patrick McLaughlin, Main street; Ellen Gilgun, Main street; T. J. Gilgun, Main street; James Tolan, Buckman street.

— At irregular but not lengthy intervals a report comes along that the grand old elms on the northeast side of the Soldiers Monument, in the little triangle formed by the coming together of Winn, Pleasant and Main streets, are to be cut down. The rumor is rife now. Some utilitarian minded person has got it into his head that the triangle is needed for street extension or something of that sort and that the noble old elms must bite the dust. In the judgment of the JOURNAL land enough for streets can be found without the sacrifice of splendid shade trees. They were planted 60 or 70 years ago and have always been precious in the sight of our people. They ought to be allowed to stand. "Woodman, spare that tree."

— Last Monday Leonard Thompson and wife left for Bennington, Vt., to be present at the Centennial celebration of the admission of the State into the Union which took place on last Wednesday and proved to be an immense affair. They were expected back by Manager Waldo Thompson any time before Christmas, the exact date depending somewhat on Mr. Thompson's success in finding interesting things in the history of the Green Mountain State. The study of New England life, manners, events, etc., in its early days has charms for Mr. Thompson in a larger degree than for most men, to which fact may be attributed in a considerable measure probably his visit to the old Bennington Battlefield this week.

— Last evening Mr. Charles Cummings, husbandman, stock raiser, etc., of 35 Cambridge street in this city, left here with his bright little daughter, Miss Sarah Cummings, accompanied also by his sister Miss Anna who is bookkeeper for the grain firm of Cummings, Chute & Co., for Ontario where he expects to buy a carload of prime road and work horses for this market. The party will be away about two weeks and during that time the headquarters of Mr. Charles, Miss Sarah, and her aunt Miss Anna, will be at the Campbell House, Napanee, Ont., where they propose to enjoy themselves to their hearts' content. The best wishes of the JOURNAL accompanied these good people on their journey into Queen Victoria's Dominions.

— We can't remember when we were better pleased with calls than with those received from Mr. John L. Parker Editor of the Lynn *Item* and formerly Editor and proprietor of the Woburn JOURNAL last Wednesday afternoon, and the gentleman who accompanied him, Mr. Geo. H. Rich, Purchasing Agent for the N. Y. and N. E. RR. Co., a young person who, Editor Parker said, is as good as they make anywhere this year, and we saw no reason to dispute his word on that point. The visit was not a very protracted one but it was lively and cordial on all sides and pleasant to one of the parties at least. Editor Parker looked healthy and thrifty, on which basis the conclusion was reached that he was reasonably happy. A repetition of the call from Messrs. Parker and Rich wouldn't disagree with us—we don't believe.

— We are again indebted to Mr. Levi C. Teel of Cambridge street for a big supply of the wherewithal that makes life pleasant and stout. The suspicion found instant lodgment in our mind that the load of potatoes, sweet corn, tomatoes, squash, cucumbers, apples, etc., which Mr. Teel unloaded from his team at our back door quite early the other morning was intended for Quincy Market and had found its way to our domicile by mistake. For just an instant it occurred to us, "does Mr. Teel drink?" No, and he retains his mental powers in a remarkable degree for a man 82 years old. Then why this whole load of the best vegetables and finest fruit from the Cambridge street farm thus unloaded at our back door? But when we got round Mr. Teel wasn't there to answer us, so the cartload of "produce" was carefully put away in the cellar for winter's use. With thanks.

— Misses Nellie and Lottie Ellis, daughters of Mr. Alex Ellis of this city, went down to Waterville, Me., last week, about which there was nothing very unusual. They have been in the habit of doing it in times past, for their father was a Waterville boy and passed his youth and early manhood in that beautiful college town on the Kennebec. But Miss Nellie did more than go to Waterville—she went to Carritunk Falls which lies many miles further up into the country. Her nephew, son of Mr. Fred W. Ellis of Eagle Pass, Texas, wanted to visit his mother's relatives in upper Somerset county and so while Miss Lottie stopped off and went about among friends at Waterville the young gentleman from the Lone Star State with his aunt Nellie continued on to Skowhegan about 17 miles further up the Kennebec. There they chartered a team and proceeded to Carritunk Falls, the home of the juvinile Texan's mother's people. * * * Miss Nellie says she will never forget that ride from Skowhegan to Carritunk as long as she lives. She found everything just delightful. The roads were of the finest kind; the scenery fair and beautiful; farms and farmhouses the neatest and most attractive; the banks of the Kennebec all the way up just charming; and to say that she was surprised to find such scenery, such roads, such bracing air, and general loveliness, would be drawing it very mild indeed. Miss Nellie and her nephew enjoyed the trip to the full extent of the law; their visit away up there was just as pleasant as anything could be; and the trio returned a few days after delighted and in the best of spirits.

The Cooking School.

Presumably Supt. Richardson is happy. The departments of the Industrial School, a pet measure of his, are all organized and doing business on Academy Hill. Carpentry with the things that go with it, sewing, and (at last) cooking classes, have been formed and the Superintendent says he is in hopes to introduce and establish a class in printing next spring, with which, he flatters himself, his cup of happiness will be full and overflowing. The three departments are making satisfactory progress, so Supt. Richardson affirms, at least two of them are, and the teacher of the third, the cooking class, which was opened last Monday, promises that her poorest scholar shall be able to turn out something altogether superior to "mother's cooking" in less than three months or be turned out of school.

We were sorry that it was deemed advisable to go out of town to procure a teacher of cooking. The fact does not speak well for the skill of Woburn women, unless some other reason than incapacity to teach the important art prevented the employment of some of them in the cooking department.

Competent judges say Prof. Carter is doing excellent work in the Boys Class and is sure to make good mechanics and useful men out of a large share of his pupils. And so it is in the Sewing Class—good work is being accomplished.

The whole establishment is at the present writing in full and very successful operation.

East Middlesex District Medical Society.

Dr. Harrison G. Blake of this city entertained the East Middlesex District (Massachusetts) Medical Society at the Central House on last Wednesday evening when and where a pleasant and profitable evening was spent. About 20 members of the Society were present and partook of the courtesies and generous hospitality of Dr. Blake, by whom nearly every locality in the District was ably represented.

Mrs. McDonald, Manager of the Central House cuisine, got up a very fine supper for the M. Ds, for which she received many warm encomiums at their hands. The tables were handsomely spread and contained the substantials and delicacies of the season.

There was after dinner speaking by the gentlemen at the banquet board, the theme being "Fracture of the Hip." It was intelligently discussed at full length and elicited many opinions and experiences from the representatives of the profession present.

Jacob Brown, Esq., of Canal street, was the only non-professional guest present. Last year he fell from the roof of his residence and had one of his hips terribly smashed, besides receiving other grave injuries. It was generally believed that he could not survive the accident, but the best of surgical skill and treatment enabled him to pull through and today he is a sound man. Dr. John M. Harlow of this city, his medical attendant, took Mr. Brown's case to illustrate his essay on the subject before the meeting.

At the close of one of the most satisfactory gatherings the Society ever held the members arose from the tables and with the compliments of the evening dispersed to their several homes.

Looks Like Allen.

The political indicator points strongly towards the nomination for Governor of Mr. Allen of Lowell by the Republican convention.

His canvass has grown rapidly during the last week or two and his friends are confident that he is the coming man and will be the next Governor of Massachusetts.

Hon. E. D. Hayden, a warm personal friend of Mr. Crapo and one of his original supporters, favors the nomination of Mr. Allen this year. He does so solely on the ground of availability, believing that while Mr. Allen would make no better Chief Executive of the State he would probably command more votes than Mr. Crapo. —A.

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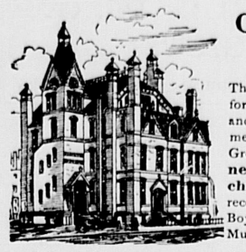

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A Card.

A number of the good friends of Mrs. A. F. Morrill of No. 5 Franklin street, this city, clubbed together and bought for and presented to her a solid, handsome rolling chair last week, she being an invalid and unable to walk. It was a very generous act on the part of her dear friends, and the undersigned improve this method to extend to them their sincere and hearty thanks for their thoughtfulness and sympathy for Mrs. Morrill. But for their objections we would publish the names of the generous donors of the valuable present; in lieu of which we hereby make public our gratitude for their great kindness to us and ours.

MR. AND MRS. A. F. MORRILL,
L. J. MORRILL.
Aug. 20, 1891.

Obituary.

Robert F., son of O. S. Quimby of Stoneham, and brother of Mrs. Waldo Hill of this city, died very suddenly at Colorado Springs on Aug. 15, aged 21 years, 7 months 9 days.

Mr. Quimby was a very worthy young man, and his loss will be deeply felt by his relatives and friends.—X.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Aug. 21, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

W. Joyce, 12 Buck, Katie Lyman, Mrs. Sarah Morgan, 112 Summer St., Barney T. Morrison, Miss A. Murphy, 33 Main St., John Riley.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Forms of Words and Worship." At 6 p. m. young peoples' meeting; at 7 p.m. preaching by the pastor. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST.—At 10.30, a. m. preaching by Rev. Geo. A. Crawford, D.D., pastor of the Bromfield St. M. E. Church; at 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting; at 7 p. m. meeting led by G. A. Crawford. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Class meetings Friday evening.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Prof. Ayer, of Jackson College, Jackson, Miss. Sunday school at 12 m.; at 5.45 p. m. Y. P. S. Christian Endeavor; at 7 p. m. address by Prof. Ayer. Subject: The Freedmen. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Aug. 13, Mary H. Hanson, aged 2 months, 2 days.
In this city, Aug. 14, William White, aged 3 days.
In this city, Aug. 14, Frederick Henchey, aged 17 years.
In this city, Aug. 15, Florence E. Getchell, aged 8 months.

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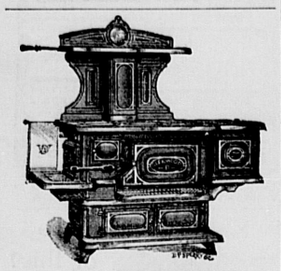

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Personal.

Miss Lizzie Nichols has gone to Fitchburg.

Mr. Alonzo Pierce has got back from the West.

Councilman B. F. Waldron is under the weather.

The Russell shoe stock factory is being enlarged.

The Registrars of Voters have began operations.

There is a temporary lull in operations at the Dow tannery.

Shawsheen Tribe, R. M., will hold a picnic on Labor Day at Sprague's Pond.

Capt. W. H. Mathews, letter-carrier, has returned to duty after a pleasant vacation.

Miss Alice Carr of this city is visiting at the residence of Bernard Carr in Holliston, Mass.

Mr. Nathaniel Simonds of Church Ave. has nearly recovered from a slight attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Charles H. Buss, druggist, attended the great Bennington (Vt.) centennial celebration this week.

Tom Kenney and Policeman Kean had great luck fishing in Horn Pond the other day, that is to say—they didn't get drowned.

Miss Christine Kelley of Pleasant street took her father, Dr. S. W. Kelley, her grandmother Putnam, and a lady friend, out for a drive on last Wednesday afternoon.

Very Latest Local News.

Mayor Bean and Madam B. have returned from the seaside.

Secretary Whitcher of the Co-operative Bank has a few shares for sale.

Auctioneer Gregory has some desirable houses and other real estate for sale.

Patrick McIntire and Mrs. McIntire returned from Concord, N. H. last Tuesday.

— Mr. E. B. Blanchard took possession of his new residence on Main street yesterday.

Mr. Lawrence Reade has let the contract of building his block on Main street to John Horrigan.

Mr. James Skinner, wife and daughters have returned from Old Orchard, a resort which they visit every summer.

The Cemetery Commissioners, L. L. Whitney, Supt., are making fine improvements on the Salem St. Cemetery.

Harry Brown, W. L. Murdock, William Buchanan and Carl Dow got home from New-found-land Lake, N. H. last Tuesday.

The Woburn Brass Band will give a concert on the Common next Wednesday evening and it is safe to say it will be a good one.

Auctioneer Gregory says that some 24 nice cottages are to be built on property lately bought by a Boston syndicate on Academy Hill. About $100,000 is to be laid out.

Mr. Marshall Tidd of No. Woburn writes us a P. C. on which he says that he is so well pleased with Cornwall on the Hudson where he and Mrs. Tidd now are that he will remain there two weeks longer.

"Mollie Stark."

Mrs. Charles Sumner Jones of this city is a lineal descendant of General John Stark of New Hampshire, the hero of the Battle of Bennington, a costly monument in memory of which has been dedicated this week in the presence of 75,000 people at Bennington, Vt., where it was fought and a great victory for the American Colonies gained.

There has been much controversy over the alleged expression of General Stark on the eve of that battle: "or Mollie Stark will be a widow," the vital question hinging on the name "Mollie." It used to be supposed that General Stark's wife bore that Christian name, but such was not the case—her name was Elizabeth Page, and his mother's Christian name was Eleanor Nichols, of Londonderry, Ireland; and the fair presumption is that he never used any such expression.

Mrs. Jones traces her family origin on the Stark side back to 1495.

Alaska is not so bad a country as it might be. A party that were recently engaged in fixing the boundary line on the British border found grasses six feet high along the Yukon and Porcupine, which latter extends many miles above the Arctic circle. There were also salmon berries, blueberries, currants and raspberries in profusion, and hundreds of acres of cranberries.

"As long as she was merely my wife's mother," said Mr. Noodad, "I had her pretty well under control. But now that she is my wife's mother and the baby's grandmother, also, she is simply one too many for me."

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It will make no difference which way the cat jumps at the Republican convention—Editor Barrett will be sure to come out on top.

If Crapo is nominated that will be a defeat for Collector Beard and the Boston *Journal*.

A little later in the season Crapo will be beaten at the polls (his opponents say) and that will be a victory for the Collector and his organ.

If Allen is nominated that will be a victory for the Custom House. A little later in the season, Allen will be defeated at the polls (so his opponents say) and that will be Editor Barrett's knock-down.

With neither Crapo nor Allen can the Republicans win a victory, say the Democrats and some weak-kneed Republicans.

If the Democrats and weak-kneed Republicans are right, Editor Barrett's friends will turn round next year and say, "We told you so."

They will then insist on it that Editor Barrett is the only Moses who can lead the twice-defeated Massachusetts Republicans out of the wilderness, and they will make the party believe it.

Then what? Barrett will be nominated by popular acclaim; the election will come on; it will be Presidential year; every Granger in the State will crawl out from under the haystack and cast his vote: and Barrett will triumph be a big majority.

Thus a year from now it will be demonstrated that Barrett is the Moses, and his friends will cry out again, "Didn't we tell you so?"

The *Advertiser's* flop was shrewd politics!—X.

Chicks vs. Hens in Politics.

DEAR EDITOR HOBBS:—An editorial in your last issue relative to Mr. Charles F. Loring's "pecking at the public crib" for an office I interpreted as a gentle dab at Councillor Truell, who is an old political Hen, having fattened at the public crib for years, and should give the chickens a chance. At all events, since your editorial appeared Mr. Truell has withdrawn from the Sixth District Councillor contest leaving a pretty sure thing for the lean political Chick.

But did you know that this Loring is quite a Rooster in public walks? Well, he is, and as Grand Regent of 125,000 Arcanumites in America his reputation for executive ability is not confined to the State.

With your permission I will give a outline sketch of this future Councillor next week: till then the Chicken will peck away and the "cluck" of the Hen will be heard in the land.

ROBBIE.

Burlington.

A very enjoyable lawn party was given at the residence of Mr. T. I. Reed, Wednesday evening.

— Last Tuesday evening Mr. Arthur W. Wood was given a pleasant surprise on the occasion of his birthday at his residence at Arlington Heights. A party of his friends entered his house and took possession before Mr. Wood had any idea of their presence. He was the recipient of a fine crayon portrait of his little son, Master Ralph, who, in a cute little presentation speech, informed his papa that it was given by "mamma and I" and that it was a picture of "myself." A number of Mr. Wood's musical friends entertained the company with fine instrumental and vocal selections, and Mrs. Martha Sewall Curtis recited "Uncle Podger Hangs a Picture," with the moral that Mr. Wood should keep his picture on an easel. Refreshments to which the company did ample justice were served by Mrs. Wood. The rooms were beautifully decorated with flowers.

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A father at St. Paul, Minn., gave his six-years-old son to a female acquaintance as collateral for a loan.

[Written for the Journal.]

James Russell Lowell.

"Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day."

The death of one of our foremost men of letters, a man of New England, and one who was distinguished as a great thinker and a great power for good in the world, immediately calls forth tributes to his genius and character not only from his own people but from foreign countries where his special gifts were so well recognized.

JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL was born in 1819, and was surrounded in his youth by such minds as Bryant, Hawthorne, Longfellow, Whittier, Emerson, Sumner, and Motley—a galaxy of men who laid the foundation of America's literature. The wide range of Mr. Lowell's studies at an early period of his life, and his introduction to the quaint features of society and manners in foreign countries, prepared him in great measure for the places of distinction and honor which a grateful people were pleased to confer upon him, and he quickly added to his fame as a scholar the renown of a successful diplomatist.

At the early age of twenty-two Mr. Lowell published a volume of poems which has never been reprinted, although many of the poems were revised and incorporated into subsequent collections of his writings. The first series of the "Biglow Papers," one of his early and popular productions, is a satire on the great evils of slavery, exposing to the laughter of the world the politicians and public men of that time.

In 1848 appeared "A Fable for the Critics," a rhymed essay upon the principal American authors. "Among My Books," in two volumes, are found essays on Dryden, Spenser, Wordsworth, Milton and Keats. "My Study Windows" contains dissertations on Josiah Quincy, Lincoln, Emerson, Carlyle and others. "Conversations on Some of the old Poets." Three volumes of miscellaneous poems and one work called "Fireside Travels."

Of his recent works published as late as 1886 is "Democracy," including addresses on Garfield, and his eloquent address on the 250th anniversary of Harvard. A volume entitled "Political Essays" appeared in 1888, in which are chapters on the election of 1860; The rebellion, its causes and consequences; McClellan or Lincoln? Reconstruction, and the Independent in Politics. In his argument for a reform party he says:

"It is through its politics, through its capacity for government, the noblest of sciences, that a notion proves its right to a place among the other beneficent forces of nature. For politics permeate more widely than any other force and reach everyone of us, soon or late, to teach or debauch. Our politicians are so busy studying the local eddies of prejudice or interest that they allow the main channel of our national energies to be obstructed by dams for the grinding of private grist. Our leaders no longer lead, but are as skillful as Indians in following the faintest trail of public opinion. What we want is an active class who will insist in season and out of season that we shall have a country whose greatness is measured not only by its square miles, the number of yards woven, of hogs packed, of bushels of wheat raised, not only by its skill to feed and clothe the body, but also by its power to feed and clothe the soul; a country which shall be as great morally as it is materially."

His last work, entitled "Heartsease and Rue," is a book of poems and contains a steel engraving of Mr. Lowell. The descriptive power shown in many of these is one of their most striking merits, and his fancy is beautiful in fine imagery. On the death of Agassiz he writes:

Uprooted is our mountain oak,
That promised long security of shade
And brooding-place for many a winged thought.

* * *

Well might I, as of old, appeal to you,
O mountains, woods and streams!
To help us mourn him, for ye loved him too.

* * *

In shape, in gait, in voice, in gesture true,
And, with an accent heightening as he warms,
Would stop forgetful of the shortening night,
Drop my confining arm, and pour profuse
Much worldly wisdom kept for others use,
Not for his own, for he was rash and free,
His purse or knowledge all men's, like the sea.

* * *

At last arrived at where our paths divide,
"Good night!" and, ere the distance grew too wide
"Good night!" again; and now with cheated ear
I half hear his who mine shall never hear.

* * *

'Tis lips long cold that give the warmest kiss,
'Tis the lost voice comes oftenest to our ears;
We count our rosary by the beads we miss,
He knows at last if Life or Death be best:
Wherever he be flown, whatever rest
The being hath put on which lately here
So many friended was, so full of cheer
To make men feel the Seeker's noble zest.

* * *

We have not lost him all; he is not gone
To the dumb herd of them that wholly die;
The beauty of his better self lives on
In minds he touched with fire.
He was a Teacher: why be grieved for him
Whose living word still stimulates the air?
In endless file shall loving scholars come
The glow of his transmitted touch to share.
And trace his feature's with an eye less dim
Than ours whose sense familiar wont makes numb.
—E. F. P.

[From the Christian Record, Reading, Pa.]

Footprints of the World's History.

Ben Franklin once made the statement, "Schools teach us the rudiments of language, but books teach us how to think; therefore, no man is truly educated unless he is a reader of books." Ben was right, but he lived in an age when books were so scarce, comparatively speaking, that but little of the pernicious in literature was tolerated. But in these days it is different. Your boys thirst for a knowledge of the world, and if you don't give them some wholesome reading to slake that thirst, they will get hold of cheap, sensational stories that will poison their minds and do them terrible injury.

There is such a vast amount of this trashy stuff being poured into the market at the present time, that it is a relief to pick up a new book that is at once thrilling, romantic, wholesome, pure and true.

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Boston Theatres.

Neil Burgess is making great preparations at the Park Theatre, Boston, for the production of "The County Fair," which he announces will open the early part of September, and continue for the entire theatrical season of 1891-2. He comes to Boston crowned with the laurels of a four years run in New York city, so there is no doubt as to his reception here.

The stage of the Park Theatre has been entirely rebuilt to accommodate the machinery used in the great race effect in which five horses run continuously in full view of the audience for three-quarters of a mile. Many new and elaborate additions have been made to the scenic, mechanical and electrical equipment used in the New York run, and New Englanders may expect to see marvellous effects in this natural and home-like play.

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WINCHESTER.

The *Star* continues to boom lawyer McCall for the Legislature.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moulton were visiting Norway, Maine, last week.

Col. Nat. Richardson is keeping the *Star* people well filled up on harvest apples.

The dullness that pervades the town is getting to be extremely monotonous. —*Star*. Well, I'll be derned!

Editor Wilson of the *Star* has great faith in the Republican Editorial Association of Massachusetts of which he is proud to be a member.

Mrs. Moses A. Herrick's two Maltese kitties which weigh 12 and 14 pounds each still hold the champion's belt. They are beauties.

Turn your attention to the advertisement in THE JOURNAL this week of an auction sale by Mr. George H. Carter. This will be found an excellent opportunity to buy a firstclass cow.

Mr. W. S. Walbridge and family had a very delightful time down at Chatham, from which popular seaport they have returned. If anybody among us deserves a good time most certainly the Walbridge family do.

The Y. M. C. A. have made out a programme for an excellent course of entertainments this fall and winter, the first one to be given on Oct. 20, and to consist of a concert by Dudley Buck of New York, and Jennie Walker of Boston the soprano.

The following are the officers of Waterford Lodge, N. E. O. P.: Warden, Emmons Hatch; Vice-Warden, G. H. Dunham; Treasurer, G. H. Eustis; Secretary, R. T. Davis; Chaplain, J. P. Boutwell; Guide, G. P. Brown; Guardian, M. A. Cummings; Sentinel, W. T. Dotten.

Rev. Dr. Withrow, the famous Chicago divine, formerly for many years pastor of the Park Street Church ("Brimstone Corner"), Boston, preached at the Congregational Church last Sunday. The Mendelssohn Quartet of Boston furnished splendid music. Mr. George H. Gilbert is entitled to the credit of getting these pulpit and musical stars to come to Winchester.

We have two Dr. Churches in this town, viz: Dr. Benjamin T. Church and Dr. Adaline B. Church. These two popular and successful physicians are very nearly related to each other by marriage and occupy front seats in the best Winchester society. I think Dr. Adaline is in Europe at the present time perfecting herself in her profession. Two or three times before now she has been over to the other side to study in French and German Medical Schools, Hospitals, etc., for she is an ambitious woman and don't intend to let anybody surpass her in a knowledge of medicine and surgery. Dr. Adaline has Boston and Winchester offices and Dr. Benjamin has a Winchester and Woburn office. They are homeopathic M. Ds.

The reception given by Mr. George H. Gilbert at his delightful home, "Sunnyside," last Monday in honor of the 86th birthday of his aunt, Miss Lavinia Farnham, which occurred Sunday, was a rare social event. About 250 guests came from Winchester, North Andover and Boston to tender their congratulations to the esteemed lady, who assisted by her venerable sister, Mrs. Susan J. Smith, received the guests with all the ease and courtesy of a matron half her years. The parlors and other rooms were adorned with roses, asters and gladioli, and an elegant collation was spread in the dining room. Miss Farnham was the recipient of many beautiful gifts and messages of congratulation, of which she prizes none more highly than the following poem, written for the occasion by her devoted friend, Rev. J. E. Rankin, D.D., LL. D., President of Howard University, Washington, D. C. It is called "Rip'ning Heavenward."

Rip'ning heavenward, day by day,
Yielding to the harvest ray,
Walking as in raiment white,
Ready for the sickle, quite.
Till the angel reapers come,
And shall wake the harvest home.
Rip'ning heavenward, year by year,
Till my gracious Lord appear;
Till he clothe me with his grace,
And I see him, face to face.
Robe me in the spotless dress
Of his perfect righteousness.

Rip'ning heavenward, be it mine,
Through his blood, and grace divine;
Loins well girt, and staff in hand,
Nearing my Emanual's land
Till these sometimes weary feet
Tread, at length, the golden street.

Miss Lavina Farnham who has been as a mother to Mr. George H. Gilbert, his own mother dying at the early age of 24 years, will on Sunday, 16th inst., be 85 years of age. It seems most appropriate that her pastor for so many years in Boston, Rev. Dr. Withrow, could preach here on this anniversary day. To further commemorate the event, Mr. Gilbert has secured the finest male quartette in Boston, to sing on this occasion. The quartette consists of Messrs. George W. Want, Dovid M. Babcock, Joseph L. White and Thomas L. Cushman. With Rev. Dr. Withrow of Chicago to do the preaching and the Mendelssohn Male Quartette of Boston, to do the singing, there should not be many empty seats at the Congregational Church on Sunday.—*Star*. And besides all that Mr. Gilbert is one of the most public spirited men in Winchester.

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GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Lawrence W. Slattery and John G. Maguire, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed made by Moses A. Tyler to John M. Harlow, dated August 6, 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1676, Fol. 324, for breach of the condition of said mortgage in the non-payment of principal of the debt thereby secured to be paid, and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the first parcel of land hereafter described, on **Tuesday, the eighth day of September, A. D., 1891,** at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—

First: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about a half mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, and on the easterly side of Main street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Main street, and there measuring about one hundred and two feet; northerly by land of Nathan J. Simonds, about one hundred and fifty feet; easterly by land of Michael McCue, and a private way about one hundred and twenty-six feet; southerly by land of Jonathan Garland, about forty-five feet; then easterly still by said Garland's land, about seventy-eight feet; then southerly about forty-five feet, on and by Fowle street; thence westerly by land of Thomas Richardson, about seventy-eight feet; thence southerly still by land of said T. Richardson, about sixty feet to Main street. This first described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz: A first mortgage of fourteen hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated January 1, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1498, Fol. 408; also, a second mortgage of two hundred and seventy-five dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated March 16, 1885, and recorded with said Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1625, Fol. 466: also, subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages and unpaid taxes. There is excepted from said first described parcel a lot fronting on Fowle street, which has been released from said mortgages by release deed from said Harlow to Sarah M. Tyler, et. al., dated June 12, 1886, and recorded with said Middlesex Deeds, Lib. 1750, Fol. 146. Said released lot is bounded as follows: Beginning on the northerly side of Fowle street the line runs northerly through the middle of the dwelling house, the westerly half of which is on the released piece, to the back side thereof; thence north thirteen (13) degrees east two rods and fourteen links to land formerly of M. A. Tyler; thence north sixty-nine degrees west by said land last named three rods and ten links; thence south five degrees west by land formerly of Thomas Richardson now or formerly of George J. Munroe five rods and eighteen links to said Fowle street; thence south eighty-four degrees and thirty-nine minutes east by Fowle street to the point of beginning.

Second: A certain other lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about one mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, containing about twenty-three thousand six hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Pond street at land of one Fahay; from thence the line runs southerly by said Fahay's land two hundred and forty feet to land now or formerly belonging to one Pickering; thence the line turns and runs westerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-one and eight-tenths feet to a private street running southerly from said Pond street forty feet wide; thence northerly by said private street one hundred feet to said Pickering's land; thence easterly by last named land seventy-two feet to a corner; from thence the line runs northerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-seven and five-tenths feet to said Pond street; thence easterly on and by said Pond street to the point of beginning. The second described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz:—A first mortgage of six hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated May 12, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1569, Fol. 584. Also a second mortgage of eight hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated Nov. 25, 1880, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1556, Fol. 87; also subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages, and unpaid taxes.

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HE IS THE BREAD OF LIFE

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Text of the Lesson, John vi, 26-40—Commit Verses, 33-35—Golden Text, John vi, 34—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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26. "Jesus answered them and said, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Ye seek me, not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves and were filled."

He reads their hearts, He sees their blindness, and that their only thought is for food for the body. Were they not very like multitudes in our own day, and like very many who bear the name of Jesus, but yet are wholly given up to laboring merely for food and raiment?

27. "Labor not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of Man shall give unto you."

We are reminded of the question in Isa. lv, 2, "Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread? And your labor for that which satisfieth not? Hearken diligently unto Me, and eat ye that which is good, and let your soul delight itself in fatness."

"For Him hath God the Father sealed."

This is given as the reason why the Son of Man is qualified to give the meat which endureth. By comparing Eph. i, 13; iv, 30, with Acts x, 38; John iii, 33, 34, it seems to refer to His being sent by the Father and filled with the Spirit. These are our qualifications also.

28. "Then said they unto Him, What shall we do that we might work the works of God?"

He spoke of giving them enduring meat as His gift. They talk of doing something, so blind were they and so blind are we to God's way. How much had they done in the matter of being fed a little while before on the other side of the sea?

29. "Jesus answered and said unto them, This is the work of God, that ye believe on Him whom He hath sent."

They spoke of doing the works of God, He speaks of the work of God, for it is impossible for God to work through instruments which He does not control. To believe on Him is to receive Him (John i, 12).

30. "They said, therefore, unto Him, What sign showest Thou, then, that we may see and believe Thee? What dost Thou work?"

It does not seem possible that those who had so recently witnessed the multiplication of five loaves and two fishes to feed five thousand men could ask for a sign.

31. "Our fathers did eat manna in the desert; as it is written, He gave them bread from heaven to eat."

Reminding Him that in the wilderness the people were fed with manna every day, and doubtless saying in their hearts, "You fed us yesterday, it is true, but now feed us again today, as Moses did our fathers."

32. "Then Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Moses gave you not that bread from heaven; but my Father giveth you the true bread from heaven."

He would direct their thoughts not to Moses, nor even to Himself, but to the Father in heaven. This he always did.

33. "For the bread of God is He which cometh down from heaven and giveth life unto the world."

Bread is mentioned in this chapter sixteen times, and at least ten times it refers to the True Bread. By considering verses 32, 33, 34, 35, 41, 48, 50, 51, 58, and their context, it will be seen that He is Himself the True Bread, and that we are to eat Him, or eat His flesh and drink His blood (verses 53-56), which, by comparing verses 54 and 47, will be seen to mean that we are to believe on Him, for there are not two ways of obtaining eternal life.

34. "Then said they unto Him, Lord, evermore give us this bread."

Like the woman at the well, who said, "Sir, give me this water, that I thirst not, neither come hither to draw" (chapter iv, 15), she thought only of natural water, and they think only of natural bread.

35. "And Jesus said unto them, I am the bread of life; he that cometh to me shall never hunger, and he that believeth on me shall never thirst."

Continuing the thoughts of the last verse that He is our forgiveness, our peace, our assurance, our salvation, read such words as Eph. i, 6, 7; ii, 14; II Tim i, 12; Isa. xii, 2, and do as the people did with the words of Hezekiah, rest yourself upon these words (II Chron. xxxii, 8) and you will know the meaning of this verse of our lesson. "Hunger and thirst" is a phrase embracing all individual needs and unsatisfied desires of man, in all their variety.

36. "But I said unto you, That ye also have seen me and believe not."

"There are some of you that believe not." "Ye will not come to me." "How often would I, and ye would not." "In returning and rest shall ye be saved, and ye would not." "They despised the pleasant land; they believed not His word." "They could not enter in because of unbelief" (verse 64; chapter v, 40; Matt. xxiii, 37; Isa. xxx, 15; Ps. cvi, 24; Heb. iii, 19). Such is the sad refrain all through Scripture, while the loving, tender heart of God is seen in such words as these, "Oh, that my people had hearkened unto me, and Israel had walked in my ways! * * * He should have fed them also with the finest of the wheat, and with honey out of the rock should I have satisfied thee" (Ps. lxxxi, 13-16).

37. "All that the Father giveth me shall come to me, and him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out."

The last part of this verse is familiar to all Bible readers and gospel hearers, and has given rest to many a soul which, having come to Christ, has gone on rejoicing and saying, "Thank God I am not cast out, I have His word for it; and if not cast out I am cast in, I am saved."

38. "For I came down from heaven, not to do mine own will, but the will of Him that sent me."

He sought not His own will, but the will of God the Father, which He delighted to do (Ps. xl, 8). He sought not his own glory, but in all things glorified God (chapter viii, 50; xvii, 4).

39. "And this is the Father's will which hath sent me, that of all which He hath given me I should lose nothing, but should raise it up again at the last day."

The elect will not enjoy perfected redemption till the resurrection of the just at the coming of Christ for His saints (Luke xiv, 14; I Thess. iv, 16-18).

40. "And this is the will of Him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son and believeth on Him may have everlasting life, and I will raise him up at the last day."

The Lord is not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance (II Pet. iii, 9). He has provided redemption for all in the gift of His Son, that whosoever believeth should not perish, but have everlasting life (John iii, 16).

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

It is practically a tax rate of $16.80 instead of one of 12.60 over which Boston Democratic politicians pretend to be exulting. It will be a sad day for the local machine when the real truth about this double dealing gets to the people.

"GOD BLESS YOU!"

The phrase is trite; the insincere
And heartless glibly use it,
And often hypocrites austere
To aid their projects choose it;
But when 'tis spoken from the heart,
While griefs and cares oppress you,
The sun appears, the clouds depart—
That common phrase, God bless you!

Life often is a dreary road,
Where thorns and briers beset you,
And while you stagger 'neath your load
Small troubles sting and fret you.
It lights the eye and dries the tear,
When all these ills distress you,
If from a friendly voice you hear
The common phrase, God bless you!

And often when the heart would speak
Its impulse sweet and tender,
And other words are all too weak
Its meaning deep to render,
Or gratitude a medium seeks
In which it would address you,
Then in the phrase a volume speaks—
The common phrase, God bless you!

—Cape Cod Item.

Baboon and Rat.

A curiosity in the way of baboons is offered out at the zoological garden, the name of the eccentric animal being Rocks. Until lately Rocks had the reputation of being a quite well behaved inhabitant of the "zoo," but recently he developed an astonishing love for rats, and in consequence it is almost impossible to keep the place free from the infesting rodents. The baboon is fed on sweet potatoes, and it is customary when mealtime comes for him to break a piece off of a potato and throw it in a corner which he knows is a den of rats, thus endeavoring to entice them from their lair to become his playmates.

When within his reach he fondles them in his own burly manner, which is none too gentle, and not knowing the frailty of the little beast he actually kills them with kindness. Finding the diminutive rodent lifeless it is Rocks' turn to mourn, and he immediately seeks a hiding place for the body in the straw which litters his cage. When the keeper comes to remove the corpse the baboon has the rat well concealed, and is loath to part with it. He barks and sets up a terrible howling, and it requires the combined strength of three keepers to deprive Rocks of his treasure.—Philadelphia North American.

Men and Their Barbers.

Men are often more fussy and particular about insignificant things than women. There are thousands of men in New York who go miles out of their way to get shaved. I know men who come down on the elevated, and who get off at some intermediate point to patronize a favorite barber. They have done so for years. The array of private cups in any shop illustrates the strength of this shaving habit. When a busy business man will sit half an hour in one of these shops and fumble the flash papers while he waits for his particular tonsorial artist to be at liberty, it strengthens the conviction that he is weaker than a woman. The man who doesn't learn to shave himself while his beard is young is laying up a life of slavery to public barbers. In the course of an ordinarily long lifetime he will spend about three years sitting around a barber shop and a year or two more going and coming.—New York Herald.

The Lip in Dental Operations.

A late invention in dental practice is the device for protecting the lower lip of the patient while operating. It consists of a suitably shaped strip of German silver plate, bent to form when placed in position an inverted letter L. A soft rubber pad is held within the bent portion, which is detachable, and is intended to rest upon the teeth to render the device more comfortable and secure. A loop of braid is attached to the lower end, by which the patient can hold the appliance firmly in place. Though designed mainly to protect the patient's lip, this device also protects the fingers of the dentist from the cutting edges of the lower teeth, assists in keeping the mouth open, and possibly partially distracts the mind of the patient from the operation.—New York Telegram.

Negroes in Heaven.

"I knew an Irishman in Amesbury," Mr. Whittier said, his eyes twinkling at the remembrance, "who was very much opposed to social equality for the negro. I said to him: 'But there are many Catholic negroes in Brazil, the West Indies and other places. Thy church accounts of them as it does of thee. And thee'll have to come to it in heaven. Thee'll have to meet the negroes there on equal terms.' I thought that I had silenced him with an unanswerable argument. He sat musing for a moment, then looking up at me, 'And can't the Lord make them white in heaven, Mr. Whittier?'"—Boston Pilot.

Every new watch needs careful regulation when it comes in contact with the bodily magnetism of the wearer. Even a change from one man to another will throw out the regulation of a fine watch. Care and some common sense are required.

Among the curiosities on exhibition in the British museum is a Chinese bank note issued during the reign of the Emperor Hung Wu, A. D., 1368 99 This is supposed to be the earliest specimen of a bank note in existence.

Sarasate, the violinist, is a small man of swarthy complexion and black hair He is a Spaniard by birth, and is forty seven years old. He is extravagantly popular in his native town, to which he pays an annual visit.

On the destruction of the hair follicles through a bruise or abrasion of the scalp a free application of oil to the part may result in producing hair of the normal color.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is to-day enjoying good health. If you have any Throat, Lung or Chest Trouble try try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

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USEFULNESS OF SWIMMING.

A Professor That Taught the Art and Yet Could Not Swim Himself.

In my boyhood days water never had any love for me. Whenever I used to go with my playmates to take a bath in the creek near the town where I was born, it would do all in its power to envelop me and draw me down to the bottom. I shunned it.

But a distressing incident changed my determination never to go near water again. I was crossing the old wooden bridge that spanned the creek near our house, when a woman and her child fell into the creek. Both were being rapidly swept away by the strong current and I jumped into the creek. I reached the side of the woman, how I do not know today, and tried to pull them toward the shore, but the antipathy of the water was again aroused and I felt myself sinking. Passers by rescued us and I was the guy of the whole town. Even today some of my friends remind me of that occasion.

Then I swore that I would learn to swim. Not far from where I lived was a school for swimming conducted by a corpulent, good natured gentleman, known as the "Professor." It was to him I went.

He made some sarcastic remarks about the inability of a young man of my age to swim. The first lesson came. A rope was tied around my waist and the professor held the end of it. The first thing I knew I was floundering at the bottom of the tank, gasping for breath. That good natured professor had thrown me into the water. I tried to cry out to him to pull me out, but my mouth filled with water. Presently I felt myself drawn to the surface, and the professor politely asked me how I enjoyed it. I calmed my wrath and told him it was the happiest day of my life. "Now," said he, "you do the strokes as I count."

"One, two, three. One, two, three."

A little more of that and the first lesson was over. So it went on for ten lessons, the professor never missing the chance to pitch me into the tank when I wasn't looking. I made rapid progress and was soon able to swim without anybody's assistance, although the professor still persisted in having the rope around my waist.

It was near my last lesson. The professor and I were alone in the school. He was busily engaged in beating time with his hand—"One, two, three"—and I was doing the strokes. Suddenly there was a heavy splash beside me that sent the water high in the air. The professor had fallen into the water. I had never yet caught him in the water and I felt that it was my chance now to get even with him for always ducking me so unceremoniously. His big, fat head presently appeared on the surface, and I was rather surprised at the peculiar strokes he was making—strokes so different from those he taught the pupils.

"For heaven's sake, save me," he cried. "I'll drown."

"Are you crazy?" said I. "Why should I save you?" I was afraid that he had some trick ready to play upon me.

"Don't stay there and look at me," he whimpered. "I cannot swim."

"You can't swim! Why, you are a professor of swimming."

"Yes," he cried, "but I only teach by theory; I never could swim myself." I crawled out of the water and laughed aloud. Was there ever anything to equal this? A teacher of a swimming school not able to swim himself.

My turn had come now. I called in all the pupils and explained the situation to them, and we looked at him helpless in the water and only greeted his cries for help with derision. However, when there was really danger of his drowning we pulled him out, and it is needless to say that there was no swimming school in that town after that. But although I was taught to swim by a professor who was only a master of the theoretical knowledge of that art, I became an expert at it, and I am happy to say that I was never guyed again after we had saved the swimming teacher from drowning in his own tank.—New York Herald.

A Druggist's Customers.

Retail druggists have two classes of patrons whose patronage does not help swell the profits of the business, and yet these patrons are very numerous. They are the people who ask, "May I look at your city directory?" and "Will you please sell me a postage stamp?" All drug store proprietors are slaves to the custom of keeping a city directory for public use, and but few of them can give any good reason why they should do so any more than retail grocers or the keepers of cigar shops. But the relentless slot machine has interposed between the apothecary's profitless good nature and the postage stamp and city directory patrons. An automatic clasp is now attached to the city directory, with this businesslike inscription across its face, "Drop one cent in the slot and it will open," and in many drug stores will be found a neat little case inscribed, "Drop in a nickel for two two-cent postage stamps."—New York Times.

A Way to Clean Gold Rings.

To remove quicksilver from gold rings, hold the rings over the flame of a candle until they are covered with smoke, then take half a teacupful of boiling water, pour in two teaspoonsful of vinegar, half a teaspoonful of salt, and three grains of zinc. Stir them together and put in the rings, let them stay in the liquid for three days. Then take out and rub off with a piece of chamois skin.—Detroit Free Press.

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PADDLE WHEELS OR SCREWS.

Reasons Why the Screw Is Superior for the Long Voyages of Steamers.

The paddle wheel was obviously the first instrument accepted by the early engineers as a means of propulsion. Long after the experiment of H. B. M. S. Rattler had demonstrated the contrary the public faith in the visible wheel was greater in reality and more sincere than that in the invisible screw, and it is probable that it was more the question of cost than anything else that gained the victory for the screw for ocean and general service.

The paddle engine is in itself heavier and occupies more room than the screw engine. It is as a rule more expressive per I. H. P., and in wear and tear—especially of the propeller itself—it far exceeds the screw. It occupies the best part of the ship, and its position is not a matter of choice, as with the screw engine, but is of necessity at or near the middle of the ship. It is evident that a paddle steamer must require more room, and that in moving among ships or other obstructions the liability to damage the propeller is greater than with the screw steamer, and in the case of a long voyage the paddle generally worked at a disadvantage, as at the commencement it was too deeply immersed and at the end not immersed enough for efficient working.

If the sails were set so as to steady the vessel, or if set in sufficient quantity to be of any use in quickening the speed, she was inclined until the lee wheel was "buried" and the "weather" wheel doing very little work, besides there being a general tendency on the part of the ship to turn around, which had to be counterbalanced by the rudder. The race of water from the wheels past the ship being at a high velocity, and raised above the normal level, causes a resistance to the ship beyond that due to her passage through the water, as in the case of a screw ship.

On the other hand, the paddle boat is more readily got into motion and her speed more rapidly arrested than is the case with the screw steamer; and it is claimed for the paddle wheel—although the foundation for such a claim is rather nebulous—that when at full speed the ship is prevented from excessive rolling.—A. E. Seaton in Scribner's.

Paraguayan Ideas of Work.

A French gentleman who has organized a colony called Villa Sana, about twenty leagues northeast of Villa Concepcion, on land belonging to the Paraguayo-Argentine Land company, told me that in the beginning, when he went to survey the ground and to ascertain its exact whereabouts—always a troublesome business in these countries, where there is as yet no topographical survey—he had the greatest difficulty in inducing half a dozen Paraguayans to accompany him. They told him that he would never find the land, that he would be unable to cross the river Aquidaban, and, in short, that his was a wild goose chase. However, when they arrived at the river and the Frenchman simply jumped in and swam across, their amour propre was touched and they swam after him.

These half dozen Paraguayans have remained attached to the colony, but they have lost the esteem of their countrymen. When after the exploring expedition, our Frenchman started from Villa Concepcion with his sixty colonists and his train of bullock carts and impedimenta, the loafers of the town said to the few Paraguayans who accompanied him and were helping in the loading, "What? Are you as big fools as those Europeans, to work like that?"—Theodore Child in Harper's.

Wanamaker's New Office Desk.

A unique feature has been added to his office desk, the addition being the suggestion of Mr. Wanamaker and the outgrowth of his daily experience in the administration of his exacting office. Instead of the usual cloth top a large plate glass covers the surface of the desk, and beneath it is a map of the United States, showing parts of Canada and Mexico.

A writing pad rests upon the glass, and there are the customary fittings, as well as the papers, which are usually found in the workshop of a busy man like Mr. Wanamaker. The map shows the counties in each state, the principal cities and towns, the lines of railways, etc., and when visitors talk to Mr. Wanamaker about the post routes and postoffices he can follow them on the map which is spread out before his eyes as he sits at his desk.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Colleges and Degrees.

Nothing cheapens the college more than the careless conferring of degrees. To degrade a degree into a mere personal compliment, without due regard to its essential propriety, is to wound education in the house of its friends. This sensitiveness of the leaders of education to the subject of degrees is a sign of the deeper interest in the higher education. But it must not be forgotten that the phrase is not exact. There is no point at which primary education ends and higher education begins. Secondary education is only more education.—Harper's Weekly.

Looking for New Books.

The other day a visitor entered the public library and passed some time in looking at the list of new books. Then he went to the counter and in a few moments the Librarian stepped along to attend to his wants. Some time was passed in inquiring about the latest publications, when he suddenly asked: "Have you any late books by Charles Dickens?"—Bangor Commercial.

I have had catarrh for twenty years, and used all kinds of remedies without relief. Mr. Smith, druggist, of Little Falls, recommended Ely's Cream Balm. The effect of the first application was magical, it allayed the inflammation and the next morning my head was as clear as a bell. I am convinced its use will effect a permanent cure. It is soothing and pleasant, and I strongly urge its use by all sufferers.—Geo. Terry, Little Falls, N. Y.

Chicago shopgirls' pay averages from $2.50 to $4 weekly.

SOCIAL WORK FOR SINGLE MEN.

The Part That the Bachelor Masters of Ceremony Play in Japan.

Whenever a festival came to pass the arrangements fell into the hands of a special class of the community called wakaishi. These were in fact the bachelors of the community. They formed a sort of society or guild, and no one could be admitted without proper indorsement and a vote of acceptance. They were rather a wild set; they could not be called industrious, and the wineshop was the favorite rendezvous of these pleasure loving youths.

A merchant who had an eye to his son's future would seldom consent to his joining the band; and it was thus more numerous where artisans, whose sons had greater liberty, were more plentiful. But Japan is a marrying country; very few men, and still fewer women, continue long unmated; and no cho contained more than fifteen or twenty wakaishi. There were two or three classes; one class was well off, and was expected to spend money handsomely; the others possessed less and were called on for less. It was into the hands of this gay company that the arrangements for merry making were always placed. The occupation was a congenial one, and this disposition of it came about naturally enough.

There was one part of the duties, however, which was not very pleasant—was, in fact, according to Japanese ideas, even a little debasing. This was the soliciting of contributions for festival expenses. The wakaishi played the disagreeable part in old Japanese life that the book agent and campaign fund collector play with us. As a festival approached the wakaishi went to the sahai-nin and the house owners, and received general directions about the mode of celebration. Then a number went the rounds to collect subscriptions. Everybody knew how much his neighbor was worth, and each was asked to give a certain sum, according to his means.—J. H. Wigmore in Scribner's.

Soldiers' Yarns.

It was in one of the soldiers' homes scattered over the country, and those familiar with the spirit there prevailing know that of all spots where questions of military merit are tenaciously discussed these are the most remarkable. Leaving out the earnestly fought arguments relative to the abilities of particular generals, the doings of special corps or regiments, the interest with which many individuals insist upon their personally having been more or less of a pivot upon which the fate of a battle if not the whole war turned, must be seen to be appreciated.

In this instance, that it was just after Decoration Day, when campaign memories are especially active and access to the outer world with its mellowing influences is easier, may have had something to do with it. But it goes upon record that never were three veterans—all belonging to different regiments—more strenuously self assertive regarding the parts they had played in the whole unpleasantness.

It had gone from simple facts to the farthest kind of long bow shooting all the way home. "Do you know," finally cried the one with the crutch, breaking down all vocal opposition, "at the first Bull Run I remember shooting thirteen of 'em at a stretch!"—Philadelphia Times.

Boot Polishing Machine.

A machine has been patented for use in the office or the home which will enable the matutinal "shine" to be achieved under new conditions of ease and economy. The machine is so constructed that the operator can seat himself in front of it, place his feet on the rests each side of a rotary roller, brush the inner sides at the same time, and by alternating the feet from one rest to the other enable the whole surface of the shoe to be effectively polished.

Underneath the brush is a depressible foot plate set on springs to afford easy position for finishing the top of the shoe. A belt from a driving wheel engages with a V-grooved wheel on the shaft of the brush and drives it at a multiplied speed. The shoes are cleaned of dust or dried mud very quickly, and the blacking is applied in the usual manner by a daubing brush, after which the polishing process is quickly completed.—New York Telegram.

Africans Wash but Never Wipe.

Great attention is given in most of the African tribes to the care of the body. The teeth are cleansed with a stick which has been chewed into a kind of a brush. The hands are washed frequently, not by turning and twisting and rubbing them together one within the other, as with us, but by a straight up and down rubbing, such as is given to the other limbs. This manner of washing is so characteristic that an African might be distinguished by it from a European without reference to the color. The sun is their only towel.—Paul Reichard in Popular Science Monthly.

Write Short Letters.

A young woman in Pennsylvania took a novel way of selecting a husband from her choice of six admirers. She bade each one write her a letter setting forth his proposal in due form. When the letters came they ranged in length from six lines to six pages. The young woman, believing brevity to be the soul of wit, chose the shortest epistle, which ran thus:

"I will always try to do my duty as a faithful husband."

The directness of this epistle won her heart and she has married the writer.—Detroit Free Press.

See What

The well-known manager of excursions to Washington, California, and the White Mountains, I. A. Whitcomb, says: I have never had anything do me so much good as your Sulphur Bitters. It is the best spring medicine I ever used. I would advise all who suffer from biliousness and dyspepsia to use Sulphur Bitters, for I know they cured me.

At Boston seamen on steamers get $25 a month; firemen, $30.

Woes of a Married Man.

Two old fellows were in the seat behind me in the car. They had just met by accident, after a long separation, and having discussed the weather, the crops and the Farmers' Alliance, they fell upon domestic matters.

"You married a Grayling, didn't you?" asked one.

"Yes, my first woman was a Grayling. Good woman too."

"Yes, I bet she was good if she was one of old Hiram Grayling's girls."

"Well, she wasn't as good to work as some of the other girls. Now when it come to pickin' bresh and helpin' with the clearin' she wasn't much good; said her back give out, and all that."

"Naw," said the other sympathetically.

"Yes; but then she was better than most women. I didn't do as well the last time."

"Is that so? Le's see—who did you marry last time?"

"I married that girl of Ben Evans', you know—the one who used to look so healthy. She got sick with typhoid fever right after harvest, two years ago, and lost all her hair. When she got well she was always dingin' at me for money to buy a switch. Now, my wife had on a good switch when she died, and we didn't even put it in the coffin with her. But do you think that Evans woman would put the thing on her head! No, sir. She said if I couldn't afford as many hair switches as I could wives I might go to grass. Just goes on talkin' that way, you know."

"Too bad," said the other man. "She'll be wanting a new coffin all to herself, the next thing you know."—Chicago Herald.

Charity Misapplied.

The superintendent of a children's charity institution remarked: "Ah, there is one lady of fashion in this city whose goodness of heart is certainly without a parallel among her set. I can't tell you her name, because she objects strongly to having her kind deeds known. She is a true Christian at work, even if she does dance a great many nights away and own a fortune's worth of diamonds."

"Does the lady give a lot of money to the institution?" the superintendent was asked.

"Oh, no," he replied, "she doesn't give money to us, but she labors for us. She does indeed. She cooks for us continually. Every day there are pies and cakes and puddings sent in to the children from her, and I have proof that they are all made by the lady herself. How she ever finds time for it all is more than I can explain. Only a few moments ago I received here two dozen custard pies, four suet puddings and six sheets of sponge cake, with this note saying that she had just baked them all and hoped the children would enjoy them."

"And they just will enjoy them, won't they?" said the listener.

"Well, no," replied the superintendent. "You see, they won't eat them."

"Won't eat them?"

"No. That's the only trouble with this good, charitable lady. No one can eat anything she cooks."—New York Sun.

Might Have Been a G. C. B.

No incident in Disraeli's career is more pleasant than his offer of a pension and a G. C. B. to Carlyle. A friend of Sir William Fraser walked with Carlyle for two hours on the day on which Disraeli's letter arrived. Carlyle described the letter being brought to him by a treasury messenger, the large black seal, his wonder as to what the official envelope could contain, and his great surprise on reading the offer, conveyed in language of consumate tact and delicacy. Carlyle said: "The letter of Disraeli was flattering, generous and magnanimous; his overlooking all that I have said and done against him was great."

He added: "The accurate perception of merit in others is one of the highest characteristics of a fine intellect. I should not have given Disraeli credit for possessing it had it not been brought home so directly to me." He repeated the words "generous" and "magnanimous" several times. Disraeli's letter, by the way, though it entirely deserves the praises above quoted for its tact and delicacy, is by no means impeachable in grammar, for it contains within a dozen lines two instances of the hanging "and which."—Pall Mall Budget.

Outside and Inside.

The ingenuity of people who think they are ill when they are not quite triumphs over any external evidence of health.

A very stout German workman went to a physician in the west and complained of being very unwell.

"But," said the doctor, "if you are sick it has not prevented you from getting pretty comfortably fat."

"Oh, dot fat!" said the German. "Yes, I am fat on de outside, but on de eenside, ach! I am so poor!"—Youth's Companion.

A Brave and Simple "No."

The American captain was asked why, with his ship in extremity and the waves washing men overboard, he had suddenly hauled down his flag of distress. He and his crew had seen that the British steamer was lowering one of her boats (it rescued them) and had doubted whether a boat could live in that sea. "I said then to my men, 'Shall we let those brave fellows risk their lives to save ours?' and they said 'No!' Then I hauled down the flag."—Academy.

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Woman's Column.

Mrs. Hayes and Her Child.

The daily papers of the country lately told how a drunken and brutal husband took his two-year-old child from its mother and hid it in Canada. They told how the mother found it after months of search, a poor little neglected child, still wearing the one dress, all in tatters and dirt, which it had on when it was stolen away. They told how the mother was pursued by men with pitchforks, and how at the trial Canadian law still left the child with the father (*such* a father!) while the mother, by every testimony, was an excellent woman.

There are only six States in the Union where the same thing might not occur. So long as women excuse themselves, say they have all the rights they want, and neglect or refuse to lend a hand to the movement for the equal rights of women, there is no hope of a change in the law to protect mothers in their right to their children, or to secure other sacred rights. The legislature of Massachusetts, and those of other States, have long been asked that mothers may have an equal legal right to the children with their fathers, so that neither may dispose of the custody of the child without the consent of the other. But we have asked in vain. Women have no votes, and they will ask in vain till they do have votes. The women who have never lent a hand to secure equal rights for women must thank themselves for much of the injustice done to their sex.

Lucy Stone.

A Fatal Mistake.

Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles, the noted Indiana specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease," which may be had free at Chas. H. Buss's who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' unequaled New Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering, dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nervine cures headache, fits, etc.

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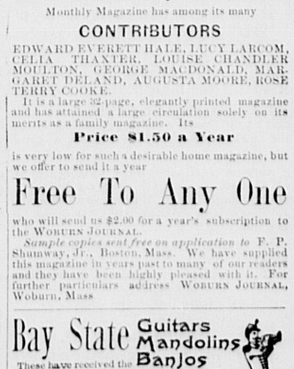

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.26, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P.M. **Return**, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.30, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.55 P. M. **Sunday** at 9.30 A. M., 5.26 P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.06, 7.38, 7.48, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.36, 6.44, 8.03, P. M. **Sunday** at 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.37, 6.42, P. M. **Return** at 6.35, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M. Sunday, 5.26, P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.30 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M. 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.30, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 6.42 P. M.

For Tilton, Laconia, Meredith, Ashland, Weirs, and Plymouth, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 4.30, 6.42 P. M.

For North of Plymouth and on Passumpsic R. R., 8.30 A. M., 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 7.21, 8.03, 8.23, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 11.59, A. M., 12.37, 1.24, 2.19, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.51, 5 55, 6.23, 6.34, 7.05, 7.50, 9.25, 10.22, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.26, A. M., 1.08, 2.41, 4.27, 5.19, 8.13, 9.29, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.30, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10.40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

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RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 8, 9, 10, 11, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, P. M.

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SOME PICTURES FROM LIFE.

BY A CITY MINISTER.

"There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death."

I have somewhere seen some pictures drawn from human life. The place and the author are forgotten. But the pictures themselves are indelibly impressed upon my memory. And they are so true to life, as we find it in some portions of our city, that I make bold to pen in my own language the ideas of another.

SCENE I.

It is the Sabbath. Its holy calm rests on sea and land.

The silvery tones of a church bell ring sweetly upon the evening air. Well-dressed people pass in through the door and take their places in the cushioned pews. The choir sings, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of the Lord."

The minister preaches of Heaven to-night; and as he warms with his theme, men and women who came in burdened with care and sorrow forget it, and bask for a while in the borrowed glory of that sinless home. As he closes he repeats the text, and how much sweeter and tenderer it seems now than ever before. "There shall in no wise enter it anything that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination or maketh a lie, but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life."

SCENE II.

Almost within the shadow of that church spire, not a block away, shines out upon that same calm Sabbath evening the rosy light of a saloon. It is no low groggery; it is a high-licensed saloon. Some of the officers of the church signed the petition that it might be established. And strange as it may seem, ministers are not wanting to defend its being open on the Sabbath.

Sleeping birds hang in gilded cages among the trellised vines that clamber over the door. The aroma of flowers breathes from its decorated windows; and floating out upon the evening air comes the voice of music and song. The song of the care-free. The song of the wine-full. Birds in a saloon! Flowers in a saloon! Music in a saloon! Light and warmth and welcome in a saloon! If this place were advertised as it ought to be, blood mark its portal instead of bloom; skeletons would hang amid its trellised vines; and instead of music and mirth, there would come from within the screams of the maniac and the curses of the damned. But who enter? Look! Young men with light and joy and hope before them. Old men with light and joy and hope behind them. Gray hairs in a saloon! Clustering brown hairs in a saloon!

But look! Who enter now? Men in middle life. Men on whose shoulders rest the responsibilities of matured strong manhood. Men who with voice and pen and hand are shaping the policy of government and the destiny of the nation. These men in a saloon! Oh! what scenes rise before the startled vision. If they could only see the tendency of such a course; the troops of undone duties left behind them; the silent, unconscious influence that go out from them; the imps of darkness that gloat over them; they would never enter the saloon again. But no! they only see the glint and the glitter. They are strong, and they laugh at the fears of others.

The clock strikes twelve; a form rises in the back part of the room and totters across the floor, pauses at the door to cast a half-idiotic glance at the sleek man who pours out the beverage of hell and clinks the money into his coffers. And a sweet boyish face, the pride of some mother's heart, goes out into the night, home. Home! did I say?

SCENE III.

A beautiful mansion. Rich furniture abounds in its apartments. Costly pictures adorn its walls. Art, culture, wealth and love have combined to make it a home indeed.

Father, mother and sisters have long since returned from church. Bright visions of the Heaven of which the minister spoke float round each quiet pillow.

A strong hand grasps the handle. The doorbell rings with such sudden violence as to waken every inmate. That can't be Willie! for he he has a night key. Ah! mother, your boy cannot use the night key to-night. His brain is inactive—locked by the last glass.

Police enter and lay upon the sofa the limp form of a boy just budding into manhood.

"My boy drunk!" falls from the lips of the mother and echoes through the corridors of that home. The father paces the floor in silence; the sisters sit by in tears. How now like mockery seem those pictures the minister drew of Heaven! The police go out, leaving the sorrowful home in silence, broken only by the sobbing of bursting hearts.

SCENE IV.

The church again. The bell is ringing. Not those merry peals that call the happy people to worship. It is the measured tones of the funeral knell. Slowly the people enter and take their places in the pews. In a beautiful casket before the pulpit lies the form of that boy. His beautiful locks parted from a manly brow disclose a dark scar, which tells its own tale—the work of the last glass.

The minister begins to read, "I am the resurrection and the life." But there echo and re-echo above these words—Does that mother hear, she who had borne that boy in sorrow, and guided his infant steps? Does that father hear whose heart is crushed and bleeding by the disgraceful death of an only son? Do those sisters hear? The minister continues: "He that believeth in Me, though he were dead"—but louder and still louder echo the wards, "No drunkard shall inherit the kingdom of God." Yes. "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death."—*Christian Intelligencer.*

Practical Southern Chivalry.

A Virginia correspondent of the *Woman's Journal* says:

"A curious incident occurred recently in my own experience. I had befriended, in a small way, a poor woman living near here, giving her odd jobs, etc. I knew nothing whatever of her private life; but judging from appearances, she had very many children and very few clothes. She always arrived with two or three begrimmed little objects trailing after her at short distances. One day, however, she came without any children, and in a great state of perturbation. She sat down, and in queer mountain dialect gave me a glimpse of another life. It seemed she had married since last I saw her. Poor soul! Who can blame her for any experiment, however hazardous? The man proved to be worthless. In the very flush of the honeymoon, he had beaten one of her little girls "nigh on to death." So she decided to leave him, mother-love proving stronger than even this elusive grasp after happiness. She was then busy moving her few effects from his cabin to one she had rented.

"He can't keep my plunder," she said, "like my first man could; and I can still make a home for my young 'uns. Thank God, the law is I can keep what I work for; he can't tech it!"

I sat there amazed. This poor stupid working woman thanking God for a law I never dreamed she had even heard of! It is a recent law passed by the Virginia Legislature, giving a wife her earnings. Yet here it was, giving hope in life, and a refuge and home, to this poor woman and her helpless children.

This is the class that suffers and has suffered, without hope or redress, from unjust inequality in the law, in the old days of the Common Law, when Blackstone described so cheerily how big the stick must be with which a man must beat his wife. The ladies were protected by the spirit of chivalry, infinitely higher than the law.

Sudden Deaths.

Heart disease is by far the most frequent cause of sudden death, which in three out of four cases is unsuspected. The symptoms are not generally understood. These are: a habit of lying on the right side, short breath, pain or distress in side, back or shoulder, irregular pulse, asthma, weak and hungry spells, wind in stomach, swelling of ankles or dropsy, oppression, dry cough and smothering. Dr. Miles' illustrated book on Heart Disease, free at Chas. H. Rust's, who sell and guarantee Dr. Miles' unequalled New Heart Cure, and his Restorative Nervine, which cures nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, effects of drinking, etc. It contains no opiates.

We are getting nowadays a great many "unsolicited testimonials," so to speak, to the products of American manufacturers. The latest is the letter from Mr. Johnstone, Secretary of the British Legation at Washington, admonishing intending British exhibitors at Chicago to send over only goods of the finest quality and workmanship, as the United States is able to undersell all of the cheaper manufactures.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter four years old. Last April she was taken down with Measles, followed with a dreadful Cough and turning into a Fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated her, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get trial bottle free at F. E. Lovell's Drugstore.

IN THE WATER WITH A RATTLER.

Wiley Pressed the Button and the Snake Came Near Doing the Rest.

J. C. Wiley, of Brooklyn, who had been enjoying his outing in the vicinity of Blood's, this county, was a passenger homeward bound on Erie train 8. Mr. Wiley told a reporter at the depot that he was going home a week before his outing was over because he had a little experience with a rattlesnake on the Cohocton that had rather unnerved him.

"I was trout fishing Saturday," said Mr. Wiley, "and was wading down the stream with tolerably good success with the trout, when just ahead of me I saw a snake swimming the creek. I didn't notice what kind of a snake it was, but reaching down in the water I found a good sized flat stone and tossed it at the snake. My aim was so good that the stone struck the snake near or on the head, and carrying it to the bottom with its weight pinned it there. The head was held tight beneath the stone, but the tail and a couple of feet of the body were thrust above the surface, where they thrashed about furiously, and I discovered that the reptile was a rattlesnake.

"Acting on the impulse of the moment I did then probably as foolish a thing as any man ever did. I stepped to where the snake's noisy tail and writhing body were lashing about in the water, and seizing the tail jerked the snake from beneath the stone, with the intention of whipping it against a tree that stood at the edge of the creek. Although the snake's head had been jammed down on the bottom by a stone and held there for nearly a minute, the venomous and now furious reptile had plenty of life and no end of malice left.

"I had no sooner jerked his head from under the stone and above the water when he turned on me like a flash, shot his head back and sunk his fangs in the sleeve of my fishing coat just above the wrist. If he had aimed half an inch lower the curved injectors of his venom would have punctured my flesh, and I would doubtless have been saved all of life's subsequent trials. In another second I hurled the deadly reptile from me. It lay for a moment quietly on the water, and then slowly swam on its way.

"It was all I could do to get to the shore, so deathly sick and cold had I become when the full force of the peril my rashness had placed me in rushed upon me. I fell on the bank in a half unconscious state, and it was a long time before I could walk back to where I was stopping. That adventure spoiled all my inclination for rural vacation, and I am going home."—Corning Chronicle.

The Power of Prejudice.

The wife of a New Zealand missionary once had an interview with a native matron who confessed that she would die with shame at the idea of permitting her boy to "run about with an undressed face," i. e., with cheeks free from tattoo marks. The attempt to save native youngsters from the martyrdom of the absurd custom caused repeated riots and disagreeable scenes with the indignant relatives; and with a similar emphasis the eastern Hindoos protest against the abolishment of infant marriages.

In Calcutta alone the indignation meeting of the priests was attended by 185,000 natives, including hundreds of rajahs, merchant princes and scholars, besides tradesmen and peasants. The women of Bengal observed a general fast on the "day of protest;" shrieks and howls filled the air; the population of several cities seemed to have gone crazy en masse. One fanatic offered to sacrifice his life to propitiate the wrath of heaven, and considering the unanimity of the opposition it is the question if the abandonment of the proposed reform would not be a lesser evil. —Philadelphia Times.

Quakers in Great Britain.

It is commonly supposed that the Society of Friends is a dwindling body. Many will be surprised to learn that, so far from this being the case, its members and associates in this country have increased during the last twenty years from 18,000 to about 22,000. In Great Britain there are about 16,000 in actual membership, besides 6,000 others, who, by the regular attendance of its meetings, are practically identified with the body. These 22,000 Friends live mainly in England, where there are about 320 congregations. The Calvinism of Scotland and Wales will probably account for the fact that less than 300 Friends and only about ten small meetings are to be found in those countries. —London Tit-Bits.

Degrees of Comparison.

On public occasions Count Von Moltke was frequently called upon to propose the health of the emperor. At small gatherings he would confine himself to the formula, "Long live the emperor!" On more important occasions he would say, "Long life to his majesty the emperor." At large public banquets the toast culminated in the words, "Long life to his majesty the emperor; our most gracious king and master!"—Allgemeine Zeitung.

Pumpkins Two Feet Thick.

Quite a wonderful tree is the calabash of the West Indies, which bears enormous fruits that resemble pumpkins and grow to be nearly two feet in diameter. With the pulp removed they serve various domestic purposes—for carrying water and even as kettles for cooking—having the great advantages of strength and lightness.—Washington Star.

Nobody Knows

What I suffered for years with those terrible racking sick headaches. Life was only a torment to me; if you are so troubled, I would advise you to use Sulphur Bitters, for they cured me.

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In his periods of majestic correctness, and sometimes so elaborate as to take two minutes in the delivery, he never turned from or broke in upon one impression which he felt was pervading the assembly; all was subordinated to its development—and yet tantalizing in expressing it—protracting as though to be surer of it—after an interval of breathless suspense, he then unfurled its full display, like that of Cæsar's mantle, at the instant of intensest expectation. They voted in delirium. He was the consummate master of his art, and the greatest leader the commons ever had or ever will have.—Pemberton Milnes.

The Cashier Was Sharp Also.

A new version of the flim flam game was tried on the cashier in Dennett's restaurant on Park row on Saturday, but the cashier recognized the game in time to beat the players. There were three of them, all young men, flashily dressed. Each laid a silver dollar down on the desk, and each laid a fifteen cent check beside his coin. While the cashier was fishing out eighty-five cents change for No. 1 in the row of men the men changed places in the row.

The cashier laid the eighty-five cents beside the first dollar, and No. 1 in the row, who had been No. 3 when the cashier began to make change, but was now nearest the door, swept both the dollar and the eighty-five cents change toward him, and was about to gather them up, when the cashier gathered in the pile with his right hand, while with his left he raked in the other dollars which still lay on the desk. Then he distributed the proper change to the men at leisure. They smiled viciously at him, but departed without a word.

"He tumbled blame quick," said one of the men as he stepped out of the door.—New York Sun.

Infantile Reasoning.

The process of the youthful mind when it gets to logical deduction is apt to be fearful and wonderful, and the adult intellect is not always easily able to follow:

At a kindergarten class not long since the teacher asked her pupils to give an example of a cylinder from some object which they had at home.

"Asparagus," one small boy responded very promptly.

"My mother had rhubarb," another said briskly, thus catching at half the cylinder idea, and yet improving an opportunity to boast of something which his family enjoyed.

The third, overcome by the connection of ideas on the culinary side, lost sight of the original proposition altogether and cried out with the air of one who is not to be beaten:

"Well my mother's going to make some root beer anyway!"—Boston Courier.

Peculiarities of Lichens.

The lichen is remarkable for the great age to which it lives, there being good grounds for believing that they endure as long as a hundred years. Their growth is exceedingly slow, almost beyond belief, indicating that only a little nourishment is necessary to keep them alive. In a dry time they have the power to suspend growth altogether, renewing it again at the fall of rain. This peculiarity alone is enough to make the lichen a vegetable wonder, as it is a property possessed by no other species of plant.

Another interesting fact about lichens is that they grow only where the air is free from dust and smoke. They may be said to be a sure indication of the purity of the air, as they are never found growing in cities and towns, where the atmosphere is impregnated with dust, soot, smoke and other impur

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

RATHER REMARKABLE.

Congressman Henry Cabot Lodge entertained the Suburban Press Association in regal style at his beautiful and luxurious summer home at East Point, Nahant, last Monday. Scenting afar off the rich and abundant larder of the young gentleman who in a couple of years hence is to take Mr. Dawes's place in the U. S. Senate the rustic craftsmen were out in full force and a merry time they had of it. Hospitality was never more liberally extended than on this occasion by Hon. H. C. and Madame Lodge, and for once country newspaper delvers on short commons (and none too good at that) learned what a "square meal" means.

But the following facts furnished by a friend are what suggested the heading to these few hasty and imperfect lines:

"At the Outing of the Suburban Press at Nahant last Monday, it was discovered that six former attaches of the WOBURN JOURNAL were present: Horace N. Hastings, who was foreman of the office in 1851-2; James A. Coombs of Middleboro, who was publisher in 1865; Henry C. Gray of Malden, who owned it in 1867-70; John L. Parker of Lynn, who was proprietor in 1870-80; F. F. Green of the Quincy *Advertiser*, who learned his trade on it, 1875-8; Frank H. Gray who was an apprentice when his father was publisher."

ATTEND THE CAUCUSES.

A correspondent in this number of THE JOURNAL hits the nail squarely on the head in the matter of attending primary political meetings. Republicans will do well to read the article and then practice its precepts.

Many good men fail to pay any attention to the primaries and then because everything was not done just to their liking they turn round and cry "cut and dried," when nothing of the kind was thought of.

The character of the work done in the conventions depends entirely on that of the caucuses. If Republicans allow these to go by default there should be no whining by them if their candidates fail to get the nomination.

Public interests demand that the best men of the party attend the caucuses. There is much more need of it than is generally realized, else there would not be so many stay at homes as is almost always the case. The place to correct abuses in the nomination of men for office is at the caucuses. If unworthy persons carry the convention the caucuses are to blame for it

Our correspondent lays the case fairly before the Republicans of this city. His words are timely and wise, and we sincerely trust they will be heeded by the Republicans of Woburn on the 9th of September.

A STRONG DELEGATION.

Because it is true that Senator Wyer will meet with no opposition in the convention, and likewise true that he will be re-nominated by acclamation, still as a matter of compliment to him, and as an expression of the esteem in which he is held by his fellow citizens, a delegation composed of the best and most prominent men in the Republican party—men enjoying something more than merely a local reputation—should be chosen and sent to the Senatorial convention from this city when it takes place a few weeks hence.

We hope that when the Republican caucuses are held on the 9th of September this matter will be remembered and a good, strong delegation be chosen to appear for Senator Wyer in the convention, notwithstanding the fact that he will be the only candidate voted for in it.

FOR COUNCILLOR.

In another column we give a portrait of Charles F. Loring, Esq., the leading Republican candidate for member of the Governor's Council from this (6th) District, which portrait is accompanied by a biographical sketch of the original from the pen of Frank T. Robinson, a gentleman favorably known as a litterateur and journalist in Boston, New York and elsewhere. Mr. Robinson is well acquainted with the subject of his sketch and can therefore write understandingly concerning him That he writes honestly we have no reason to doubt, therefore we would ask for what he says a careful, unprejudiced perusal by the Republican voters of the Sixth Councillor District.

JUGGED AT LAST.

Last Monday Almy, the murderer of Christie Warden, was taken from from the hotel at Hanover and conveyed to the Hillsboro county jail, there to await his trial for his barbarous crime.

The weight of testimony seems to show that the alleged Almy is no other than Abbott, the great Vermont criminal of a dozen years ago; but the point is by no means settled. We do not accept the testimony or the theory that it is adduced to maintain.

STILL GROWING.

It looks very much as though Mr. Crapo's canvass was rapidly falling into a state of innocuous desuetude and that young Charlie Allen of Lowell is sweeping all before him.

His friends say they can count more than delegates enough to sweep the board, reckoning on a basis of local opinion.

It looks more and more like Allen.

— Towards evening yesterday the grease and oil factory of Mr. B. H. Nichols on Conn street, was badly damaged by fire. It was only a short time ago that the establishment was destroyed by fire and recently rebuilt by Mr. Nichols. No reliable estimate of the damages had been made at our going to press.

LOCAL NEWS.

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— Joseph M. Lyons and John Foley are at Bath, M.

— Mrs. Higgins and son are at Elizabeth, N. J.

— It cooled off some on Wednesday night, thank fortune.

— Dog days expire on Sept. 5, according to the almanac.

— Mr. W. B. Doyle and wife were at Nantasket last week.

— Councilman J. E. Cutler went to North Weymouth last week.

— Mrs. George S. Hudson is visiting her parents at Still River.

— Mr. William A. Stone was visiting in this city a few days since.

— The Red Men will hold a picnic at Sprague's Pond on Labor Day.

— Police Officer C. F. McDermott visited Cape Cod early this week.

— A. P. Tabor is circulating around among friends at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

— Mrs. Edmund H. Hagging and daughter are visiting in New Hampshire.

— Mrs. A. Tay says Wilmington has been prolific in small fruits this season.

— Mr. C. M. Strout sells ranges, cook and heating stoves cheap. Call on Strout.

— The carpenters of this city have made all necessary preperations for Labor Day.

— Wednesday was another one of them—nearly as tough as any of its predecessors.

— Mrs. Thomas McGuan of Ayer is visiting her sister Mrs. Gooday on Hovey street.

— It is said that $600 will about cover the cost for Hose One's new horse and carriage.

— Hon John Cummings has got back to the President's chair of the Shawmut Bank.

— Charles Stewart, Capt. of Hose 1, at last accounts was vacating at Argyle, P. E. I.

— A fire alarm box has been put in on Eastern Avenue near the Pollard tannery so called.

— The National Band will give a concert on the Common Wednesday evening, Sept. 2.

— Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Griffin of Brooklyn, N. J., have been visiting friends in this city.

— Mrs. James Carney of Water street is about to visit Ireland, her native country.

— Mr. Mullett has the job of painting Mechanic's Building and has a crew of men on it.

— The sweet corn at Durward's market "looks good enough to eat." To be sure, it does!

— Mrs. A. E. Cutler and Mrs. A. B. Brooks passed some pleasant days at Sterling recently.

— Last Tuesday Miss Martha N. and Marion E. Conn went to Beachmont for a good time.

— Driver Sylvester Call for the N. W. S. Railroad Co. has gone to New Hampshire for an outing.

— Gregory, the Real Estate Agent, says transactions in his line are brisk now days. Glad to hear it.

— Mr. J. M. Ellis has commenced on another large job at Lowell for the B. & M. Railroad Company.

— A nice room is offered to rent. See advertisement and then call at the JOURNAL office for particulars.

— Two weeks ago Miss Lillie Leslie of this city graduated with honors from the Falmouth Summer Institute.

— Judge Charles D. Adams is presiding in the District Court this week in the absence of Judge Johnson.

— Your Uncle Jerry Rusk has done fairly well with the weather of late considering his lack of experience.

— The Painters' Union of Woburn will help swell the ranks of the big labor parade in Boston on Sept. 7.

— A fine display of Mrs. Horton's floral productions is made in the windows of the Old Woburn Bookstore.

— Mrs. Sarah Wallace and her daughter Caroline went down to Boothbay, Maine, a fortnight ago for a visit.

— Mr. W. H. Mathews, wife of Letter-carrier Mathews, and Miss Belle are at present stopping at Argyle, N. S.

— Miss Jennie E. Skinner has returned from Lubec filled full of love and admiration for that delightful place.

— Post 161, G. A. R., have voted to lay aside 75 per cent of the income from honorary members for a sinking fund.

— The Mr. D. H. Richards family have finished their vacation visits away and are settled down at home once more.

— Peaches have been very cheap this week. Davie Cunio and Crowe have sold nice ones as cheap as 25 cents a basket.

— Thomas A. Stewart demands of the city proper compensation for injuries received while driving on Montvale Ave.

— Mr. David Ronco's brother George and family who resides at Waterville, Me., are visiting him on Sturgis street.

— It looks as though Bro. Josiah Leathe would get into his new store pretty soon.

— The family of Postmaster Wyman have returned from Edgartown on the Cape and settled down to the realities of life once more.

— The general opinion is to the effect that business is going to be good all over the lot this fall. Signs of it are favorable hereabouts.

— There was quite a little sprinkling of rain yesterday which seemed to revive drooping nature wonderfully.

— The public schools in this city will reopen on Sept. 14. The Sisters' parochial school will open on the same date.

— Chief of Police McIntosh and Mrs. Mac. now intend to visit Saratoga during their vacation which they propose to take early next month.

— Miss Mary Agnew, Misses Annie and Mary Crosby and John Crosby started Thursday afternoon for Worcester to visit relatives there.

— The trouble in the Baptist (colored) Church over money matters which has been sizzling for several months is likely to be amicably settled.

— Last Saturday afternoon Joseph Larkin, Dennis D. Begley and Patrick Kelley played with the Stonehams against the Hyde Parks at Stoneham.

— Secy. Whitcher of the Woburn Co-operative Bank has a notice in this issue of the JOURNAL which is of interest to the stockholders. Please read it.

— They all give in that Tuesday was the worst one of the season. One could almost wring water out of the weather and hang it on the fence to dry.

— Mr. E. G. Piper has gone to Peterboro', N. H., to attend the wedding of his brother there. Mr. E. L. Shea manages the institution while Mr. Piper is away.

— Mr. Charlie A. Jones of the Five Cents Savings Bank left here for the White Mountains last Monday. It was his intention to take in the Bethlehem coaching parade.

— The Bunker Hill Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Charlestown have engaged the Woburn Brass Band to furnish music for the excursion to Plymouth on Labor Day.

— Last week there was a jolly set of boys camping out at Revere Beach, to wit: Ernest Legg, Bradford Davis, Bert Fish and Joseph Davis. They had fun by the acre.

— Last week Mr. Francis A. Buckman, the shoe dealer, and family and Miss Everett P. Fox and daughter went to Wakefield, N. H., for a vacation rest and recreation.

— Mrs. Ella C. Luce, the well known and highly popular singer of this city, spent a very pleasant vacation at Martha's Vineyard, and returned from there last Saturday.

— N. Z. Tabor filled the JOURNAL'S Editorial Porringer plum full of lucious pears yesterday. He said he raised them, but we never knew before that Tabor owned an orchard.

— Nobody ever experienced much hotter days than were Saturday, Sunday and Monday last. The weather was the quintessence of the dog-day article—sticky, nasty, hot.

— Mr. Chester R. Smith, salesman at Mr. C. Willard Smith's popular dry and dress goods store, has got back from Lubec, Me., where he has enjoyed a very pleasant vacation season.

— Nothing of any account is being done at Duncan's factory and will not be for a fortnight. It's no fool of a job to keep run of the condition of work in all the factories in this city.

— Mr. John F. Jameson, Professor of History in Brown University at Providence, R. I., was having a good time with his parents who reside on Franklin street, this city, last week.

— Lockup-keeper Connolly has put his new home on Bennett street and Church Avenue into the very best of shape, and the upshot of it is, he has got one of the pleasantest homes in the city.

— A fine piece of property belonging to the estate of the late E. N. Blake lying on Main street is being put into shape for building purposes. It is very desirable land for almost any purpose.

— Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fowle, who were away on a trip through the mountains during July, are at their summer place at Swampscott, where they will remain until Oct. 1.—*Boston Herald.*

— Supt. Gilcreast has had Ellis's men drilling out ledges in the direction of Eastern Ave. this week through which to lay gas pipes for Bryant & Son's tannery (Pollard's) on that thoroughfare.

— The report is that the new Bryant factory on Eastern Ave. is going to do business on a scale of considerable magnitude—that is, to the full capacity of the establishment. The Bryants are stirring men.

— Clarence A. Pierce left last Monday for the White Mountains, in wandering around among which he proposes to pass his vacation. He took in the grand Bethlehem coaching parade on Wednesday.

— Collector Maguire has been dropping the tax-payers little messages this week that make them sigh. This esteemed Public Official proposes to show no favor to the city's debtors this season. Hence this activity.

— Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Buckman and Mr. E. G. Clough and family returned from Marblehead Neck last Saturday evening after a stay at that charming and very popular seaside resort some five or six weeks.

— Miss Lucy Woodside enjoyed her Western trip to the full. She was at the great G. A. R. encampment at Detroit; visited other localities in the West; and has finally settled down to work at Hawkins's express office.

— "Real estate is moving briskly, the agents reporting many transactions."—*Boston Globe.* Why not spit it right out and say: "I've bought a farm, b'gosh!" and not beat about the bush in such a bashful, scary way?

— Mr. and Mrs. Webster Woodman of Pleasant street returned from Fitzwilliam, N. H., a few days ago. It is generally understood about town that they made the most of their fortnight's season of rest and recuperation.

— Mr. Benjamin Hinckley of Academy Hill and his daughter Addie were guests at the Summit House, Mt. Washington, White Mountains, last week, and their names appeared in the long list of arrivals published in *Among the Clouds*, a semi-daily printed away up there during "the season." They have returned home.

— Mr. Michael Maguire received a telegram from the Massachusetts General Hospital yesterday afternoon which said that Mr. William S. McGregor was comfortable at that hour. It is believed that he will pull through all right.

— It appears that Mr. Bond, Clerk of the Woburn District Court, knew Abbott, who is thought to be Almy, the murderer, at Thetford, where both lived years ago. Mr. Bond remembers all about him and his rascalities in Vermont.

— Mr. and Mrs. John K. Murdock are spending the closing days of the vacation season at Sanbornton, N. H. This beautiful hill-town presents a constant picture of attraction and Woburn people feel at home in its valleys and upon its mountains.

— Mr. A. U. Dickson of No. 16 Clinton street, who is a bookkeeper for a large So. Market street produce dealer in Boston, is taking his vacation and having just as good a time as he knows how. Nobody deserves a rest more than Mr. Dickson.

— Allen Cameron, member of Mt. Horeb Lodge of Free Masons, who died at Chelsea last Saturday, was buried with Masonic honors in this city on last Monday afternoon. He left a widow, one daughter, a mother, brothers and sisters to mourn his death.

— Mr. Guild, the proprietor, has sold the Boston Clothing Company stock to J. W. Hammond & Son of this city. It is understood that Mr. John Duncan, Jr., who has served the public so long and acceptably in the establishment will remain in charge of it.

— In the fire on Friend, Portland and Traverse streets in Boston yesterday morning the Messrs. Colman & Sons, livery stable and extensive horse market, lost $40,000 of the $75,000 stock. Mr. E. C. Colman of "Woodside," this city, is a member of the firm."

— Miss Gertrude Shepard of this city was one of the young ladies who rode in the Randall House coach on the East Side, White Mountains, coaching parade last Wednesday. Her companions were young ladies from Boston and Salem. They were a gay party.

— White Mountain landlords complain bitterly of the decrease of travel and patronage up there. They say the coast of Maine is attracting tourists and summer visitors more and more every year. Maine hotels have driven a thrifty trade this season notwithstanding a cold July.

— Mr. N. J. Simonds has recently invented a piece of machinery to be used in the manufacture of shoe stock which will, it is believed, prove a bonanza to the business and himself. It is said to be a great labor-saving invention. Mr. Simonds is famous for that sort of a thing.

— Some three or four weeks ago George F. French, son of Police Officer A. G French, was severely injured by being caught between the bumpers of freight cars on the Mass. Cen. RR., where he is a conductor. He has at last recovered from his injuries and returned to his train.

— Judge Johnson and family went to Bar Harbor last Tuesday. The Boston papers have had him about to start or on the brimy deep between Boston and Mt. Desert for nearly two weeks, but it remained for the JOURNAL to give a correct report of the Judge's vacation movements—as usual.

— Mr. James Partridge attended a reunion of the Partridge family held at Templeton last week. The gathering was composed of the descendents of Otis Partridge, and the meeting was presided over by Mr. Horace Partridge of Boston. The name is an honorable one in the history of the Commonwealth.

— Harry Hartwell will soon become the champion 'cyclist in this neck of timber if he isn't careful. He is what is commonly denominated a high-rate speeder. Ronco can't hold a candle to him, and it even makes letter carriers Callahan and Maguire pant like wild harts at the running brook to keep in sight of him.

— Burdett's Business College of Boston, acknowledged to be the leader of such useful institutions of learning in New England, will have not less than 10 W. H. S. Class '91 graduates enter its classes this September. That is a goodly number, and is in some degree indicative of the popularity of the Burdett Business College all over the country.

— The Woburn Brass Band gave a rattler of a concert on the Common last Wednesday evening which was highly enjoyed by hundreds of home people and from abroad. The programme was a fine one from beginning to end, and every number was executed in the best of style. Few bands only in this section equal in proficiency the Woburn Brass Band.

— The boys and girls, in view of the nearness of schools' commencement, begin to heave sighs, and indulge in wishes about the length of vacations, and make the most of fleeting hours and days. The resumption of school work is near at hand—quite near—much nearer than many boys and girls wish it was.

— Mr. B. A. Tripp, senior member of the undertaking firm of B. A. & C. E. Tripp of this city, was taken suddenly and seriously ill in Boston last Friday, but managed to get back home without an attendant. He was very sick for several subsequent days but is now nearly well again. Dr. Josiah P. Bixby of North Woburn, their family physician, attended Mr. Tripp.

— The Lewis Music School will open for business on Sept. 7 next, as the JOURNAL reader may learn by referring to the advertisement of Principal Lewis in another column of this paper. The merits of this institution are too well known at home and abroad to require any commendatory or explanatory words from our pencil, it having been in successful operation five years, and is more flourishing today than ever before. Principal Lewis's card sets forth all the particulars respecting the opening of the fall term which are necessary to a full understanding of the same therefore we direct particular attention to it.

CHARLES F. LORING.

DEAR EDITOR HORNS:—As promised in last week's issue, behold the likeness of Mr. Charles F. Loring!

Now, this is the gentleman whom I would like to have known of men, both in our State and National halls of legislation. Take my word for it, his intellectual circumference will some day make him conspicuous before the people of this country. This is why our Sixth Councillor District should have the honor of first placing him in public position, thus hastening the day when a second GOV. ROBINSON shall take the field and redeem the State.

Mr. Loring is one of those irrepressable spirits that must ultimately rise above the mediocre affairs of life; above the matter of shift, and makeshift politics. His life thus far has been a success and the running reader may scan it as follows:—

He was born in Marlboro, Middlesex County, Mass. Embraced his Alma Mater in Andover, Essex County; and for many years has been a resident of Melrose. He is thus completely identified with the air and atmosphere, the knowledge and love, and is a legitimate heir of any honors which the Sixth Councillor District may vouchsafe a natural son.

His progressive force could not be confined to suburban encounters; the metropolis early found him studying law and by diligence, earnestness of purpose and fine aptitude, he has made a success in his profession, being now an important member of the Boston law firm of Moulton, Loring & Loring.

Again, in another sphere of usefulness he becomes a notable figure. By even, steady and progressive steps he has filled the various Chairs of the Royal Arcanum until to-day he stands at the head of the Order, is Supreme Regent, and his power extends over thousands of lodges in this country.

In his own town he has been honored with local gifts from the peoples' hands; he is on the School Board; is President of the Republican Club and Vice President of the Middlesex Club.

So reads the chronological outline of Mr. Loring's life; and coupled with these distinguished traits and honors which have been confered upon him, I must mention one which the creator has endowed him with, a gift never acquired, but born in man, i. e. that of eloquence. I am prepared to state that he is one of the most pleasant and refined orators now living.

Thus the District may feel assured that Mr. Loring is worthy of further honors, and I opine that the next Councillor Convention in the Sixth District will nominate him easily, and that hereafter honors will be thust upon him without seeking.

FRANK T. ROBINSON.

— Some beautiful bouquets were sent to Mrs. W. R. Putnam last Wednesday by friends just to let her know that the anniversary of her birthday had not been allowed to fade out of their memories; but otherwise the event was suffered to pass without any special note being made of it. But the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends were thankfully appreciated by Mrs. Putnam.

— Messrs. J. W. Hammond & Son will open a big closing-out sale at the Boston Clothing Co. store this morning and continue the same until the entire stock is disposed of. There isn't much doubt but that great bargains will be offered to the public, for the proprietors are bound to sell everything in the store at some price or other. This opportunity to buy clothing cheap ought to be improved. See ad.

— Capt. John E. Tidd and Mrs. Tidd returned from their summer vacation, which was delightfully spent down on Cape Ann, last Saturday evening. Capt. Tidd is a principal Deputy Sheriff of Middlesex County, with hands full of legal documents a good part of the time, and so his absence from the post of duty was not permissable for only about two weeks, but that brief period was enjoyed for all it was worth.

— It should be recollected that although tuition *seems* steep at the Lewis Music School, in reality as favorable prices for the student can be secured there as at any place. Arrangements have been made by the Principal for giving instruction at popular charges, and his system for furnishing music to the pupils so evens up the prices that they are cheaper here than at any place where equally good instruction is vouchsafed.

— John McSweeney, son of Bryan McSweeney, was present at the Warden farm when Almy or Abbott was captured last week. He reached the farm from where he was stopping at Lebanon about 8 A. M. and remained until the murderer surrendered himself. No doubt exists but that Almy is the notorious Abbott who escaped from the Vermont penitentiary some 12 years ago and who has been hunted for high and low ever since.

— The vacation ramblers are slowly turning their faces and feet towards home and soon the summer outing season of 1891 will be over and gone forever. A few of our good people of Woburn still linger on the sands by the ocean; some are still in the mountains; a few are slowly but surely wasting away on country fodder at country boarding houses; but all will be back and hovered around the dear home ingleside by Christmas, if not before.

— The names of the young gentlemen and young ladies who attended by special invitation the birthday party which Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of No. 77 Pleasant street gave to their nice little daughter Ida M. Taylor on last Saturday evening, were Misses Dora Ronco, Abbie Soles, Carrie Taylor, Edna Ronco, Nellie Winn; Masters Leonard Fowle, Bertram Strout, Charlie Hill, Charlie Calif, Charlie Taylor, Fred Hill. The party was an exceedingly pleasant one.

— Some of the bosses of the leather factories have notified their employees that there will be a shut-down every other week for an indefinite period giving the men work only half of the time. Such a condition of labor matters is rough on poor men and their families. Mr. Cottle, one of our largest manufacturers, thinks the business of leather making is on the eve of an important revival, and that there will be a plenty of work for everybody this fall. We hope he is right in his prediction.

— Mr. Charles Cummings, the well-known Cambridge street farmer and stock dealer, has got back, with his daughter Sarah and sister Anna, from a fortnight's pleasant vacation outing in Canada, and his card in another column says that he has brought along with him a carload of the finest Canada horses that ever struck Woburn. He has some very extra drivers which he wants the public to examine, and as for the workers they can't be beat. The horses are kept at Mr. Cummings's stables on Cambridge street.

— T. & C. Assembly, K. of L., will hold a grand picnic at Hudson's Grove on Labor Day (Sept. 7). City Clerk D. F. Moreland will be floor director; Daniel Sullivan, assistant, and the following named will be aids: Charles Wallace, Dennis D. Begley, Owen F. Reddy, Patrick H. Mathews, Levi Armstrong, Patrick Beatty, Peter Kenney, Thomas Annis, Frank Kenney, Owen Doherty. Calnan's orchestra will be in attendance and an Irish piper. Fifty dollars is offered in prizes.

— Mr. W. B. Winn, son of Rev. D. D. Winn of this city, is a member of the Editorial Staff of the San Francisco *Chronicle* and a resident of that city. A note received from him on Wednesday last seemed to prove that at the time the same was indited he was in the land of the living (if it were strictly true to thus designate any part of California), and we should judge that he is fairly resigned to life as he finds it in that far-away land. They say "Will" is an Editorial hustler.

— The military Companies which took part in the competative rifle shoot at Brookside Rifle Range in this city last Saturday afternoon were Co. G, 5th Regt. M. V. M. (Woburn Mechanic Phalanx); and Co. A, 6 Regt. (Richardson Light Guard) of Wakefield. The score stood: Phalanx, 280; Light Guard, 289. The Woburn men who shot were John L. Fowle, George H. Perkins, Frank Fowle, Austin McCarty, George Durward, George F. Hanson, George H. Nason. The Woburn team will shoot at Wakefield to-morrow afternoon.

— Miss Alice Champney, daughter of Mr. Benjamin Champney, the artist, of Woburn, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor, Jr., at Marblehead Neck, has been making a week's visit to Miss Annie H. Young of 109 Columbia street, Dorchester.—*Boston Herald.* After visiting the birthplace of her father in New Hampshire with her cousin, Mrs. Robert J. W. Phinney of this city, Miss Champney returned to the summer home of the family at North Conway last week to prepare for the great East Side coaching party which came off last Wednesday.

— Dr. Frank W. Graves of Pleasant street and his wife and Mrs. Walker of McHenry, Illinois, who is the Doctor's aunt, expect to sail at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon on the Pavonia from Boston for Europe. They anticipate being absent about two months, a large part of which period will be spent in traveling in Great Britain and on the continent. No thought of a visit abroad had entered the mind of any of the party until last Friday when, more particularly for the benefit of Mrs. Walker, an early European trip was decided on. So, the party will leave as above stated.

— Master Leon R. Vaughn, son of Mrs. Anna Vaughn, is passing a delightful vacation at Mr. Butters's, a cousin of Mrs. Vaughn, at Methuen. He has the range of Mr. Butters's big farm, the handling of horses and neat cattle, hunting hens' eggs, and is happy. Just before he left for Methuen Leon obtained 20 subscribers to the *Youth's Companion* for which he received as a premium a nice, handsome Lovell's Safety Bicycle, which was sent out to him per express on last Saturday evening and is carefully stored away awaiting his return from Methuen. It is a fine roadster, and when the lad sees it and learns to ride it he must needs be perfectly satisfied with the world and all that's in it.

— We were as much surprised as pleased by the receipt the other day of a copy of *The Juniata* (Neb.) *Herald*, and to discover by reference to the colors at its mast-head that its editor, publisher and proprietor is no other than I. H. Rickle—the identical "Ike" who away back in the earliest of the sixties was the "Devil" on a Western paper of which we were the Editor—and about the toughest nut of an imp of the kind that we, in the course of 35 years experience with them, have ever had any business dealings with. Nevertheless, "Ike" was a good newspaper man when he left us for broader fields in the farther and woolier West on which to exercise his journalistic faculties and improve the human race, and from the looks and perusal of his bright, lively and well edited weekly we have an idea his dreams have been fully realized. May "Ike's" shadow never grow less.

— Last Monday evening Leonard Thompson, Esq., and Mrs. Thompson returned from a delightful visit to Bennington, Vt., where they went to witness the dedication of the Battle of Bennington Monument and the centennial celebration of the admission of Vermont into the sisterhood of States. Mr. Thompson told a JOURNAL man that he and Mrs. Thompson enjoyed the entire trip very much indeed. Although there were over 40,000 visitors at Bennington the best of order was preserved all through the celebration and nothing could have passed off more to the satisfaction of everybody than did that grand military and civic affair. Mr. Thompson admired the addresses of Mr. Phelps and other distinguished gentlemen, and Mrs. Thompson was equally delighted with the music, the marching, the parades and fine military display. On their return they visited Western Massachusetts, particularly Old Deerfield, where they enjoyed the privilege of examining the largest and best collection extant representing American Colonial life. Both were well and happy while away.

— The John I. Munroe Real Estate Agency in this city and Boston has sold the Levi Teel farm on Cambridge street to a man from Maine who will convert it into a poultry plantation and the like. Mr. and Mrs. Teel (both excellent people) have lived on this farm nearly a quarter of a century and when they move away to Waltham to reside with their son who is an extensive farmer there they will be greatly missed by their neighbors and people at the Centre. They have many warm friends all about here and their going away will be generally regretted—by nobody more than the JOURNAL. Many years ago Mr. Teel was a large and successful farmer in Sangamon county, near Springfield (the State Capital) in Illinois, and more than once he and Mrs. Teel and the little ones have made the journey between there and Massachusetts in "prairie schooners"—canvass-covered horse-power farm wagons. The Cambridge street farm was sold at a price satisfactory to everybody concerned. After a little it will know Uncle Levi and his estimable better half no more. They have the JOURNAL'S best wishes for "long life and a merry one" in their new Waltham home.

— Mrs. Robert J. W. Phinney of this city went to North Conway early this week to be present, according to promise, at the grand East Side coaching parade which took place last Wednesday and was the most notable and successful society event that the White Mountains have been able to boast of for years. Mr. and Mrs. Phinney are regular summer guests at Wentworth Hall, Jackson, and on the coaching occasion last Wednesday the lady appeared in the colors of Wentworth Hall, namely, red and white, in token of her loyalty to that large and popular mountain caravansary. * * * The pleasant summer home of Benjamin Champney, the artist, at North Conway, was splendidly decorated for the festive occasion, in which piece of work it is suspected Mrs. Phinney had a controlling hand. Miss Alice Champney, daughter of the artist occupied with a gay party of young people one of the most beautifully decorated of the coaches, as she has done in former parades. She is one of the leading young ladies of the Mountains and has a front seat tendered her at all the fashionable doings and goings-on up there. * * * Mrs. Phinney enjoyed the parade highly, and reports to the JOURNAL that it was a perfect success in every particular—beauty, gaiety and weather not excepted.

— The difference between the amount of freight and passenger business done at the Woburn Centre railroad station today and 40 years ago is vastly more than most people dream of. In the matter of passenger traffic take Aug. 1851—just 40 years ago—when Mr. Aaron Thompson was Station Agent. The books in which he kept a full account of the railroad business—freight and passenger—are three small thin passbooks, and even these are not wholly filled with figures. * * * The number of tickets sold for Boston during the month of August, 1851, was 1453 or 47 a day. The number sold at the office for all points was 2574, or 83 daily. The fare then to Boston was 25 cents; to Winchester, 10 cents; to Medford, 12 1-2 cents; to Somerville 20 cents. * * * We have no account of the freight business for Aug. 1851, but have Mr. Thompson's carefully kept books containing the receipts for Aug. 1848, as well as for other months of the year. He charged himself with $146.70 as the amount of cash received for freight that month, which seems to have been an exceptionally brisk one, for during the previous March the freight receipts reached only $78.49. * * * These old account books filled up by Mr. Thompson are quite a curiosity and their examination affords food for thought. The records are found to have been neatly kept and a glance is sufficient to disclose the state of the railroad traffic on any day. * * * The above figures, which are given merely as a sample of the whole which the little books contain, look insignificant enough when compared with the daily passenger and freight transactions of the present year. A whole month's business in 1851 would not reach that of a single week now, and yet some people have said Woburn is not a growing community!

— Mr. L. Houghton Allen, who returned to this city last Saturday, gives a graphic and interesting description of those parts of California in which he has lived, and others visited by him, during last year. He landed at San Bernardino early in December last and from there visited several cities, towns and districts in pursuit of the best spot on which to pass the winter free from rheumatism. For some years he has been an occasional visitor of the Middle West and Pacific Slope and has become quite enamored of many sections of California as places of residence. Last winter Mr. Allen passed considerable time at Los Angeles, Pasadena, Riverside, San Diego, besides the chief of the fruit-growing localities, with many of which he was well pleased. He reports the boom-struck cities—Los Angeles and San Diego—as recovering with measurable rapidity from the collapse of the land speculation era of 7-4 years ago, and has no doubt but that in good time they will regain their former population, business and wealth and advance far beyond what they were in the palmy days of the boom. Mr. Allen is a firm believer in the future of California as the chief fruit producing section of the Union and also of the vast wealth which is destined to flow into the pockets of the people there from this source. He had been told that as good oranges, lemons, figs, etc., could be raised in as great abundance in the Sacramento Valley between 600 and 700 miles due north from San Bernardino as at that place, Riverside, Pomona and other notable fruit growing localities, but the statement being generally denied in the latter country he visited the Sacramento Valley and found extensive groves of the fruit named in a thrifty state, yielding large crops, and of a quality equal to the best raised in Lower California. And not only so, but the proprietors of Sacramento orange groves marketed their fruits last year two weeks earlier than the proprietors 600 or 700 miles below. * * * It is probable that Mr. Allen will spend the coming winter in Southern California. He will remain with his son, Dr. Allen, at Southbridge, this State, the balance of the summer, and begin to creep Pacific Ocean-ward later in the fall,

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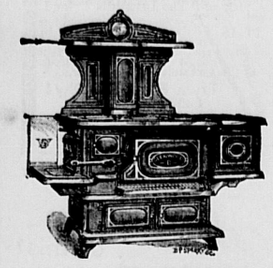

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About County Treasurer.

We judge from marked papers received containing favorable mention of the services rendered the County of Middlesex by Editor Hayden of the Somerville *Journal* in his capacity of County Treasurer, that he will make strenuous efforts to secure a renomination. There are rivals in the field who are making what capital they can of the energy displayed in changing the old regime and introducing more nearly a rotation in office in county affairs by the Somerville *Journal* and its friends; men who think the arguments used to oust the then incumbents apply with equal force as the six years of Mr. Hayden's official life draw to a close. —*Arlington Advocate.*

The Somerville *Citizen* emulates the WOBURN JOURNAL in a studied attempt to bring about a change in the incumbent of the office of County Treasurer this fall.—*Malden City Press.*

That one who ought to know reports that the Deputy Sheriffs of the county are all working for the re-election of Mr. Hayden as County Treasurer.—"They say" in *Somerville Citizen.*

Friends of Treasurer Hayden urge his re-election on the ground that he is "efficient," and also because he is a "good fellow." There are hundreds of Republicans in Middlesex County who would make a Treasurer every whit as efficient as the present incumbent; and as for "good fellows," why, the woods are full of them this season.

Besides all this, some think it is not sound business policy to keep treasurers in office for long periods of time on a stretch. Every voter in the county believes Mr. Hayden an upright man and honest public officer. Nobody ever heard this statement questioned. And yet the fact remains that many think a change derirable.

Again, Mr. Hayden has held the position of County Treasurer six years and no one can show with any degree of reason or fairness but what six years is as long as he is entitled to the office.

Proposed License Law.

Rev. Hugh Montgomery of Woburn proposes this unique license law:

Nine hundred and ninety-nine persons in every thousand are hereby absolutely prohibited from stealing; but if the town or city shall vote to license stealing, then the thousandth person shall be licensed to steal for one year from the first day of the following May.

Every person licensed to steal shall be of strict integrity and unquestioned honesty.

He shall not steal after eleven o'clock at night nor before six o'clock in the morning, nor on Sunday.

He shall not steal from minors or from persons from whom his associates in crime have already stolen during the day.

He shall not steal on legal holidays, except on Washington's birthday and Fourth of July.

As a part compensation for the poverty, wretchedness and misery he causes by his stealing, he shall pay one thousand dollars annually to the municipal treasury.—*Milford Journal.*

Russia talks of running the drug stores.

[For the Journal.]

Republican Caucuses Wednesday, Sept. 9th.

Political activity at primaries and caucuses should be encouraged by all good citizens. Since the adoption of the Australian Ballot it has become more than ever important that only the names of such candidates as can command the respect and secure the support of the party should be placed on the ballot.

If the Republican party desires to succeed this autumn it must deserve success.

If the Republicans expect the conventions to make wise selections of candidates they must look sharply after the make-up of the conventions.

The time and place to do that is at the caucuses.

Too many in the past have been wont to say: "Oh, it will be all cut and dried by a coterie of wire-pullers: what is the use of my going?"

The absence from the caucuses of unselfish honest voters is just what has made it possible for a few to "cut and dry it."

If the good men and true, reliable representatives of the party are not chosen to the conventions it will be the fault of the Republican voters who stay away.

This is not the year for any Republican to shirk his political duty.

Let there be no stay at homes Wednesday evening, Sept. 9.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "God is Love." Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening Preparatory Lecture. Friday evening Christian Endeavor.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. H. Hinckley of Lynn. Sunday school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. Christian Endeavor at 5.45 p. m.; prayer and praise service led by Bro. Hinckley. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening Church Covenant meeting.

METHODIST.—At 10.30, a. m. preaching by Rev. Charles E. Davis. At 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting; at 7 p. m. regular prayer meeting conducted by Pastor. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening class meeting.

Married.

In this city, Aug. 26, by Rev. D. D. Winn, Mr. Melvin Anderson and Miss Annie Scott, both of Woburn.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Aug. 21, Mary O'Connor, aged 9 months, 11 days.

In this city, Aug. 21, David E. Waters, aged 1 year, 3 months, 21 days.

In this city, Aug. 22, Frederick Holland, aged 3 months.

In this city, Aug. 23, Thomas Connolly, aged 28 years.

In this city, Aug. 27, Annie Manning, aged 1 year, 1 month.

In Winchester, Aug. 20, Ellen Healey, aged 82 years.

In Winchester, Aug. 24, Mary E. Donohue, aged 5 years, 1 month.

In Chelsea, Aug. 22, Allen Cameron, formerly of Woburn, aged 66 years.

Thanks, Awfully.

We entertained quality last Tuesday afternoon, as hot as it was, and in tolerable good shape too. They were editorial visits that we were favored with. First came Mr. W. A. Woodward, Editor of the Milton *Journal*, one of the livest and best of the suburban newspapers; and in a little while he was followed by Editor Wilson of the Winchester *Star*, a neat, nice, newsy and well patronized journal in Woburn's prettiest suburb—Winchester.—We enjoyed the calls of these worthy members of the craft very much, and hope they will come again some day.—[WOBURN JOURNAL.]

The enjoyment was mutual, Brother Hobbs. At our departure we were convinced that if there were more Hobbses at the helms of the papers of this State journalism would take a mighty stride forward, for a more conscientious editor never lived, and his paper shows this, too.—*Winchester Star.*

Coming from such an excellent judge of journalistic merit the above words of praise from the *Star* are highly flattering to our pride.

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Burlington.

The fall term of the schools begins Aug. 31.

Miss Lizzie McIntire has been spending a part of her vacation in Somerville.

A social dancing party at the Town Hall is advertised for Friday evening.

A party of our young people enjoyed a trip to the Isles of Shoals Wednesday.

Rev. C. F. Hervey gave a pleasant entertainment to the choir after their rehearsal on Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. Black of the Boston Y. M. C. A. gave a talk on the work of Young Peoples' Societies at the Sunday evening service.

Mrs. H. Stewart and daughter of Cambridge are taking a vacation in Burlington. Mr. Stewart comes to spend his Sundays with them thus having a brief rest from business cares.

WINCHESTER.

Miss Carrie Dolan is visiting at Faneuil.

Mrs. J. W. Barry has gone down East for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moulton are at Norway, Me.

Rev. Charles White and wife were visiting here last week.

Major Winn has spent the summer at Bethlehem, N. H.

Miss Carrie Pond and Charles have gone to Bethlehem, N. H.

Miss Olive P. French has been a guest of the family of Bouve at Hull.

Mr. Edward Smith and wife and Miss Bertha have been enjoying life at York Beach.

Ed. Holt and Charles Dunham are tramping over Nova Scotia and having a grand time.

Mr. F. H. Page conducted the services at the Y. M. C. A. last Sunday in a most acceptable manner.

The *Star* showed enterprise in the publication of the Miss Lavinia Farnham celebration last week. It was a report of the pleasant event *in extenso*, for which the *Star* was entitled to credit.

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Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for August 15th and 22d contain The Commonwealth of Australia, Woodlands, and 1799—a Rustic Retrospect, The Union of the Australias, and Punch and his Artists, Sir John DacDonald, The Farmer Monk, and The First Handel Festival, The Eve of St. John in a Deserted Chalet, Laurence Oliphant, and Squire Doot of Doot Hall, Doot Hill, Ireland, Reminiscences of Sir Richard Burton, Kane, a Soldier Servant, and Wayfaring by the Upper Dordogne, On Autographs, Grasse in Spring, The Recovered Aristotle, Invisible Paths, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston, are the publishers.

A very seasonable article on Fresh and Dried Flowers, with clear directions for drying them, and the process by which the color of the leaves is perfectly preserved, is given in the September number of PETERSON'S MAGAZINE. There are also fine illustrations of dried flowers arranged in bouquets and baskets. The number is replete with engravings, illustrated stories, miscellaneous articles and poems, all first-class. The Scene of a Famous Novel, gives a series of views of the neighborhood described in that ever popular novel, John Halifax, together with incidents in the life of the author not hitherto published in this country. Ladies will find all sorts of new, pretty and useful things in the Fashion and Household departments. In every way this popular periodical makes itself invaluable to the family circle—there is no getting along without it. Terms, $2.00 a year. Address, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, 306 Chestnut St., Phila.

THE ARENA for September is as usual fully abreast with the advanced thought of the times. The paper which will probably attract most attention, owing to its timely appearance, is Fashion's Slaves, a profusely illustrated contribution on woman's dress reform, by the Editor. We do not know whether or not Mr. Flower had been informed of the proposed inauguration of the dress reform movement at Chautauqua, which has attracted such general notice by virtue of the radical position taken by its leaders and the encouragement given the move by such leading women as Miss Frances E. Willard and Mrs. Frances E. Russell, but he certainly scores another palpable hit in the timely appearance of this paper. Among the many other noteworthy contributions are the Rev. Dr. Geo. C. Lorimer's defence of Dr. Briggs and his associates; Frederic W. H. Meyer, of Cambridge, England, on the work accomplished by the English Psychical Society; Kuma Gishi, M. A., of Tokio, Japan, on Constitutional Government in Japan; Rabbi Solomon Schindler on Intermigration, and Sylvester Baxter on the Austrian Postal Banking System. THE ARENA has made for itself the foremost place as the review of advanced and progressive thought.

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[Written for the Journal.]

A Few Points on Church Etiquette.

Much has been written upon etiquette. We are told how to conduct ourselves gracefully and properly upon almost every occasion, but very little is said, comparatively speaking, upon our behavior at church, and that little has usually a purely religious bearing. Let us pass by, for this time, the religious aspect of the case and discuss a few questions relating to our "Church Manners" upon the basis of courteous behavior only. We will take it for granted that we are all too well-bred to whisper or twist about to observe the congregation and will pass on to other points:

Is it too much to ask simply as a matter of courtesy that we take the attitude of prayer in common with the rest of the congregation and in the manner customary in the church which we are frequenting? Can not you, my Orthodox or Baptist sister or brother, when attending an Episcopal service waive any little prejudice you may have and kneel with the rest of the congregation instead of sitting bolt upright and uncomfortably conspicuous? On the other hand, dear Church of England friend, why should you try to kneel where no cushion is provided making your friends feel in a vague way responsible for the discomfort they know you must suffer? Can you not pray as devoutly and sincerely with your head bent and your eyes covered? As a guest in your friend's house you conform to the usages of the establishment as far as you know them; does not courtesy demand the same concession on your part when you are a guest in your friend's church?

The choir favor us with a selection contained in the hymn book: Can you not hold the book in your hand until the hymn is *finished*, then close it gently, very gently, and place it quietly in the rack? Did it ever occur to you how annoying to the choir may be the rattling of books in the rack (in which the last line of the hymn is practically lost) and how discourteously suggestive the movement may seem of relief that the performance is over?

In most churches a collection is usually taken sometime during the service. Be prepared for it. Do not hesitate because the amount must perhaps be small. You are supposed to have received some benefit or pleasure from the service. Courtesy demands that you show your appreciation of the fact by dropping something in the box instead of looking the other way as if you resented the fact of its being presented to you.

Give the speaker the careful and polite attention he would receive from you if you met him in society. Possibly he seems to you a trifle prosy—so is old Gen. W— "who fights his battle o'er again" when he corners you at a reception. Why withhold from one the indulgence you vouchsafe to the other? He may hold a belief vitally different from your own. Can you not listen patiently to the other side? and can you not thus gather some pearls of thought on subjects of general religious interests wider than all creeds and including them all? Like the dear old lady of strong Calvinistic prejudices who was reproved by one of the deacons of her church for going to hear a Unitarian minister: "Well, brother Smith, he sartainly did say a good many good things."

There seems to be a widespread conviction that the special design of the reading of the last hymn is to give people an opportunity to put on rubbers, hunt up wraps, &c., &c., and alas! during the pronouncing of the benediction how many a hand reaches furtively for cane, or umbrella, or buttons a jacket, or settles a shoulder cape in position. Making no account of the irreverence evinced by all this—is it well-bred?

The service is over. The choir has chanted "Amen" and we turn to leave the church. Can it be very encouraging to the tired pastor who has been giving us the best fruits of his mind and heart to see with what eagerness his people turn to the discussion of business or other worldly topics? If any portion of your conversation, dear friend, should drift back to him will you not see to it that it may be some kindly appreciative remark about some part of the service which you can consistently praise and not the latest scandal, the price of a certain kind of stock, or a business appointment which you are making with your dressmaker?

I hope no one will think that I make no account of the religious bearing of these questions because I have not referred to it in this article. I simply leave that for wiser, more spiritually minded people than myself and bring before you a matter of good breeding which, after all, has a purely religious basis in the "Golden Rule," the tacitly acknowledged foundation throughout the civilized world of all true courtesy.—X.

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For Governor.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL: The most important question presenting itself at this time for the consideration of the Republican party in Massachusetts is the choice of the right man to lead in the coming contest for political supremacy. Such a man to be acceptable to the average level headed voter, must combine in himself the qualities of sound, political judgment, keen business discernment, an unswerving loyalty to American institutions, unimpeachable integrity, and added to all these a good record in his party. "Where shall such a man be found?" I think, sir, and but echo the sentiments of many others, that such a leader can be found in the person of the Hon. James F. Almy, of Salem and it is my firm conviction that if the Republicans of this State insisted in selecting him as their standard-bearer the result at the polls would justify the wisdom of such a selection. Keen, business-like, clean, honest and with the requisite amount of "back bone," he is an ideal candidate.

Respectfully Yours,

"Cap."

Aug. 26, 1891.

Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Aug. 28, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine McHugh late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Lawrence W. Slattery and John G. Maguire, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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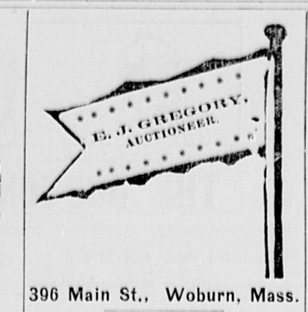

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Mortgagee's Sale

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IN WOBURN.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed made by Moses A. Tyler to John M. Hariow, dated August 6, 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1676, Fol. 324, for breach of the condition of said mortgage in the non-payment of principal of the debt thereby secured to be paid, and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the first parcel of land hereafter described, on **Tuesday, the eighth day of September, A. D., 1891,** at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—

First: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about a half mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, and on the easterly side of Main street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Main street, and there measuring about one hundred and two feet; northerly by land of Nathan J. Simonds, about one hundred and fifty feet; easterly by land of Michael McCue, and a private way about one hundred and twenty-six feet; southerly by land of Jonathan Garland, about forty-five feet; then easterly still by said Garland's land, about seventy-eight feet; then southerly about forty-five feet, on and by Fowle street; thence westerly by land of Thomas Richardson, about seventy-eight feet; thence southerly still by land of said T. Richardson, about sixty feet to Main street. This first described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz: A first mortgage of fourteen hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated January 1, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1498, Fol. 498: also, a second mortgage of two hundred and seventy-five dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated March 16, 1885, and recorded with said Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1625, Fol. 496: also, subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages and unpaid taxes. There is excepted from said first described parcel a lot fronting on Fowle street, which has been released from said mortgages by release deed from said Harlow to Sarah M. Tyler, et al., dated June 12, 1886, and recorded with said Middlesex Deeds, Lib. 1750, Fol. 146. Said released lot is bounded as follows: Beginning on the northerly side of Fowle street the line runs northerly through the middle of the dwelling house, the westerly half of which is on the released piece, to the back side thereof; thence north thirteen (13) degrees east two rods and fourteen links to land formerly of M. A. Tyler; thence north sixty-nine degrees west by said last named three rods and ten links; thence south five degrees west by land formerly of Thomas Richardson now or late of George J. Munroe five rods and eighteen links to said Fowle street; thence south eighty-four degrees and thirty-nine minutes east by Fowle street to the point of beginning.

Second: A certain other lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about one mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, containing about twenty-three thousand six hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Pond street at land of one Fahay; from thence the line runs southerly by said Fahay's land two hundred and forty feet to land now or formerly belonging to one Pickering; thence the line turns and runs westerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-one and eight-tenths feet to a private street running southerly from said Pond street forty feet wide; thence northerly by said private street one hundred feet to said Pickering's land; thence easterly by last named land seventy-two feet to a corner; from thence the line runs northerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-seven and five-tenths feet to said Pond street; thence easterly on and by said Pond street to the point of beginning. The second described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz:—A first mortgage of six hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated May 12, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1509, Fol. 384. Also a second mortgage of eight hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated Nov. 26, 1880, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1556, Fol. 87; also subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages, and unpaid taxes.

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Text of the Lesson, John vii, 31-44. Commit Verses, 31-33—Golden Text, John vii, 37—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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31. "And many of the people believed on Him, and said, When Christ cometh, will He do more miracles than these which this man hath done?"

The lessons of the fifth chapter were based upon the incidents connected with one of the feasts of the Jews; those in the sixth chapter were associated with the manna and the passover feast; these are in connection with the feast of tabernacles (verse 2), which points us forward to the coming kingdom of Israel and the time of blessing upon all nations (Zech. xiv, 16, 17).

32. "The Pharisees heard that the people murmured such things concerning Him; and the Pharisees and the chief priests sent officers to take Him."

Always hating Him, and always seeking to kill Him, but unable to touch Him till His work was done (chapter viii, 20; xiii, 1). Professing to be children of God and the true seed of Abraham, they made it manifest by their conduct that they were not truly of God nor of Abraham, but rather of their father, the devil (chapter viii, 42-44).

33. "Then said Jesus unto them, Yet a little while am I with you, and then I go unto Him that sent me."

Over thirty times in this gospel He speaks of the Father sending Him.

34. "Ye shall seek me and shall not find me. And where I am, thither ye cannot come."

Now, He had before said that "He that seeketh findeth" (Math. vi, 8), but there is no contradiction. We must only take His sayings in the light of all his other sayings, "Ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart" (Jer. xxix, 13). This kind of seeking never fails.

35. "Then said the Jews among themselves, Whither will He go that we shall not find Him? Will He go unto the dispersed among the Gentiles, and teach the Gentiles?"

Of the earth earthy, they understood not heavenly things. That He came down from heaven they did not believe, and therefore His going to Him that sent Him they could not understand. That many Jews were scattered abroad among the nations is evident from the Acts of the Apostles.

36. "What manner of saying is this that He said, Ye shall seek me, and shall not find me. And where I am, thither ye cannot come?"

If He could find His way to any part of the earth, why could not they follow Him if they saw fit? Such seems to have been their thoughts. Anything beyond the earth they neither knew nor thought much about. Talk of heavenly things, even now, to many church members and they have nothing to say, they know not the language; but let business, politics, pleasure or fashion be the theme, and they have no lack of words nor of interest.

37. "In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me and drink."

For seven days was the feast continued, and many sacrifices were offered every day, but the eighth day, the last day of the feast, was a special day (Lev. xxviii, 36; Num. xxix, 35-38). Although the special sacrifices offered on this day were less than on any other day of the feast, being only ten as compared with thirty on the first day (Num. xxix, 12-16, 35-38), yet it was in importance the great day, the most solemn and holy of all the days (Neh. viii, 18).

38. "He that believeth on me, as the Scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water."

To the woman at the well He said, "The water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life" (iv, 14); but this is even in advance of that, for here He speaks of rivers of living water going forth from the inmost being of the believer.

39. "But this spake He of the Spirit, which they that believeth on Him should receive."

From beginning to end of Scripture, and from the Garden of Eden to the new heavens and earth, the spirit is the mighty worker, or, as some one has said, "the Executive of the Godhead." To see the difference between an ordinary believer and one filled with the spirit we have only to consider Peter before and after Pentecost.

"For the Holy Ghost was not yet, because that Jesus was not yet glorified."

The Holy Spirit, while in all ages the great worker, had up to this time not been given as He was at Pentecost, and the reason is mentioned in this verse. He had testified through the prophets of a coming Messiah and kingdom. He now testifies to a Messiah who came, was rejected and crucified, rose from the dead and is now glorified at the right hand of God. As Peter by the Spirit testified, "God hath made that same Jesus, whom ye have crucified, both Lord and Christ" (Acts ii, 36).

40. "Many of the people therefore, when they heard this saying, said, Of a truth this is the prophet."

Just as after the feeding of the five thousand the people said, "This is of a truth that prophet that should come into the world" (John vi, 14). When John the Baptist said that he was not the Christ nor Elijah, they then asked if he was "that prophet" (chap. i, 20, 21). The passage which they had in mind was probably Deut. xviii, 18, "I will raise them up a prophet from among their brethren like unto thee, and will put my words in His mouth, and He shall speak unto them all that I shall command Him."

41. "Others said, This is the Christ. But some said, Shall Christ come out of Galilee?"

They now think it possible that He may be the King of Israel, the Son of David, as foretold in II Sam. vii, 12, 13; Isa. ix, 6, 7. That the Christ or Messiah was understood to be the King of the Jews, and so looked for, is evident from Math. ii, 2, 4; Mark xv, 32, etc. But they could not think that He should come from Galilee, or, as Nathanael put it, "Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth" (chapter i, 46)? They evidently did not think of Isa. ix, 1, 2, and of the light that was to shine in Galilee.

42. "Hath not the Scripture said that Christ cometh of the seed of David, and out of the town of Bethlehem where David was."

Yes, truly, this was all plainly written in Ps. cxxxii, 11; Mic. v, 2, and other passages, but not any more plainly than the statements concerning Galilee and Egypt in the passages referred to in the previous verse. Their difficulty was just the difficulty of as many today: they take such Scriptures as seem to suit that which they wish to believe, but they will not take any interest in that which seems to conflict with their ideas.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

A murderer in Mecklenburg ten minutes before his execution choked the clergyman, put on his long black coat, dashed out and mixed among the officials around the scaffold. He had almost reached the gate when he was caught.

THE TOUCH OF A VANISHED HAND

Oh, why should the world seem strange,
With its beauty around me still?
And why should the slope of my swarded path
Seem suddenly all uphill?

I had gone, with a buoyant step,
So cheerily on my way;
How could I believe so calm a light
Could turn to so chill a gray?

And wherefore? Because the hand
That held in its clasp my own—
Whose touch was a benediction such
As only the blest have known—

Was caught by the viewless hand
Of an angel, and upward drawn.
What hope, what comfort, what guidance now,
Since the stay of my life is gone?

"But a stronger is left to thee,"
Some comforting whisper saith—
"The arm that shall carry thee safe to him
When thou crossest the tides of death."

If Christ in His mortal hour
Had need of the chosen three,
To watch with Him through the awful throes
Of His dread Gethsemane,

Oh, surely His human heart
Will pity and understand
That speechless yearning, too deep for words,
For the "touch of the vanished hand!"
—Margaret J. Preston in Harper's Bazar.

The Invention and Manufacture of Pins.

It is flattering to our patriotism to learn that the first solid head pin, although made in England and its manufacture delayed until 1824, was the invention of an American, Lemuel W. Wright by name; and it was another ingenious American, Dr. John T. Howe, of Connecticut, who, some eight years later, invented the first successful machine for completing solid headed pins by a single process.

Marvelous, indeed, does this seem when we pause to consider that prior to the invention of this machine it required from twelve to fourteen men to complete a pin; there were as many different processes in its manufacture, each requiring to be performed separately and by a different hand. A single machine now turns out a constant stream of pins, averaging 200 a minute, all ready to be transferred into revolving barrels, where they are turned until scoured sufficiently to be plunged into an acid bath from which they emerge, bearing out the old saying, clean as a new pin.

One machine performs the several duties of holding and crimping the paper sheets and sticking the pins into them, in even rows, with remarkable dexterity.—Table Talk.

Trains Stopped by Grasshoppers.

I saw two freight trains at Springer stopped by grasshoppers. The idea that the trains are stopped by running into piles of the grasshoppers is wrong. They just cover the tracks, and the passing trains kill them. The oil from them greases the rails and wheels so that the latter slip instead of revolving, therefore the stoppage of trains.

The hoppers get so thick sometimes that they have to be brushed off the tracks. Sand is also spread along the tracks to keep them rough and prevent the trains from slipping from grasshopper oil. It is nothing remarkable that the oil from them should stop trains. A little grease rubbed on the tracks or wheels of a locomotive will have the same effect.—Kansas City Times.

Wrestling with the Muse.

There is a fruit vender of the basket persuasion in the city who is evidently in love, and, judging from his efforts at poetic recitation, his fair inamorata is not of his own race. He kills the weary hours that intervene between customers in committing to memory bits of love stuff with which, perhaps, to fan the flame in the bosom of his adored. He was heard Sunday wrestling with an old familiar rhyme, as follows: "Da rosa maka da red, da vila maka da blue; da shug maka da sweeta da cand; ma Carissima, sama da you!"—Birmingham (Ala.) News.

Vanity in Criminals.

A famous Russian writer, who passed many years among convicts, says of them: "This strange family had an air of strong resemblance. All of them were morose, curious, presumptuous and insufferably vain. Vanity was at the bottom of all their sentiments. During all the period of my observation I never saw the slightest sign of repentance or even of disquiet on account of their crimes."

Feats of a Blind Man.

Some little time ago Farmer Barbour, of Sterling, Conn., sued that town for exemption from taxation on the ground that he was blind. The town placed witnesses on the stand to prove that he could mow, hoe and load hay. Mr. Barbour explained how he could do these things, though totally devoid of sight, and gained his case.—Brooklyn Standard-Union.

A Convict Who Loves to Steal.

"Lord, how I do love to steal! If I had thousands I would still be a thief."

The exclamation was made by a young jailbird in the hearing of Dr. Robert Fletcher, who quoted it by way of illustration in the course of a lecture on the relation of the criminal to society.—Washington Star.

A Close Call.

"Oh, ma, I nearly had a horse!"

"Why, what do you mean?"

"There was a man out here with a horse, and I asked him if I could have it and he said no. If he'd said yes I'd a had it!"—Life.

Must Shift the Weight.

She—The boat doesn't seem to trim. Am I sitting straight?

He—Yes; but your chatelaine is too far to the left.—New York Times.

The First Step.

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Uncle Josh—"What's that thing?" City Nephew—"That's a sprinkling car." Uncle Josh—"It don't seem to be sprinkling much." City Nephew—"Wait till it gets to a crossing."

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GRIDER'S RIDE FOR LIFE.

Pursued by a Pack of Wolves, the Wisconsin Man Makes a Desperate Leap.

In one of the wildest portions of Wisconsin when it was a wild frontier state had settled the noted pioneer Hank Grider, a man whose wonderful endurance of limb is in a measure illustrated by this sketch.

One dark and rainy night of the year 1856 the brave pioneer, whose reckless nature had won for him the title of Wild Grider, and by which he was known far and wide, found himself some fifteen miles from home and with the Kakanook river, swollen and turbulent from the recent rain, between himself and his destination.

Wolves howled upon every hand, but he paid no particular attention to them, pressing steadily on in the drenching rain.

At length, however, he noticed that the grim scavengers of the forest were beginning to congregate in large numbers into the trail behind him, and drawing uncomfortably near, howling and snarling at one another as they came.

This served to give him a slight uneasiness of mind as he urged his horse forward.

Steadily the horde of wet, shaggy forms increased in number until it seemed that a thousand of them were crowding along upon the pioneer's track, making the night hideous with their babel of snarling voices.

How swiftly in pursuit came that writhing mass of now thoroughly enraged brutes, and though the pioneer was remarkably swift of foot he had to put forth every effort to keep out of their way, and there in the darkness of the Wisconsin wilderness ensued a desperate race for life and death.

The ground was fairly smooth, and this aided the desperate man somewhat, but he was compelled to use the spurs mercilessly to escape those clashing jaws.

Like the very wind he sped along, his only hope lying in reaching the river in advance of his fierce pursuers, for once across the turbulent current he would be safe.

But fully five miles lay between him and the river, and it would indeed be a miracle to reach it; but wholly undaunted the reckless fellow sped on, his teeth closed firmly and his eyes gleaming with all the fire of his wild, excitable nature.

Mile after mile was cast behind, and daylight was beginning to steal over the land when the swift and swollen Kakanook hove in sight.

The ground sloped toward it, and down this descent flew pursued and pursuers, with scarce six feet separating them.

For over five miles had that desperate race continued, and now, exhausted as he was by his superhuman speed, Grider performed a feat that was simply marvelous and almost unparalleled.

The banks of the stream were high and projecting, and scarcely eighty rods below the river fell over a mass of jagged rocks that no one could hope to pass over alive, while it would be impossible to effect a landing when once in the turbulent current.

With that horde of raging beasts close behind him, and the dangerous river below, and fully twenty-five feet between its banks, the brave pioneer was truly in a most desperate situation. But, scarcely realizing his danger, in his desperation and frenzy, he galloped down the slope, and, putting every effort of his horse's fast failing strength in one mighty leap, landed squarely upon the other bank of the river.

The wolves were unable to check their headlong speed, and many of their number went over the bank and were swept away, while the exhausted steed sank trembling upon the ground.

Three hours later, however, he reached his cabin in safety, and in a few days had fully recovered from the effects of that terrible ride for life—about the most extraordinary one in the entire record of the west.

Grider's life was one of remarkable adventures, and now, a man of superior endurance, although nearly sixty years of age, he resides at Moose lake, Minn., where his life is still a stirring and eventful one.—Yankee Blade.

Not a Musician.

One of Chicago's young men had been calling on one of Chicago's young ladies for a time. The young lady has a little brother, and a few Sundays ago the little brother and the admirer of the sister were left in each other's society. "Why don't you bring your violin with you some time?" asked the brother. "I have no violin, my little man," said the admirer of the sister. "Pa thinks you have," added the boy. "What did he say?" asked the lover, "that shows he thinks I have a violin?" "Why," said the ever innocent youth, "I heard him tell ma that he guessed you were fiddling around after some money." The foregoing is a true story, the sequel to which is the lover has ceased to fiddle.—Chicago Herald.

Cape Cod Is Disappearing.

There isn't the least doubt but that Cape Cod is gradually being eaten up by the greedy ocean. Less than 100 years ago a lighthouse was placed on the headland by the government. The original deed calls for a plat of ten acres in extent. At the present time the inclosure embraces hardly six acres. On a point just north of the marine stations at Highland light the face of the bluff has moved in nearly 250 feet in the last seven years. At this rate it is only a question of time when Cape Cod will be a thing of the past.—St. Louis Republic.

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THE SINGER'S THREE SHAWLS.

How Henriette Sontag Became Connected with the Berlin Theater.

When the theater was founded in Berlin in 1824 the directors sought to gain special talent for the young stage in order to secure rich dividends.

Henriette Sontag, who was then eighteen, was the rising meteor on the artistic horizon. Two of the directors journeyed to Leipsic in order to induce the artiste to sign a contract for several years.

In Leipsic they met messengers from other theatres, who surrounded the lovely singer with the same appeal. After days of negotiation they made no headway. A rich financier from Berlin, tired of the delay, adopted measures which could not fail to have the desired effect upon the young and pretty but poor artiste.

He bought a beautiful shawl, and presenting it to the singer he pointed to the pen to sign the contract.

Never had Henriette Sontag possessed so pretty an article of apparel. Completely overcome by the splendor of so rich a gift, she turned to her sister Nina and said, "Nina, I am faint; please sign."

So she was bound by a contract, and formed the chief attraction for three years not only of the theater but of the city of Berlin.

The receipts of the theater were enormous, yet several shareholders reproached the managers of the treasury for making unnecessary expenditures, and demanded, therefore, strict account for the use of the money.

These expenditures were soon made public, and it soon came out in the newspapers that the shawl which the singer received in Leipsic was presented without the consent of the shareholders.

The morning this fact was published in the papers Fraulein Sontag sealed up the valuable present, and, with true womanly tact, sent it to the directors of the theater.

Her messenger had scarcely entered the assembly room when the news of the occurrence spread all over the city, and in the evening of the same day a Turkish shawl lay on the singer's toilet table. It had been sent by the king and was more valuable than the first one.

Early the following day the financier and director of the theater, who had given her the shawl in Leipsic, was announced, and as he presented her with a far costlier shawl he jokingly reproached the lovely Henriette for giving away his present and begged her not to let this one share the same fate. This present was from himself independent of the shareholders.

Finally, by a unanimous decree, the directors appeared in a body before the public's favorite to restore the shawl in question to its rightful owner.—Philadelphia Times.

The Only One of a Large Company Left.

A little story was related at the navy yard the other day which concerns Rear Admiral Thomas O. Selfridge, retired, who is visiting his son, Captain Thomas O. Selfridge, the commandant of the navy yard. Some years ago the admiral, who is the oldest living United States naval officer, being over ninety years of age, was dining at Delmonico's, in New York, with a distinguished company, among whom were Generals Grant, Garfield, Arthur, Sherman and Sheridan. At 10 o'clock, when the festivities were at their height, the old admiral arose from the table and called for his hat and coat. All were surprised at his action and asked for an explanation. He replied that he never permitted enjoyment to interfere with his health, and that 10 o'clock was a good hour for him to retire.

All present laughed heartily, chaffed him a little and begged him to remain.

He could not, however, be coaxed to remain. After bidding them good night he added, "Early to bed and sound sleep tend to longevity and I'm going to prove it to you all." All except the admiral who were present at the banquet that evening have passed away. The admiral has kept his word.—Boston Globe.

Giving Away Brides.

A novel gift enterprise has been introduced in the clothing business by a Washington firm, which actually give away a blushing bride to any of their customers who apply. All that the applicant has to do is to purchase a wedding suit. The firm do the rest—furnish the bride, the best man and the officiating clergyman. Six of their customers have already taken advantage of this offer, and it is claimed that the supply of brides, as well as wedding suits, is practically unlimited.

On the last occasion the bride, a tall and willowy brunette, was tastefully attired in a traveling costume of tan colored Henrietta cloth, with hat to match. The groom wore a black diagnal coat and vest, with dark gray striped trousers. Immediately after the ceremony the newly married pair drove to the station for an extended bridal trip.—Clothier and Furnisher.

Never Parted His Name.

Speaking of Judge Calhoun suggests a good story about his middle name, which is Ezekiel.

"I asked my father once," said the judge, "why he ever put such a thing as Ezekiel in my name, as, to the best of my recollection, no family precedent or close friendship with anybody of that name warranted it.

"'My son,' said he, 'I did it to keep you from ever parting your name in the middle,' and the judge has never parted it."—Atlanta Constitution.

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Newspaper Callers.

The average citizen has very little idea of the number of calls which are daily inflicted upon the editor of a big newspaper. I was not with the colonel over five minutes, and during that time at least ten men called to see him on various matters. Men wanting positions, men with schemes and men with advice, men with favors to ask, men to borrow money and men with manuscripts to sell. They all insist upon seeing the editor, and each regards his business as the most important of the day.

It is a never ending stream, and each man is mortally offended if he is kept waiting or refused an audience, and yet newspaper men who are familiar with the manifold claims upon an editor's time are the loudest in their complaints about the "red tape" which compels them to send in their cards and state their business before they are admitted. They want to march right in to the editor's desk, roost on the edge of his table and compose themselves for a comfortable chat.

If a paper could be run without outside interruptions the editor would have an enjoyable time, but being the target for an assorted gang of cranks, bores and nuisances, he is obliged, in justice to himself and his readers, to hedge himself about with some protection. If men had more sense this would not be necessary.—Allen Forman in New York Journalist.

Witty and Pathetic Eugene Field.

Eugene Field, of Chicago, whose delicate humor and verses of pathos have given him a reputation not bounded by the confines of this country, is about forty-five years old. In personal appearance he is long and lank, and the hair on his head and face is not abundant. Few men probably possess wider extremes of character, and in nothing is this shown more plainly than in his writing and in his treatment of persons. He has made many enemies, his temptation to satirize friends as well as foes being under little restraint, while the propensity to play pranks which marked him while a schoolboy at Monson, Mass., is still strong in his nature.

The bump of veneration was evidently left out when he was made, and the higher the respectability of the victims of his jokes and jibes the keener seems to be the enjoyment of the perpetrator. But underlying this exterior is a tenderness for children which is touching. Mr. Field lives quietly with his family, and his home is filled with books, many of them strange old tomes, which none but a real book lover could crave.—Harper's Weekly.

Nature's Razor Strop.

There are now blooming in St. Augustine sixteen plants of the agave Victoria regina species, or what is commonly called the century plant. A towering column rises out of the center plant to the height of sixty feet, but it is often relegated to the rubbish heap as worthless, for the reason that as a thing of beauty it has no further charms for the eye. Yet many thousands of the shaving people of the Old World utilize this shaft of the plant. They make use of it as a razor strop.

Mr. W. Chambers, auditor of the East Coast railway line, has had one in use for many years, and it shows not the slightest defect from wear and tear. The strop is made by taking the shaft of the agave and cutting it into lengths of twelve inches; these are split into four, or as many "quarters" as posssble, allowing to each piece a sufficiency of the pulp or heart of the stalk to present a surface of not less than one inch, on which to strop a razor. The heart hardens in time and presents a fine, soft and naturally lubricated surface for stropping a razor.—Florida Times-Union.

Tar and Feathers in 1189.

In England the penalty of tar and feathers was introduced in 1189, when Richard I, before setting out for the Holy Land, ordained, in order to preserve the discipline of his fleet, that whosoever should be convicted of theft should first have his head shaved; that boiling pitch should then be poured upon it, and a cushion of feathers (de la plume d'oreiller) shaken over it. He was afterward to be put on shore at the first place the ship touched at; though, after a baptism of boiling pitch, the poor wretch, I fancy, would have little life left in him. In modern times the practice has found favor with the populace as a means of readily executing justice on an offender whom the law, perhaps, shows no anxiety to reach.—Gentleman's Magazine.

A Famous Clown.

"I have known in my life but one clown who was so naturally gifted as to justify the reputation that he gained both in this country and in Europe. That was Joe Blackburn, an uncle of the present member of congress from Kentucky. He was an educated, cultivated man, possessing rare mother wit, a fine singer and a natural orator. He came from a good Kentucky family, went to Europe in 1842 and played in London, where he became a conspicuous figure in the clubrooms, and, although a circus clown, was recognized by the aristocratic men of the day, who were glad to enjoy his society."—Dan Rice in New York Epoch.

Family Objections Respected.

Old Friend—Why didn't you marry Mr. Nicefello?

Sweet Girl—His father objected.

Old Friend—I shouldn't have cared for that.

Sweet Girl—Y-e-s, but he said he would cut him off with a shilling.—Good News.

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The Standard of Pure English.

When the London apprentice laughs at the Scotticisms of the North Briton, and when the London Athenæum is depressed by the language of cultured Americans, there is to be discovered behind the laugh and the scoff an assumption that any departure from the usage which obtains in London is most deplorable. The laugh and the scoff are the outward and visible signs of an inward and spiritual belief that the Londoner is the sole guardian and trustee of the English language. But this is a belief for which there is no foundation whatever.

The English language is not bankrupt that it needs to have a receiver appointed; it is quite capable of minding its own business without the care of a committee of Englishmen. If indeed a guardian were necessary, what Englishman would it be who would best preserve our pure English—the shepherd of Dorset or the miner of Northumberland, the Yorkshire man or the cockney? If it is not the London apprentice who is to set the standard, but the Englishman of breeding, it is hard to discover the ground whereon this Englishman can claim superiority of taste or knowledge over the other educated men to whom English is the mother tongue, whether they were born in Scotland, Ireland or America, in Australia, India or Canada.—Brander Matthews in Harper's.

Books for Boys Who Lived Years Ago.

A lesson book for children is attributed to Alcuin, and it contains questions on arithmetic which are said to be found even in some current school books. Here is a specimen of them "An old man met a child. 'Good day, my son,' says he; 'may you live as long as you have lived, and as much more, and thrice as much as all this; and if God give you one year in addition to the others you will be just a century old.' What was the lad's age?" The first book given to his people in English by Alfred the Great was "Consolations of Philosophy," to which he added "The Universal History of Orosius," a very favorite book in monastery schools.

In the Tenth century Aelfric, "the grammarian," wrote a "Colloquy," intended as a reading book to help boys to speak Latin. It consists of conversation about everyday life. In one place a boy is made to say that he is too young to eat meat, but he was not too young to drink beer, as he says that he drinks ale, "if he can get it." In the same century appeared a book on astronomy for children, as well as a map, now preserved in the British museum, "less incorrect and having fewer fabulous countries than some made later."—London Saturday Review.

Full Jeweled Watches.

In timekeeping qualities and in finish there is no difference between a seven jeweled watch, a full jeweled watch and an adjusted watch. The advantage of a full jeweled watch is only in the patent regulator, by which the error can be reduced to a few seconds per month. The patent regulator moves the lever the ten-thousandth part of an inch at a time, while the least movement by the hand of the lever in cheaper watches must be one hundred times greater. All watches not adjusted to temperature will run fast or slow when subjected to changes. If one can spare time to regulate the watch to the new condition there is little advantage in an adjusted watch. The extra cost over a seven jeweled watch is not in the jewels, which are worth one cent each, nor in any finer work on the movement, but solely in the labor of adjusting the balance so that it will run the same in an oven as in a cake of ice, and in the profits to the factory. This factory profit comes in higher grade movements, the seven jeweled being sold at about cost.—New York Truth.

Briticisms and Americanisms.

Brander Matthews in Harper's shows that the "well of English undefiled" is no more the exclusive possession of Englishmen than of Americans. He asserts that "of Briticisms there are as many and as worthy of collection and collocation as were the most of the Americanisms the all embracing Bartlett gathered into his dictionary. In deed, if a Scot or a Yankee were to prepare a glossary of Briticisms on the ample scale adopted by Mr. Bartlett, and with the same generous hospitality, the result would surprise no one more than the Englishman. We should find in its pages many a word and phrase and turn of speech common enough in England and quite foreign to the best usage of those who speak English—Briticisms as worthy of reproof as the worst specimen of the mongrel speech adopted by some humorists in America."

A Gentleman.

What is a gentleman? It is a grand old name, but what does it mean?

At one time, to say of a man that he is a gentleman, is to confer on him the highest title of distinction that we can think of; even if we are speaking of a prince.

At another, to say of a man that he is not a gentleman is almost to stigmatize him as a social outcast, unfit for the company of his kind—even if it is only one haberdasher speaking of an other.

Who is a gentleman, and yet who isn't?

The Prince of Darkness was one, and so was Mr. John Halifax, if we are to believe those who knew them best, and so was one "Pelham," according to the late Sir Edward Bulwer, earl of Lytton, etc., and it certainly seemed as if he ought to know.—Harper's.

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The Woburn Journal

[From the Shoe and Leather Review.]

THE SAUCY SUNFLOWER.

The Review having had an interview with the Sun Flower, received the following practical hints regarding its claims for being selected as the National Flower.

"Look here young fellow," said this lordly star of earth, as he turned his open, frank face full front, "You and those shoemen would like to have the ladies' slipper as an emblem. It would be a compliment to the trade and be a big advertisement, but she's too modest to be a representative of the get-up-and-get spirit of the age. She's to conservative and has never changed her style since creation's dawn, and that won't do in this age of invention, this era of French tanicealities and the big soled shoes of the brutal Saxon. She's not aggressive enough to represent the American people. Now, when that bald-headed, howling swell, Old Sol, comes along, she and the voilet droop modestly among the clover and act like shy, bread and butter school girls behind the window blinds. That's not the way I do. I look the old masher square in the eye, like a seasoned ballet girl and give him to understand I'm up to his little game. The words of the poet,

Full many a flower is born to blush unseen,
And waste its sweetness on the desert air,

don't apply to me. I take the stump every time. I was born to be seen and by jingo, I'm not agoing to be set aside by no dude flowers that scent the perfumed air, and then scatter their leaves over their own tombs, and die to the slobbering of sentimental cry-babies. If it don't make me sick, then I'm a Jim Dandy! Bah! I'd rather be a thistle, and lend strength to the bawl of the Scotch ass, than live in that meek and lowly way. Then there's that Frenchified lily that coquettes with Old Sol, and hides behind her fan but forgets to cover up her arms and shoulders. She ain't no steady company. Droops and fades before half the season is over and the odor from a dying lily ain't romantic. But look at me! I commence the season early and stick it our till the snow flies. I'm not cut down in the bloom of my youth to bedeck the bosom of beauty at a ball. I'm too big and manly for such effeminate purposes. I just stay where I am and get high enough to see what is going on in the world. I'm no daisy to be eaten by every cow that comes along nor a violet to be sat on by two people who have got into the scrape of being engaged. I beat every flower going; when they get off color they depreciate but when I lose the bloom of youth I become dearer to all. I'm practical, I am. I don't go around all summer exhaling perfumes, and having a fine-old-watering-place sort of a time. No; I'm a forehanded kind of a flower. When autumn comes it finds me well heeled. Where are now the blooming dudes that poked fun at me for being plebeian? They are all done up, and even the tramp weed is ashamed of them of them. The letter carrier ain't no more loaded down with their big botanical names, and the few, whose friends had sense enough to pull them in out of the wet, are shivering in hot-houses and wailing in a demi-semi quaver, "When the Spring Time Comes, Gentle Annie." Are any of these fleeting shadows of a butterfly's ghost the proper symbol to represent the rugged and sassy land of Uncle Sam?

"You fellows don't know me, you don't. I'm from away back. Ancient Persia worships me as the emblem of the sun god, and long before the 'May-flower' came into port or Castle Garden was invented, the Montezumas of Mexico and the Incas of Peru held me in reverence as the beloved of the sun whom they all adored. Take note of it. My family portraits were not painted yesterday, and when your European ancestors were digging for roots and prowling around in bearskins and living in caves, I and my brethren garlanded the temples of a civilized race and were emblazoned on imperial banners. This is not Chicago talk I'm giving you. It's solid fact. I can refer you for reference to any boss historian from the city hall to the pyramids and I can bring the influence of past ages to endorse my papers. I'm a genuine American and when I start out I'm bound to get there, you bet. You may not know it, but, in fact, I'm incorporated with the constitution of the people. I don't die sentimentally. I'm neither interred nor cremated. My tomb is a chicken's stomach. I assimilate with the chicken, the chicken assimilates with the great American people, especially about spring time. A sunflower today, a chicken tomorrow, and a sovereign citizen of the United States the day after. Come, be practical. Beat the world by adopting an emblem that is a thing of beauty and one you can grow fat on. Just here I beg to state to the American people that the vealy, underdone youth, Oscar Wild, is not traveling for us and no longer represents the firm which has ceased to have connections with æsthetics and dime museums." JOE SERY.

Literary Notices.

The table of contents of the September COTTAGE HEARTH (published by the Cottage Hearth Co., Boston) comprises many things of rare literary and pictorial excellence. The letterpress was done by writers of note and is of the best quality. Prose and poetry alike are the products of able pens. The pages and plates devoted to adult female and children's late summer and early autumn fashions in costumes will be prized by the wives and mothers who look to the COTTAGE HEARTH for knowledge and direction in all matters of raiment, for they are the latest out and most reliable. THE COTTAGE HEARTH is a sterling magazine, and we hope it will be remembered that we give THE WOBURN JOURNAL ($2 00 per an.) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH ($1 50 per an.) for $2 00 payable IN ADVANCE.

In the September WIDE AWAKE there is good history, biography and travel: see The Prince Imperial and Stanley's Bananas, outdoor sport and indoor ethics: see Two Fishermen, The Margaret-Patty Letters and All Because a Bluebird Sang; curious natural history: see How I tended Silk-worms, An Odd Set, and Two Acquaintances of Mine; fanciful tale and the higher sort of fairy story: see Peterkin and Pollikin go to the Fair, and A Tale of the Black Forest; practical art-lessons: see Drawing the Child-Figure; a masterly serial see Margaret Sidney's The Peppers Crown Up; a fine array of short stories see Mrs. Bates's Red Lilies, Mrs. Sherwood's Sovereign of '45, Clarissa Potter's Aunt Betsey's Cap Box, etc.; pages of original anecdotes, and pictures and poems galore; among them Hassam's drawings of Gossamer Girls, and Mrs. Mary E. Blake's Masquerade, are especially delighting. $2 40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Boston.

Readers of HARPER'S MAGAZINE for September are confronted from the beginning with an embarrassment of riches. The number is opened by a series of superb illustrations of Shakespeare's Much Ado about Nothing—most of them full-page—from drawings by Edwin A. Abbey. These pictures, with Andrew Lang's entertaining and scholarly comment on the play, comprise the fifth instalment of the Illustrations of Shakespeare's Comedies which have been appearing at intervals in the Magazine. Following this paper is a comprehensive and popular article on the New York Chamber of Commerce, its history, purpose, and methods, written by Dr. Richard Wheatley, and richly illustrated; An Imperative Duty, Letters of Charles Dickens to Wilkie Collins, Peter Ibbetson, Glimpses of Western Architecture, A Wheat-field Idyll, London, H.; Under the Minarets, and many interesting papers nearly all of which are profusely illustrated.

, HARPER'S is sold by the New England News Co. of Franklin St., Boston; and by Sparrow Horton at the Old Woburn Bookstore.

The list of contributors to THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for September contains a goodly number of strong names. The opening article, by Prof. John Fiske, is on The Doctrine of Evolution: its scope and influence, and cannot fail to give the general reader a better understanding of this great process. There is an essay by Herbert Spencer on the Limits of State Duties. Dr. Andrew D. White continues his Warfare of Science series. A fifth paper is contributed by Prof. C. Hanford Henderson to his illustrated series on Glass-making. Dr. Charles W. Pilgrim tells what beneficial results have come from Schools for the Insane. A decidedly novel subject is presented in Views of Running Water, by J. Piccard. The sun-spot period now nearing its maximum gives occasion for a discussion of the question, Can we always count upon the Sun? A Classification of Mountain Ranges tells how various kinds of mountains are formed. R Francheschini writes about Musical insects. John Murdoch contributes an interesting account of Eskimo Boats in the Northwest. Dr. Karl Russ pleads for the lives of our feathered creatures under the title Take Care of the Birds! A sketch is given, with portrait, of the retiring President of the American Association, Prof. George Lincoln Goodale. The editor writes on The Warfare of Science and Individuality for Woman. New York: D Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $5 a year.

The most timely and interesting feature of the September number of the NEW ENGLAND MAGAZINE is a finely-illustrated article on the late Edward Burgess and his Boats. The writer is A. G. McVey, the yachting editor of the Boston *Herald*, who was for some years an intimate friend of the famous yacht designer and builder. Outline sketches and photogravures of his best-known yachts, the winners of the international races, embellish a thoroughly well written article. Mrs. Kate Gannett Wells opens the number with a sketch of Campobello and its old Brass Cannon, around which linger some of those memories savoring of feudal days, which William Black has made so familiar in his stories of the Orkneys. E. P. Powell, who is associated with W. O. McDowell, the leading spirit in the movement to draw the republics of the world into closer bonds, writes with fine enthusiasm on A Pan-Republic Congress, This preparation of the world for democracy is, he thinks, the work of this nineteenth century and a fitting gift of this generation to those who come after. Charles Howard Shinn, the well-known California writer contributes a paper on The University of California. It is well illustrated, and very interesting. It shows the growth of a great institution in spite of the indifference and political opposition of the demagogues and millionnaires of the Pacific Coast. Dr Prosper Bender in an article on The French Canadian Peasantry gives us an insight into the conduct of elections in French Canada, which is very entertaining and instructive. Himself a French Canadian, he does not hesitate to declare that there is almost universal corruption in French Canadian electorates. Caroline Christine Stecker writes on Philip, Pontiac, and Tecumseh, the prophets and warriors of the Indian race. A gossip on book and novelists by Walter Blackburn Harte, under the attractive title of In a Corner at Dodsley's is interesting. Arthur L. Salmon, an English writer, who is a contributor to all the leading London magazines, contributes a fine poem, A Buried City. There are other poems by John Allister Currie, Kate Whiting, and Caroline Thayer. David Buffum, Caroline Sinclair Woodward, and Mary L. Adams contribute bright stories. Winfield S Nevins gives an interesting account of the growth of the North Shore as a summer resort, which is lavishly illustrated. The Editor's Table and Omnibus are bright and pertinent.

MONEY SPENT FOR TELEGRAPHING.

Figures That Give One Some Idea of What It Costs to Run a Newspaper.

The records of the Western Union Telegraph company may be consulted to show the extent of the expenditures by the individual newspapers and the Associated Press for telegraphic tolls alone.

During the year ending June 30, 1890, the Western Union Telegraph company delivered at all stations 322,088,438 words of "regular" or Associated Press report. This was delivered to an average of two newspapers in each place, at an average cost of fifteen cents per 100 words for each place. This is rendered possible only by the great number of places served on a circuit, from thirty to forty being supplied in some cases at the same time.

During the same period the company handled 206,025,094 words of specials, at an average cost of fifty-one cents per hundred words. These figures do not include reports transmitted by the Associated Press over its leased wires, or special correspondence sent on individual newspapers' leased wires. Estimating these two classes and the reports of the outside press, there was delivered to the newspapers during that year an aggregate amount of 1,500,000,000 words of telegraph news.

On the regular service a little more than 22 per cent. is handled by the telegraph company in the daytime, while on the special service only about 5 per cent. of the volume is handled in the daytime. The day rate is twice the night rate. On the Associated Press leased wires the proportions are 34 per cent. of day report to 36 per cent. of night report, and the difference in cost the same as by Western Union lines. The total press receipts by the telegraph company for the year ending June 30, 1890, including regular, special and leased wires, were $1,848,247.23.

It should be borne in mind that these figures do not include tolls on other lines, or cable tolls, or the wages of correspondents and operators, or miscellaneous expenses, or the sums paid for news by both individual newspapers and the Associated Press, which would aggregate a very large sum.

One very interesting feature of news service, of which the public has no knowledge, is telegraphing in cases of storms and interruptions. It is on such occasions that the utility of a vast system is made manifest. During the blizzard of March, 1888, for instance, the Washington report was sent to Philadelphia via New Orleans, Memphis, St. Louis, Chicago and Pittsburg; while New York city received it from Albany, it having reached Albany via New Orleans, St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland and Buffalo.

A more extraordinary case is that of Boston, which received a condensed report from New York via London, it being sent by one cable from New York to London, and thence back by another cable which lands in New Hampshire. Boston is frequently served with New York news via Montreal, and Albany via Pittsburg and Buffalo, the route being via the Pennsylvania rail road to Pittsburg, thence across via Cleveland to Buffalo, and thence down the New York Central to Albany.—William Henry Smith in Century.

News by Rail in England.

Many news parcels are lost or delayed in transit. There is complaint on this score in some newspaper offices nearly every week. The revenue such dispatches bring to the railway companies is so small that they can hardly be expected to pay much attention to them. Rates vary with the distance, as may be supposed. One penny for every fifty miles is about the charge for news parcels, but the minimum, so far as the writer's experience goes, is twopence, and sometimes for a very short distance—when the lines of two companies have to be utilized—the cost is fourpence. Letters, it should be noted, are not allowed to be sent in such dispatches, but they are sent all the same.

The charge for a news parcel, whatever it may be, is of course defrayed by railway stamps. As a rule reporters and others are supplied with printed envelopes duly stamped.—London Tit-Bits.

The Heads of the Navajos.

Upon every occasion where I was permitted to do so, careful examinations were made of the heads of these people, both living and dead, as well as the methods of strapping the infant Navajos in their cradles, and, indeed, all else that might tend to throw light upon the subject.

Of some two or three dozen children of all ages, from the infant upward, that I have thus examined I have yet to find a case wherein the mother has not taken the special precaution to place a soft and ample pad in the cradle in such a manner as to fully protect the back of the child's head. Moreover, I have yet to see a case, except for a few days or more in the very youngest of babies, where the head is strapped at all. On the other hand, this part of the body is allowed all possible freedom.—Dr. R. W. Shufeldt in Popular Science Monthly.

Sweetness and Light.

Mr. C. Archibald Sharpe—Newpop's little boy is dead.

Mrs. S.—I didn't know he had a boy.

"He hasn't. I tell you the boy is dead."

"I mean I didn't know he had the boy before he died."

"Who in thunder said he was dead? It was the boy that died, stupid!"—Life.

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A Remarkable Epidemic.

During the reign of Lysimachus, 286 B. C., so Lucian tells us, the people of Abdera were afflicted with a remarkable and unaccountable fever. "It was always at the crisis on the seventh day, and then it left them, but with their imaginations so distracted that they fancied themselves players. After they had apparently regained their health they were continually repeating the verses of some tragedy, as if they had been on the stage. Those particularly selected were from the 'Andromeda' of Euripides. It was a remarkable and curious sight to see many of these pale, meager actors upon the street at one time, each pouring forth his tragic exclamations. This delirium continued until the winter following, which was a very cold one, well calculated to remove it."

Modern writers, in attempting to account for the prevalence of this unique species of disease, declare that it was brought about by one Archelaus, an excellent player, who appeared before the Abderites in the heat of summer. Many of the people were taken sick while at the play, and as their imaginations were full of tragedy the delirium which the fever raised perpetually represented Andromeda, Perseus, Medusa, etc. How the same could have spread by infection to those who had never seen or even heard of Archelaus and his wonderful acting has never been made clear.—St. Louis Republic.

**"Sandy" Bowers and His G

The Woburn Journal

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4, 1891.

THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 295 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 156 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummingsville, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

In another column of this paper are notices of the time and places for holding the Republican caucuses in this city. Let all take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

It is especially desirable that these caucuses be fully attended. The work of the conventions will be of more than ordinary importance this year and good men should be made delegates to them.

Don't fail, Republicans, to be prompt at the caucuses, and when there, do your duty. If you fail to attend these meetings then forever hold your peace as to how the business at them was transacted.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE.

Malden has put in a claim for a share of the good things to be distributed by the Republican State Convention to be held on Sept. 16 instant. The particular thing that Malden asks for is the nomination of Henry E. Turner for the post of State Auditor, and the Boston *News* stands ready to "second the nomination."

Mr. Turner has represented Malden in the Legislature several times very creditably to all concerned, but he stands no sort of a show for the Auditorship unless Major Gould withdraws from the canvass.

THE THIRD PARTY.

The Prohibition party are abroad in the land once more. They propose to repeat this year the folly of former ones and do their best to defeat the Republican party—the only true friends the temperance cause ever had.

Several municipalties have already chosen delegates to attend a State Prohibition convention at which it was proposed to put in nomination a full State ticket as usual, not with any expectation of electing it but to damage the Republicans all they can.

OVERWHELMINGLY FOR ALLEN.

It is probably safe to say that the Republicans of Middlesex county are for Mr. Allen for Governor by a very large majority.

This may be accounted for partly on the ground that he is a Middlesex county citizen, but more because he is known to be a popular young business man, imbued with the right kind of political ideas, and will pull in the votes like a six-ox team.

☞ Indications in Woburn point to the election of Loring delegates to the Councillor Convention. From what we hear we judge, in fact know, that such a delegation will vouchsafe Woburn a Councillor in 1893.—*

☞ Brother Jefts of Hudson seems to be making headway in his campaign for the Councillorship. Lawrence did the handsome thing by him. There is one thing about it, brother Jefts is temperance to the spinal column.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

M. W. True—Lost.
R. B. P. Co.—R. P. B.
Miss Bancroft—Piano.
A. Josie Lang—Piano.
A. P. Ordway—Bitters.
S. B. Goddard—To Let.
City—Board of Health.
C. A. Bonelli—Bicycles.
G. W. Copp—Cider Mill.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
E. A. Conant—To Ladies.
Plymouth R. S. Co.—Stamps.
World's Dis. Med. A.—Medicine.
Rep. W. and C. Com.—Caucuses.
Harris Spec. Co.—Entertainment.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— It was tolerable hot yesterday, all the same.

— Read a notice in this paper about a cider mill.

— It is said that President Waldron of the Common Council is very ill.

— The Bonellis' will return to their Franklin street home on Labor Day.

— Republicans, read the notice for Republican caucuses in another column.

— There was another heavy rainstorm here on Monday night and Tuesday.

— The Unitarian Sunday School will resume its sessions Sunday, Sept. 6 at 12 M.

— Curious—but just read the card of the Plymouth Rock Stamp Company in this paper.

— Police Officer McDermott has returned to duty after a fortnight's pleasant vacation.

— Please read what Mr. S. B. Goddard has to say about "To Let" in another column.

— Woburn public schools will resume business a week from next Monday. Eyes right!

— Last Wednesday was choice enough as to sun and air to be marked with a white stone.

— Mr. M. W. True of North Woburn has lost a valuable dog. See his notice in this paper.

— Dr. John Prescott of Manchester, N. H., is visiting his sister Mrs. Anson Barton at Montvale.

— Miss Lena Page of No. Woburn will teach at Keene, N. H., this year. She's a competent one.

— Mr. W. E. Blodgett is not now and never has been a citizen of New York. That settles it!

— On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Rev. Hugh Montgomery will preach at the Chemical Works.

— We hate mortally to see so many able-bodied men out of work. It don't look just right somehow.

— Mr. and Mrs. Phil K. Richardson have finished their bridal tour and settled down to business.

— Mayor Bean's office in Municipal Building has lately been tidied up nicely. So indeed have all the rooms.

— Miss Cook has gone or is about to leave for Detroit, Michigan, where she will engage in teaching.

— Judge Johnson and lady and Lawyer Curran and lady got back from Mt. Desert early this week.

— Rev. H. C. Parker will preach his first sermon after vacation at the Unitarian church next Sunday.

— The Postoffice will be open on Labor Day, Sept. 7, from 6.30 to 10 A. M.; and from 6 to 7 P. M.

— Officer McDermott has charge of Police Station No. 1 during the vacation absence of Chief McIntosh.

— Mr. Hiram Fisk left here last Wednesday for California to visit Mrs. Augustus Bennett, his daughter.

— J. W. Hammond & Son have had a big rush at their mark-down sale at the old Boston Clothing Co. store.

— Charlie A. Jones of the Five Cents Savings Band returned last Tuesday from a New Hampshire trip.

— Calnan's famous Orchestra will furnish music for the ball to be given by the Franklin Social Club on Sept. 25.

— Collector Maguire is getting things ready to rush business shortly. "Death and taxes"—well, they are sure.

— Mrs. W. W. Hill and her little daughter Avis arrived home from the West late last week in good health and spirits.

— The present is just the time to buy the very best brand of butter at low prices at the Boston Branch. Don't forget it.

— Water Registrar Barrett has secured the services of Miss Gertrude Menard in making out the October water bills.

— Mr. A. B. Barrett has moved and is nicely domiciled on Scott street, which is one of the pleasantest quarters of the city.

— If it wasn't for the business that comes from Stoneham and Winchester our District Court would find pretty dry picking.

— Mrs. Laura Moody, saleswoman at Smith's popular dry goods store, is visiting relatives and friends at Rockland, Maine.

— Mrs. Higgins has returned to her home at Elizabeth, N. J., after a good visit with her sister Mrs. Charlie Taylor of Pleasant street.

— Mr. Fred A. Hartwell and family attended the annual reunion of the Hartwell family at Concord last week. A large number were there.

— Our esteemed fellow-citizen William H. Swain and lady have returned from a very pleasant visit to their old home, Skowhegan, Maine.

— The District Court room is now illuminated by electric lights, supplemented by an abundance of legal acumen and forensic eloquence.

— We call particular attention to the change in Mr. C. Willard Smith's advertisement. He has opened up for the fall campaign in good earnest.

— Representative Thomas D. Hevey will be renominated by the Democrats this fall and elected, no doubt. He is the strongest man the party can put up.

— The parochial school of the Sisters of Notre Dame at St. John's Hall will open on next Tuesday, Sept. 8, instead of a week later as previously announced.

— Letter-carriers O'Brien, Callahan and Foss are away on their annual vacation, and substitutes Johnson, Meehan and Brown are filling their places.

— We don't know where the best style of "Safety" bicycle can be bought for less money than at Bonelli's on Franklin street. Attention is called to their ad.

—Over 90 persons arrested for drunkenness in this city since July 1 have been released under what is called the "drunk law" which went into operation that day.

— Moses Bancroft keeps a stock of men's and women's shoes that will bear bragging about, and Lahey and Grammer are just the chaps that can sell them with a rush.

— Considerable life is beginning to show itself in the "marts of trade" in this city. The merchants are preparing for the fall trade and it is to be hoped they will enjoy a good one.

— The school teachers are getting a good ready to resume work on the 14th. The most of them have got back home and the rest of them will put in an appearance in due season.

— Col. E. H. Lounsbury will be President of the Day at the great tournament of the Middlesex County Tennis League on the Woburn Association's Courts next Monday.

— Miss Carrie Thompson and her sister Mrs. Frank A. Winn and Miss Dora Winn, all of No. 6 Highland street, spent last Wednesday very pleasantly at Salem Willows.

— Mr. Michael Maguire has been employed at the Dow greenhouses in this city over 21 years. He is one of the best of florists, and so is Walter, Stackpole, his fellow workman.

— Miss Hattie Bosworth, the teacher, has returned from a delightful visit to New Hampshire. Her brother, Mr. Fred Bosworth, who has been visiting with her, is now in Vermont for a season.

— There are men in this city who believe that a Representative victory could be won by the Republicans this fall with E. H. Lounsbury for a candidate—at least, that is the way they talk.

— September fetches them back. One of the last to arrive was Mr. Thomas J. White of Buckman & White, grocers, who whiled away a brief vacation very pleasantly down in Maine.

— Since our last issue there has been a great variety of weather in these parts. Extreme heat was followed by overcoat weather: wet succeeded dry; and variety is the spice of life, saith the poet.

— Mr. Levi W. Cooper has got back from Kennebunkport, Biddeford Pool, Goose Rocks, Rye Beach, and all along shore. Fogs and sea air nearly spoiled his complexion while he was gone, but he's hearty.

— Mr. Charles W. Greenleaf, Mrs. Greenleaf, and Josie visited friends in this city last Saturday-Monday. They made their headquarters at the residence of Mr. Charles H. Taylor on Pleasant street.

— Mr. Elijah Wyman, another one of the JOURNAL's family of old people, who is closely verging on 85 years old, was out enjoying the splendid weather of yesterday and the day before and as spry as a cricket.

— Probably Mr. Charles W. Dorr will be the Prohibitory candidate for the Legislature this fall. Some think Mr. J. H. Nason would get more votes, but neither could come within a gunshot of an election.

— Mrs. M. E. Plannett has concluded to remain another week at Sanbornton, N. H., where she and her nieces Annie E. Haber, M. Josephine Smith, and Bertha B. Smith are having a delightful visit.

— 24 is the number of the new fire alarm box placed on the Almshouse. Master and Matron Brown regard the box as a big improvement, and so it would doubtless prove if the Almshouse should get afire.

— Richardson Brothers say the "Complete Combustion Boiler," for the manufacture of which a large company has been formed of which Dr. S. W. Kelley is President, in their steam laundry works to a charm.

— Our dry goods merchants and milliners of this city are in the market selecting new styles for their shelves and counters with the expectation of enjoying a lively trade between this and next New Year's Day.

— By referring to our business columns particulars can be learned concerning the renting of one of the pleasantest rooms in this city. It is on Pleasant street and only a step from the RR. Station, Common, Postoffice, etc.

— We are indebted to Conductor O. J. Hart for "comps" to the Red Men's Picnic which will be held in Sprague's Grove on Labor Day—next Monday. There will be dancing to good music and other pleasant doings.

— Mr. Fred. Leeds, the druggist, has sold twice as many tickets for Nova Scotia this summer as he did last. A great many of our people here visited the Provinces this season and they have found Leeds a good agent to buy tickets of.

— The open-air concert given by the National Band last Wednesday evening was a very fine one indeed. There is no mistake about it—the "National's" music just suits the popular taste, and that is why such big crowds attend their concerts.

— Chief McIntosh promptly warned a "policy" promoter to quit town the other day and the fellow quit without any farther parleying. The Chief don't want any such chaps in this city and it won't be healthy for them to try to ply their trade here.

— Marketman N. Z. Tabor's brother who resides at Hanover, N. H., the scene of the murder of Christie Warden by Frank C. Almy, was the photographer who took the excellent pictures of the murderer which appeared in the Boston *Herald*.

— Mr. Frank T. Robinson of Melrose has resigned the office of General Manager, etc., of the Johnston Electric Signal Company of this city and Mr. Johnston has returned and taken charge of the factory, which is said to be doing a prosperous business.

— Capt. Charles K. Conn, who has sold his Scott street residence to Auctioneer Gregory, has begun the erection of a house on "The Farm," his recent real estate purchase near Salem street. His idea is to make a fine and home-like home on the new spot.

— Attention is respectfully called to the notice of the Board of Health in this issue of the JOURNAL and careful study of its provisions recommended If these rules and regulations were strictly lived up to there would be less sickness in the community—perhaps.

— Chief McIntosh is a proud father of a bouncing big girl baby, and there is a happy grandmother in the family too. The Chief's heir apparent put in a very welcome appearance last Monday morning bright and early. Her weight in her stockings was 10 lbs. plus.

— A report is current that Mr. Houston is about to quit the leather business and embark in something more profitable. He has been a very successful manufacturer, but the hard times in leather for the last three years induce him to seek some other livelihood.

— Methodist clergymen and bishops would find Mr. George F. Harris's a good place to go if they love "yallerlegged chickens" as well as it used to be said they did. George has raised 2000 of them on his chicken farm at Walnut Hill this season. How's that for high!

— Mrs. S. C. Bailey is a rare vocalist and a very successful teacher of singing. She enjoys a reputation second to no lady in these parts. We are glad to learn that she has left Winchester and come to Woburn to live with Mrs. Nancy M. Parker at 706 Main street.

— A roystering quartet of youngish sort of men left this city last Monday morning for a staving old time at Lake Massabesic which is handy by or an annex to Manchester, N. H. The names of these gay, jolly chaps were: Charles R. Brown, newsdealer and stationer; F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Lewis Music School; Jack McConnell; and Herbert Richardson, of Richardson Brothers, proprietors of the biggest steam laundry in the county. They laid out one of the programmes we read of for the week's outing and tomorrow evening will see them all at home again.

— The Labor Day Amusement Committee of the A. O. H. who are to picnic at Baldwin's Grove on Sept. 7 are getting up some fine sports for the boys. A tug-of-war open to all competitors, $15 prize, will be a prominent feature. There will be music and dancing galore.

— Mr. Frederic A. Flint returned from his summer vacation visit to Camden, Maine, where he has been enjoying life for a month or more, early this week and has already peeled for the fall's business campaign. He looks healthy, hearty, and (if it were possible to paint the rose a brighter hue) more beautiful than ever.

— PIANO-FORTE: The card of Miss A. Josephine Lang may be found in another column of this paper. This announcement will be of interest to a large number of students of the piano-forte. That Miss Lang is a popular and successful teacher is shown by her large and increasing list of pupils.

— The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Charles C. T. A. Society will hold their first annual reunion in Lyceum Hall on the evening of Oct. 9 next. It will also be in honor of Fr. Mathew's birthday, the anniversary of which falls on the next day—Oct. 10. It is expected to be a notable society event.

— Last Saturday night the Woburn Press Club, in solemn conclave, voted not to go fishing any more this season. They have housed their yacht for the winter in a barn in the upper part of the city. It is generally understood that abundant success has not attended their piscatorial activities this season.

— Mrs. Edward Singer of No. 30 Union street, this city, is visiting her grandmother at Canaan, N. H., where she will remain through the month of September. During her stay up there Mrs. Singer will visit the White Mountains, autumn being the "season" and the best time for a trip through them.

— The families of C. Willard Smith, C. M. Strout, E. E. Thompson, Jacob Wright, Abijah Thompson, Mrs. Emma T. Dow, and T. Benton Tidd went to Waverly last Tuesday to attend the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jewett. Mrs. Jewett is a sister to Mrs. E. E. and Mrs. Abijah Thompson and Mrs. Jacob Wright.

— Mr. B. H. Nichols is rebuilding his rendering establishment which has been twice destroyed by fire within a year. Both times he lost what the fire burned up for there was no insurance on the establishment on account of the excessive rate charged for it. Mr. Nichols is plucky and wide-awake, which means a new factory in short metre.

— We met Mr. Jacob Wright of Kilby street last Saturday moving along with a step as elastic as that of a boy although he is rising 82 years old. "Hale and hearty, Mr. Wright?" "Aye, Mr. JOURNAL, hale, hearty, and happy," and we thought that from his look and step he was in full enjoyment of the three hs, as we knew he deserved to be.

— Dr. Frank W. and Mrs. Graves, and Mrs. Walker of McHenry county, Illinois, left here last Saturday for a two months trip to Europe. They sailed from Boston on the Pavonia, and quit the shores of America in high glee. May health and pleasure attend their footsteps abroad, and favoring breezes waft them safely home when ready to come.

— Mr. John R. Carter returned the fore part of this week from Bathurst, N. B., where he has a large interest in saw, shingle and other mills. He reports business as good in the Provinces especially the lumber business, and while at Bathurst he made plans with his partners for increasing the capacity of their plant three fold. Mr. Carter was well pleased with the business outlook down there.

— Miss Emma Fosdick will resume her classes on the Banjo, Guitar and Mandolin on the 15th of this month, providence permitting. The prospect for a large number of pupils is excellent. Miss Fosdick has met with marked success as a teacher on the above instruments and her scholars come from many adjacent towns as well as from the best families in this city.

— In relation to visiting the Columbus World's Fair at Chicago, Fred. B. Leeds is agent for the orginators and promoters of "A chance for both Rich and Poor to attend" which is worthy of a close examination. It is a neat scheme of the World's Fair Excursion Co. of New Bedford, and for full particulars concerning it the reader should call at Leeds's at once. It is a good one.

— In the rifle contest between the Woburn, Wakefield and Stoneham teams last Saturday the Wakefield won by 14 over Woburn and 41 over Stoneham. The best individual score made however was by a member of the Woburn team, Priv. J. L. Fowle whose figure was 46, while the next best was by Buglar P. S. Kilian of the Wakefield, 44. The Stoneham boys, as usual, were away behind in every respect and took their defeat as a matter of course.

— Mr. Marshall M. Tidd has been elected by the Woburn Sewerage Commissioners as their engineer. It was the best choice that could have been made. As an hydraulic engineer he stands second to no one in the State. He has built some of the largest waterworks in New England and the Provinces, and his services are in constant demand for such engineering work from far and near. The Commission did well when they elected Mr. Tidd for their engineer.

— An informal farewell reception was tendered to General Secretary Alfred H. Whitford and wife at the Cambridge Young Men's Christian Association last Monday night. There was a large attendance and music was furnished by the Association orchestra. Mr. Whitford leaves Cambridge next Tuesday for his new field at Rochester, N. Y. Alfred H. is a young man in whom the Christian people of Woburn take great pride, for he is a "Woburn Boy;" was educated in our public schools; learned his a b c in Y. M. C. A. work here; and has proved an honor to his native place and his profession. May peace and prosperity follow the footsteps of him and his as long as he lives.

— Republicans, don't forget the date of the caucuses—Sept. 9. They will be important ones. At them delegates to all the conventions are to be chosen and they should be the right kind of men. It is earnestly hoped that the caucuses will be fully attended. They are the most important meetings of the campaign. The kind of work which the different conventions will do rests on the primaries. Republicans turn out to a man and attend them.

— The ladies of this city will be interested in a card in the present issue of the JOURNAL from Miss Conant of Church street because it relates to a business which they can patronize with much profit and advantage. It is a business for which there seems to be strong demand here, and as it is well known that Miss Conant understands it thoroughly and is particularly careful to please her patrons and to do honest work for fair pay, it is believed that she will meet with firstclass success.

— The Harris Specialty Company, whose advertisement may be found in another column, showed here about three years ago to the unbounded satisfaction of everyone who witnessed their performances at Lyceum Hall. It was pronounced firstclass by a verdict that was unanimous. They are coming here again on next Monday evening—Labor Day night, and we have no doubt but that the announcement will draw a full house. A fine entertainment will be given and everybody ought to be there to enjoy it.

— The Mutual Benefit Association of this city deserve great credit for their promptness in paying over the first death rate they have been called on for during the year of their existence. Mr. William S. McGregor, a member of the Association, died very early Saturday morning, and on the afternoon of the same day Mrs. McGregor, the widow, received $158 from the Treasurer of the Association, that being the amount due. Such prompt attention to duty was worthy of all praise.

— Mr. Webster Woodman, for many years the faithful and popular head salesman at Mr. Charles M. Munroe's large clothing and gents furnishing establishment, 423 Main street, this city, suffered a violent attack of rheumatism on Monday morning and was able to be about only by the aid of stout walking-sticks. Mr. Wooodman was a great sufferer from rheumatism some years ago but has been quite free from the distressing ailment for some time. The JOURNAL hopes he will be all right again very soon.

— If we were in the least under the weather (as most people are at the falling of the leaves in autumn) Sulphur Bitters would be the remedy we should resort to at once. A. P. Ordway & Co. of Boston, as honest a firm of chemists as live, have made and sold Sulphur Bitters for years, and today it is one of the most efficacious and popular medicines extant. The systems of human beings change with the changing seasons when they need something to "brace them up," and if there is anything made that will do it it is Sulphur Bitters.

— Prof. Clark, organist at the First Congregational Church in this city, is building an organ in the new music hall at his home just over the Reading line which, when it is completed, will be the largest in this part of the country. The Professor, who is a practical organ builder as well as an acknowledged master of the art of playing it, expects to have his mammoth instrument finished and ready for dedication by Sept. 1, 1892. The dedication will be a grand musical event in which the most eminent talent in America will participate.

— Good Deacon Gage is one of the pluckiest men we have among us. As sick as he is and has been for many months past he took a herdic drive down town last Saturday, and better still went into the old store and rested awhile. We couldn't discover but that he looked as healthy in his face as he has for the last three years; his spirits were high, and the edge of his wit at the editor's expense evidently had not been dulled any to speak of by time or illness. He was as bright as a dollar, and it was cheering to see him outdoors once more.

— Miss M. L. Bancroft has a professional card in the JOURNAL this week which imparts information respecting the fall work of that lady in the line of musical instruction important to those who are seeking an education on the piano-forte. Attention is respectfully called to her announcement. Miss Bancroft is a popular and successful teacher. She is *au fait* in all the latest methods of instruction, having lately been a pupil of the most famous pianist in Boston, and her classes graduate from her hands skilled players. Miss Bancroft enjoys a large patronage in this city and surroundings.

— Profession and practice should go hand-in-hand. Precept and example should work together. "Who drives fat oxen must himself be fat." Those who set themselves up as public teachers should practice their own rules. And yet the Woburn Press Association do not do it—at least one of them does not. The law respecting hats is that a straw one must *not* be worn after Sept. 1. This has been so for many years. Straw hats are positively not allowed under any circumstances after that date. But notwithstanding this law one member of the W. P. A., to our certain knowledge, still sports his old straw!

— Principal Mendum of the Woburn High School has been about the city this week viewing the field of his rapidly approaching pedagogic labors and shaking hands with friends. His ruddy cheek and bronzed brow bear unmistakable imprint of a vacation spent in the open air amid Nature's health-imparting scenes. He looked as though fishing, shooting and tramping in the woods and pastures of rural regions had occupied a considerable part of his summer vacation, and a bright eye, elastic step, care-free smile, and nervy hand-grasp, prove that these have been a balm to a jaded, tired and pretty well worn out physical frame. We are glad to see the Professor on deck again, and to be assured that country air and fodder, close communion with old fashioned Down East Nature, as well as sea breezes and mountain climbing, have done their perfect work of recuperation for him.

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— On Monday afternoon we enjoyed the pleasure of an introduction to Professor Young, organist of the Unitarian church at Hopedale, by Prof. W. H. Clark, organist of the First Congregational church in this city. Both are eminent in their profession, and the soul of each is brimful and running over with melody. Prof. Young is a brother of Rev. George H. Young, formerly pastor of the Woburn Unitarian church and for some years pastor of a church of the same denomination in Boston. There is a strong personal resemblance between the Organist and the Divine in this if nothing more: both are gentlemen.

— John Henry Parker and Edward H. Richards went on ahead to spy out the land and get the camp ready, and T. Marvin Parker will follow next Monday. Their objective point was Parlin's Pond in the upper part of Somerset county, in Maine, a locality which this same party, or some of the members at least, have visited before. Fishing and hunting are the ostensible purposes of these people, but those who know them best believe that rest and recuperation, not to mention fun, are the things mostly sought by them. There have been no fish in Parlin Pond within the memory of man, but it is a romantic region, and Parker, Richards and Parker are romantic gentlemen. Hence, etc.

— Arrangements can be made at the Lewis Music School to furnish teachers for any musical instrument desired. The teachers are the best in their respective branches that Boston can produce on Violin, Flute, Piccolo, Clarionet, all string and brass instruments, in fact anything. Piano-forte lessons are the principal feature at the school. Four teachers are connected with the piano-forte department. Lessons can be furnished for a dollar and upwards apiece, according to the length of lessons, teachers engaged, time, payment etc., etc. Mrs. Lewis has no equal as lady teacher in this vicinity, being specially popular with children. A splendid system of study is provided for. Many new pupils are expected this season.

— Gregory, the enterprising real estate agent of this city and Boston, has made the following sales since our last issue and has several others "working": the Prudence Duren estate. No. 15 and 17 Glenwood street to Thomas Costello for $1675; Capt. Charles K. Conn, homestead on Scott street, $2200; Ellen M. Brannigan estate on Swanton street, Winchester, to Patrick Hanlon for $1000; John Daly estate to John Wood for $1300. This shows movement in real estate and the presence of money in the community. Cooper & Rand of Woburn and Boston report that their agency is doing a fairly brisk business in this city and vicinity, several sales having been recently made by them. Mr. John I. Munroe reports a fair business.

— Just prior to his departure for the other side Dr. Graves performed an operation on the broken leg of Mr. Charles H. Taylor of Pleasant street for the purpose of removing fragments of the shattered bone. Abcesses had formed and given the patient considerable trouble. On Tuesday morning last Dr. Hatch, assisted by Dr. Chalmers, increased the size of the opening in the wound made by Dr. Graves and then took away several pieces of bone, gave the remainder a thorough scraping off, and left the leg in a condition that warrants the opinion that it will soon be healed. It had got into a bad and perhaps dangerous condition but both Dr. Hatch and Dr. Chalmers are confident of a speedy recovery and tolerably good leg. Mr. Taylor was etherized during the operation. He is now bright and hopeful of a speedy recovery.

— Labor Day is to be observed here in the best of fashion. Goings-on will be numerous if the weather is good. A few of the chief amusements to be indulged here and about here are set forth in the following paragraph: Red Men and Daughters of Pocahontas' picnic at Sprague's Grove, Spot Pond; Division 3, Ancient Order of Hibernians' picnic at Baldwin's Grove, Central Square; Assembly 2956, Knights of Labor picnic at Hudson's Grove; Stoneham Light Infantry, Co. H. Sixth Regiment, M. V. M., field day, with target shoot, dress parade, banquet, and ball in the evening; Middlesex County Championship Tennis Tournament on the Mt. Pleasant Lawn Tennis Courts, Corner of Prospect and Mt. Pleasant streets, Woburn; Y. M. C. A. Tennis Tournament at Stoneham; there will be a celebration at Montvale by Division 18 A. O. H., and Veterans of Co. K, 39th Regiment, will attend the twenty-fifth annual reunion at the old camp grouds at Lynnfield, Mass.

— We are informed on very good authority that the municipal political pot has begun to boil. Things are going to beterribly mixed in December. It would be a hard thing to guess within 40 rows of apple trees who the next Mayor of this city will be, although the present Hon. incumbent is now slightly in the lead. It isn't at all likely that Kenney will try it again. Everett Thompson would fill the bill but there is no knowing whether he would consent to run or not. It isn't probable that City Clerk Moreland will take a very active part in the contest. He's got a good berth and wants to keep it, therefore he will let the politicians fight their own battles without his aid this hitch. Possibly Ald. Davis of Ward 1 has aspirations for the Mayor's chair, but he would hardly deem it wise or friendly to buck against Mayor Bean. Perhaps Ald. Ham may have ambitions in that direction, but we think not. This however we know good and strong: there will be a big political fight when our next charter election takes places—and don't you forget it.

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— A crayon portrait of ex-Mayor Edward F. Johnson is to be executed and hung in the City Council Chamber in Municipal Building. The artist employed to make it is Albert Thompson whose work in the crayon line, as it is in oil landscapes and cattle, is of the highest grade. He will make a picture of Mr. Johnson worthy of the subject, the confidence reposed in his merits as an artist, and of its ultimate conspicuous hanging. This starting out with the portrait of ex-Mayor Johnson for the Council Chamber should be followed by that of Mayor Bean and every future incumbent of the chair. Posterity demands this. What wouldn't the present generation give for a portrait of Capt Edward Johnson, the first Town Clerk of Woburn, and of his successors, and those of all the Selectmen of the town from their earliest date down to the time when the old town form of government ceased to exist—1889? They would be priceless. There never was a better time to begin to hang portraits of Mayors in the Council Chamber than now. And the city authorities could not have selected a better man to execute the first one of the series than Albert Thompson.

Tennis Tournament.

The Courts of the Mount Pleasant Lawn Tennis Association in this city will, if nothing splits, present a gay and lively appearance on Labor Day which comes next Monday, Sept. 7. The occasion of it will be the annual champion tournament of the Middlesex County Tennis League which has been set for that time and place, and which, it is expected, will be largely attended by the members thereof as well as by many scores and hundreds of lovers of the fashionable game who reside within hailing distance of the Courts. Information has been received by the managers which warrants the conclusion that this tournament will be the most numerously patronized and the most interesting that the League has ever held.

The following is a skeleton of the programme of the day, a perusal of which will no doubt afford the participants, amateurs and lovers of the game much pleasure: Play will be as usual for singles only, and will be called at 9 A. M. First and second prizes will be offered, the second prize to be given to the runner up. The entrance fee will be $1, and all entries must be sent to the League Secretary, J. F. DeLoriea, 89 South Market street, Boston, not later than Friday, Sept. 4. Drawings will be made Saturday, Sept. 5. The winner of the tournament will play the present holder of the championship cup, H. G. Bixby of the Lowell club.

The Courts of the Mt. Pleasant Lawn Tennis Association are on Mt. Pleasant street, in this city, and are said to be as good as they make anywhere.

A Good Idea.

But it is not the money raised, that could be spent to such grand advantages in the line of education, that would be the most important factor in the gain made. No man contributes money for any purpose without taking an increased interest in it, and no voter paying 5 cents a week through the month of October would fail to be at the polls in November, if alive and well. It would be *his* party that was meeting the enemy; *his* political principles and policy seeking vindication in the ballot box; *his* loyal and patriotic comrades incited to the performance of the full duty of citizenship by *his* example. When this element of *personal* pride in political action is reached, when the matter of *personal responsibility* is realized, there will no longer be a stay-at-home vote to worry about, and with this accomplished every other menance to the home and its dearest interests would vanish.—*Arlington Advocate.*

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A High Honor.

It is with the keenest pleasure that the Editor of the JOURNAL is privileged to publish the fact that MRS. IDA M. CURRAN, wife of Lawyer Franc P. Curran, of Scott street in this city, was unanimously elected one of the Vice-Presidents of The Women's Press Department of the World's Fair at a meeting held at Parker's on last Tuesday afternoon.

Madame Curran was formerly the accomplished and highly successful Editor of the *City Press* published in this city during which period she became a member of the N. E. W. P. A., and soon arose to an honorable and influential position in the same.

Madame C., allow us to cordially congratulate you on the high honor so deservedly conferred on you by the New England Women's Press Association.

Very Latest Local News.

Brewster Colony, P. F., met last evening.

The Board of Alderman held a meeting last evening.

The Republicans of this city are wide awake this season.

A delegation from the Phalanx went to Framingham yesterday.

The idea of a Highland Hose reunion has been abandoned.

Senator Wyer will get substantially a unanimous vote for re-election in this city.

The Free Masons have had a fine banquet hall built in the First National Bank building.

Miss Addie M. Bancroft and Miss Edna Sheldon of this city were guests of the Atlantic House, Salem, a few days since.

County Treasurer.

There is a vacancy in the treasurership of Middlesex County to be filled this fall. It is an office with a good salary, and we believe Newton has never had the honor of making the selection. Cambridge, Somerville and other parts of the county ought to give Newton an opportunity this year.—*Newton Journal.*

Woburn has just the man for the place, and he will be the next to occupy it after Hayden if by any possibility that gentleman should ever be induced to vacate it.

Brooklyn has a veritable safe breaker. If inclined to dishonesty he might cause the police no end of trouble. His integrity, however, is equal to his skill. This manipulator of the cold chisel has been breaking into bank vaults and safes for forty years. In all he has entered 4000 safes, and, although past 70, he expects to add to the number. The explanation is that he is employed to open safes whose locks have become fixed or the combinations lost.

The poorest church living in Great Britain is that of Wainfleet, Lincolnshire, where the parson gets 1s. 1 3-4d. a week for ministering to 200 people.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

UNITARIAN—Preaching by the pastor at 10.30 a. m. Subject: "The Demand of the Age on Religion."

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Communion service at 2.30 p. m. Young peoples meeting at 6 p. m. Monthly concert; Mission reports at 7 p. m. The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. C. H. Spaulding. Sunday school at 12 m.; Communion service at 3 p. m.; Y. P. S. Christian Endeavor at 5.45 p. m.; prayer and praise service led by Rev. C. H. Spaulding at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST.—At 10.30, a. m. preaching by the Pastor followed by Communion. Subject: "The Practical value of the Sacrament." Epworth League at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7 p. m. Subject: "A cure for Intemperance." Wednesday evening prayer meeting. General Class Friday evening.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In Mass. Gen. Hospital, Aug. 29, William S. McGregor, aged 39 years, 4 months.
In this city, Aug. 31, Mrs. Alice Hutchings Case, aged 24 years, 10 months, 20 days.

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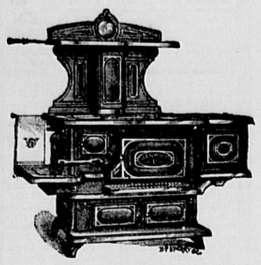

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Obituary.

DIED. At the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, on Saturday morning, August 29, 1891, WILLIAM S. MCGREGOR, of peritonitis, after an illness of about 10 days.

The deceased was born in Scotland, near Anderson, in April 1852, and was therefore less than 40 years old at the time of his death. It may truthfully be said of him that he died in the strength of early manhood when the prospect for many years of useful life was fair.

Before he was seven years old the lad lost both parents by death and at that tender age he was apprenticed to a florist in his native Scotland with whom he served seven years and became a master of the art. Besides the knowledge acquired by a long apprenticeship he had a taste for flowers and floral work which fitted him in a peculiar manner for his chosen occupation. Among florists in general and in the Boston Florist Club and among Flower merchants there Mr. McGregor was held in high esteem and was always regarded as one of the best of the craft. He had many warm friends in the trade as well as in all classes of community.

Mr. McGregor came to this country some 18 or 20 years ago and has steadily pursued his chosen avocation ever since, having spent nearly all of these years at the greenhouses of the Dows in this city. The Dow houses are among the most extensive in this section of the State and by his industry, activity and good business judgment they have been notably prosperous under his management, assisted by Mr. Michael Maguire and Mr. Walter Stackpole, the latter a fellow countryman of the deceased. He was also largely interested and had means invested in Winchester greenhouses at the time of his death.

On May 17, 1881, Mr. McGregor was united in marriage to Miss Julia Weldon of this city, who, with two small children—Eddie, 8 years, and another nearly 2—remains to mourn the early death of a kind and dutiful husband and an indulgent, loving father. These deeply bereaved ones have the heartfelt sympathy of all. A brother also survives him and lives in Scotland, and a sister is a resident of this city.

Mr. McGregor was a prominent member and officer of Clan McKinnon of the Order of Scottish Clans in which he took a deep interest, and which comprises in its membership the best of Scotch blood in society. His obsequies were conducted by Clan McKinnon in uniform. He was also a member of the Gardeners and Florists Club of Boston; of the Woburn Mutual Benefit Association; Order of Solid Rock; and other social and mutual benefit organizations. He was active and influential in all these and in each could count warm friends by the score.

The deceased was a large-hearted man—kind, sympathetic, and generous to a fault. His death is generally lamented in this city and Boston. He possessed a good mind; his brain was clear; and he had a heart and a hand open to the needy everywhere and always. His fellow citizens held him in high esteem; his untimely death cast a gloom over the community; regret and sorrow at his loss were deep and general.

The funeral of Mr. McGregor took place on Monday afternoon at the First Congregational church, of which he had been a member for10 or more years. Rev. Daniel March D.D., conducted the religious exercises which were touching and solemn in the extreme. His remarks were tender, considerate, and well fitted to the occasion. The sympathy which he expressed for the deeply bereaved family of the deceased; the wise counsel he gave to the clansmen assembled to pay their last sad tribute of love over the bier of a departed brother; the appeal to everybody to live good lives—all these sentiments clothed in pure, simple language strongly impressed the minds and hearts of the listeners as any observer could easily see. The audience was a very large one and composed of our best people.

The music was unusually fine. The singing was done by the Ladies Schumann Quartet, which is one of the best musical societies in this city. The pieces which they gave were appropriate and very sweetly rendered, their names being: "Blessed are the Dead" and "Gathering Home." The rendition of these beautiful selections by the four gifted female vocalists contributed largely to the solemnity and interest of the funeral.

Prof. Clarke's music on the organ was beautiful. In deference to the nationality of Mr. McGregor he played only sweet old Scotch melodies: "My Heart's in the Highlands," "Land o'the Leal," "Farewell to Loch Antum," "Highland May," and other airs dear to every loyal Scotchman's heart, and it was in breathless silence that the audience sat and listened to the melodious notes of the organ so splendidly played.

The church was profusely and beautifully adorned with flowers and plants. There was a great profusion of roses made into special pieces and bouquets, and the casket was lined with them. Quantities of smilax was woven into the decorations, and many beautiful ferns, palms and other plants were placed on the walls of the choir, the altar, the stairs and elsewhere. It is very seldom that such a display of flowers and plants is seen anywhere. Some of the set pieces were: harp of roses and smilax from Clan McKinnon; then there were a cross of the same material; a pillow; "goodbye;" "Husband;" and many others equally rich and elegant; all of which were lovingly contributed by Messrs. Maguire and Stackpole; by Mrs. McGregor; Mr. and Mrs. Hovey, florists; Mr. and Mrs. C. Ingham; the Florists Club of Boston; fraternal societies; and neighbors and friends.

The pall-bearers were: Past Chief J. W. Hutchinson; Warden, J. B. Sweetin; Treasurer, Alex Murray; Seneschal, James McDonald, all of Clan McKinnon; John Black, Secretary of the Grand Clan, and Chief William Brennan of Clan Stewart of Somerville. Piper Duncan McLean of Clan Stewart headed the funeral procession and played solemn music on the bagpipes. Clan McKinnon in kilts led the cortege.

The burial service of the Clan was performed at Salem street cemetery where the earthly remains of William S. McGregor were laid at rest.

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DIED. At the residence of her parents, No. 514 Main street, this city, at 8 o'clock on Monday evening, Aug. 31, Mrs. ALICE HUTCHINGS CASE, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George H. Hutchings, and wife of Mr. Walter W. Case, of Greenville, Penn., of consumption.

The subject of this notice was born at Townsend in this State on Oct. 11, 1866, consequently she would have been 25 years old on the 11th of next month. Her whole life however was passed in Woburn, to which place her parents came when she was an infant. She grew up with the present generation of young people, went to school with them, and graduated from the High School with a large class of them in 1886. In 1889 Miss Hutchings graduated from the New England Conservatory of Music where she was esteemed by her tutors and associates and by the public in this town as an accomplished musician. She was a young lady of literary culture as well and in every way fitted to adorn society and enjoy life with people of education and taste. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Woburn and was ever active in religious work, having been a teacher in the Sabbath School and an organizer of the Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor and its first Secretary.

On the evening of June 14, 1891, Miss Hutchings was united in the bonds of matrimony with Mr. Walter W. Case, an estimable young gentleman who was cashier of a National Bank at Greenville, Penna., since which date the couple have lived in the White Mountains for the benefit of the bride's health. Although ill at the time, the wedding, which was solemnized at the pleasant residence of Dr. and Mrs. Hutchings, was a very pretty one and a happy occasion for all present. From that hour Mr. Case lovingly devoted his whole time and attention to the comfort and pleasure of his youthful bride and in doing all that lay in his power, aided by the best medical skill, to prolong her life. But alas! the seeds of disease had been planted in her system; they had begun their work; and medical science was impotent before its progress. All that a fond husband could do was to make the life of his dear wife as comfortable as possible.

Finding no sovereign remedy in the bracing air of the mountains, but growing weaker constantly, Mrs. Case returned to the home of her parents about three weeks prior to her decease and has been nursed and tended by them with love and sorrow ever since. She failed daily but did not complain or murmur over her lot. Rather, it was accepted with Christian resignation as the will of the Master which can never be wrong, and as the end approached she viewed it calmly and without fear, anxiety, or doubt. Just as evening set in on Monday, after spending the afternoon below stairs with the family, she passed peacefully away to the Better Land.

The deceased was a true Christian young woman. She possessed in large measure the Christian graces. She had a sweet disposition which, with her kind and gentle deportment, endeared her to a large circle of friends who now deeply mourn her early death. All who knew her were her friends. In her death society and the church have lost a worthy member.

In their deep affliction the parents, husband and other relatives of Mrs. Case will receive the sincere sympathy of this community.

The funeral services were held at the residence of Dr. Hutchings at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. L. Flanders & Co.

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WINCHESTER.

A special Town Meeting is to be held soon.

Evidently there are burglars in this town.

Mr. J. E. Corey is visiting in Nova Scotia.

Our fire steamer has been overhauled and put into tiptop shape.

Lawyer McCall is expected to get back from the West tomorrow.

There is some scarlet fever in the upper end of the town towards Montvale.

The Congregational church is to have a new organ. It will be done in two or three weeks.

Mr. Ayer, Town Clerk, and wife say they enjoyed their White Mountain rambles very much. They returned last week.

Rev. Mr. Newton will re-occupy the Congregationalist pulpit next Sunday the first time after a pleasant and health restoring vacation.

Employees of the Gypsy Moth Commission are killing worms in this town—or trying to. What a Farce all that Gypsy Moth business is!

Mr. Stephen H. Holt and his daughter Mrs. Northend and her husband, are at the old Holt homestead in Norway, Maine, and enjoying it.

Hon. J. F. Dwinell ought to be training for Congress. He'll be "called up higher" one of these days, and his friends should keep an eye to windward and a good lookout for political breezes.

A good many of the Editoriai squibs found in the Middlesex County press on the County Treasurer question seem to be "inspired" by a gentleman whose home is not a thousand miles from Somerville.

The *Star* thinks the Boston *Record* wants to defeat Lawyer McCall's aspirations for another term in the Legislature. The *Star* seems to forget that Barrett and McCall, as politicians, have always "hunted in couples," and that personaly Damon and Pythias were never more lovingly united. A search into the "true inwardness" of the business would doubtless disclose the fact that the *Record* is doing nothing to injure the candidacy of Brother McCall.

A meeting of the directors of the V. I. A. will be held some evening next week to take action looking to an exhibit of fruits, flowers and vegetables. It has been suggested that the day of the annual meeting, the third Thursday in September, be set apart for this event, and that the exhibition be held in the small hall in the afternoon, with a grand supper, awarding of prizes and speecl.making in the evening in the large hall. This suggestion will be considered by the officers, full particulars of which will be given to the public.—*Star.* That is a good idea. A real enjoyable time might be had in this way. I "second the nomination."

Boston Theatres.

The theatres of Boston opened the season last Monday night with attractive entertainments at each. Good plays were presented at all of them and full houses rewarded extraordinary efforts to please a theatre-going and appreciative public.

THE BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Ye Early Trouble," a dramatic creation of American Revolutionary times, was warmly greeted by a solid house at the Museum, where it was presented for the first time. Its cast was made up of the public favorites of the theatre who were generously applauded for their good work. The stage setting and costumes of the actors were very fine.

THE GLOBE.

"Mr. Barnes of New York" was the attraction Monday night at this popular theatre and it gave perfect satisfaction to a large house. The company is strong in that it is an even and well-balauced one. The strength and rugged manhood of Hugo Toland as Mr. Barnes was a splendid counter to the impetuous, yet charming, Miss May Wheeler as Marina, or the lovely and lovable Enid Anstruther of Miss Emma Field. So, too, the work of Sheridan Block as Count Masso Dannella, a finished piece of acting, cleverly brought out the candor of Maud Chartris, so well portrayed by Miss Ethel Haines. The scenery was beautiful.

BOSTON THEATRE.

"After Dark" was the piece that drew an immense audience to the Boston and afforded a great deal of pleasure although it was not its first presentation in Boston.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

A very large audience at the Grand Opera House last evening testified by its unbounded applause, to the fact that "Kit," which has been seen in this city for so many years, is still a favorite. The title role was essayed by Henry Chanfrau, a son of the much lamented actor who made the play of "Kit" so famous. To draw a comparison would hardly be fair, but, be it said to the young man's credit, the part was not only well rendered, but it was presented in a manner which won the instantaneous support of the audience. Eugene Bertram, as Manuel Bond, made a typical villain, while Messrs. Mac. M. Barns as the Judge and Bassett Willard as the Major, provided an unusual amount of fun, much of which was new and original. As a whole the performance was remarkably smooth, and will insure entire satisfaction to the large audiences which doubtless attend during the remainder of the week.

Full houses greeted "A Straight Tip" at the Hollis, and "Mr. Macaroni" at the Tremont.

Literary Notices.

As a publication for the youngest of readers there is no one that excels OUR LITTLE ONES published by the Russell Publishing Company of Boston. The September number presents a table of contents that cannot fail to delight the small people and greatly interest older ones. The stories, poetry and pictures are all of the finest kind, but more especially in pictures does OUR LITTLE ONES distance all competitors. It is a magazine to be cherished.

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Unclaimed Letters in the Woburn Post Office, Sept. 3, 1891.

When calling for letters advertised in this paper please state the fact and thereby greatly facilitate the delivery of the same.

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A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

A small boy in one of our colored schools came to his teacher to apologize for continued fratrnal absence. "My mudder says, Miss, won't yo' please skuse my brudder for stayin' home; my brudder can't come to school, kase my brudder he's dead.

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Burlington.

CAUCUS.—The Republicans of Burlington are requested by the Town Committee to meet in Caucus in the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, on Saturday evening, Sept. 5, at 7.30 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the several Republican conventions to be held this year; to choose a Town Committee; and to transact any other proper business that may come before the caucus. A full attendance is earnestly requested.—PER ORDER.

An automatic machine has been introduced which forms, fills, weighs and seals packages in those establishments where large quantities of goods, such as fine-cut tobacco, soda, starch, etc., are constantly put up. The device consists of a series of forming blocks, receptacles, folders, gummers and feeders, all working in harmony, so that the packages are smoothly and continuously produced. The forming blocks successively size the paper, which instantly afterward is wrapped around them, folded and gummed at the end; the paper sacks are then plunged into receptacles filled with the commodity for which they are intended, finally folded on top and sealed.—*Cincinnati Times-Star.*

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Republican Caucuses.

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REPUBLICANS OF WOBURN

Are hereby notified to meet in their several Ward Rooms,

Wednesday, Sept. 9, At 8 o'clock, P. M.,

To choose delegates to the several conventions. Basis of representation same as last year.

Ward 1 at Room 5, Savings Bank Block.
" 2 " Concert Hall, Savings Bank Block.
" 3 " Association Hall, Savings Bank Block.
" 4 " Banquet Hall, Mechanics Block.
" 5 " Whittemore Chapel.
" 6 " Hose House, North Woburn.
" 7 " Hose House, Cummingsville.

Also to choose a Ward Committee for the ensuing year, and transact such other business as may properly come before them.

Per order,
M. W. TRUE, Chairman
of the Ward and City Committee.

H. E. MARION, Secretary.
Woburn, Sept. 2, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law next of kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Weltha L. Brooks, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William J. Maxwell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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CITY OF WOBURN.

Board of Health Regulations.

ISSUED AUGUST, 1891.

Extract from the Public Statues of Massachusetts, Chapter 80.

"The Board of Health shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars."

In compliance with the foregoing statutory provision, the Board of Health of the city hereby issue the following regulations:—

REGULATION 1.—All putrid or decaying vegetable or animal matter must be removed forthwith from all vaults, privies, cellars and out-houses, and either buried or deposited at least ten rods from any highway, dwelling house or public building in this city, and covered with dry earth.

REG. 2.—The contents of all privy vaults and the cess-pools in the thickly populated districts of this city shall be removed during the night time, viz: Between the hours of ten o'clock P. M., and four o'clock A. M., and all persons so removing night-soil or refuse of any kind which emits an offensive odor must have their carts tight to prevent leakage and effectually covered, and not stopped more than five minutes on any street within ten rods of any dwelling-house, except for loading and unloading; and no person shall empty any cess-pool or closet, without the consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 3.—No privy vaults shall be opened except for purposes of disinfection, or by consent of the Board of Health.

REG. 4.—All tanneries, glue factories, or other manufactories from which arise an offensive odor, must be kept clean, and that covered receptacles be provided by the proprietors for the deposits of filth that flow from them.

REG. 5.—All slaughter houses must be kept clean and all the offal therein be removed daily.

REG. 6.—No fish, garbage, house or store offal, water or brine, containing blood, refuse animal or vegetable matter, shall be thrown upon or into any street, land, yard or gutter, and that all persons are hereby notified to desist from such practices, and ordered to deposit the same in tight vessels having a tight fitting cover, and, if not properly buried on the premises, the same shall be removed as often as once in every forty-eight hours, at least ten rods from any house or highway and covered with dry earth.

REG. 7.—There shall not be sold or offered for sale any decayed or unripe fruit, or decayed or unfit meat, or adulterated milk, or milk from improperly fed or diseased animals.

REG. 8.—No sink or sewer drain or water closet shall empty into any street, gutter, or upon the surface of any sidewalk, street, alley or lane in this city.

REG. 9.—No swine shall be kept within the limits of this city without the license of the Board of Health, and if a license for the keeping thereof is granted such animals shall be kept only in such place and manner as said Board shall direct. (City Ordinance.)

REG. 10.—No owner or occupant of any dwelling-house in the city of Woburn shall keep, or permit to be kept, any fowls, swine, goats or other animals in any room or cellar of said building.

REG. 11.—The Board will order the removal of all swine, goats or other animals where their presence appears to be prejudicial to the public health and comfort.

REG. 12.—When any physcian is called to attend upon a person in this city sick with small-pox, scarlatina, or other contagious disease dangerous to the public health, the said physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health. Said notice shall contain the name of the person sick, the name of the disease, the name of the householder, and the street on which the sick person resides, and all physicians are requested to immediately report fatal termination.

REG. 13.—Any householder in whose family any case of contagious disease occurs shall immediately give notice to the Board of Health, and use all reasonable measures to prevent infection of others.

The Board takes the liberty to suggest further that the people avoid the unnecessary use of water, which, in the absence of proper drainage, will saturate the soil in the vicinity of their houses to a dangerous degree; and also to suggest the daily use of dry earth or sifted ashes to cover the contents of privies or open receptacles of sink water, to absorb poisonous gases and prevent exhalations.

N.B.—Parties can have their vaults and cess-pools cleaned by leaving their order and $2.00 for each with the Chief of Police; where more than one load is to be taken from each vault and cess-pool $2.00 for each load must be left. No order will be received without the money accompanying it.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine McHugh late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Lawrence W. Slattery and John G. Maguire, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of September next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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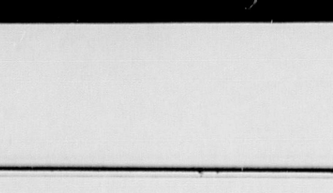

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THE CHILDREN OF GOD.

LESSON X, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 6.

Text of the Lesson, John viii. 31-47. Commit Verses, 33-36—Golden Text, John i, 12—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

31. "Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on Him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed."

He is still at Jerusalem, teaching in the temple (verse 2), and it is just after the feast of tabernacles.

32. "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."

To know the truth is to know Himself, for He is the Truth (chap. xiv, 6), and to know God and Jesus Christ is life eternal (chap. xvii, 3). There is a vital connection between Jesus, the Living Word, and the written word which tells of Him and is full of Him. Acquaint now thyself with Him and be at peace (Job xxii, 21).

33. "They answered Him, We be Abraham's seed, and were never in bondage to any man. How sayest thou, ye shall be made free?"

Being only natural men, they understood not His spiritual sayings, for it seemed foolishness to them (I Cor. ii, 14).

34. "Jesus answered them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, whosoever committeth sin is the servant of sin."

As the Spirit through Paul has said, "To whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness." And the servants of sin are free from righteousness (Rom. vi. 16, 22).

35. "And the servant abideth not in the house forever, but the Son abideth ever."

In these words He seems to carry us back to the story of Ishmael and Isaac, of which Paul makes so much in Gal. iv, 21-31, bringing out the difference between that which is born of the flesh and that which is born of the Spirit, to which also Jesus made much reference in His conversation with Nicodemus.

36. "If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."

By an outward conformity to the law they thought to obtain righteousness, not understanding that the law, so holy and just and good, could not possibly give life to a sinner, but could only condemn him (Rom. iii, 19, 20; Gal. iii, 21, 22).

37. "I know that ye are Abraham's seed, but ye seek to kill me, because my Word hath no place in you."

They were children of Abraham by natural descent, but they were not like Abraham spiritually, for Abraham rejoiced in the Christ (verse 56), but they wanted to kill Him.

38. "I speak that which I have seen with my Father, and ye do that which ye have seen with your Father."

As to His Father, He was continually speaking of Him, proclaiming that the Father sent Him, and that He said and did only what the Father taught Him, that the Father was with Him, and that He always pleased the Father, that to know Him was to know the Father.

39. "They answered and said unto Him, Abraham is our Father. Jesus saith unto them, If ye were Abraham's children ye would do the works of Abraham."

They still cling to the idea of natural descent being sufficient, but John the Baptist had taught them the folly of saying, "We have Abraham to our father" (Math. iii, 9); and on a previous occasion Jesus had taught at Capernaum that many would come from east and west and sit down with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the Kingdom, while many who thought themselves entitled to do so would be cast into outer darkness (Math. viii, 11, 12). Only they which are of faith are true children of Abraham (Gal. iii, 6, 7; Rom. ix, 7, ii, 28, 29); and wherever there is faith like that of Abraham there will be works to correspond (Jas. ii, 21-23).

40. "But now ye seek to kill me, a man that hath told you the truth, which I have heard of God. This did not Abraham."

41. "Ye do the deeds of your father. Then said they to Him, We be not born of fornication: we have one Father, even God."

In Isa. lxiii, 16; lxiv, 8, we find these words, "Doubtless Thou art our Father, though Abraham be ignorant of us, and Israel acknowledge us not: Thou, O Lord, art our Father, our Redeemer: Thy name is from everlasting." "O Lord, Thou art our Father; we are the clay, and Thou our potter; and we all are the work of Thy hand."

42. "Jesus said unto them, If God were your father ye would love me, for I proceeded forth and came from God; neither came I of myself, but He sent me."

The Lord had said through Malachi, "A son honoreth his father and a servant his master; if then I be a father, where is mine honor (Mal. i, 6)? And in John v, 23, Jesus had said, "He that honoreth not the son, honoreth not the father which hath sent Him."

43. "Why do ye not understand my speech? even because ye cannot hear my word."

"Through faith" is the only way to understand (Heb. xi, 3), and if the disciples understood not many things till after Pentecost, even though they believed in Him (chapter xii, 16; xiv, 9), how could these people understand anything when they had no faith in Him whatever.

44. "Ye are of your father, the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do."

He had twice told them that they acted like their father (verses 38, 41), and now He says plainly who their father is.

"He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own, for he is a liar and the father of it."

Here is the character of their father, a murderer from the beginning and the father of all lies and liars, and Jesus, who utters these words, is not judging by appearances but by the hearts of those whom He addressed, for He read the heart (John ii, 25; vii, 24; Isa xi, 3).

45. "And because I tell you the truth ye believe me not."

Paul asks, "Am I therefore become your enemy because I tell you the truth?" (Gal. iv, 16). Truth is to a heart that loves lies like salt to a wound unhealed, or like a strong light to weak eyes.

46. "Which of you convinceth me of sin? And if I say the truth, why do ye not believe me?"

They could not convict Him of sin, for there was no sin in Him; He knew no sin; He did no sin; He was without sin (I John iii, 5; II Cor. v, 21; I Pet. ii, 22).

47. "He that is of God heareth God's words; ye therefore hear them not, because ye are not of God."

Not of God, not of my sheep, neither part nor lot in the matter (chapter x, 26, Acts viii, 21). There shall in no wise enter into it anything that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination or maketh a lie, but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life (Rev. xxi, 27). Let the questions earnestly search our hearts: "Am I of God? Do I love to hear His Word? Are His words more to me than any other words?

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So come to me the sound of the surge of existence
In the deep hours of the night of my soul's sorrow;
I see with wan eyes the clouds rushing on, and no morrow
Respite shall bring from grief's ever gnawing persistence.

For what is lost is lost, and I never shall find it;
Cruel and unreturning are the cold and unshaken dead.
My grief is mine own, and unheeding of me on my head
Still beats the storm, the wind ever driving behind it.

Thou, sitting here beside me, listening on the sad shore,
Seem'st to hear voices come to thee out of the night.
Dost thou see aught in the storm and the swift clouds' flight?
Is it eyes or a form thou shalt see, alas! no more?

It shall never come back to thee. 'Tis a wraith storm born,
Tossed up from the tumbling waters broken on the shore;
The voices thou hearest are the wind and waves' roar,
Speaking to thee alone, who mournest of love forlorn.

And thou, who beatest thy breast and strides along
Moaning thy fate and lifting thy hands to the skies,
Crying Woe's me! and suspiring deep drawn sighs,
What? madman! thinkst thou the weak shall have help from the strong?

And thou, with upturned eyes and arms on thy breast still crossed
As thou standest in patience that hopes in the pitiless storm,
Will the holy sign thou makest make the dead heart warm
Or all thy prayers bring back to thee what thou hast lost?

Only black night and winds in an ever storm racked sky,
And the sound of the pounding of billows on the shore;
On through the night that dreary and monotone roar,
As on in the night to the night the night goes by!

—James Davis in London National Observer.

The Care of Brushes.

It is very common to find people who are dainty in all their surroundings and who consider themselves thoroughly neat, who yet are careless about drying their toilet brushes. To wet a brush and have it shut up in a close box insures its being moldy and rank in a short time. All toilet brushes that are used for the hands, mouth or teeth should be thoroughly rinsed and hung up where they will dry in a draft immediately after they are used. It is a good plan to rinse them and hang them in strong sunlight.

There are little racks which hang on the wall to hold the nail and the tooth brushes, and which serve the purpose of drying them better than any other contrivance which we have. If they are dried in an ordinary mug the water drips down and discolors the tip of an ivory handle. Above all things, the tooth brush should be kept scrupulously clean, and it cannot be done unless it is kept thoroughly dried after being used and occasionally exposed to the purifying effects of the sunlight.—New York Tribune.

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A Married Look.

Mrs. Grumps—Your friend, Mr. Baldpate, did not mention his wife the whole evening.

Mr. Grumps—Wife! He's an old bachelor.

"Well, I declare! I took it for granted he was married."

"Why?"

"Oh, I don't know. He has a sort of a married look somehow."

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Difference in Pies.

Hostess—Te he! I beg pardon, Mr. Downeast, but really the New England custom of having pie for breakfast seems very funny.

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John T. Miller, of Fort Reno, O. T., while seated in a group at the Laclede hotel, pugilism being the topic of conversation, said:

"When you talk about a fight to a finish and knockout blows, both are witnessed in the aboriginal degree of perfection when a fight between two Indian bucks is seen in a ring, the circumstances of which is not a rope, but a string of interested human spectators. It is a fact that among Indians of the same tribe, though they may number thousands, there are few cases of quarrels among them that ever result in murder. This is strange when it is remembered that the Indian is passionate, uncontrolled in his impulses, cruel and ferocious by nature. They have their difficulties and quarrels, however, but arbitration of the old men prevents bloodshed or murder.

"Yet once in a while a fight occurs, and it is a novel sight to witness. One buck challenges another to combat, and, accompanied by their friends to the battle ground, each buck is stripped to the nudity so pleasing in high cultured art schools among the pale faces, and made to confront the other. Between them lies a war club—a smooth, long piece of hard wood, seasoned by years of service and regarded as a sort of mascot because of the blood stains on it received during war.

"The seconds of the surly looking duelists toss up a piece of bark on 'the wet or the dry' principle, when boys long ago chose sides in playing town ball. The winner picks up the club, and his opponent, folding his arms, sturdily plants himself, bending his head. It is the club bearer's privilege to whack his antagonist just as hard as he can and with all the vigorous maliciousness he can command on the back. It is a foul blow to strike above or below the back.

"One blow is struck, and then the man who has endured it picks up the club, and his opponent is subjected to all the force he can command. So the whacking goes on, and almost every blow is a knock down one, until the duelist last knocked down rises to his feet and refuses to accept the club from his opponent. He has had enough and the party breaks up.

"The severity of the punishment inflicted and endured in these duels is marvelous. The club used has a jagged edge, and every blow struck brings blood, making deep cuts and fearful bruises. I have seen two such fights and they are brutal and nauseating in the coolness of their procedure and the appearance of both contestants after victory is won and defeat confessed."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Deliberation at the Table.

Why is it that Americans, who evidently have a keen appreciation of the pleasures of the table, generally rush through their meals in such hot haste? The celerity with which they bolt their food, though less offensive to the epicure than it was fifty years ago, still appalls a foreigner and indicates a lack of discrimination among the dishes set before him. They appear to regard all edibles, salmon and canvasback duck alike with codfish and baked beans, as means only of quieting a barking stomach—lenientum stomachum latrantem—and none of them as substances gifted with rich essences, subtle flavors, that require to be brought out and analyzed.

Not so with our cousin, John Bull. Whatever the quantity of edibles and potables he gorges at his meals he never dispatches any of them, ab ovo ad mala, in a hurry. He sits down to his roast beef or "Southdown" as a warrior would sit down before a fortress, and proceeds calmly and carefully to discuss each slice, as if he were fully sensible of its delicious qualities and profoundly thankful to the gracious providence that thus ministers to his deepest sensual cravings.—Professor William Matthews in Boston Traveller.

A Maine Incident.

A lady cottager in the harbor allowed her young son to go sailing one evening, with the stipulation that he should be home at a certain hour. She herself went out and returned before the time at which she expected her son, who, however, didn't appear. She decided to sit up for him, and grew more and more anxious, till at midnight she was in a fever of suspense, when it occurred to her to look in her son's bedroom, and there he was sound asleep, having returned home before she did. She wanted to wake him up and shake him. Who ever heard of a boy's getting home from a pleasure trip before it was necessary.—Portland (Me.) Transcript.

A mountain of coal in Wild Horse Valley, Wy., has been burning for more than thirty years.

PURSUING A NOISY PHANTOM.

Experience of a Daring Sailor in Hunting Down a Real Ghost.

A. S. Chatfield was in the United States navy several years and cruised in every sea.

"The experience that left the most lasting impression on me was one I had with ghosts," said he to the reporter. "Now I do not believe in ghosts for one minute, but the experience I had is one I am not able to explain away. There is hardly a day of my life that I do not think of it. We stopped at a Mexican port, and hadn't been there very long until we learned that the natives were much excited over a haunted house that stood off by itself in a lonely part of the town.

"All the brave men in the place had visited the house to hear the ghosts, and the experience was such that no one could be induced to go back a second time. The second mate of our ship and I decided to investigate the ghosts. We firmly believed that some one was slipping into the house and making the strange noises reported as being heard. The mate was a man who knew no fear, and we agreed that we would go prepared to kill the first ghost that made its appearance.

"We prepared for the expedition by cleaning and loading four good revolvers and by providing a dark lantern. In the afternoon we went to the house and examined it carefully for secret entrances. Every foot of floor and wall was examined, and we saw that the doors were all securely bolted on the inside, except the one to which we had a key. Soon after dark we went to the house and made a second examination, and found it as we had left it in the afternoon.

"We then took our seats in the front room, with our face toward an open door leading into another room. The house was quiet as death. The mate held the dark lantern, with the slide on, and we each held revolvers in our hands. After we had been there perhaps half an hour we heard a noise like one makes in slightly pulling a chair nearer a table.

"A moment later the chair in the room which we were facing seemed to be picked up and set down again. Then we heard footsteps, and pretty soon the room resounded with noises. The scant furniture, it seemed, was being thrown pell mell, and the racket became unearthly.

"'Now is our time,' said the mate in a whisper. At that he turned on the dark lantern and sprang into the room. The moment we entered it the noises ceased and it was vacant. More than that, the furniture stood just as we had left it. We examined the doors and windows, and they were as we had left them. The floor, too, was examined, and no opening was there. Before we had finished our examination noises began upstairs and in other rooms.

"A dozen men with heavy boots seemed to be running up and down the stairway. With our dark lantern we ran up stairs and through the several rooms, but could see nothing. Whenever we would enter a room the noises would seem to be in the next room—or all over the house for that matter, except in that one room. To make the story short, we remained in the house until daylight and the noises continued all night.

"We chased from one room to another until we were almost completely exhausted, and not once did we catch sight of any living object. We couldn't have been mistaken in the noises. It couldn't have been imagination, for neither of us was excited or frightened. Those noises were made in the house, but what by is the greatest mystery of my life."—Indianapolis News.

Japs Less Docile Than Chinese.

Whether Sir Edwin Arnold has not given us a just idea of the Japanese people or whether the American atmosphere has demoralized the guileless sons who have come from the "Flowery Kingdom" to the western coast it may be too soon to determine. But the experience of a vinegrower of Napa, Cal., who employed nearly two score Japanese in his orchard has brought with it the conviction that in industry, sobriety and discipline they cannot compete with the Chinese. This man says that his workmen one day refused to work. He discharged them and hired substitutes in their places, but they returned armed with knives and took possession of his house. From this intrenched position they were only ousted by a body of police.—Chicago Tribune.

To Measure the Sea Level.

An apparatus for measuring the mean level of the sea is announced. It is based on the principle that when a liquid wave traverses a capillary tube or a porous partition its amplitude diminishes, and it is retarded in its phases without the mean level of the wave changing. It consists of a glass tube, the lower end communicating by a flexible pipe with a plunger which is lowered beneath the lowest water level. There are two cells in the plunger, the lower being filled with sand and open to the sea, the result being that the column of water in the tube rises and falls very little with the tides, and the mean sea level can be read from a graduated scale.—New York Sun.

The Mule Punished.

"De off mule done broke he lef hin leg dis mornin, massa," said Mose.

"How did he come to do that?" asked Colonel White.

"It was his own fault, massa. W'en dis yer darkey's back was turned de wuffless animile he kick me on de head, massa."—New York Epoch.

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A HARD MAN TO SURPRISE.

One of His Own Experiences on Shipboard as Related by Himself.

A party from the village where old Uncle Bill Williams lived camped out a few years ago on the Hudson's bank about a mile above West Point. Their stay was cut short by an incident which was not over welcome. The cadets at the Point had been having a mortar drill and had been firing at the target on the face of Cro' Nest, the mountain that towers half a mile north of the military academy. There was a cessation of the fusillade, and one of the camping party was collecting firewood in the rear of the tents. The unexpected report of a large gun at West Point broke the stillness of the air. Almost immediately following came a whirring sound. Looking up, the camper saw a black object coming straight at his heard from the direction of the Point.

He didn't stop to examine into the nature of the flying mass, but made for the bushes with all speed. He had not gone fifteen feet when the missile struck and buried itself three feet in the earth, just beyond the spot on which he had been standing. By great good luck he had cleared the tents and no one was injured. After much labor the mysterious messenger was dug out of the bank and turned out to be an iron shell, weighing 176 pounds.

Fortunately it was empty. If it had been loaded it would not, in all probability, have been carried home, as it was, for a souvenir of the trip.

With singular unanimity, considering the circumstances, the party that night voted to return home the next day. The reader may have some difficulty in seeing what connection this tale of the camping party has with Uncle Bill Williams. Here it is: The shell was taken home in one of the boats, and was shown to the old man, and its story was told him. The narrator of the tale expected that it would astonish him, but he reckoned without his host.

"Humph!" grunted Uncle Bill, "that ain't much; why, Cap'n Broat an me es had lots o' them things go through our mains'l while passin the P'int. One time we was comin down ther river on ther slop (sloop) with a load o' wood, an when we got down opposite ter Col' Spring the wind guv out. There was a big tide runnin down, and so we kep' movin. The fellers on the P'int was a-firin at their targets on ther water. Some of their shots hit pretty clost to ther targets, an some of 'em didn't. We was lookin at 'em so hard that we didn't see where we was goin, when all of a suddent somethin come kerthrash through the mains'l, an dropped inter ther water on ther tother side o' the slop.

"'Lor, Bill, what was that?' sings out the cap'n.

"'Looks as though it mought be a shell from the P'int, cap'n,' ses I. Just then 'nother shot come through the sail.

"'Look-a-here, Bill,' yells the cap'n, 'we've got ter git out o' this, or there won't be nothin left o' us.'

"'That's so, cap'n,' ses I, 'but what yer goin ter do about it?'

"'Why, there ain't narthin wo kin do, Bill, but sit an cuss.'

"An I kin tell yer we did cuss them West P'int fellers, while they sent shells through our mains'l an jib, an knocked off more'n half our load o' wood. One o' the shots come within er foot o' my head, an its wind knocked me over flat on ther deck."

"Didn't you try to get some explanation from the officials at West Point, Uncle?" inquired the listener.

"Ya-as, I went to ther commandant, but he laughed at me. 'Taint no use tryin to git anything' out o' them fellers."—New York Tribune.

Where Woman's Intuition Counts.

In many branches of the treasury service women have arisen to the proficiency of experts. This is especially true as to the office of the treasurer of the United States, where the most expert, rapid and accurate counters of mutilated currency and detectors of counterfeit money are women. A woman detected the first counterfeit $100 bill of a very dangerous issue. When called upon to explain why she thought it was counterfeit her answer was, "I knew it was."

It took a day or two for the engravers and cashiers to make a detailed explanation, so that bank officials could understand the reason. However, it was discovered that these same cashiers and bank officials had received a good many of the bills, while the woman had detected that they were counterfeit.—Washington Cor. Boston Journal.

Little Danger of Cold When Swimming.

Some object, it is said, to swimming on the ground that it is productive of colds, that it may cause heart failure, and that when indulged in at the seashore there is danger from sharks.

An expert claims that there is little danger of taking cold. Of course there are many weak people whose lungs and heart are in such a condition that they should not venture to swim; but at the same time the neglect to learn in early childhood—the neglect of this eminently hygienic exercise—is probably largely responsible for many flabby hearts and weak lungs.—Boston Herald.

Contents of the Coal Bin.

It is interesting to consider that in your own coal bin you have a store not only of heat for the kitchen range, but also of the aniline dyes, which are the most vivid colors obtainable in chemistry, as well as a stock of remedies that will soothe the nerves and put the family to sleep.—Interview in Washington Star.

A Good-Looking Face

We like to see. Yet Erysipelas disfigures the features and the disease is as dangerous as it is repulsive. It is sometimes called "St. Anthony's Fire," and often ends in sudden death. S. B. Carpenter, Grandville, N. Y., had it in both legs, and was cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. This medicine excels all others for the blood.

The population of Chicago is, in round numbers, 1,200,000.

The commissioner of taxes in Philadelphia receives $4000 a year.

Douglas Jerrold and the Deserters.

A story connected with Jerrold's short period of naval service may well find a place here. On one occasion as midshipman, having gone ashore with the captain, Jerrold was left for a time in charge of the boat. While the captain was away two of the men asked for permission to go and buy something. Permission was given by their youthful and too good natured officer, who added:

"By the way, you might as well buy me some apples and a few pears."

"All right, sir," said the men, and off they went.

The captain returned, but not the men; search was made for them, but they were not to be found; they had deserted, and Midshipman Jerrold was in sad disgrace. The event made a lasting impression upon him, so deep a one that he declared he could recognize the deserters at any time, as indeed he did. Some thirty years afterward, as he was passing along the Strand, the ex-midshipman was struck by the appearance of a baker's man who was looking into a shop window; he walked up to him, and rapping him sharply on the back, said:

"I say, my friend, don't you think you've been rather a long time about that fruit?"

The deserter was horror struck at being discovered, and could only gasp out, "Lor'! sir, is that you?" when Jerrold went on his way laughing.—Exchange.

Searching for James the Second's Crown.

A romantic story comes from the pretty village of Triel. There, it is said, James II buried his crown and the valuable relics of his family, and for more than forty years all over the neighborhood, from time to time, people have dug for the buried treasure. Nearly half a century ago a mysterious woman appeared at Triel. She bought a house and large estates, and went up and down the village, having no dealings with the inhabitants and arousing great curiosity; but after a time some neighbors made her acquaintance, and learned that she was in search of the crown of James II.

Legend and romance soon took root in the soil upturned by this woman's mysterious diggings on her estates, and rumor finally said that the lady, Mme. Deville, was a daughter of George IV and Queen Caroline, and in proof thereof the fleur de lis, as everybody knew, was on her shoulder. Moreover, in her bedroom was an ancient bed adorned with crowns on escutcheons. Lord Palmerston was said to have visited her.

Finally she died, but the legend did not die with her. The land was sold to a person who had received her confidence, and who continued the quest. This successor is a Parisian shopkeeper. The digging still continues, and still the crown with its priceless stones remains undiscovered.—London Times.

Her Majesty's Goat.

The Welsh Fusiliers had a goat with them at Bunker's hill, and they seem always to have had one since. In 1844, Major Groves says, the then regimental goat died, and to compensate the Twenty-third for their loss her majesty presented the regiment with two of the finest goats from a flock—the gift of the Shah of Persia—in Windsor park, and since that date the queen has continued to supply the Royal Welsh Fusiliers with goats as occasion has required.

"Billy," or "Her Majesty's Goat," as he is always styled, bears between his horns a handsome frontlet—a silver shield, surmounted by the Prince of Wales' plume and motto, upon which is inscribed "The Gift of Her Majesty Queen Victoria to the Royal Welsh Fusiliers. A. D. MDCCCXLVI. Duw. A. Cadwo. Y. Frenhines." Billy always marches at the head of his battalion, alongside of the drum major. The First and Second battalions of the Welsh regiment (formerly the Forty-first Welsh and Sixty-ninth South Lincolnshire) also have goats as "pets."—London Art Journal.

The Arab's Pride in His Horse.

Arabian horses need no praise. Of the many beautiful stories told of the Arabs that given in the well known poem, "Achmid and His Mare," surpasses all. Achmid had a mare of wondrous speed and guarded it with jealous care. A robber stole her, leaped upon her back and shouted to Achmid to catch her if he could. Achmid and his tribe mounted and went in hot pursuit. Suddenly the thought came to him, "If I overtake my mare she is then outrun; she will lose her fame." Shouting to the robber, "Quick, pinch her ear!" he revealed the secret sign his darling knew so well. Achmid lost his mare, as he knew he would, but her glory was secure.

I knew that if her ear be nipped
The darling prize could never be outstripped.
—Caroline K. Sherman in Chicago Herald.

Feminine Humor.

The people who have sometimes uttered the very unsafe generalization that "women have no sense of humor" must be unacquainted with the genuine American girl, whose gift for a sort of humor which almost seems to be the peculiar property of this country—comical comparisons and odd exaggerations—is beyond doubt very great. A certain young New York girl of eighteen is well known to her friends to possess this sense of humor. Of a particularly haughty and repellent woman she remarked, "She steps as if the ground were not good enough for her to walk on; and, therefore, she always wears rubbers!"—Youth's Companion.

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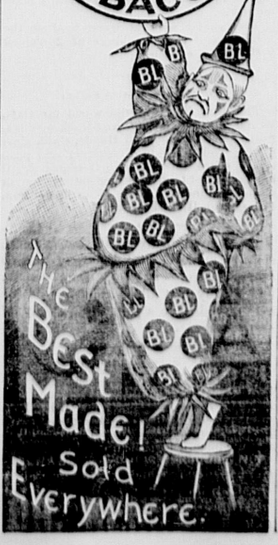

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For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.30, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A.M., 1.34, 6.42 P. M.

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Trains leave Woburn for Winchester at 5.52, 6.14 6.52, 7.18, 7.36, 8.22, 9.00, 9.41, 10.50, 11.37 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.10, 2.13, 2.47, 4.16, 5.10, 6.06, 6.25, 7.10 9.22, 10.30 P. M. Sunday, 9.23, 11.01 A.M., 12.06 2.00, 3.26, 5.05, 6.00, 9.01 P. M.

Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 7.21, 8.03, 8.23, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 11.59, A. M., 12.37, 1.24, 2.10, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.51, 6.33, 6.34, 7.05, 7.50, 9.25, 10.22, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.26, A. M., 1.08, 2.41, 4.27, 5.19, 8.13, 9.20, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester, and Medford at w5.50, w6.15, 6.45, 7.45, 8.30, w9.15 9.45, w10.15, 10.45, 11.35, A. M., 12.45, w1.15, 1.45, w2.15, 2.45, w3.15, 3.45, w4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.35, 6.45, w7.15, 7.45, w8.15, 8.45, w9.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10 40, 11.10, A.M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9 55, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Medford at 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 6.30, 7.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30, A.M., 12.30, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 9.45, 10.15, 10.30 P.M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 6.50, 7.20, 8.50, 9.55, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, A. M., 12 M., 12.50, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 6.00, 6.10, 6.50, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.55, 10.35, 10.50, P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, *10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, w9.15, P. M.

Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at 8.40, 9.40, 10.10, 11.10, 11.40, A. M., 12.10, 12.40, 1.10, 1.40, 2.10, 2.40, 3.10, 3.40, 4.10, 4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.10, 9.40, P. M.

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RETURNING:

Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn at 9.30, 10.30, 11.00 A.M., 12 M., 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30‡, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10.00, P. M.

Leave Winchester for Woburn and North Woburn at 10.00, 11.00, 11.30, A. M., 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, P. M.

Leave Woburn for North Woburn at 10.20, 11.20, 11.50, A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.25, 5.50, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 5.45, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, A. M., 12.05, 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, then every half hour until 7.05, then 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn 6.15, 6.45, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.00 10.30, A. M., then every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Stoneham 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 A. M., then every hour until 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, P. M.

Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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A STRANGE STORY.

That many of you will laugh at its probability I do not doubt. However, we laugh most at that which we do not understand and cannot explain.

I was not as a boy particularly different from other boys my age. Perhaps I was more fond of books and reading than the average, but that I inherited from both parents, and I am afraid that I was not at all particular about the quality, either—dime novels Scott, ancient history or Smollett—everything that came in my way.

One thing was a great source of trouble to me as I grew older, and has remained a great mystery until this day. It was this: I was often awoke out of sound sleep by somebody speaking my name. At first it frightened me, and later I would spring out of bed, and, striking a light, search everywhere, but nothing could be seen. Then I tried locking my door, but it made no difference; the voice or voices, whatever they might be, were still there.

I told my father, but he only laughed, and advised me to see a doctor.

And now the voices, if anything, became more frequent, until they came to be an old story, and I was 19 years of age when the events I am about to tell you of took place.

We lived in the college town of C—and, being well-to-do people, moved in the best society of the place; for, you know that, no matter how small a place may be, it has its grades of society, and there is always "the best." Father had been a professor, but ill health obliged him to give up teaching; and with a fair income, in a congenial neighborhood, his last days seemed to be pleasant ones. It was a great source of grief to him that his only son would not enter college. But on this point I was obstinate, and finding that I was so opposed to a college life, he—bless his heart!—finally gave in, and I entered the counting room of a wholesale house in the city.

And sister Nellie—she was not a beauty as we judge of beauty; but she was bright, lively and happy—like sunshine wherever she went. Every face brightened when she came near: old and young had only words of praise for "Miss Nellie."

She was a great favorite with the college boys, and many a quarrel did they have on her account. Yet she showed no preference for any. When I joked her about them she would laugh, and, putting her arms about my neck, say: "You dear old brother, you are worth more than the whole lot!"

Nellie, darling Nellie, how I loved her! And she—well, nobody ever had such a brother and no lover found favor in her eyes when "brother Will" was around.

It was in 1861. Fort Sumter had been fired upon and taken, South Carolina had decided to leave the Union, and war was declared. Everybody was full of excitement and I among the rest. I begged my father to let me enlist, for, not being of age, I could not without his consent; but he refused though his eyes flashed as he read the papers, and in his impatience longed to be young again. He could not give his only son.

I remember so well when he placed his hand on my shoulder, and, pointing through the open door where my mother sat reading, shook his head and left me.

But those days—who of us can ever forget them! The spring and summer passed by, and those who had said that the war would be over in a few months began to lose confidence in their own predictions, and as winter came on they, with the rest of us accepted the sad fact that it was to be a long, hard struggle. Both sides were brave and determined.

Nellie was very enthusiastic and very patriotic; she sympathized with me in desire to fight for my country; and yet, after one of those long talks to cheer me up, she would—woman like—spoil it all by putting her arms about me, and exclaiming, "No, no, brother Will; we can't let you go."

How busy she was in those days! doing everything for the comfort of those who were fighting, and cheering those who were left behind. Many were the blessings that were called down upon her for her words of comfort and her other acts of a more substantial nature.

One day in December I was sitting in my office at work, or, rather, I should have been at work but a feeling of uneasiness possessed me without any apparent cause, and I had laid down my pen and was looking out of the window, watching the people pass and thinking of nothing in particular. I did not know what was the matter with me; I only felt uneasy. Suddenly I heard a voice at my side speak as those voices never had before: "Willie! Willie!"

I sprang from my seat so thoroughly frightened that the other clerks noticed it, and fearing I was going to faint, came to my assistance.

Did any of them speak to me?

No.

Did they hear any one call my name?

No.

It was nearly 6 o'clock, and knowing that I could do no more work that day, I put on my hat and coat and went home. I cannot tell you how I felt, I wish words could express it, but as I neared home I knew something had happened. I went in. Everything seemed as usual. Father sat in his library, and nodded as I passed by, and mother kissed me as she always did when I came home at night.

"Where's Nellie!" I asked.

"She went down to Mrs. Brown's, at the further end of the town, this afternoon. You know her husband is in the hospital at Washington, and she is going to him. So Nellie went to see if she could be of help. Still, she has been gone a long while, and it is time she was back.

Six o'clock and dark, yet no Nellie. I was getting more worried than I wanted to own, even to myself, and jumping into the sleigh, I drove to Mrs. Brown's, to find that Nellie had left there long before dark. Then, one after another, I visited all the places I knew she would be likely to call at; but at every one I met the same reply; "She has not been here."

By this time the rest of the family were as frightened as I, and summoning assistance, we began to scour the country on the outskirts of the town. Being near a large city, the roads were frequented by hard characters, and we feared—what we feared we did not dare to speak aloud.

We searched for hours, but without any trace or clew, and most of the party had decided to wait until daylight before continuing the search. I, too, had turned back, when one of those voices, now so familiar, spoke my name. I waited. "Turn to the left. By the big oak you will find Nellie." You may not believe it. No matter. I had no thought of hesitating—my faith was sure—and turning my horse, I fairly flew over the snow. It was only a short way, and I was at the oak. I sprang out of the sleigh and flashed my light here and there, then gave one cry, "Nellie!" and knew no more.

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When I came out of my father's house again the snow had disappeared, the trees were putting forth their tiny leaves and the brave little crocus was in full bloom. Winter had retired in favor of spring. Most of the time was a blank to me. From the moment I saw Nellie's upturned face under the old oak I knew nothing until, weeks after, I found myself in my room, with mother bending over me.

When I was able to bear it, they told me all there was to tell. Nellie had been found lying in the snow, dead. There were tracks of a sleigh, but so far as they were able to judge, there was no struggle of any kind. Where her head lay there was a large stone, and a mark on her forehead made them theorize that perhaps she fell from the sleigh and came to her death through its means. But why was she there, and who was with her? Detectives had failed to find any clew. The country was in such a state of excitement all the time, that the occurrence was forgotten sooner than it might have been, except by the heart-broken family and immediate friends.

Yes—one other did not forget it. He who had caused her death could not forget it. All the theories in the world could not shake my belief that she had been murdered—but by whom? My life should be given to find out. I grew better, but the great shock had taken all the ambition and aim of my life out of me. Work I could not. Even if I did busy my hand with this thing or that, my mind was not with it; it simply used up time.

Father and mother, though they had their own heavy grief to bear, sorrowed still more to see me in such a state. And I—my God how I suffered!

At length I could stand it no longer. The President was calling for more troops—here was a chance of relief. I went to my father and told him it was my only hope—I must get away from myself or die. I can see him now, as he sat in his study, his face buried in his hands, struggling against love and desire. At length, clasping my hands, he placed the other on my head, and said: "William, it is for the best—go, and may God protect you!"

I will pass over the intervening days, for though I had my desire, and all thought it was for the best, the parting was no less hard. I obtained an officer's commission, and went out with the home regiment. In the hardships and the excitement of army life I grew away from my old self and grief, and became a man.

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It had been a day of heavy fighting and many of our brave men lay dead and dying on the field. My regiment had been in the thickest of it, and after it was all over I went forth to look after my men and to render such assistance as I could or that might be needed. I was wandering about in the vicinity where we had been fighting, when one of those "voices" that still haunted me, but no longer gave me any uneasiness, said: "Willie!" I waited. "Turn to your left. Remember Nellie!" Perhaps you can imagine how this startled me; not the sound of the "voice"—that was an old story—but those words, "Remember Nellie!" Remember her! I never forgot her or her sad fate. Sleeping or waking I seemed to see her upturned face as it lay there on the snow; but the "voice" said, "Remember Nellie." I turned and walked on mechanically. I knew I was being led for some purpose, and soon the "voice" said, "He is here." Who was here?

I looked down and there lay a young man in an officer's uniform; he had a familiar look but my memory refused to place him. Suddenly, as by a great effort, it flashed across my brain that he was one of the students at college, and a great admirer of Nellie's. He was of Spanish birth, and Nellie often said she was fairly afraid of him.

And there he lay cold and lifeless. But why had I been led here? I stooped down, and saw that one hand had drawn a small leather case half out of his pocket. I loosened it and opened the case. Inside I found his name and a few papers, then a picture. I gasped, and almost fell. It was Nellie's, and fastened to it was a lock of hair. Then it flashed across my mind, as thoughts will, without any apparent reason, there lay Nellie's murderer. I asked the question, in my mind, and, turning my face upward, I waited for an answer. It was only a few seconds—it seemed like an age; then a "voice" close to my ear whispered "Yes."

They tell me that I was picked up insensible, and many were the questions poured in upon me by my comrades. What excuse I gave or what story I told them I have forgotten. Had I told the truth they would have thought as you do now, that my brain was disordered; and so I have kept the story to myself, telling only my own family.

How he came to do it I never knew, but in my own mind there was never a doubt that he did not commit the deed. You will say a court of law would never take such evidence. They will never have the chance. I found that he left college the day after Nellie was found and enlisted. His comrades say he was sober and morose, but brave and daring as a very devil, and that he met his death as the result.

To me there was a reason for all this—he was a haunted man. I am of the belief that he suffered as only one with a load of guilt to bear can suffer.

My story is told, and I feel, as I said in the beginning, and you think it is only the imagining of a disordered brain. Never mind—call it what you will—call it as I do, "Another Strange Story."—*Frank Leslie's.*

The Secret of Success.

Charles H. Buss druggist, believes that the secret of success is perseverance. Therefore he persists in keeping the finest line of perfumeries, toilet articles, cosmetics, drugs and chemicals on the market. He especially invites all persons who have palpitation, short breath, weak or hungry spells, pain in side or shoulder, oppression, nightmare, dry cough, smothering, dropsy or heart disease to try Dr. Miles' unequalled New Heart Cure, berore it is too late. It has the largest sale of any similar remedy. Fine book of testimonials free. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is unsurpassed for sleeplessness, headache, fits, etc., and it contains no opiates.

A vigorous appeal from "W. H. B." appears in the *Transcript*, calling for the use of covered patrol wagons on the ground that the unfortunate erring men and women should not be subjected to the curious stare of every person on the streets. The innocent, also, he adds, are liable to similar exposure to the desertion of thoughtless crowds.

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town says: Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c, a bottle, at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

The fishermen of San Diego have utilized electricity in their war upon the fish. Incandescent electric lights are lowered into the water at night, and a large net is lowered below them. The fish are attracted by the light and are plainly visible. When sufficiently numerous the nets are hauled up. The catches are enormous.

Be Careful!

No matter what disease you may have. Be sure that the medicine you take is reliable. Such a medicine you will always find Sulphur Bitters. They are not a cheap rum drink, but are made of the choicest roots and herbs to be found in the vegetable kingdom.—*Daily Argus,*

A farmer at Norwich, Kan., was robbed of his entire wheat crop one night after it had been cut and stacked. The thief had it threshed at night and sold the grain for $1000, with which he decamped. The farmer's house is a long distance from his farm.

It Is Good Work to Give Health.

The only remedy for blood disorders is one that will expel the germs of disease, and make the blood pure and rich. That is best effected by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., a medicine of great value in the treatment of all blood disorders and diseases of the Kidneys. It tones the system and helps to do good work.

Budgely says the most difficult part of a drinking song is the "refrain."

Hats! Hats! Hats!

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Munroe's Clothing House.

We are now receiving the New and Fashionable shades in Men's and Boys' Hats for fall and winter wear.

SCHOOL SUITS.

We have a large assortment of Stylish Suits in long and short pants and prices ranging from $1.00 to $15.00
Please call and examine our stock.

C. M. MUNROE, 423 Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

A Texas Prodigy.

Mr. G. D. Hoffman, of Woodland, Tex., has a calf-sheep. Exactly half of the calf is covered with wool running along the back bone and on the under side half way. Half of the tail is wool, and the two right feet are like a sheep's. The hide feels like a sheep on one side, the other like a calf; eyes are blue. You may pull the wool off its side and get wool from a sheep and you cannot detect the difference.

The side on which the wool is appears a great deal lighter in color than the other. Its mother is a very large cow, while the freak is tolerably diminutive.—Cor. St. Louis Republic.

She Knew Better.

Mrs. Jaysmith (to grocer) — Ten pounds of sugar.

Grocer (as customer walks out)—I beg your pardon, but you didn't pay for that sugar.

Mrs. Jaysmith—Of course not. Sugar's free now. I read the papers, I do, and you can't fool me.—New York Epoch.

Barrack Room Amenities.

Corporal (to recruit)—The fellow is a regular scarecrow—filthy to excess, uncombed, not a button to his coat. Why, man, you nearly look the image of a regular civilian!—Feld und Lager.

Stolen Dogs in Paris.

Stolen dogs that are to be sold to dealers are first rendered unrecognizable. If the animal has long hair, he is clipped; if he is black and white, the stealer blackens him all over with a dye mixture that holds its color for several weeks. Short haired dogs have their ears and tails cut. The dealers who sell these dogs may be frequently seen in the Champs Elysees, the Bois de Boulogne or in the public gardens, leading five or six animals at a time. Other dealers make their trades at the dog markets, of which there are two—on Sunday afternoons at the horse market on the Boulevard Port Royal, and on Tuesdays at the bird market on the Quai aux Fleurs. The dealers pay a tax of three cents for each place occupied by a dog.—Paris Cor. New York Epoch.

Florida's Aquatic Scavengers.

The city of Jacksonville protects catfish in the river as scavengers. It is a five dollar fine to catch one of them, and the fish seem to know it. The river is full of them, and they vary in size from a baby to a 200 pound man.—Atlanta Constitution.

No Reason for Crooked Teeth.

A short time ago there was no method for straightening the teeth, but now there's no reason for people to have crooked teeth. We can take a person, the teeth of whose lower jaw protrude beyond those of the upper, and make them fit nicely. In fact a beautiful girl can be made out of a fright by a good dentist. Cases have been known where people died from a dead tooth which caused an abscess and resulted in blood poisoning. But this is almost impossible today, if a good operator is seen in time.—Interview in Philadelphia Record.

Pity He Couldn't Have It.

"If I had a million dollars," said a man who was likely to get it the other day, "I should spend it. I had rather live rich and die poor than live poor and die rich."—Boston Traveller.

The Dog's Name.

"What is your dog's name?" asked a man who was waiting at the postoffice, of a young fellow with a particularly bright dog.

"Ask him," answered the young fellow coolly.

"You don't seem to understand, sir. I asked you what was your dog's name?"

And I answered "Ask him."

"You are an impertinent snob," said the older man, brandishing his umbrella.

"My dear sir, the dog

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

ABOUT COUNTY TREASURER.

The time has come for a new County Treasurer. We say this without any disrespect to the present incumbent, or questioning for a moment his integrity or ability, but because we see on every hand indications of a new "County Ring," which is not for the interests of the County. Mr. Hayden is of necessity a part of it. Break it with a new nomination and a better state of affairs is sure to result.—*Arlington Advocate.*

That is sound doctrine. The Republican party cannot afford to foster rings of any sort, much less a "County Ring," which is the most pernicious and dangerous shape assumed by them. On this ground alone hundreds of prominent Republicans in Middlesex county believe that a change in the office of County Treasurer should be made this fall, but lack the courage of their convictions. They are afraid to speak out lest somebody should be offended.

Should the convention, in obedience to a popular wish, select another candidate the present incumbent would have no cause to complain. He has held the position six years, which is a longer period than he had any right to expect to fill it. Even were he the model officer that his "workers" claim him to be that fact should have no weight in favor of giving him a life lease of the place. Who is Mr. Hayden, or what has he ever done for the party to entitle him to such an unusual share of public patronage?

For the reasons herein given, and many others which may be made public before the day of the County convention, it is our candid judgment that Treasurer Hayden should be succeeded by some other man this fall, and we hold this opinion while at the same time we claim to be his friend.

JEFTS FOR COUNCILLOR.

It will be quite safe to bank on Woburn giving her Councillor delegation to Brother Jefts of Hudson. He is the favorite of this city by a large majority as between him and Loring of Melrose.

Only a very few men did anything for Loring here. His name didn't appear to take with Woburn Republicans. They prefered Brother Jefts, although it must be admitted there was considerable of "Hopkins's choice" in the matter.

But the Hudson aspirant for the Councillorship is morally sure of the Woburn delegation. It looks as though he was morally sure too of getting a big majority of the votes of the convention.

STATE COMMITTEE.

A good many Republicans in this State are decidedly of the opinion that if the State Central Committee was a stronger one intellectually and a better one success at the polls would not be so doubtful as it is.

The Republican party may truly attribute its gradual going down hill for the last few years to putting cheap men in charge.

ALLEN, SURE.

The Republican caucuses held since the last issue of the JOURNAL have selected delegates to the State convention which makes Allen's election sure.

Last Tuesday evening the Republicans of Somerville held caucuses and gave Allen the entire delegation of 20 members. Springfield too gave Allen her 49 delegates, and other places of less population have followed suit.

It is Allen, sure!

STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican State Convention will be held on Wednesday, September 16th.

Its President and Committees were selected weeks ago by the State Committee, and everything is cut and dried for business.

Allen will undoubtedly be the Republican nominee for Governor.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

C. Sprunt—Violin.
Rowell & Co.—Cady.
C. Cummings—Horses.
J. McDonald—Tuning.
F. B. Dodge—Citation.
Capt. Conn—Sed. Park.
J. M. Harlow—Adj. Sale.
J. G. Maguire—Adj. Sale.
Pettengill & Co.—Wel. Soap.
B. & M. RR. Co.— Excursion.
J. G. Maguire—Insolvent Notice.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— It was a beautiful day yesterday.

— Dr. Ernest L. Hayford of Chicago is visiting in this city.

— Dr. Chalmers is Mr. Webster Woodman's attending physician.

— Some sort of trouble is reported at the Johnston Electric Signal Co.'s factory.

— Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cummings have gone to Newport, R. I., for rest and pleasure.

— Read all about the great RR. excursion over the B. & M. and C. & M. next Friday.

— Notice the hour the grand excursion train leaves this station next Friday forenoon.

— Lawyer Allen was quite sick last Tuesday. Dr. Chalmers fetched him through all right.

— There was a very light frost in swales and intervales on last Tuesday night. No damage was done by it.

— Mr. C. Willard Smith is not well. He has been quite under the weather for some weeks, but is on the mend.

— Read what Mr. C. M. Munroe says about hats in the JOURNAL this week. He has a fine stock of them.

— The Co-operative Bank held a meeting for purposes set forth in Secretary Whitcher's notice for the same.

— Mr. Charles W. Pollard, ex-Major of the W. H. S. B., has been visiting relatives and friends in this city.

— The Woburn Brass Band have been engaged to furnish music for the Wilmington Cattle Show on the 17th instant.

— Calnan's Orchestra will furnish music for the complementary assembly to be given to Miss Kate Carrigan on Sept. 15.

— Mr. Edmund C. Cottle, who may be the next Mayor of Woburn, drove with his wife and daughter to Grafton last week.

— Mr. and Mrs. James Walker of Church Avenue have gone to Lewiston, Me., to visit a daughter who resides there.

— Mr. Patrick Holland of Flagg street, has been taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital suffering with typhoid fever.

— Last Sunday Thomas Ryan was kicked by a horse at the stables of Murray & Co. on Broad street and severely injured.

— The Boston Branch people make a special announcement in the JOURNAL this week which is worthy of notice. Read it.

— Mr. William Meyer and Mrs. Charles Whitney, his daughter, of Montvale, have got back from a delightful visit in N. H.

— The large funerals of McGregor and Mrs. Case were admirably conducted by Undertakers B. A. & C. E. Tripp of this city.

— The school of the Sisters of Notre Dame at St. Johns Hall opened for fall work last Monday morning It is a very large school.

Mr. J. J. Grothe has returned from the hospital and is getting on firstrate although it will be three months at least before his arm is well.

— The streams and brooks emptying into Mystic Pond are being cleaned out by gangs of men under the direction of the Boston Water Board.

— Mrs. E. B. Parkhurst and daughter, who have been spending the summer at Asbury Park, N. J., have returned to their home in this city.

— Miss Bertha Nute, bookkeeper for the Woburn Electric Light Company, went to Worcester for a vacation. Miss Nute is an accomplished accountant.

— His many friends will be glad to learn that President Waldron of the Common Council is rapidly recovering his health after a very severe illness.

— G. R. Gage & Co. have a large stock of very desirable fabrics for men's wear in all styles, textures, prices, etc., and all "the latest thing in the market."

— There are numerous very fine pictures in the show windows of Mr. C. Willard Smith's dry goods store, which is always an attractive place for the ladies.

— It is none of our business but we would really like to know what the Plymouth Rock Stamp Co. of Winchester (see ad.) want so many postage stamps for.

— The new street signs are very ornamental as well as useful. Mullett's men did the lettering and the job was well done. Our young city seems to be putting on airs.

— The picnic of the K. of L. which was to have come off on Labor Day will be held to-morrow at Hudson's Grove. The games advertised will all come off and prizes awarded.

— Mr. Wilbur Cummings is about to go to California for a long visit, perhaps a permanent home there. Mr. Barker, the lumberman, is going to move into Mr. Cummings's house.

— Hudson, the eminent Horn Pond yachtist, has set up a printing office in Wade's Block, that ancient depository of things odd, unique, wonderful, and here's hoping he'll make a go of it.

— Mr. C. E. Tripp, of the firm of B. A. & C. E. Tripp, Undertakers of this city, was chosen one of the Vice Presidents of the National Undertakers Convention held in Boston last week.

— The public schools of this city will resume business next Monday, providence permitting. Everything is in applepie order for a good beginning and no doubt they will open with great eclat.

— Misses Daisy and Annie Pollard, who have been visiting their relatives Hon. Joseph G. Pollard and his sisters at their pleasant residence on Green street, have returned to their home in New York.

— To the Editor of WOBURN JOURNAL: The Rev. Hugh Montgomery will deliver a sermon at the M. E. Church to the Orangemen of this city on Sunday, Sept. 13, at 10.30 A. M., on "Patriotism."

— On next Sunday will open at the M. E. Church a series of revival meetings, for which our city stands in great need. Rev. S. F. Talford, the eminent Evangelist, will preach and conduct the meetings.

— Lawyer Franc P. Curran settled with Mr. Evans, proprietor of the Evans eating house opposite the B. & L. station on Causeway street, Boston, for $230, for an assault committed on him by Mr. Evans's cashier one day recently.

— Mrs. Charlie Converse and her son have got back home from the Beach. She has been employed as cashier at the Nantasket House, Nantasket Beach, during the season, as she was last year, and left with the closing of the hotel.

— The following gentlemen represented the St. Charles C. T. A. Society of this city in the Quarterly Convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the Archdiocese of Boston last Sunday: T. D. Hevey, J. F. McGovern, Dennis Kelley.

— Sedgwick Park is one of the most desirable residence locations anywhere to be found in this vicinity. It is destined to become the "Court End," and people who want to secure lots in it should apply to Capt. Charles K. Conn at once. See ad.

— Mrs. Whittemore, wife of Hon. B. F. Whittemore of Montvale, was suddenly attacked by a dangerous illness last Wednesday.

— Mrs. Ella C. Luce, daughter of Mr. C. W. Nute, has been engaged by the Haverhill Unitarian church as a member of their choir. She is one of the finest alto singers in this part of the country and is never obliged to seek profitable engagements.

— Mr. Webster Woodman who has been very sick at his home on Pleasant street with typhoid fever and rheumatism is much better and will soon be out again. He had a pretty close shave, it being thought at one time that he would not pull through.

— That alleged Italian shooting affair was the biggest newspaper fake out of jail. It was another case of "great cry and little wool," and so Judge Johnson threw the complaint out of Court and ought to have served the complainant in the same fashion.

— We have no more open-handed or better citizen than Mr. Benjamin H. Nichols. Notwithstanding his recent serious losses by fire, the other day he made a generous present of $25 to the Woburn Firemen's Relief Association, for which they were very grateful.

— The JOURNAL office embraces this opportunity to congratulate Mr. George H. Ellison, one of it graduates, on the advent of the first baby into his household: born Aug. 31: boy: 8 pounds plump: name Horace Mann: father and mother doing well, especially the father.

— Why is it? Aye, Messrs. Mayor Bean and City Council, that the managers of the Hibernian picnic in the Rink last Monday, were allowed to keep OPEN BAR, with all the term implies, and not an official objection raised to it? We want to know why this was thus.

— The Woburn Board of Trade will resume their monthly assemblies on next Thesday evening, Sept. 15. Fresh from rest and recuperation, it is expected the Board will go vigorously to work to originate and promote projects for the good of the city. It is high time something in that line were done.

— Our genial friend, the veteran Railroad Conductor Mr. O. J. Hart, with his efficient Aids, Frank Menchin, A. T. Webber and William Duplin, managed the dance of Shawsheen Tribe of Red Men and Nahmeokee Council of D. of P., at Spy Pond, Stoneham, last Monday, admirably and to everybody's satisfaction.

— Mr. Jerry H. Foster of Foster street, this city, loaded our table with large, handsome and exceedingly toothsome pears day before yesterday which had been gathered from a tree on his premises. We don't hanker after any better eating in the line of fruit than those pears were, and hearty thanks for the same.

— EDITOR JOURNAL:—All wheelmen of Woburn, Winchester and Stoneham are cordially invited to join in the Club run of the Woburn Cycle Club to Chestnut Hill Reservoir on next Sunday morning, starting from the Common at Woburn at 10 o'clock, passing through Winchester Centre about 10.15.—E. C. LEATHE.

— Dr. Sherman H. Sanborn, dentist, left here last Wednesday for a fishing and hunting trip in Northern Maine. His objective point was Mt. Kineo, an island in Moosehead Lake, a fashionable summer and autumn resort, while the forests and streams of the main land are a paradise for sportsmen with gun and rod.

— There was held a very pleasant wedding anniversary at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. K. Marter, Montvale, last Saturday avening, which was attended by a large number of their friends. It was their 20th anniversary. Many beautiful presents were made; there was spread an elegant repast; and a delightful evening was spent.

— Pupils of the High School are requested to prepare their courses before the opening of the school. The Principal can be found at the office of the Superintendent of Schools during afternoons and evenings of this week from 3 till 5.30, and from 7.30 till 9.30, where he will be glad to consult with parents and pupils regarding the work of the coming school-year.

— Last week Thursday Mr. J. J. Grothe met with a serious accident at his wagon factory on Everett street. He fell while getting some iron from a rack and cut a gash some five inches long on his arm and severed some of the principal muscles. He was attended by Doctors Harlow and Blake, by whose orders Mr. Grothe was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital.

— Miss Mary D. Prior and Clara L. Nichols of Class '90 and '91, W. H. School, and Edith Hanson and Florence Munroe, former graduates, left their homes in this city last Wednesday to take up their studies at Wellesley College. They are among the brightest and most talented of our High School's small army of graduates, and our prediction is that they will make their mark in life.

— Lots of bright young Woburn people have entered Burdett's great Boston Business College for a course of thorough business training. Among them are: Irving R. Bancroft, Elliott F. Trull, Patrick F. Carney, Edmund E. Walsh, Chester L. Fish, and Miss Mabel T. Newton. These expect to enter next month: Wilbur E. Felch, Walter Dodge, George Ellard. Burdett's carries off the palm.

— Mrs. P. A. Bancroft writes the JOURNAL from George's Mills, N. H.: "We have a fine view of Sunapee Mountain and Lake from the Stow Lake House which brings to mind the passage, 'as the mountains round about Jerusalem.' But with this panorama of beauty spread out before me I am not quite satisfied without the WOBURN JOURNAL. We are today at Sunapee Lake which is very beautiful."

— C. Vey Holman, Esq., proprietor and publisher of the *City Press*, and Mrs. Holman, with a large party of ladies and gentlemen from Maine, Massachusetts and Minnesota, were registered at Moosehead Inn, Moosehead Lake, and will be the guests of Mr. Harry P. Ross of Bangor, Me., said to be one of the heaviest lumber operators in that State, at his fine estate at the head of the Lake this week.

— Lovers of A1 horseflesh have been getting just what they wanted at big bargains at the stables Mr. Charles Cummings, No. 35 Cambridge street. The last carload of roadsters and work horses which he brought from Canada 10 days ago "take the cake" for size, color, style of carriage, fleetness of foot, and substantial working qualities. Everyone says they are a neat lot, and we have been told that they are going with a rush. Prices are away down.

— Poor Hannah Dillon died at East Cambridge last Saturday of heart disease. She was about 24 years old, a bright, intelligent girl who with proper breeding would have made a good woman and become a credit to her sex. As it was, her life was a wreck. It is to be hoped the unfortunate girl will be happier where she has gone than she was here—she can't be much worse off. We do not envy the feelings of those who were said to be the authors of poor Hannah Dillon's ruin.

— The JOURNAL'S German Orchestra put in its first post-vacation visit here on last Wednesday. We felt a little regretful because our reportorie contained so few new musical productions, our only excuse for which being that the season at the Beaches has been a very busy one and time for making additions to our collection too limited to do but very little at it. Still the new pieces presented were from the best operas, and appeared to please musically inclined people on the streets last Wednesday.

— In its issue of Aug. 15, *The Republic* of Boston contained an interesting historical outline and description of the famous Richelieu River of Canada and country adjacent thereto from the pen of one of Woburn's "ready writers," Miss J. Gertrude Menard. The history of the region described by the lady's pen is filled with romance, while its traditions are more interesting than almost anything else found elsewhere in any part of North America. Miss Menard is a graceful writer and her descriptions are fine.

— Mr. James McDonald, whose professional card is published in this paper this week, is one of the most skilful piano tuners and regulators in this section of the State. Years ago he acquired a thorough knowledge of the piano and his long experience as tuner and regulator has placed him at the head of the profession. Mr. McDonald does the tuning for all the first families in this city and vicinity. They all like and speak highly of his work. His terms are reasonable; and his patronage is deservedly large.

— Mr. Edward L. Shaw is very ill of heart trouble at his summer home at Swampscott. Dr. John M. Harlow of this city was summoned last Saturday by Mr. Shaw's family to proceed with all possible haste to Swampscott to attend the sick man and has attended him closely ever since. Mr. Shaw's condition was regarded as critical especially as there were symptoms of pneumonia. Dr. Harlow brought him safely through a severe illness of pneumonia two years ago, and it is hoped he will do as well by his patient this time.

— After an intermittent rainstorm of a fortnight's duration, a portion of which period it poured down like great guns, especially so on Saturday, Sunday and Monday last, night and day, the weather cleared away at sunset on Monday evening and on Tuesday the weather was nice, bracing and sunny. There was nothing very intermittent about the rain on Labor Day; contrariwise, the downpoor was constant and big. It spoiled all the fun planned for that holiday and nothing worth mentioning was done here in the way of a celebration.

— Mr. Clifford Sprunt has a professional card in this number of the JOURNAL to which we call particular attention. It reads all right as a single glance of the eye will show. From what we have heard respecting this young gentleman's accomplishments on the violin we have no hesitation in recommending him to the people of this city as an instructor on that instrument and the viola. He is unquestionably *au fait* in the business. You will see, too, that Mr. Sprunt furnishes the best kind of an orchestra for parties, dances, etc., on liberal terms. See his card.

— By reference to our business columns it will be observed that on next Friday, Sept. 18, there is to be a grand excursion by special train over the So. Div. (Boston & Lowell) of the B. & M. and Concord & Montreal Railroad, via Nashua, Concord and Wiers, which will be the most delightful of the famous autumn excursions of the Boston & Maine Railroad Company. Just read the advertisement carefully from start to finish and see what a splendid trip the Company offer for such a small amount of money. The people who do not take in this excursion will lose a big thing.

— "The above [in JOURNAL] is from our old employer, Geo. A. Hobbs, whom we served nearly thirty years ago. It is very likely that outself and a running mate in the old office frequently made life a burden to our friend, but we meant no harm, and we are often grateful to him for teaching us the newspaper business in a thorough and correct manner. And we appreciate the kind words above written by one who has not forgotten us after such a long lapse of years. Here's to memories of the olden time, friend Hobbs." —*Juniata*, (Neb.) *Herald*. Our Pupil may rest assured that the Old Preceptor never forgets any of the graduates of *The Republic* the memory of whom is worty of preservation—as "Ike's" certainly is.

— Rev. E. P. Telford, the London Evangelist, who is to conduct a series of meetings at the M. E. Church will commence his work next Sunday evening, Sept. 13, at 7 o'clock. He is a man of wonderful power and has had remarkable success. In England and America many thousands have been brought into new life through his ministry. In a meeting of less than four weeks 1500 men and women testified their conversion and decision for Christ. He has labored for such well-known ministers as Dr. J. W. Hamilton of Boston, Dr. Cleveland of Philadelphia, and D. L. Moody of Chicago. Gospel Hymns No. 5 will be used. Fine Congregational singing will be led by chorus choir at each service. At each service Mrs. Telford will sing an appropriate solo. The public are cordially invited.—*

— The Woburn Red men and Daughters of Pocahontas celebrated Labor Day in fine style with the Stoneham tribes at Sprague's Grove, Spot Pond, Stoneham, where they held a big Powwow and Corn Dance to the unbounded delight and gratification of these innocent children of the forest. In accordance with the immemorial customs of the aborigines, besides dancing there were athletic games, races, jumping, etc., in which young and old heartily participated, and which afforded rare sport for all. But what pleased us the best of anything was the fact that a young Indian maiden, the fair Fannie Menchin of Woburn, carried off the first prize for fleetness of foot and in doing so distanced all competitors. The prize was a silver napkin ring appropriately inscribed, and it was borne in triumph to the Lodge of the Pocahontas in this city. It was a beautiful trophy fairly won.

— Mr. B. A. Tripp, senior member of B. A. & C. E. Tripp, undertakers in this city, and Mrs. Tripp expect to start on next Tuesday, Sept. 15, for a visit of six weeks or so among relatives and friends in the West. They will tarry a short time at Niagara Falls when en route for Chicago to see the sights and perhaps take in other places of interest along the way. At Chicago they will make a considerable stop with Mrs. Tripp's brother, who is a gentleman at the head of musical circles in that city, and from there they will go to Kansas City, and where Mr. William Tripp, a brother of Mr. B. A., lives and is engaged in street railroad business. Their next objective point will be Sedalia, Mo., where Mr. Tripp's brother John resides; and from there parts of Nebraska will be visited and such points of interest as the couple may take a fancy to see. Mr. and Mrs. Tripp have the best wishes of the JOURNAL for health and pleasure while away and a safe return to their Woburn home.

— We are in receipt of a copy of the Hollis (N. H.) *Times* which contains a full report of the reunion of the Tenney Family which was held in that village on August 12-17 last and was numerously attended. From all accounts it was a great merry-making, a gay and festive occasion, one of the principal figures of which was our highly esteemed friend Ralph A. Tenney, a prominent Chicago merchant, and the owner of the old, original Tenney homestead at Hollis. He was Chairman of the reunion. The homestead has been in the family since 1747. The Tenneys first settled at Rowley, Mass., and emigrated from there to New Hampshire. John S. Tenney, once Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of Maine, was a native of Rowley and a member of the family whose representatives held this reunion. If our friend Ralph A. had brought along this copy of the *Times* in person, as we confidently expected he would, our pleasure would have been greatly enhanced. But he passed us by on the other side. We saw another familiar name in the list of those who celebrated, viz: Henry G. Little of Grinnell, Iowa.

— Col. Edward Simonds, Probation Officer at the Fourth District Court, General Overseer of things in and around Municipal Building, etc., kindly took a representative of the JOURNAL through what a certain reporter of a Boston paper pompously alludes to as City Hall last Tuesday and showed him the improvements therein recently made. They were many and great. From the Mayor's Room clean down through the scale, or gamut, footprints of the hand of improvement were easily discoverable with the naked eye. Coats of paint of almost endless hues were run afoul of on every side. Carpets rich in color and texture had taken the place of rags. Cherry-stained furniture reflected the fine physiognomies of the reporter and his chaparone. Order rained, and good taste prevailed in the arrangements of everything. Our City Fathers have luxurious quarters, and the servants of the city are splendidly housed. Handing the reporter a moderate sized apple which he had "mellered" to the last degree by pounding it on the door-jamb and had carried in his pocket all the season apparently, our courteous conductor shook us cordially by the hand, wished us "many happy returns of the same," and bid us goodbye for the present.

— We can tell the Arlington *Advocate* something about the first fire engine West Cambridge ever had, anent which inquiries were made through the columns of that paper some years ago. The first engine was built by Thayer of Roxbury and called the *Good Intent*. It wasn't much bigger than a washtub and not much more effective at a fire. After being in use several years it was "given its time" and stored away in a shed belonging to the Tufts Tavern on what was then called High street. There was an efficient Fire Company in those days whose services were appreciated by the citizens of the town. One night several years prior to 1838 some of the members of the Fire Company stealthily effected an entrance into the shed where *Good Intent* had stood so long inactive and silently and speedily proceeded to remove the ancient machine to the street. It was not however allowed to stand there long. A score of stalwart hands seized the ropes; a whispered "go it, boys" was given; and in less than 30 minutes thereafter the little fire-fighter of former days ingloriously sank to the bottom of Spy Pond where it has remained unto this day—close on to 60 years. The successor of *Good Intent* was also a Roxbury built machine. It was a great improvement on its predecessor and proudly bore the name of *Eureka*. But it was a modest affair compared to the "tubs" of later make and especially to the steam engine of these modern times. One, at least of the "b'hoys" who "run with the Mash-een" *Good Intent* and helped to sink her in Spy Pond is still hale and hearty. The fate of their first fire engine has always remained a mystery to the people of Arlington, and this is the first time the story of its fate has ever been publicly told.

— The National Band will give their last concert of the season on the Common next Friday evening, Sept. 18, and a dance in Lyceum Hall after the concert.

"And she rejected you?" "She did." "By Jupiter! And yet they say that women have no sense."

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Reunion of the 39th Regt.

Last Monday, notwithstanding the mighty rain storm that prevailed nearly all day, the 39th Massachusetts Regiment of Volunteers held their annual reunion at Lynnfield and enjoyed it as much as ever they did in their lives. The remnants of the Regiment were out in full force, as they usually are, and only a few failed to answer to roll-call. It may be stated here that only three members have died since the last reunion, one of whom was Converse Mead of Company K, Woburn.

The reunion of 1890 was held in this city and a grand gathering it was. Six of the Companies, of which Co. K is one, were town Companies—Somerville, Medford, Natick, Quincy, Woburn, etc.—each of which takes turns in entertaining the Veterans of the old organization. No Company was raised at Lynnfield, but the Regiment was encamped there for a month in the summer of 1862 before leaving for the front, and it was in honor of the old camp-ground and the claim which it has as such to recognition from "the boys" that the reunion was held in that quiet rural place this year.

The Veterans were cordially received by the good people of Lynnfield by whom everything was done to make them comfortable and happy. The day was most agreeably spent. A grand good dinner was no unimportant feature of the reunion, and a patriotic address by the old Chaplain of the Regiment, speech-making, songs, stories, and cordial greetings of comrades, helped to fill in the time in the most pleasant manner. The Chaplain had not seen many of his old army comrades since the Regiment was mustered out of service and was a stranger to the most of them. He soon got to know them.

Between the showers the Vets sallied out to find landmarks of their camp which stood there for a month or more 29 years ago. After donning their "thinking-caps" and getting "the lay of the land" many things once familiar as a part of the camp-grounds were discovered and the memories they conjured up were rehearsed inside with the pipe.

Company K went over from here in good force. Nearly all of the members were on the ground and everybody had the best kind of a time.

The names of the members of Co. K (Woburn) who attended the reunion were: Capt. Luke R. Tidd, John Gilcreast, George E. Fowle, Abijah Thompson, Andrew R. Linscott, M. B. Baldwin, Albert P. Barrett, Charles K. Conn, W. H. LeBaron, George W. Linscott, Timothy Mahoney, Rufus F. Poole, Albert H. Richardson, Charles H. Johnson, C. H. Colegate, Edward Hoskins, J. Fred Leslie, Albert L. Richardson, William McDevitt, John H. Sheehan.

Labor Day.

Picnics and picnics; dances and dances; athletic games; indoors and outdoor amusements galore, et cetera, et cetera, had been planned by the people of this city for Labor Day, but on account of the inclemency of the weather they all came to naught, or next to it. The rain poured nearly all day in torrents and a poorer look for fun and things was hardly ever presented to anxious men and women. A few people were seen in the streets and some of them resembled more closely wet hens than human beings.

Although there was no rum sold here (in a horn!) groups of men stood about the entrances of a good many of the saloons all day, and a few got quite "over the bay" on the air that those places emitted.

In the afternoon the Hibernians held a picnic in the Rink and a great crowd gathered thereat. Dancing was the principal amusement, although one man at least managed to get considerable fun out of using a knife on a fellow-picnicker. This affair broke up about 9 o'clock in the evening.

Harris's Specialty Company gave a fine entertainment at Lyceum Hall which was attended by a large crowd of people. The show was pronounced of the best quality.

The Indian tribes of this city went on the war-path to Spot Pond in Stoneham in full force. The hardy aborigines of this country are never turned aside from their purpose by a summer rain however tough it may be, nor were they last Monday. One would have thought such to be the case if he could only have listened to the blood-curdling war-hoops that made the primeval forests of Sprague's Grove tremble and the welkin ring all the afternoon.

The Veterans of Co. K, 39th Regt. went over to Lynnfield to enjoy a Regimental reunion and view the ground on which they camped for a month before going to the front just 29 years ago. About 20 went over. [See account of it elsewhere].

The Carpenters' Union had lotted on parading in Boston with other labor organizations, but alas the rain! How it did step into and upset their plans! None went.

And thus Labor Day was spent by Woburn people.

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Golden Wedding.

A very pleasant gathering occurred at Waverly, Mass., on Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1891, the occasion being the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. William Jewett of Waverly. About 50 of their relatives, with numerous friends and neighbors, spent a very enjoyable season at their home on White street where was held a reception, after which a bountiful collation was served by Caterer Dill.

Among those present were five sisters of Mrs. Jewett (Mrs. Jewett making the sixth), all accompanied by their husbands with one exception. There were present from Woburn: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Abijah Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thompson, Rev. and Mrs. Leander Thompson, Mr. T Benton Tidd and family, Mrs. Emma T. Dow and family, Mr. C. M. Strout and family, Mr. C. Willard Smith and family. From other places were: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cram of South Lyndboro, Mrs. D. R. Marshall and her son Elmer D. from Nashua, N. H., Miss Fannie Lovering of Georgetown, Mass., and others.

Brief congratulatory remarks were made by Mr. E. E. Thompson who acted as master of ceremonies; Rev. Daniel Butler, D. D., Rev. Leander Thompson, Luther Cram, Esq., and Mr. Abijah Thompson; also a letter was received and read from C. W. Hackett, Esq., of St. Paul, Minn., the only brother of Mrs. Jewett living, expressing his great interest in the occasion and regrets at not being able to attend.

After the collation and speech making music was provided, both vocal and instrumental, consisting of solos, duetts, quartetts, and choruses; also several pieces very pleasantly rendered by the children present.

The worthy couple were the recipients of many valuable gifts both useful and ornamental. Mr. Jewett was born in Groton, Mass., and is 76 years of age. Mrs. Jewett was born in Lyndboro, N. H., and is 75 years of age. There are few people of fifty years of married life who are as active in all good work as Mr. and Mrs. Jewett.

And may they live to attend the Golden Wedding of the remaining four sisters and one brother (the oldest sister, Mrs. Wright, having celebrated her golden wedding last June) is the sincere wish of—ONE WHO WAS PRESENT.

Merchants Day.

If we remember the facts about it, the unanimous verdict of our traders concerning "Merchants Day" last spring was that it was the biggest success on record. As an advertising scheme they said it beat everything. In its subsequent influence on trade it proved a winning card. There was never before anything like it in this city, and we never heard of such an enterprise being attempted elsewhere before the result of Woburn's became noised about in business circles.

Well, some of our people declare Merchants Day of April 23, 1891, might with great advantage to all concerned be repeated some time this month and ought to be. We have no doubt about the utility and effectiveness of such a mode for advertising the advantages of Woburn as a trade centre. It is a good scheme, if it is not made to cost too much.

This matter has been suggested to THE JOURNAL with a request to "write it up" by prominent trades-people of the city, and these few lines are penned and printed just to start the ball in motion.

What say you, gentlemen dry goods merchants, clothiers, groces, shopkeepers, and everybody else, shall Woburn have another Merchants Day this month, such as it had last April, or shall it not?

City Council.

ALDERMEN.

The Board of Aldermen held a meeting on the evening of Sept. 4. It was their first one after vacation. Mayor Bean and Ald. Fowle were absent.

The Mayor nominated John J. Hayden, of North Woburn as a special police officer but the Board refused to confirm this nomination by a vote of 3 to 3.——A petition was received from Rufus A. Lovering for State aid which was referred to the State Aid Committee. Gordon Parker applied for a sixth class liquor license, as a druggist. ——The Chief of Police reported 84 arrests during the month of August, 15 of whom were non-residents. —— Milk Inspector Leeds reported 11 licenses granted ——The Overseers of the Poor rendered a report for July and August. Eighty families consisting of 380 persons have been assisted to the amount of $492 49; by cash, $65; fuel, $14 84; clothing, $3; medicines, $5; paid to other places, $87.55.——The monthly report of the auditor was received and placed on filer The following recommendations were made by Council Committees: By State Aid committee, that Mrs. Dorinda Hadley be granted State aid of $4 per month; by Finance committee that the City Treasurer be authorized to borrow $20,000 for the building of the new Central Square schoolhouse and give ten notes for the same of $2000 each payable yearly. Passed —— The sum of $150 was transferred from the miscellaneous department to military aid ——An order was passed to alter the line of Main street on the easterly side between Fowle and John Streets.

Boys Branch, Y. M. C. A.

At a meeting held by the above organization on Sept. 3, instant, the following committees were appointed by the President:

RELIGIOUS COMMITTEE.
Almy Carter, Bertram Strout, Leon Crocker.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.
W. Frazer, W. Hartwell, Carl Dow.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE.
Frank Smith, Daniel B. Dimick, Charles R. Carter.

ROOM COMMITTEE.
Edward Bonelli, Philip M. Brown, Everett Frazer.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.
Peter Miller, Fred Leathe, Lewis Dow.

This junior branch of the Y. M. C. A. is said to be doing a grand good work among the boys, also that it is in a prosperous condition. It deserves the aid and encouragement of all good people.

Republican Caucuses.

The Republicans of this city held caucuses last Wednesday to select delegates to the various conventions soon to take place. They were well attended showing a lively interest on the part of Republican voters in the choice of delegates.

The delegates though not instructed will support Allen for Governor, Capt. E. F. Wyer for Senator, Jefts for Councillor, Hayden for County Treasurer.

THE RESULT.

State—Ward 1, Benjamin Hinckley; 2, Williams P. Cutler; 3. Frederic A. Flint; 4, Edward E. Thompson and W. Frank Fowle; 5, Benjamin F. Whittemore; 6, B. Frank Kimball; 7, Francis M. Pushee (all said to be for Allen). County—Ward 1, Fred E. Wetherell; 2, Henry L. Andrews; 3, John E. Tidd; 4, Horace N. Conn and Frank B. Richardson; 5, Albert D. Carter; 6, James E. Cutler; 7, J. Warren Eliard.

Councillor—Ward 1, Abijah Thompson; 2, Edmund C. Cottle; 3, Wm. Beggs; 4, Griffin Place and F. H. Burdett; 5, George F. Hosmer; 6, Samuel A. Thompson; 7, Wm. Eliard.

Senatorial—Ward 1, Jacob Brown; 2, Joseph G. Pollard; 3, Wm. R. Putnam; 4, Elisha Hayward and James L. Pinkham; 5, James H. Wood; 6, Charles T. Dearborn; 7, Hiram Tuttle.

Representative—Ward 1, Edward H. Lounsbury; 2, George E. Fowle; 3, Francis A. Buckman; 4, John R. Carter and John C. Buck; 5, Frank A. Wellman; 6, Fred E. Perkins; 7, Franklin Flint.

WARD COMMITTEE. Ward 1, Hon. E. F. Wyer, Patrick McGowan, E. G. Preston, Fred. J. Brown, Rufus C. Hayward. Ward 2, W. P. Cutler, C. M. Strout, D. H. Eaton, A. M. Colby, W. S. Whitford. Ward 3, Francis A. Buckman, H. E. Marion, F. A. Partridge, Elmore A. Pierce, Charles M. Howe. Ward 4, John R. Carter, G. C. Conn, S. E. Kendrick, John M. Perral, S. H. Paterson. Ward 5, George F. Hosmer, Edward Montgomery, W. F. Greenough, F. B. K. Marter, Angus McKay. Ward 6, A. U. Dickson, Henry M. Eames, W. W. Cummings, F. E. Perkins, M. W. True. Ward 7, F. M. Push

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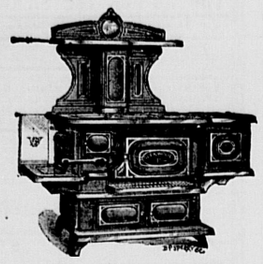

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Class Reunion.

The pleasant parlors and other rooms of the fine residence of Mr. Benjamin Hinckley on Academy Hill were brilliantly illuminated and tastefully decorated on last Tuesday evening, and wherefore?

Because Miss M. Adeline Hinckley, daughter, entertained about 25 of her mates of W. H. S. Class '90, the same being the first annual reunion of that large class of as good scholars as the School ever graduated.

It was a pleasant party, the enjoyment of which could have been enhanced only by the attendance of the entire membership of the Class, Miss Hinckley's desire for which of course could not well be gratified.

Besides Miss Hinckley's classmates, her guests of the evening were Mr. Willimn W. Crosby, President of W. H. S. Class '89; Mr. J. Chester Hanson, President of Class '91; and Professor Samuel W. Mendum, Principal of the Woburn High School.

The evening was delightfully spent. Miss Hinckley is a happy entertainer, and she was never in better "company" mood than on last Tuesday evening. With music and conversation an evening all too brief was pleasantly whiled away and its close was reached with regret.

Happy school days were discussed as old soldiers "fight their battles over again," and life after graduation was a prolific theme for conversation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinckley aided their accomplished daughter in making the reception a delightful one to all present.

Miss Hinckley, who was a student at Smith College last year, will remain at home this season.

The graduates of Class '90 were: Gertrude M. Bickford, Ada D. Carter, Alice H. Cottle, Bertha M. Cummings, Jennie F. Ditmars, George R. Ferguson, Marion E. Gray, Winnifred B. Larkin, Flora B. Parkhurst, Katherine D. Ramsdell, Stillman Shaw, Arthur W. Tidd, Edith A. Hanson, Anna H. Johnson, M. Adeline Hinckley, Mary D. Prior, Albert S. Bulfinch, Peter A. Caulfield, Lillian M. Charman, John Conway, Wellington T. Cook, James E. Greaney, Patrick B. Hickey, Daniel McSweeney, Annie C. Naven, Lena M. Page, Joseph H. Parker, Jr., Fred W. Prior, J. L. Skinner, W. W. Wade.

Chief Wade's New Medal.

Hon. Rufus R. Wade, Chief of the State District Police, is one of the best and most popular officers in the Commonwealth. When the international convention of factory inspectors met at Cleveland, O., a fortnight ago, Chief Fell of New Jersey delivered an address the key to which was the beautiful medal which adorned Chief Wade's desk last Saturday morning, and which was presented to him when he was, for the sixth time elected president of the association.

It is a beautiful specimen of the engraver's art. A heavy gold bar on top bears the inscription: "Presented to Rufus R. Wade, President International Association of Factory Inspectors," and from it, suspended by double gold chains, hangs the heavy gold medal. On its face is the representation of a factory, with the letters "I. A. O. F. I." over it, and on raised shields at the outer edge of the medal are the names of the States and Provinces in the Association.

On the reverse is the inscription: "Presented to Rufus R. Wade, President of the International Association of Factory Inspectors, at the fifth annual convention held at Cleveland, O., August 11 14, 1891."

Naturally the Chief feels very happy over his new acquisition, and well he may. It is a treasure as a work of art, and, taken with his re-election to the office of President of the Association, is a splendid tribute to his worth.

Burlington.

I understand that Mr. Prouty, an esteemed citizen of this town, will probably receive the Republican nomination for Representative to the General Court from this Representative District. He would have had it last year if our folks hadn't foolishly yielded the nomination to another town, which thing will not be repeated this year probably. Mr. Prouty is a farmer; one of our best citizens; not much of a public speaker but a good worker; and I don't know of anybody who would do the District more credit in the Legislature than he would.

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North Woburn.

An effort was made by a certain clique here to prevent the re-election of Mr. M. W. True a member of the Republican Ward Committee but it didn't pan out worth a cent. Mr. True got there without any trouble, and his opponents slunk into their holes and pulled the holes in after them.

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Boston Theatres.

TREMONT THEATRE.

It was indeed a Jolly Surprise at the Tremont Monday night when Fanny Rice and her company appeared before the packed house and a great many were turned away. Standing room was not to be obtained at any price. There is just enough plot (taken from French and German productions) to make it unusually interesting. The rehearsal of Violet Carol for the variety stage gives opportunity for many songs and specialty acts. "My Mary Maguire," "It takes a girl to do it," pleased the audience greatly. Fanny Rice being a favorite here and with her excellent company will surely pack the house for the remainder of the week. Next week Hoyt's "Texas Steer" will greet you with many new features.

THE GLOBE.

"The Power of the Press" will continue to draw large houses the coming week at the Globe. James E. Wilson as Sera Carson a ship carpenter and Charles Mason as Turne Morgan an ex-curbstone operator, did themselves justice in the leading roles and the entire company gave them good support. The reproduction of the Manhattan Athletic Club house, the realistic picture of the great shipyard and Imperial Hotel Lobby in New York are notably good specimens of stage construction and one imagines themselves on the scene of action. Messrs. Pitou and Jessup are no doubt happy at the success of their play and deserve great merit in giving those who attend the "Power of the Press" a rare treat.

THE BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Ye Earlie Trouble" at the Boston Museum is meeting with unbounded success and hunderds have been refused admission. A notable feature is its charming portrayal of American Society life a century ago. George Wilson as Ebenezer Buck takes the house by storm. E. L. Davenport as the hero, Chas. Barron as the villian are received with applause. Misses Clarke, Addison and Campbell act their parts with credit to themselves while Miss O'Leary sprightly as ever receives the attention of Sir William to shield her lover. The dialogue is bright the situations very interesting and would not fail to please the most fastidious mind. Since the opening night various changes have been made for the better and a long run is predicted for this popular play.

HOLLIS THEATRE

Was packed to its fullest capacity to welcome a fortnight's engagement of Blue Jeans. Last season Mr. Joseph Arthur's Company was received with great enthusiasm but this two weeks return bids fair to surpass its former record Mr. Robert Hilliard the original Perry Bascom of New York's long engagement made his first appearance with a decided success. While the remainder of the Company did credit to their different roles. Blue Jeans is beautifully staged and the mechanical devices so near perfect that one seems to be amid the trying scenes. The saw mill scene is most thrilling while the Barbecue is appetizing as ever. And in fact a great amount of enjoyment may be had by witnessing this play as it is evenly blended with mirth and pathos.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

My Jack has returned to the Grand Opera House for a brief stay and as usual greeted with a crowded house. The applause was tremendous and each thrilling situation was received with great favor. The play has received many improvements and will be seen by many a second time. The life saving scene and the destruction of the light house produce a decided sensation as do several of the scenes presented. The plot being quite complicated holds the attention of the audience throughout Walter Sanford won honors for himself as the hero "Jack Meridith" and in fact the whole company is of the best. The flag used in the desert scene was presented to Mr. Sanford by the explorer Stanley and Dame Rumor claims this scene was takn from suggestions offered by him. The proprietors are each season makieg this play house more popular and the programme's offered are of the best. Next week Annie Ward Tiffany will greet one and all in The Step-Daughter.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Denman Thompson in "The Old Homestead." Crowded houses greet him daily and will surely run the allotted time twelve weeks.

PARK THEATRE.

Neil Burgess is playing to full houses in the County Fair.

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Don't Know a "Square Meal" when He Sees It.

The Woburn JOURNAL prints an old portrait of Cettywayo, the Zulu chief, and labels it Charles F. Loring, candidate for the Governor's Council in opposition to Hudson's favorite son, Jefts. But this is not its worst blunder of last week. Speaking of Congressman Lodge's entertainment of the Suburban Editors, it says:

"Hospitality was never more liberally extended than on this occasion by Hon. H. C. and Madame Lodge, and for once country newspaper delvers on short commons (and none too good at that) learned what a 'square meal' means."

If salad, cold tongue, bread, ice cream and coffee, taken standing, are what constitute a "square meal" they certainly learned something. There was hospitality enough to fit the case extended, no doubt, but it would be a distension of politeness to call it profuse, abundant, or particularly liberal, but whatever there was, was extended by H. C. alone. So far as the visitors knew there was no "Madam Lodge" in existence.—*Marlboro Times.*

It is a notorious fact that the person who gets next to nothing to eat at home is the first to find fault with the decent victuals he makes a hog of himself on when at somebody's else's table.

Nevertheless, if Congressman Lodge had set before his distinguished guests a liberal supply of "tangle-leg" Col. Morse no doubt would have been perfectly satisfied with the banquet furnished by the young Statesman of fair Nahant.

Wilmington.

REPUBLICAN DELEGATES. — State, Edward N. Eames; County, Henry L. Carter; Councillor, Chester W. Clark; Senatorial, J. Howard Eames; Town Committee, Chester W. Clark, Edward M. Nichols, Jonathan Carter.

Mr. Frank D. Morris was the recipient on Monday last, of a purse of money amounting to $44.00 from his patrons at Silver Lake. Last Spring he sold out his grocery store here and intended to go out of business; but Frank is a mighty genial and accommodating man, and the summer people at Silver Lake offered him special inducements to set up another store for their exclusive trade. The purse mentioned was a testimonial at the close of the season of their appreciation and esteem. The Silver Lake people bring life, activity, money and good cheer to this town every year, and we are fortunate in having so valuable an accession to our numbers during the summer

WINCHESTER.

Lawyer McCall has the lead for Representative.

Mr. J. R. Jenkins has gone to Reading, Pa., to teach.

Thomas F. West and Emmons Hatch are U. S. Grand Jury men.

— Officer Dotten is just about well again. He has had a hard time of it.

W. H. Plummer and family have got back from a fine visit to Portland, Me.

Rev. George H. Perkins resumed work last Sunday after a nice vacation.

The *Star* is getting politcally excited. "Keep kool and let your hair hurl," Mr. *Star*.

Mr. William Herrick is rusticating and resting in the solitary wilds of the Adirondacks.

Mrs. Ida Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ramsdell, will sail for Europe shortly.

Mr. P. Waldmeyer, being somewhat off color physically, has gone to the White Mountains.

As near as I can learn there seems to be considerable immigration here just now. Real estate transactions are frequent, and new dwellings are in constant process of erection.

At 8 o'clock on next Wednesday evening, Sept. 16, Mr. Lewis E. Johnson will lead to the Hymenial altar Miss Grace M. Brown, daughter of Mr. George P. Brown an old and esteemed citizen of this place. The bridal knot will be tied at the Unitarian church and will be witnessed by a large gathering of friends for the fair bride-elect is a prime favorite with the people of Winchester, old as well as young. I, through the columns of THE JOURNAL, tender my best wishes to this twain soon to become one flesh, and bespeak for them a long, prosperous and happy life.

The exhibition of fruits flowers and vegetables which is to be made in Town Hall on the 17th of September promises to be a big affair. It will be under the auspices of the W. V. I. A., by whom it was first thought of, which fact is a guarantee that it will be a big thing. The following committees to carry out this notable and important scheme have been appointed: On dinner and literary features, Messrs. C. F. Lunt, F. L. Ripley, J. R. Freeman. Fruit and Vegetables—P. W. Swan, H. A. Emerson, J. J. Todd, N. L. Richardson, J. W. Russell, S. Symmes, J. L. Ayer, C. H. Purrington, E. L. Barnard. Flowers—H. F. Johnson, S. W. Twombly, W. J. Stewart, J. R. Newell. Charles Ingram, Edwin Robinson, Mrs. Capt. West, Miss E. C. Stevens, Miss Mary Richards, Mrs. C. F. Lunt, Mrs. T. P. Wilson. Printing—Edward Symmes, T. P. Wilson, H. F. Johnson. Prizes will be given for the best displays. The afternoon admission has been fixed at 10 cents. Evening, to include dinner, $1.00. All the inhabitants will be earnestly requested to contribute of their gardens, and thereby help make the exhibition a grand success.

Literary Notices.

The N. Y. *Press* is a morning paper that every good Republican in the Union ought to subscribe for and otherwise heartily support. It is one of the keenest, cleanest, clearest-headed, and most influential political dailies in New York City. It preaches sound doctrine; it has a faculty of "seeing into a millstone;" it is perfectly sure as to what it thinks about things; and it states its opinions bravely, clearly, and honestly, no matter who or where they hit. We like the (N. Y.) *Press*, and besides being all that anyone can desire as a Republican organ, the price of it is so low that nobody hardly need be deprived of the pleasure and profit of its daily perusal—*only* $3.00 a year.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for August 29, and September 5, contain Pasquale de Paoli: a Study; Robert Browning, and the Last English House of the Bearded Tit, To-day in Morocco and The Diet of Great Men, Stray Thoughts in South Africa, The Field Naturalist; the Rev. J. G. Wood and Jenny Lind, A Forgotten Race, and The Post-office in China, From a Country Personage, Statesmen of Austria, Iltar in a Harem, Social Bath in the Last Century, Rus in Urbe, with instalments of The Blue Rose, A Study in Grey and The Prince of Morocco and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston are the publishers.

THE MUSICAL RECORD for September is one of the very best in literature and music ever issued. It is published by O. Ditson & Co., Boston, and is one of the best and most popular musical magazines in the country.

The last number of the handsome St Louis magazine CHAPERONE is one of the most perfect numbers in illustration and general perfection of workmanship yet issued. W. H. Little has another interesting article on physiognomy. He calls these papers very appropriately, Portraits of the Soul, and gives in this some fourteen illustrations; the mouths alone being presented. These are from actual photographs of prominent women of the United States and form with the writer's comments most interesting reading. A series of exquisite engravings of the famous M. L. Solon's design's in plaques and vases is worth a year's subscription. The delicate beauty of the great artists creations is most clearly depicted. The dress and fashion department is beautifully illustrated and full of seasonable hints, and the cuisine has some nice cold dainties for midsummer weather. There is no finer magazine than the CHAPERONE in the West, and its energetic editor, Mrs. Annie L. Y. Swart, is to be congratulated on its deserved success. Address 217 Commercial Building, St. Louis, Mo.

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Mortgagee's Sale

— OF —

REAL ESTATE,

IN WOBURN.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed made by Moses A. Tyler to John M. Harlow, dated August 6, 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1676, Fol. 324, for breach of the condition of said mortgage in the non-payment of principal of the debt thereby secured to be paid, and for the purpose of foreclosing same, will be sold at public auction on the first parcel of land hereafter described, on **Tuesday, the eighth day of September, A. D., 1891,** at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular, the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows:—

First: A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about a half mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, and on the easterly side of Main street, and bounded as follows, viz:—Westerly by said Main street, and there measuring about one hundred and two feet; northerly by land of Nathan J. Simonds, about one hundred and fifty feet; easterly by land of Michael McCue, and a private way about one hundred and twenty-six feet; southerly by land of Jonathan Garland, about forty-five feet; then easterly still by said Garland's land, about seventy-eight feet; then southerly about forty-five feet, on said by Fowle street; thence westerly by land of Thomas Richardson, about seventy-eight feet; thence southerly still by land of said T. Richardson, about sixty feet to Main street. This first described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz: A first mortgage of fourteen hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated January 1, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1408, Fol. 498; also, a second mortgage of two hundred and seventy-five dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated March 16, 1883, and recorded with said Middlesex South Dist. Deeds, Lib. 1625, Fol. 496; also, subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages and unpaid taxes. There is excepted from said first described parcel a lot fronting on Fowle street, which has been released from said mortgages by release deed from said Harlow to Sarah M. Tyler, et. al., dated June 12, 1886, and recorded with said Middlesex Deeds, Lib. 1750, Fol. 146. Said release lot is bounded as follows: Beginning on the northerly side of Fowle street the line runs northerly through the middle of the dwelling house, the westerly half of which is on the released piece, to the back side thereof; thence north thirteen (13) degrees east two rods and fourteen links to land formerly of M. A. Tyler; thence north sixty-nine degrees west by said land last named three rods and ten links; thence south five degrees west by land formerly of Thomas Richardson now or late of George J. Munroe five rods and eighteen links to said Fowle street; thence south eighty-four degrees and thirty-nine minutes east by Fowle street to the point of beginning.

Second: A certain other lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated about one mile southerly from the centre village of said Woburn, containing about twenty-three thousand six hundred and sixty square feet, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Pond street at land of one Fahay; from thence the line runs southerly by said Fahay's land two hundred and forty feet to land now or formerly belonging to one Pickering; thence the line turns and runs westerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-one and eight-tenths feet to a private street running southerly from said Pond street forty feet wide; thence northerly by said private street one hundred feet to said Pickering's land; thence easterly by last named land seventy-two feet to a corner; from thence the line runs northerly by said Pickering's land one hundred and forty-seven and five-tenths feet to said Pond street; thence easterly on and by said Pond street to the point of beginning. The second described parcel of land will be sold subject to two prior mortgages thereon, viz:—A first mortgage of six hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated May 12, 1879, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1069, Fol. 384. Also, a second mortgage of eight hundred dollars from said Tyler to said Harlow, dated Nov. 20, 1880, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Lib. 1356, Fol. 87; also subject to accrued interest on both of said mortgages, and unpaid taxes.

Terms made known at sale.

JOHN M. HARLOW, Mortgagee.

CHARLES D. ADAMS, Attorney, 23 Court St., Boston.
E. J. GREGORY, Auctioneer,
Woburn, Aug. 12, 1891.

The above sale is postponed to Sept. 22, A. D., 1891, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at the same place.

JOHN M. HARLOW, Mortgagee.

ADJOURNED MORTGAGEE'S SALE

— OF —

REAL ESTATE,

IN WOBURN, MASS.,

On Saturday, September 12, 1891, (postponed from Sept. 5, 1891,) at five o'clock P. M., will be sold at public auction on the premises, No. 114 Canal street, Woburn, Mass., the conveniently arranged two and one half story dwelling house together with about 4500 square feet of land, recently occupied by the late James McDonald.

$100.00 of the purchase money will be required to be paid by the purchaser at time of sale. Other terms at time of sale.

RICHARD MORRIS, Mortgagee.
J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.
Woburn, Sept. 7, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

MIDDLESEX, ss.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

SEPTEMBER 5, 1891.

In the matter of Levi A. Sylvester of Woburn, Insolvent Debtor:

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have been duly appointed Assignee of the Estate of said LEVI A. SYLVESTER of Woburn, Insolvent Debtor, and that the second meeting of the creditors of said Sylvester will be held at the above Court at Cambridge, in said County, on the

Eighth Day of October next,

At nine o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting creditors may be present and prove their claims.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law next of kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Weltha L. Brooks, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William J. Maxwell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Andrew M. Faden, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Elizabeth B. Faden of Woburn who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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LESSON XI, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 13.

Text of the Lesson, John ix. 1-11 and 35-38—Commit Verses, 35-38—Golden Text, John ix. 25—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

[Compiled from Lesson Helper Quarterly by permission of H. S. Hoffman, publisher, Philadelphia.]

1. "And as Jesus passed by He saw a man which was blind from his birth."

And being full of compassion His heart went out to this poor man, who had now spent over a score of years in darkness both physical and spiritual (verse 21).

2. "And His disciples asked Him, saying, Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind?"

That all suffering is the direct result of some sin on the part of the sufferer or his ancestors is not only a very old but a very common belief. That it is sometimes the case is evident from the words of Jesus himself, "Behold, thou art made whole; sin no more, lest a worse thing come unto thee" (John v. 14). But to conclude that it is always so would be directly contrary to the teachings of Scripture, for "Whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth."

3. "Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents, but that the works of God should be made manifest in him."

In the light of the testimony of all Scripture is the only way to understand any Scripture. From this saying of Christ some might blindly conclude that we have here a sinless man with sinless parents; but what saith the Scriptures? "All have sinned and come short of the Glory of God;" "There is none righteous, no, not one" (Rom. iii, 10, 23). The words of Christ are an answer to the question of the disciples concerning this man's blindness and the reason of it, and He simply says that there was no special sin on the part of the parents by reason of which they were given a blind son, but, on the contrary, this blind man was going to furnish a special opportunity for the manifestation of the power of God. See also the reason why Lazarus was permitted to sicken and die (chapter xi, 4, 15, 40).

4. "I must work the works of Him that sent me, while it is day; the night cometh, when no man can work."

Over thirty times in this gospel Jesus says that the Father sent Him, and He constantly appeals to the works as evidence that he was sent by God (chapters v, 36; x, 25, xiv, 10, xv, 24).

5. "As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world."

This also He often repeats, as in chapters viii, 12; xii, 35, 46. He is both Life and Light, and neither death nor darkness can abide in His presence.

6. "When He had thus spoken He spat on the ground and made clay of the spittle, and He anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay."

Sometimes He made the blind to see with a word, and immediately (Mark x, 52), sometimes by the use of a medium, as the clay and spittle and waters of Siloam, as in this case, and sometimes gradually, as in the case of the man who first saw men as trees walking, and then when Jesus put His hands on him a second time he saw clearly (Mark viii, 23-25).

7. "And said unto him, Go, wash in the pool of Siloam (which is by interpretation, Sent). He went his way therefore, and washed, and came seeing."

Jesus was just as able to open his eyes with a word, and on the spot, as in the case of the blind men at Jericho, but He saw fit to do as He did for some wise purpose. There may be a connection between the significance of Siloam (Sent) and the fact that He so often speaks of Himself as Sent by the Father.

8. "The neighbors, therefore, and they which before had seen him that he was blind, said, Is not this he that sat and begged?"

9. "Some said, This is he; others said, He is like him; but he said, I am he."

And surely he ought to know. The change in the man's appearance was so great that he was barely recognizable even by those who had known him best. I myself have seen one who had been a drunkard and a blasphemer so changed even in his features by the spirit of God in him that his former friends would scarcely know him.

10. "Therefore said they unto him, How were thine eyes opened?"

The change was so great and so clearly manifest that the people could not help inquiring how it came about. When a work of grace in one's heart becomes so outwardly manifest in the life that people observe it and inquire about it, then God is glorified.

11. "He answered and said, A man that is called Jesus made clay and anointed mine eyes, and said unto me, Go to the pool of Siloam and wash; and I went and washed, and I received sight."

This is his testimony, simple, full, straightforward. The man called Jesus did it all, and he, the blind man, simply obeyed. Where was the faith in this instance, either on the part of the man or his parents or friends, before Jesus spoke to him? Faith cometh by hearing the word of God (Rom. x, 17).

35. "Jesus heard that they had cast him out, and when He had found him He said unto him, Dost thou believe on the Son of God?"

36. "He answered and said, Who is he, Lord, that I might believe on Him?"

The greatest question that can be asked of any mortal is that which Jesus asked this man in the last verse, or Pilate's question, "What shall I do with Jesus?" If all were as ready as this man how blessed it would be!

37. "And Jesus said unto him, Thou hast both seen him, and it is he that talketh with thee."

The woman of Samaria said, "I know that Messiah cometh, who is called Christ: * * Jesus saith unto her, I that speak unto thee am he" (iv, 25, 26). And immediately she went off to the city with the tidings. So Jesus now reveals Himself to this man as the need of his unsatisfied soul, even as after the resurrection He revealed himself to weeping Mary, the sorrowful two, the perplexed women, the fearful disciples, doubting Thomas, the hungry and disappointed fishermen, and in every case tears, doubts, fears and perplexities all vanished, and there was joy and peace and plenty.

38. "And he said, Lord, I believe. And he worshiped Him."

Happy man, for as a believer he at once received all the riches of God's grace in Jesus Christ. I do not say he at once enjoyed all the riches of God's grace, but he became possessor and began to enjoy. Consider the possessions of one who can truly say, "Lord, I believe." According to the infallible testimony of God's word he has eternal life, is a child of God, has the forgiveness of sins, has peace with God, is a joint heir with Christ, is a king and priest unto God, has an inheritance incorruptible, his body has become a temple of the Holy Spirit, and he has the assurance.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

Some Evidence of It—"Do ghosts ever have the cholera?" asked Johnny Squildig. "Of course not," replied his papa. "Whist an absurd question." Then what kind of a disease is cholera n phantom?" asked Johnny, with a riumphant air.

THE ROMANCE OF BUCHANAN'S LIFE.

Idle Gossip and a Thoughtless Act Are the Causes of a Life of Sorrow.

A Minneapolis lady told me the other day the true reason why James Buchanan, the fifteenth president of the United States, never married. She used to live in Lancaster, Pa., and it was near this little city that President Buchanan lived (when "at home") and died. I quote her own words:

"When I was a girl and a young lady at home I used to know Mr. Buchanan quite well. Father was one of his intimate friends, and used to spend a good deal of time—nearly all his Sunday afternoons—at his country place, Wheatland, about a mile from Lancaster. They had a bond of sympathy between them; both were Democrats. Why, he was at my sister's wedding, and I remember the expression on his face and the twinkle in his eye as he quoted the old saying to my oldest sister: 'When a younger sister is married first the older has to sit on the fence and await her turn. You must dance in your stocking feet tonight.'

"He was a tall, fine looking man, with silvery white hair, generally dressed in black broadcloth, black satin vest, and wore the old fashioned high linen collars. One great peculiarity of his was carrying his head on one side.

"He told my father about the love affair. I've heard it dozens of times. He was engaged to Miss Coleman, of Lancaster, and there, too, lived Miss Rose Hubley, also very much in love with him and mortally jealous of Miss Coleman. The course of true love was running smoothly for the two lovers until Miss Hubley came between them. Mr. Buchanan had been out of town on some business, returned late one afternoon to the city, and on his way home he passed by where Miss Hubley lived. She called him into the house, and he was there some minutes, and then went directly home to get his supper.

"As frequently happens, some gossipping neighbors either saw it or Miss Hubley herself took pains to inform Miss Coleman that Mr. Buchanan had called at the other lady's home first, although engaged to her. She resented it, and when he went to call upon her that evening declined to see him. The next day he went up to Philadelphia on an early train and with her father. She went up later in the day to go with the two gentlemen to the theatre in the evening. She did not appear as usual, not at all like herself, and finally declined to go to the theater or even see Mr. Buchanan. When they returned she was a corpse, and was brought to Lancaster and buried there. Heart disease was given as the cause.

"The other lady lived to be an old maid and suffered an awful fate. She was standing before an open grate, warming her hands behind her, when her clothing caught fire and she was burned to death. Mr. Buchanan never forgot Miss Coleman. When he died he said that he wanted to be buried in Woodlawn Hill cemetery, because when she was living they used to walk out that way together."—Minneapolis Tribune.

Genius versus Grit.

It is an everyday occurence to hear individual exclamations of surprise over the brilliant, successful career of an apparently commonplace man or woman. "To save my life I can see nothing remarkable in her," is what the amateur critic, with rather fretful impotence, complains—and yet, one by one, the triumphant seeker after fortune captures every citadel, storms the fortress and finally plants her colors on the topmost turret for all the world to cheer.

Of course, no one ever does see the one thing able to accomplish these wonders, for the sole agent is hard, patient toil, the sort that is done in the closet in odd hours, when the rest of mankind is asleep, ever digging away at an idea and breathing life and activity into it by sheer force of will—over and over again, the same old story of tortoise and hare, until one marvels to hear lack of talent given as excuse for want of fortune.

In material matters genius, unless supplemented by energy, does not count for tuppence. While, on the other hand, grit is an independent factor, spinning flax out of hay and long straw, indifferent of means at hand, and only caring for the end in view.—Boston Herald.

Where the Real Fun Comes In.

The noble sport of sailing is real fun if you don't get drowned. In company with a friend who was a veritable "land lubber," in a high wind I skimmed over Chautauqua's blue waters, borne along by the "white wings." After an hour's splendid sport we returned to land, and my friend heaved a sigh of relief. "How did you enjoy it?" said I. "Oh, splendid, splendid!" was the reply. "I kept thinking all the time if we ever got to shore alive what a magnificent time we will have had." I hope to take this friend to sail again, for I always am pleased to know of real and unalloyed enjoyment on the part of those who sail with me.—Chautauqua Assembly Herald.

Rubber Bands Protect Glass.

When you travel be sure and take with you a few rubber bands, such as are to be found at any stationer's. Handglasses and bottles can be insured from breakage by slipping a couple over each article; in case of bottles, put one lengthwise to keep the stopper in as well. It is curious that such a simple device should be an adequate protection, but we are assured it is the safest way to protect anything made of glass.—New York Tribune.

How the Crew Kills Time on a Lightship.

A number of stores in Nantucket sell what are know as lightship baskets. They come in "nests," a nest consisting of five or eight baskets of various sizes fitting one into the other. These baskets are made only on the South Shoal lightship. Their manufacture has been attempted ashore, but has never paid. This is because there is a very narrow margin of profit in them for the lightship crew, who make them chiefly for the purpose of whiling away the weary winter hours.

In summer the crew occupies its spare time "scrimshawing," an old whaling term for doing ingenious mechanical work, but having aboard the South Shoal the special meaning of preparing the strips of wood and rattan for the manufacture of the baskets in winter. The bottoms are turned ashore. The blocks over which the baskets are made have been aboard the ship since she was first anchored off the New South Shoal in 1856. The sides of the baskets are of white oak or hickory, filled in with rattan, and they

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are round or oval, of graceful lines and of great durability, the sizes to a nest ranging from a pint to a peck and a half.

But notwithstanding these various attempts at killing time, life on the South Shoal lightship is at its best a life of desolation, with only a few gulls or Mother Carey's chickens for visitors, which seek refuge aboard in stormy weather.—Gustav Kobbe in Century

An Enormous Brain and a Thin Skull.

When Ivan Turgeneff, the great Russian novelist, died in 1883, his brain was removed for the purpose of weighing it, the distinguished physicians and surgeons having often remarked the extraordinary size of his head. When placed on the delicate balances the brain was found to weigh exactly 2,012 grams. The meaning of this can be better understood when it is known that the weight of the average human brain is but 1,390 grams. Turgeneff's brain was the heaviest that has yet been weighed, Cuvier's coming next, his having weighed 1,800 grams.

There are many cases in which an extraordinary intellect has been accompanied by a heavy brain weight, but men whose mental superiority is understood by both friend and foe have often had brains under the average weight.

One other peculiarity of Turgeneff was the surprising thinness of his skull. When at school he often fainted from being playfully tapped on the temples by his schoolfellows. The post mortem, which revealed the enormous weight of the brain, also proved that the skull was so thin that it would yield to the pressure of the fingers and thumb.—St. Louis Republic.

Odd Monuments in Churches.

Sometimes the memory of departed persons has been perpetuated by the erection of some part of the fabric, or by the gift of some article of church furniture instead of by the erection of a monument. In Little Birmingham a pew is thus constituted a souvenir. In Willington church, Sussex, a tie beam is made to answer this purpose. A corbel in Reculver church, Kent, is inscribed to the memory of one Thomas. Many fonts and screens are thus memorials, as are also chalices.

The pulpit in Wells cathedral was put up in the reign of Henry VIII, by Bishop Knight, "for his tombe." Lord Thomas Daere in 1531 left a certain sum of mouey for a tomb, which he directed should be used as the Easter sepulcher. In the preceding century another testator desired there should be made for him "a playne tombe of marble of a competent height, to the intent that it may bear the Blessed Body of our Lord, and the sepultur, at the time of Estre."—Gentleman's Magazine.

A Bad Day for Shopping.

The superstition that Friday is an unlucky day, so prevalent of late among women, seems to have died out. That is, it hasn't died out exactly, but Friday has given way to Monday. The following conversation between young ladies overheard in a street car has some bearing on the subject: "I'll never go shopping on Monday again." "You don't mean to say you ever did, it's awfully unlucky." "Yes, I went last Monday; I positively had to. Well, a wagon load of watermelons broke down, and the cars were blocked for an hour; and another wagon with a boiler on it, the boiler rolled off into the street; and a clothesline full of clean clothes broke and the clothes got all dirty; and the cat in grandmother's had a fit; and two cross eyed men ran into each other in the street. Wasn't that dreadful! Supposing one had followed you home?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Value of Decayed Forests.

The decayed vegetation of forests has furnished to the fields their present fertility, upon which man depends for food. In the tree growth of virgin woods and in the floor of rotted foliage beneath are stored the accumulations of centuries. Nature does not care whether this growth is useful to the human race or not. It is left for us to encourage the growth of such trees as we find valuable, to the exclusion of others. Thus an economical use is made of the resources at hand and a new conception of the forest arises. The forest primeval becomes "wood lands," while the new "forest" includes only cultivated woods.—Interview in Washington Star.

It will cost $4,000,000 to blast the rocks out of the so called "iron gates" of the Danube river. The Austrian government is levying tolls on passing vessels to pay for the cost of the work.

Laxador is the remedy now mostly relied upon when a good purgative family medicine is needed. All druggists sell it for 25 cents a package.

The deadening preparations of opium for the baby are rapidly disappearing before the use of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Sold by all druggists.

HAND TO HAND WITH KNIVES.

An Indian Dispute Settled by the Death of Both Parties to It.

William Weston, a ranchman living twenty miles north of Fishomingo, I. T., brings a story of a most horrible duel which was fought with knives by two Indians near his ranch. There had been bad blood between the two for some time, which had started over a horse race.

The Indians were named Sewapi and Nunechi. They had been restrained from fighting several times by their friends, but on meeting at a horse race the quarrel was renewed, and it was finally arranged that they should end the matter by a duel with knives. A large crowd of Indians and halfbreeds were present, and a ring was formed. Each man had his second, who was armed with a Winchester rifle, ready to shoot down any one who might be tempted to interfere.

The contestants were stripped to the waist, and each was armed with two sharp knives, the blades being about eight inches long. When the men entered the ring it was with the understanding that it was a duel to the death. Both were magnificent specimens of manhood, and they were equally adept in the use of the knife.

Amid breathless silence the combatants slowly approached the center of the ring. There they stood for a minute gazing at each other, while the silence was most painful. Not a sound could be heard except the occasional stamp of a horse on the outskirts of the crowd. The spectators sat around perfectly motionless, while the duelists began slowly to walk around each other, watching for a chance to catch one another off guard. It was probably two minutes before a change came, and then it was with the rapidity of a lightning stroke.

Sewapi suddenly made a leap through the air toward his enemy, and for an instant the air appeared to be full of Indians and knives, which latter flashed in the sunshine like streaks of light. As quickly as they came together did they separate, and notwithstanding the rapid play of the weapons it was seen that neither had received a scratch. Still, during the whole exciting scene, not a sound could be heard except the clashing steel as it came together.

Slowly the circling began again, and the glittering eyes alone showed that the walk meant death. Soon the same leap was repeated, this time by Nunechi, who seemed to fly through the air. The fight was fast and furious, and when they separated both were bleeding profusely. Sewapi had a terrible cut across his breast, while Nunechi had the muscle of his left forearm almost severed.

The intermission was very short, and both men sprang simultaneously toward each other. The struggle was fierce, and suddenly a trip was given and Sewapi fell on top of his antagonist. The lightninglike rapidity of the stroke and parry precluded the possibility of knowing who was getting the worst of it, until it was noticed that Nunechi threw up his arms, stiffened out his legs, and was dead with a knife in his heart.

Sewapi sprang to his feet, gave an earsplitting yell, and then slowly sank to the ground, with blood gushing from a dozen wounds. Before a friend could reach him he, too, was a corpse.—San Francisco Examiner.

Animals That Used to Live Ages Ago.

Of the dinotherium no complete skeleton has been discovered, but it was doubtless the biggest land mammal that ever lived. A full grown skull of this earliest of proboscidians, which had long tusks as well as a trunk, measures five feet from the point of the lower teeth to the top of the head. The brontops, of elephantine size, had a head like a rhinoceros, with huge horns. Quite as remarkable was the sivatherium, a beast like an antelope, but big as an elephant, with two conical horns on the front of its head and two immense spreading ones behind.

Among birds were waders ten feet in height, such as the dinornis and gastornis. Contemporary with them were the mammoth and the mastodon, the woolly rhinoceros, armadillos nine feet in length, and the saber toothed tiger, larger than the greatest lion of today.

All that is left of these wonders of animal life is found in deposits such as those of the western lake beds. For years the government has been engaged in excavating their bones.—Rene Bache in New York Sun.

Grocers Who Were Dressed in Colors.

In the early part of the Fifteenth century it is recorded that the "Grocers' guild appeared in livery of scarlet and green." A few years later scarlet and black was adopted.

Funeral services of deceased members "were attended with much show of pageantry." At the burial of Sir Philip Sidney, who was a member of the Grocers' guild, his worship the mayor, aldermen and other civic officials were present, "rydinge in purple."—Harper's Bazar.

Musical Fish of Ceylon.

Every bay and inlet on the coast of Ceylon abounds with musical fish. Their song, if it can be called a song, is not one sustained note like a bird's, but a multitude of tiny, soft, sweet sounds, each clear and distinct in itself, something like the vibrations of a wine glass when its rim is rubbed with the moistened finger. In the harbor at Bombay, India, there is a fish with a song like the sound produced by an Æolian harp.—St. Louis Republic.

A Husband's Mistake.

Husbands too often permit wives, and parents their children, to suffer from headache, dizziness, neuralgia, sleeplessness, fits, nervousnefs, when by the use of Dr. Miles Restorative Nervine such serious results could easily be prevented. Druggists everywhere say it gives universal satisfaction, and has an immense sale. Woodworth & Co., of Fort Wayne, Ind.; Snow & Co., of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. C. Wolf, Hillsdale, Mich.; and hundreds of others say "it is the greatest seller they ever knew." It contains no opiates. Trial bottles and fine book on Nervous Diseases, free at Charles H. Buss'.

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Cooks and Cooking in India.

I don't believe any old Indian can ever feel satisfied with a dinner which has been cooked outside of India. I thought that I knew what good cooking was when I was attached to the northwest, but really I never ate curry and rice till I reached the Madras presidency. I was stationed there for nearly a year and a half, and whenever I could manage it I made a run to Madras simply to eat curry and rice, and the only thing that will tempt me back to India will be to eat that dish.

So good are the Madrassi cooks that the Prince of Wales took one home with him to be in his special employ. The Madrasi did not like the life at Sandringham and came back. I am of the opinion that Madras is the only place in the world where unborn animals are cooked and eaten. The most delicious curry is made from an unborn lamb, the mother being killed and the young extracted from the womb before birth. The natives declare that the meat is infinitely more tender. I have heard some people express repugnance, but it is the same with a person who has never eaten a frog.

Another mistake is generally made, and that is that the mango can be eaten in all its excellence in every part of India. That is not so. The best mango I have ever tasted was in Goa, in the Bombay presidency, which is a part of the Portuguese possessions.—Interview in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Startling Honesty.

A bit of honesty as startling as it was noteworthy came to light in the prosaic region of the New York barge office Tuesday. An Italian who arrived in this country on Monday and passed the inquisition clerks in safety came back again with all his baggage and went to Colonel Weber's office. There he explained that he wanted to right a wrong. "I lied yesterday," he said, "when I said I had never been in prison. I lay awake all night thinking about it, and I came down this morning to be sent back. About ten years ago I got into a fight with another man, and we were arrested and made to serve two months in jail!"

"Indeed!" gasped the astonished superintendent. "And did you use a knife in this fight?" "No, sir," was the answer, "we fought with our hands and feet." "Do you think you can get along in America without fighting?" "Oh, yes, I came here to be a good man, and I would like to stay if I could." "Well," said Colonel Weber, "I guess we'll have to let you through on the grounds of excessive honesty. You may go."—New York Times.

Evidence That Cats Talk.

An Androscoggin county woman will have it that animals talk to each other. And this is the anecdote she relates to prove her theory:

She has two cats, Dot and Dot's youngest, named for his exploring propensities Christopher Columbus. One morning a little bird flew in at the open window, and falling to the floor lay panting and dying. Christopher Columbus just then appeared at the doorway. "No, you don't, Christopher Columbus," exclaimed his mistress, and procuring a tiny box she put the still warm body of the feathered mite into it and made a deep grave under the apple tree. Christopher followed and looked longingly at the box, then went away where he was not seen for some time. Only Christopher witnessed the burial, yet an hour after, going out to look at the grave, she found Dot had dug up the box and Christopher was just about to devour the dainty mouthful. Now, if Christopher Columbus didn't go to Dot and say, "Mother there is a little bird buried under that apple tree; get it for me, please," how did Dot know there was a bird there?—Lewiston Journal.

Luminous East Indian Plants.

Upwards of sixty species of East Indian plants, mostly of the fern family, with a goodly sprinkling of grasses and creeping vines, are luminous, and it is said that the sides of the mountains in the vicinity of Cyree are nightly illuminated by the pale, white light which they emit. The root stock of a plant from the Ooraghum jungle, near Layki (supposed to be an orchid), possesses the peculiar properties of becoming luminous when wet, while when dry it is quite lusterless. One jointed plant

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supposed to be a member of the rush or cane family, emits a fiery red light from its leaves, a pale white one from its stalk, while its flowers give out capricious flashes, like that of our "lightning bugs."—St. Louis Republic.

No Escape.

They were nearing an ice cream palace on their evening stroll, and just as the young man saw his danger he heard the friction of the two pennies in his vest pocket.

"Have you heard," he asked in a voice of settled gloom, "of the poisoning of a whole family by eating ice cream?"

"Yes," she said quickly; "they used poison for flavoring. That comes of eating homemade ice cream."—Detroit Free Press.

Every Animal Likes Bananas.

The leaves of the banana are tender, and the strong winds of the tropics—the hurricanes—soon tear the leaves in strips, thereby adding to their grace and beauty. The banana is a fruit that beast and bird, as well as man, are fond of, and the owner, when he lives in a sparsely settled country, must need protect his plantation by a fence of some thorn plant.—Goldthwaite's Geographical Magazine.

THE DANGEROUS OLEANDER.

The Buds and Leaves of the Popular Plant Are Not Healthful Things to Eat.

"I wonder if it is a mere matter of fancy, or does that tree affect my health?" queried a very delicate looking woman, as she broke some large bunches of exquisite pink and white blooms from a tall and wide spreading oleander which stood in a large tub in her room. "Sometimes I feel perfectly certain that the odor of the blossoms hurts me—makes my eyes burn and causes an irritation in my throat. I am more satisfied about the latter, however, and am going to have the plant taken out of my room, although it is one of which, for several reasons, I am very fond."

"I think you are wise in doing so," replied her friend. "I am certain that continuous breathing of the atmosphere laden with the odor of that tree is capable of producing the most serious consequences. I have not the slightest doubts that the deaths of at least two friends of mine are traceable to this cause, and I know of several cases where throat affections have been caused and aggravated by living in the same room with large plants of this sort. In one instance there was at first a slight swelling in the throat, then a long period of gradually increasing pain and inflammation, then malignant symptoms and death, with very marked disturbance of the heart's action toward the last.

"The dispensatories and other authorities tell us that the oleander contains a principle which is an active heart poison. It seems remarkable that no investigation of its actual effect on human life has been made. In some countries it is in general use as the principal ingredient of a compound for destroying rats, mice and many sorts of insects. An armful of boughs cut from a number of trees on a gentleman's lawn was thrown into a pond where cattle went to drink, and several valuable animals died from drinking there.

"A gentleman one day rode his horse up to the porch of a house where he desired to call, tied the animal to one of the rails and went indoors. Returning after a few moments' stay, he found the horse in a state of violent agitation, trembling and scarcely able to stand. A few moments later he fell, and died almost instantly. Investigation revealed the fact that he had reached over the rail and eaten several large branches from an oleander which stood on the porch. Members of the family who chanced to be aware of the death of the cattle from drinking the poisoned water, and also of other corroborative evidence, had no hesitation in declaring that the oleander shoots that the horse had eaten were the cause of his death.

"In view of these facts, it seems quite important that some qualified individual should investigate the subject and give to the public the results. A lady of some experience and considerable medical knowledge gives it as her opinion that enlargement of the glands of the throat, goiter and various forms of heart disease are either produced or aggravated by inhaling air charged with the odors of this plant. Especially is this likely to occur in winter, when plants are kept in living rooms in a high temperature, or where the air is charged with moisture. Certain it is that with my observation and experience of its effects I would have it removed without delay, beautiful as it is."—New York Ledger.

Shaving with Rapidity.

A barber who can shave five men in an hour is doing quick work, and a young Pittsburger who has the fortune or misfortune, as you may choose, to possess a stiff black beard, thought he was seeking the impossible when he asked a barber to shave him in five minutes in order that he might catch a train. But the barber thus challenged, with the added incentive of a double fee if he did the work in the allotted time, settled down to his best gait, and succeeded in shaving his man, without a single cut, but clean, smooth and complete, in some seconds less than five minutes. More than this, the barber brushed his customer's hair and put in all the little extras of bay rum and the rest, handed him his hat and remarked the heat of the day before the five minutes had elapsed.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

The proprietors of Ely's Cream Balm do not claim it to be a cure-all, but a remedy for catarrh, cold in the head and hay fever. It is not a liquid or a snuff, is easily applied into the nostrils. It gives relief at once. 50 cents.

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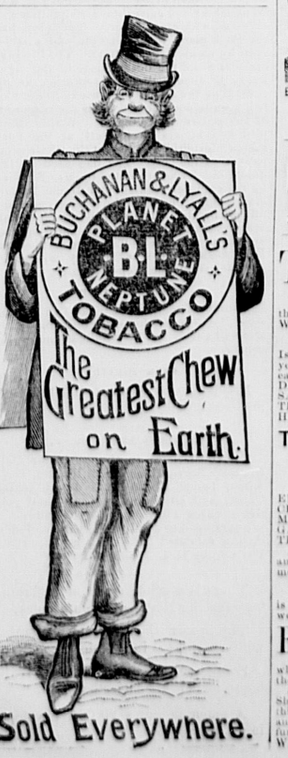

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SUNDAY—To Boston, 9.23, 11.01, A. M., 12.06, 2.00, 3.26, 5.03, 6.00, 9.01, P.M. Return, 9.00, 11.00, A. M., 12.40, 2.15, 4.00, 5.00, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15, P. M.

FOR LOWELL at 6.38, 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17 A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42, 10.28, 11.35 P. M. Sunday at 9.30 A. M., 5.26 9.26, P.M. Return at 6.35, 7.06, 7.38, 7.48, 11.00, A. M., 1.35, 4.35, 5.56, 6.44, 8.03, P. M. Sunday at 8.45, A. M. 4.28 P. M.

FOR LAWRENCE at 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 5.08, 5.57, 6.42, P. M. Return at 6.35, 7.40, 9.00, A. M., 12.10, P. M.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, N. H. at 7.29, 8.30, 8.56, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30, 5.08, 6.42 P. M. Sunday, 5.26, P. M.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Hillsboro and Keene, N. H. at 8.30 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, N. H., 8.30, 11.17, A. M., 1.34, 4.30 P. M.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport and Claremont, N. H., 8.30, 11.17 A. M., 1.34 P. M.

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Trains leave Winchester for Woburn, 6.31, 7.21, 8.03, 8.23, 8.51, 10.02, 11.09 11.59, A. M., 12.37, 1.24, 2.19, 3.28, 4.21, 5.01, 5.51, 5 53, 6.25, 6.34, 7.05, 7.50, 9.25, 10.22, 11.26 P. M. Sunday, 9.21, 11.26, A. M., 1.08, 2.41, 4.27, 5.19, 8.13, 9.20, 10.40 P. M.

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Leave Woburn for Winchester and Medford at w6.10, w6.40, 7.10, 8.10, 8.55, w9.40, 10.10, w10.40, 11.10, A. M., 12 M., 1.10, w1.40, 2.10, w2.40, 3.10, w3.40, 4.10, w4.40, 5.10, 5.40, 6.00, 7.10, w7.40, 8.10, w8.40, 9.10, w9.55, P. M.

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Leave Medford for Winchester, Woburn and North Woburn 8, 9, 10, 11, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

Leave North Woburn for Woburn, Winchester and Medford, 8.15, 9.15, 9.45, *10.00, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, A. M., 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, w9.15, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Woburn 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55, A. M., 12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, then every half hour until 7.55, then 8.55, 10.05, 11.05, P. M.

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Leave Stoneham for Chelsea at 9.05, 10.05, 11.05 A. M., 12.05, then every hour until 8.06, 9.05, 10.05, P. M.

Leave Chelsea for Stoneham and Woburn at 9.30, hen every half hour until 10.30 P. M.

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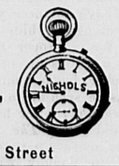
DEALER,  REPAIRER.
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Abraham Lincoln At Richmond.

A GRAPHIC ACCOUNT BY ADMIRAL PORTER.

The September number of Belford's Magazine, contains the first of a series of papers from the pen of Admiral Porter, giving an account of the entrance of Abraham Lincoln into Richmond, Va. The President had been on board of the flagship Malvern. Admiral Porter says: The night before Richmond was evacuated by the Confederate forces we were sitting on the Malvern's upper deck, enjoying the evening air. The President, who had been some time quiet, turned to me and said:

"Can't we do something at this particular moment to make history?"

"Not much," I replied; "the navy is doing its best just now holding in utter uselessness the rebel navy, consisting of four heavy ironclads. If those should get down to City Point they would commit great havoc, as they came near doing it while I was away at Fort Fisher. In consequence, we filled up the river with stones so that no vessels can pass either way. It enables us to hold the fort with a very small force, but quite sufficient to prevent any one from removing the obstructions. Therefore the rebel ironclads are useless to them."

"But can't we make a noise?" asked the President; "that would be refreshing."

"Yes," I replied, "we can make a noise: and, if you desire it I will commence."

"Well, make a noise," he said.

I sent a telegram to Captain Breese, just above Dutch Gap, to commence firing the starboard broadside guns of the vessels above, to have the guns loaded with shrapnel, and to fire in the direction of the forts without attempting any particular aim; to fire rapidly and to keep it up until I told him to stop. The firing commenced about 9 o'clock, the hour when all good soldiers and sailors turn in and take a rest.

The President admitted that the noise was a very respectable one, and listened to it attentively, while the rapid flashes of the guns lit up the whole horizon.

In about twenty minutes there was a loud explosion which shook the vessel.

The President jumped from his chair. "I hope to heaven one of them has not blown up!" he exclaimed.

"No, sir," I replied; "my ear detects that the sound was at least two miles farther up the river; it is one of the rebel ironclads. You will hear another in a minute."

"Well," he said "our noise has done some good: that's a cheap way of getting rid of ironclads. I am certain Richmond is being evacuated, and that Lee has surrendered, or those fellows would not blow up their ironclads."

Just then there was a second explosion, and two more followed close after.

"That is all of them," I said; "no doubt the forts are all evacuated, and to-morrow we can go up to Richmond."

Of the great difficulty in finding a proper place to land, the Admiral selected a spot, and says:

There was a small house on this landing, and behind it were some twelve negroes digging with spades. The leader of them was an old man sixty years of age. He raised himself to an upright position as we landed, and put his hands up to his eyes. Then he dropped his spade a sprang forward.

"Bress de Lord," he said, "dere is de great Messiah! I knowed him as soon as I seed him. He's been in my heart fo' long yeahs, an' he's cum at las' to free his children from deir bondage! Glory, Hallelujah!" and he fell on his knees before the President and kissed his feet.

The others followed his example, and in a minute Mr. Lincoln was surrounded by these people, who had treasured up the recollection of him caught from a photograph, and had looked up to him for four years as the one who was to lead them out of captivity. It was a touching sight—that aged negro kneeling at the feet of a tall, gaunt-looking man, who seemed himself to be bearing all the grief of the nation, and whose face seemed to say, "I suffer for you all but will do all I can to help you."

Mr. Lincoln looked down on the poor creatures at his feet; he was much embarrassed at his position.

"Don't kneel to me," he said. "That is not right. You must kneel to God only, and thank him for the liberty you will hereafter enjoy. I am but God's humble instrument; but you may rest assured that as long as I live no one shall put a shackle on your limbs, and you shall have all the rights which God has given to every other free citizen of this Republic."

His face was lit up with a divine look as he uttered these words. Though not a handsome man, and ungainly in his person, yet in his enthusiasm he seemed the personification of manly beauty, and that sad face of his looked down in kindness upon those ignorant blacks with a grace that could not be excelled. He really seemed of another world. All this scene was of brief duration, but, though a simple and humble affair, it impressed me more than anything of the kind I ever witnessed. What a fine picture that would make—Mr. Lincoln landing from a ship-of-war's boat, an aged negro on his knees at his feet, and a dozen more trying to reach him to kiss the hem of his garments! In the foreground should be the shackles he had broken when he issued his proclamation giving liberty to the slave.

Twenty-six years have passed since that event, it is almost too new in history to make a great impression, but the time will come when it will loom up as one of the greatest of man's achievements, and the name of Abraham Lincoln—who of his own will struck the shackles from the limbs of four millions of people—will be honored thousands of years from now as man's name was never honored before. It was a minute or two before I could get the negroes to rise and leave the President. The scene was so touching I hated to disturb it, yet we could not stay there all day; we had to move on; so I requested the patriarch to withdraw from about the President with his companions, and let us pass on.

"Yes, massa," said the old man, "but after bein' so many years in de desert widout water, it's mighty pleasant to be lookin' at las' on our spring of life; 'scuse us, sir; we means no disrespec' to Mass' Lincoln; we means all love and gratitude."

And then, joining hands together in a ring, the negros sang the following hymn with the melodious and touching voices possessed only by the negroes of the South:

"Oh, all ye people clapp your hands,
And with triumphant voices sing;
No force the mighty power withstands
Of God, the universal king."

The President and all of us listened respectfully while the hymn was being sung. Four minutes at most had passed away since we first landed at a point where, as far as the eye could reach, the streets were entirely deserted, but now what a different scene appeared as that hymn went forth from the negroes' lips!

The streets seemed to be suddenly alive with the colored race. They seemed to spring from the earth. They came, tumbling and shouting, from over the hills and from the water side, where no one was seen as we had passed. The crowd immediately became very oppressive. We needed our marines to keep them off.

I ordered twelve of the boat's crew to fix bayonets to their rifles and to surround the President, all of which was quickly done; but the crowd poured in so tearfully that I thought we all stood a chance of being crushed to death. I now realized the imprudence of landing without a large body of marines; and yet this seemed to me, after all, the fittest way for Mr. Lincoln to come among the people he had redeemed from bondage.

What an ovation he had to be sure, from those so-called ignorant beings! They all had their souls in their eyes, and I don't think I ever looked upon a scene where there were so many passionately happy faces. While some were rushing forward to try and touch the man they had talked of and dreamed of for four long years, others stood off a little way and looked on in awe and wonder. Others turned somersaults, and many yelled for joy. Half of them acted as though demented, and could find no way of testifying their delight. They had been made to believe that they would never gain their liberty, and they were brought face to face with it when least expected.

It was as a beautiful toy given to a child after months of hopeless longing on its part; it was such joy as never kills, but animates the dullest class of humanity.

But we could not stay there all day looking at this happy mass of people; the crowds and their yells were increasing, and in a short time we should be unable to move at all. The negroes, in their ecstacy, could not be made to understand that they were detaining the President; they looked upon him as belonging to them, and that he had come to put the crowning act to the great work he had commenced. They should not feel they were free in reality until they heard it from his own lips. At length he spoke. He could not move for the mass of people; he had to do something.

"My poor friends," he said, "you are free—free as air. You can cast off the name of slave and trample upon it; it will come to you no more. Liberty is your birthright. God gave it to you as he gave it to others, and it is a sin that you have been deprived of it for so many years. But you must try to deserve this priceless boon. Let the world see that you merit it, and are able to maintain it by your good works. Don't let your joy carry you into excesses.

"Learn the laws and obey them; obey God's commandments, and thank him for giving you liberty, for to Him you owe all things. There, now, let me pass on; I have but little time to spare. I want to see the Capital, and must return at once to Washington to secure to you that liberty which you seem to prize so highly."

The crowd shouted and screeched as if they would split the firmanent, though while the President was speaking you might have heard a pin drop. I don't think anyone could do justice to that scene; it would be necessary to photograph it to undsrstand it.

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A Remarkable War Record.

"I served on General Butler's staff," said Port Warden Comstock; "was over four years in the army, but never fired a gun; was promoted for gallantry on the field and never was in a battle, and, in fact never saw a Confederate in arms, and I don't get a pension. I didn't carry away any spoons from New Orleans, but I've got Shakespeare, Byron and Moore in leather that I brought away from the Twiggs mansion where we made our headquarters while in New Orleans. If anybody got away with the spoons it would not be strange.

The distinguished family that moved out for us left the family silver and everything else, and we moved in and took possession and used the abandoned property as we had, under the laws of war, a perfect right to do. We found the famous Twiggs swords there. They have long been on exhibition at Washington. The Twiggs heirs are trying to get all these things back, but they'll have as hard a time to trace that library I'm afraid, as they will the spoons."
—*New York Herald.*

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters curee him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at F. E. Lovell's Drug Store.

The Philadelphia Ledger takes the loftiness out of a word that is in very frequent use. "Styling a public dinner a 'banquet' is something of a mistake; that is, if the use of the word 'banquet' is to add more dignity to the occasion, or even to be more uppish bumptious or 'toplofty.' 'Banqute,' from the French and Spanish, means amall bench, a little seat, and when spelled banqueta means a three-legged stool. It has reference to sitting while eating, instead of taking refreshments in 'stand-up' fashion, as at one of our Wistar parties or at a free-lunch counter. The truth is that 'banquet' is simply a grandiose expression—ambitious and somewhat 'effected.'"

Height of Cruelty.

Nervous women seldom receive the sympathy they deserve. While often the pictures of health, they are constantly ailing. To withhold sympathy from these unfortunates is the height of cruelty. They have a weak heart, causing shortness of breath, fluttering, pain in side, weak and hungry spells, and finally swelling of ankles, oppression, choking, smothering and dropsy. Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is just the thing for them. For their nervousness, headache, weakness, etc., his Restorative Nervine is unequaled. Fine treatise on "Heart and Nervous Diseases" and marvelous testimonial free. Sold and guaranteed by Chas. H. Buss.

A use has been found for the Soudan. In addition to unlimited quantities of sand the country produces numberless quails, which are imported to London via Egypt, and ultimately find their way to English tables. Never before have so many quails been sold in the metropolitan markets as this season, and never within the memory of dealers has the price been so low. The quail of the desert is also put to another use. It is exceptionally rapid in flight and strong on the wing, and is beginning to be much used in shooting matches. Quails for this purpose are carefully brought over alive, and give, it is said, excellent sport.

It Is Good Work to Give Health.

The only remedy for blood disorders is one that will expel the germs of disease, and make the blood pure and rich. That is best effected by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., a medicine of great value in the treatment of all blood disorders and diseases of the Kidneys. It tones the system and helps to do good work.

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Widow Hulda Hackett's Turnip Patch.

A better shipmaster never sailed the main than Captain Abram Baxter of Nantucket. In the 40 years of his seafaring life he visited every land and crossed every ocean on the globe, and wherever he went he was recognized as a master navigator and downright good fellow. No shipmaster was ever more popular on deck or shore, and like all Nantucket sailors of those primative days he was trustworthy to the core.

But Capt. Baxter was a dry stick. A favorite pastime of his when aboard ship was trying to make his men believe he could invariably determine the exact latitude and logitude of his vessel at any hour of day or night by simply touching his tongue to the mud and sand brought up from the bottom of the sea when sounding. He made this astounding claim with all the apparent honesty of a judge on the bench. But he generally found his crews incredulous concerning it, and it is not on record that a sailor was ever known to believe the yarn.

Captain Baxter was asleep in his cabin one afternoon (or pretended to be) when it occurred to his men that it would be a good time to test his ability to exactly locate his vessel by tasting the soundings under her bottom.

There was a box of turnips down in the scullery covered up in their native loam from the garden of Widow Hulda Hackett of Nantucket of whom the Captain bought the vegetable just before he sailed. With this loam the sounding lead was thickly covered. When the sailors had got everything fixed to their liking they awoke the Captain, told him they had just taken soundings, and were very anxious to know just where their gallant craft was at that particular moment.

Captain Baxter, with an air of confidence born of superior knowledge, touched his tongue to the lead. He smacked his lips. There was a medatative, far-away look in his eye. Again he put his tongue to it. He seemed to grow more thoughtful and somewhat perplexed. A third time he sampled the mud. He had solved the mystery. "Men," said he in excited tone, "Men, Nantucket's sunk! She's gone to Davy Jones's Locker sure's shootin', and the *Abigail Jane* is sailing right over Widow Hulda Hackett's turnip patch!"

The old Captain was not caught napping. After that nobody on the *Abigail Jane* ever dared question his ability to give the exact loc

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

IT IS ALLEN.

The Republican State Convention was held in Tremont Temple, Boston, last Wednesday. It was singularly harmonious and free from gall considering the character of the canvass for candidates that preceded it

Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge was President of the Convention. On taking the chair he made a speech an hour long which was listened to with great interest. It a very clear and able setting forth of the issues of the campaign and his strong words struck just the right chord and everybody cheered it to the echo.

There were only two candidates for Governor before the convention, namely, William W. Crapo of New Bedford, and Charles H. Allen of Lowell. Ex-Gov. Long put the former in nomination in an eloquent speech, and in another equally eloquent General Coggswell, Congressman from Salem District, nominated the latter. The vote stood:

CRAPO, 514
ALLEN, 713

And Allen was chosen the Republican standard-bearer in Massachusetts for 1891. In accepting the honor he made a splendid speech which was enthusiastically cheered from beginning to end.

The remaining nominations made were:

For Lieut. Gov.
WILLIAM H. HAILE.
For Auditor.
JOHN W. KIMBALL.
For Secretary of State.
WILLIAM M. OLIN.
For State Treasurer.
GEORGE A. MARDEN.
For Attorney General.
ALBERT E. PILLSBURY.

This is a ticket that the Russell crowd will fail to faze next November.

The Crapo people fell right in and cheered for Allen just as enthusiastically as though their man had got the nomination.

The Platform made is one that every decent man in the State can stand on and feel at home. It goes in for Civil Service Reform, Purity of the Ballot, Sound Money, The McKinley Bill with the Reciprocity Annex, Public Economy, Reformed Emigrant Laws, strongly upholds and glories in our Public Schools, favors Progressive Temperance, Endorses Judicious Labor Legislation, and invites all friends and lovers of Good Government to come forward and lend a hand towards electing the Republican State ticket.

It was a grand convention.

THE LEGISLATURE.

We fear that the importance of choosing an anti-saloon Legislature this fall is not fully realized by the more respectable classes of people in this State. The selection of members to the General Court will be of greater account than the election of a Governor therefore every temperance voter should be sure to put his ballot next November where it will do the most good.

The rumsellers feel confident of carrying the Legislature in a way to promote their own ends. They pretend to be able to elect a pro-saloon Senate and probably a House of the same character. The re-election of Gov. Russell is deemed a foregone conclusion by them. It is not surprising therefore that the friends and promoters of the stupendous evil that is doing so much towards the destruction of the men of this day and generation feel jubilent.

Temperance voters ought to be up and doing. The place for them to work to the best advantage is in selecting members of the right sort for the Legislature. See to it that only temperance candidates are put up by the caucuses, and then see to it that their election is sure to follow.

COUNCILLOR CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the Sixth Councillor District will hold their convention at Jackson Hall in Lowell at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, Sept. 22, instant, as per announcement in another column of this paper.

The fight for the nomination will take place between Mr. Jefts of Hudson and Mr. Loring of Melrose, with the chances of success about evenly divided.

The delegates chosen to represent this city in said convention are: Abijah Thompson, E. C. Cottle, William Beggs, Griffin Place, E. H. Burdette, George F. Hosmer, Samuel A. Thompson, J. W. Ellard.

☞ Last Friday's *Evening Record* of Boston was a great paper. It was an anniversary number and a better filled sheet we never wish to see. It doesn't seem but a little while ago when the *The Record* was given away in the streets of Boston and suburbs, and now it is one of the most prosperous evening papers of the Hub and boasts of close on to 100,000 daily circulation. It is the sauciest and saucy ablest paper that we enjoy the pleasure of a daily perusal of.

☞ We are indebted to Hon. Horace G. Wadlin, who is Chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and Labor, for copies of late publications by that Department of the State Government of which he is the author. The two volumes received from him the other day were: "Statistics of Labor," and "Statistics of Manufactures," both of which will receive proper attention from the JOURNAL's Statistical Editor in due time.

☞ The Boston *Herald* says that the Democracy of this State are booming ex-Mayor Douglas of Brockton, the great "Douglas shoe" man, for one of the four delegates at large to the National Democratic Convention next year, with more than a fair prospect of success. Douglas is a great political hustler as well as a remarkably successful business man.

☞ Senator Edwin F. Wyer of this city was one of the Vice-Presidents At-Large of the Republican State Convention last Wednesday.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

City—Assessors.
City—Proposals.
Dr. Hatch—Card.
B. E. Bond—Citation.
Mabel C. Davis—Music.
S. R. Niles—Keene & Co.
Henshaw and Perkins—School.
No. Wo. S. and O. Co.—Wanted.
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County District Committee—Convention.

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— See change in Willard Smith's card.

— Durward keeps the best melons in the market.

— Supt. Jones is giving his official attention to Chestnut street.

— Innitou Club talk some of building a bigger and better Club House.

— Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cummings have returned from Newport, R. I.

— Harry G. Wyer went back to Phillips Audover Academy last week.

— Another heating boiler has gone into the basement of the First National Bank.

— Mrs. Plannett and the little Smith girls have returned to their home in this city.

— People met with good luck blackberrying on the far side of Horn Pond last week

— To-day comes off the grand B. & M. RR. excursion to Lake Winnipesaukee.

— Webster Woodman is getting on nicely and will soon be at his post of duty again.

— Yesterday was a typical early autumn day—it was joyful as far as weather went.

— That fire gong seems to be somewhat out of kilter. It blows only when it takes a notion.

— Mrs. J. H. Hovey of No. 19 Church Ave. went to Nahant yesterday for a few days visit.

— The price of flour is away below par. Read the Boston Branch list of prices in this paper.

— Mechanics Building looks a heap better since new coats of paint were put on to its exterior.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. A. Brackett of No. 15 High Street, this city, have gone to New York on a visit.

— Box 62 was rung in yesterday morning at 8.35 for a small fire in a dwellinghouse on Flagg street.

— The best outdoor concert of the season was given by the Woburn Brass Band last Wednesday evening.

— We have never seen better or more attractive street signs than the new ones just put up in this city.

— Almost everybody on Water St. has been laid up with more or less severe attacks of malaria of late.

— Joseph C. Larock & Co. will paint the new Central Square school house. They are prime workmen.

— The Hudsons, Hudson Juniors, A. O. H. and Prospects will participate in a Tug-of-War to-morrow evening.

— The First Annual Reunion of the Ladies Auxiliary of the St. Charles C. T. A. S. will be given on Oct. 9.

— It is feared that Peter Kenney may lose his right eye from copperas with which it was accidentally injured lately.

— Several members of the Woburn B. C. took a little spin to Waltham last night to take in the River Carnival there.

— Miss Carrie F. Greene of Church Ave. has returned from Nashua, N. H., where she visited relatives nearly all summer.

— The Chairman of the School Board, W. F. Kenney, Esq., is the proud possessor of a "safety" and rides it daily.

— The alarm from box 26, last Tuesday afternoon was for a slight fire in the house occupied by James Riley at North Woburn.

— Mr. Boody Sherburne was "set'n 'em up" on the most liberal scale the other day. Boy: Sunday morning: parents doing well.

— The Assessors have an official notice in this paper to which we direct the particular attention of those to whom it is addressed.

— The *Globe* man says the Board of Trade are trying to get our merchants to give a free exhibition of their goods in the Rink next month. ?.

— Janitor John Connolly took his outing last week. The Merrimac River was the principal scene of it. He didn't tallow much while away.

— Mr. and Mrs. Percy Linscott will reside on Pearl street, No. Woburn. They returned from their bridal tour last week. We wish them much joy.

— E. E. Parker is erecting a residence for himself on Middle street. Thus do young men prosper and make homes here in delightful old Woburn.

— There was another great rainstorm on last Sunday night. It did not continue as long as some storms we have known of, but it was a smart one.

— We are indebted to Mr. Augustus Prouty of Burlington for a couple of baskets of the best Bartlett pears we have found in our Editorial Porringer this summer.

— Mr. Harry F. Parker, the popular clerk in the Boston & Maine freight office, has gone on a vacation trip of two weeks to Keene, Greenfield and Nashua, N. H.

— Many clansmen of Clan Mackinnon joined the parade in Boston and subsequently picnicked at Spy Pond last Monday and indulged in athletic sport for prizes.

— A good many Woburn people attended the Wilmington cattle show and fair yesterday. As usual, they report a good time, a big exhibition, and especially, a bang-up dinner.

— Mr. Hubbard Copeland, senior member of the dry goods firm of Copeland & Bowser, and wife have been enjoying the balmy days of early autumn up in New Hampshire.

— A jollier housewarming was never seen in Middlesex county than that which the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robert West of Walnut Hill gave that worthy couple last Saturday evening.

— Tom Kenney caught a 2-lb. pickerel in Horn Pond the other day. He is the most successful desciple of old Izark Walton in this city—they say Tom can catch fish in a dry hogshead.

— The National Band will give their finishing open-air concert on the Common this evening. It will be followed by an assembly at Lyceum Hall for which ample preparations have been made.

— Mr. Winthrop Hammond, member of the firm of J. W. Hammond & Son, went to Newport a few days ago for a rest. He has worked too hard of late and got a little under the weather as well as tired.

— Mr. Huntington Porter's Pleasant street home looks all the better for the painting it has lately received. It is a very nice place anyway, and its recent furbishing up has made it still more attractive.

— Fred Robbins has engaged to play in the Boston Theatre Orchestra this season as clarinetist. He has been playing with a big hotel orchestra at Saratoga this summer. Mr. Robbins is a fine musician.

— J. S. Wheeler and family are spending this week up in Worcester county

"'Mid boyhood scenes
To memory dear."

— Mrs. Laura Moody, one of Mr. Willard Smith's most popular saleswomen, has got back from her vacation visit at Rockland, Maine, and resumed her place behind Mr. Smith's counters. She had a pleasant time Down East.

— Lawyer and Madame M. T. Allen got back from a brief sojourn at semi-rustic, back-country, and quite charming summer retreat, Bedford Springs, early this week, and are now at their pleasant home on Church Ave.

— We call particular attention to the change in Mrs. Jennings's card in this paper. Her popular store is a second edition of Dickens's "Old Curiosity Shop" and in her line of business nobody keeps such a varied and desirable stock.

— Mrs. S. T. Converse and daughter of 35 Sherman Place, this city, have returned from Compton, N. H., where they have pleasantly spent the summer. Mrs. C. writes; "Our JOURNAL has been a gladly welcomed messenger during our absence."

— The close season for wood-cock and partridge ended last Tuesday. Now, bring on your woodcock and partridge if you want them shot. On Oct. 15 the law ceases to protect quail until winter sets in when it is supposed they can no longer protect themselves.

— The Bonelli boys are fleet-footed on the "safety." They peddled over here from Asbury Grove in Hamilton the other day in 4 1-2 hours and staid long enough at Lynn to feed and get rested. The Bonelli family have taken up their abode again on Franklin street.

— Mr. John Johnson has been having his market building, occupied by Durward for meats, vegetables, etc., and Tabor with fish, fixed up in good shape this week. W. H. Cummings did the carpenter work and S. T. Brigham did the painting and glass work.

— Chief of Police McIntosh has returned to his duties at Police Headquarters No. 1. He didn't stray far from home during his vacation although some heedless and ill-informed local sheets insisted that the Chief and his "rib" were going to Saratoga to enjoy their outing.

— Mr. George M. Gerrish, son of Mr. J. M. Gerrish, clothing merchant of this city, graduated from Tufts College this year and last Thursday entered the Divinity Department of that College for a three years course. He is said to be an apt scholar and excellent young man.

— Singer and Brown, one of the principal building firms in this part of the State, are putting up Mr. E. E. Parker's house. Recently they built a large stable for Mr. James Doherty in Somerville, and have done other work there. They are enterprising men and firstclass mechanics.

— We were pleased to see Dr. George S. Dodge of South Acton flying about our streets last Saturday. He was looking firstrate and bore every mark of prosperity and happiness in face and gait. A good many of his old neighbors here gave the genial Doctor a hearty handshake.

— Committees Clerk Lounsbury took a yachting excursion last Monday down the harbor and came back with more nautical phrases on his tongueseend than a horse could haul, and as brown as a berry. Nobody enjoys a yachting trip with greater zest than our esteemed friend Lounsbury.

— The Middlesex County Cattle Show and Fair now in progress at Mystic Park has had fine weather and a big attendance this week. The best way for North Woburn and the Centre visitors to get there is by the No. Woburn street Railroad, for which Supt. Sewell made special provisions.

— City Clerk David F. Moreland expected to attend a meeting of City Clerks at Northampton yesterday and to be the guest of Mr. Egbert L. Clapp, City Clerk of that place. For ought that has reached this office to the contrary Mr. Moreland carried out his purpose and attended the gathering.

— Rev. George H. Young, some years ago pastor of the Woburn Unitarian church, has accepted a call to Lawrence. Since quitting this place he has been pastor of the New South church in Boston. He was always thought to be a clergyman of ability and was well esteemed here and in Boston.

— Our old friend Mr. Joel Barnard of Arlington is making his regular autumnal visit to Woburn and is putting in many of his celebrated spring beds for our people on trial. He knows he is perfectly safe in advertising their superior merits in that fashion for whoever tries Mr. Barnard's beds once will never thereafter have any other. Mr. Barnard is just as reliable as his beds are and every bit as well liked by the women folks of this city.

— Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Dolliver, after a very pleasant summer spent here, will leave for their home in San Francisco, Cal., next Thursday. The Dolliver Brothers, who are in business in that city, alternate in visiting the Atlantic seaboard and each spends the entire seasen here.

— Col. W. T. Grammer has been suffering from a third attack of malaria recently. Malaria always hits three times it at all and all who survive the last blow may pretty safely count on a "green old age." Col. G. was so much better on Monday as to be able to visit the office of the City Assessors for a few minutes.

— Every body along the route was glad to see Mr. Charles H. Taylor driving out with Dr. Hatch last Wednesday morning, for having had a serious pull with his broken leg his appearance outdoors indicated that he has seen the worst of it. Dr. Hatch has done a good job on that shattered limb of Charlies.

— Rev. Mr. Moore of Everett will give an address at the Boys' Meeting of the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday, and also lead the 4 o'clock meeting. A general invitation is extended to attend these meetings. The best music will be provided.——It is hoped that a General Secretary will soon be found for the Association.

— Any Mayoralty slate next December on which the name of William C. Kenney has not a conspicious place in large letters will most certainly be an imperfect one. There is not a single doubt in the mind of this writer or among the intelligent part of Woburn's voting public but that Mr. William C. Kenney will be "in it" for keeps.

— Miss Elsie R. Francis, the bright young daughter of Mr. J. W. Francis, Janitor of the Public Library ever since it was opened 12 years ago, has gone to Abbott Academy at Andover to complete her education. She graduated from the Woburn High School, '91, in which she ranked high as a scholar. Miss Elsie is going to make her mark some day.

— Mr. Ferguson of the Board of Assessors went into Boston last Tuesday to attend the hearing of Waltham before the Board of Metropolitan Sewerarge Commissioners. Waltham belongs in the Charles River District of the System, while Woburn is in the Mystic Valley District. Woburn's hearing before the Board will follow the finish of the Charles River hearings.

— Rev. Mr. Biggs, a Universalist clergyman, preached in Lyceum Hall last Sunday to an audience highly respectable in numbers and character. He has been pastor of several churches of his denomination in recent years but seeme to have become imbued with the spirit of heresy after the manner of the men of Andover Theological Seminary, and has entered on a "reform" movement which seems to be made up of the odds and ends of all religious creeds extant, and which we think he'll find hard work to succeed in. He means well, especially in his efforts to call in the non-church-goers, and to that extent we wish him well.

— Especial attention is called to the card of Messrs. Henshaw and Perkins in the JOURNAL this week. They are graduates of Harvard and very bright young men. Mr. Henshaw has been tutor at Harvard since his graduation from that old college, and bears all the marks of having been cut out for a teacher. They will build up a famous school yet—Henshaw and Perkins will.

— Tomorrow, if nothing splits, the grand tournament of the Middlesex County Tennis League which was advertised to come off on the courts of the Woburn Lawn Tennis Association on Labor Day will take place on said courts on Mt. Pleasant street, when and where great playing of tennis is anticipated. Several "big guns" will take a hand, and here's hoping our people will win all the prizes.

— The North Woburn Shirt and Overall Co. is an establishment that merits encouragement by our people. Mr. H. F. Dearborn (*not* Ald. Dearborn), the Manager, is a thorough-paced gentleman who does the fair thing by his employees as well as by his patrons. He employs just now some fifteen girls, and advertises in this issue of the JOURNAL for more. It is a clean, nice, good paying business.

— Mr. John Duncan of Canal street received a pleasant visit from two of his sons last week—Joseph, a prominent banker at Fort Plain, N. Y., and D. A. who resides at Jersey City, N. J., and is Superintendent of the Pullman Car system. They are smart, pushing young gentlemen, and are brothers of Mr. John Duncan, Jr., for some years Manager of the Boston Clothing Company's store in this city.

— Mr. A. A. Fish, mason, and L. W. Perham, carpenter, have been improving the Board of Trade Rooms, Mishawum Club Quarters, and other parts of Dow Block very much. Fish and his men besides plastering all the apartments have given the walls and ceilings a new and livelier tint which makes them more attractive. Lewis's Music School suite have also been much improved by plasterer Fish and his employees.

— "Personals" are getting more and more like "hen's teeth" every week—"few and far between." The return of the tourist and the vacation outist and summer billiter on country cousins makes the reporter feel just like "Othelo's occupation's gone," at least for the present. But the JOURNAL welcomes the summer wanderers back to their homes and old occupations again and hopes they will enjoy "many returns of the same."

— The Ladies' Schumann Quartette of this city is a musical organization too well and favorably known to need any particular commendation from our pencil, and the only excuse we can give for the appearance of this item in these local columns is a wish to call public attention to the Quartette's card on page 2 of this week's JOURNAL. The Ladies' Schumann Quartette is not a venerable organization but it has made many notable hits in the past and won praise and popularity wherever its music was heard last year. The individual members are known to stand high in musical circles and to well deserve the excellent reputation they sustain. Please make a note of the Quartette's announcement in these columns.

— The entire machinery of the public schools of this city was set in motion last Monday morning after a vacation of 11 or 12 weeks. It seemed quite pleasant and natural to see the pupils wending their various ways to the numerous school-houses of the city generally preceeded by teachers willing, if not anxious, to get to work and once more be earning something to keep the wolf away from the door with next winter. Yes, it was rather an interesting spectacle and for one we enjoyed joyed it.

— The professional card of Dr. L. F. Hatch may be found in this copy of the JOURNAL. Already he has found friends here from whom patronage begins to flow into his hands. Dr. Hatch is a thoroughly educated physician of the Alopathic school; is professionally trained in modern ways and practice; has stored up the latest "improvements" in the science of medicine; and those who have the pleasure of his acquaintance say he is a very genial young gentleman.

— If there was ever a circus in this town it was at the Democratic Ward Caucuses last Tuesday night. The result will be two sets of delegates from three Wards at least to the conventions. In their respective Wards Editor Kenney and City Clerk Moreland tried to have the business carried on according to law but they might as well have tried to manage a cyclone—the mobs paid no attention to them, and independent caucuses were held. From all accounts it was hades let loose in some of the meetings.

— Mr. Charles F. Lyford, for many years head salesman for Copeland & Bowser, the well known dry goods house in this city, has been chosen to the important office of General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Cambridge made vacant by the resignation of another very worthy Woburn boy, Alfred H. Whitford, one of the most popular and successful Y. M. C. A. workers in the State. Mr. Lyford is a devout Christian; he has always taken a deep interest in the young, and the people over in Cambridge will like him.

— The neatest "Boston Notion" that has attracted public attention this many a day is the "Food and Health Exposition" which will be opened with proper ceremonies at Mechanic's Building, Huntington Avenue, at 10 o'clock on Monday, Oct. 5. The Exposition, the first ever held of the kind, will run three weeks under the auspices of The Boston Retail Grocers Association, who conceived the idea, organized the Great Show of Foods, and will carry it through. There can be no doubt but that the Exposition will attract big crowds of people from all parts of New England.

— Dea. G. R. Gage visited the old store last Monday, sat an hour at the desk formerly occupied by him, and sold a bill of goods. It seemed like years ago and the visit proved fully as pleasant to Mr. Flint, the proprietor, as to the Deacon himself. While at the store many of his friends called and chatted with him and warmly congratulated him on his greatly improved physical condition, the preservation of his good looks, and on his jolly spirits. Dea. Gage is very much better than he was a year ago, and it is not easy to see why he may not get to be nearly as good as new again.

— Everyone who has heard him preach says Rev. E. P. Telford, the great London Evangelist and for 10 years a London street preacher, is a powerful sermonizer and effective exhorter. He is eloquent, earnest, bound to do all in his power to save men, and his meetings held at 7 o'clock every evening at the M. E. Church are crowded with the best people in the city, and his open-air temperance meetings on the Common every evening are thronged. Mr. Moody says Mr. Telford is one of the greatest of living evangelists and the fruit of his revival labors fully bear out the assertion.

— Managers of the Melrose Lyceum Course have issued a very attractive programme of entertainments for the season of 1891-2, which comprises nine events made up of lectures by the best of orators, music by firstclass artists, readings, special performances, the course to open on the evening of Oct. 27, with a grand concert by the De Vere-Campanini Concert Troupe, and will close on Jan. 25 by the rendition of Haydn's Oratorio of "The Creation." It is a rich bill of fare, the sale of tickets to which will take place at the Town Hall in Melrose at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening, Sept. 26.

— Dr. Sherman Sanborn is a man who likes to see editors of country newspapers happy. There is nothing small about the Doctor anyway. He got back from his fishing trip to Maine last Monday and when he struck this town what should he hand out from among his luggage but a string of "speckled beauties" for the palate of the JOURNAL Editor and his family. They were just abont 12 inches long, plump as partridges, old gold in color, and delicious to the taste. The Doctor was very thoughtful and generous and we and ours were very grateful for the trout from those clear brooks of Northern Maine.

— The picnic of Assembly 2956, K. of L., which was fixed for Labor Day but had to be postponed on account of the rain, was held in Hudson's Grove on the banks of Horn Pond last Saturday and proved to be a great and highly gratifying success. It was attended by many people of both sexes and nearly all ages and everything passed off not only with *eclat* but to the complete satisfaction to all concerned. Calnan's Orchestra furnished the best of music in generous quantities for the dancing. There were refreshments without limit. The athletic sports were prolific of fun and the prizes gave unbounded satisfaction. The affair was highly enjoyed by every body at it.

— Mr. F. D. Blake broke up his home on Canal street early this week. His wife and child went to California last May, during a large part of the time since which date they have been at the residence of Mrs. Blake's parents at Oakland, across from San Francisco. She is now and has been for several weeks at a large hotel on Howell Mountain, Nappa county, Cal., where she has greatly recruited in health. Mr. Blake is a member of the large shoe manufacturing firm of E. H. Stetson & Co., No. 97 Summer St., Boston, with factory at South Weymouth, in the interests of which he travels nearly all the time. Should Mrs. Blake's health demand it the family will ultimately settle on the Pacific Coast, of which Mr. Blake was a resident from 1874 to 1884, and it is with this possibility in view that the home on Canal street has been broken up and abandoned.

— Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wells returned by the Cunard Line of Ocean Steamers to their residence in this city after a most delightful visit of two months at their old home in England. Mr. Wells was a native of Bury-St. Edmonds and Mrs. Wells was from Leiston, and they emigrated to America and came to Woburn 10 years ago where they have lived ever since. While in their native England Mr. and Mrs. Wells visited London, Fakenham, Canterbury, Leiston, Aldburgh, Beccles, and other places familiar to them before coming to this country. They enjoyed the voyage each way and the visit among relatives and friends in England very much indeed.

— Mr. Edward F. Bryant, Secretary of the Pullman Loan and Banking Company at Pullman, Illinois, formerly book-keeper at the Woburn First National Bank, and wife have been visiting Mr. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bryant of this city, and left yesterday for their home on the shores of Lake Michigan. He has a great many friends here, this being his "My own My Native Land", so to speak, among whom he was kept very busy shaking hands and exchanging courtesies during the few days he and Mrs. Bryant were in our city. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant love Chicago and its environs and have become nearly as good Suckers as are those to "the manor born."

— Last Sunday Rev. Hugh Montgomery preached by invitation to 200 members of No Surrender Lodge of L. O. L. at the M. E. Church who were there as a Lodge supplemented by a large congregation of non-members of the Order. The text which the preacher selected was: "You cannot serve God and Mammon" on which words for a foundation he built up an impregnagable negative answer to the question: "Is 'good' Roman Catholicism consistent with American citizenship?" Copious extracts—almost a verbatim report, indeed—from the M. E. pastor were published in the Boston *Traveller* of the 14th, which we are unable to reproduce through lack of space.

— Miss Mabel C. Davis of Canal street is a teacher of vocal music of superior gifts and accomplishments and of exceptional success. She was educated by the best of preceptors, among whom she has reached and now occupies an enviable position. She is well and very favorably known in and all about Boston as a soloist and in the season of concerts, etc., she has a plenty of engagements to sing. At present Miss Davis is a member of the Quartet of the Universalist Church in Salem where she commands a handsome salary and is highly esteemed for her rare professional merits. Young people who would be taught vocal music by a person in every way capable of teaching the art in its best form should see Miss Davis and arrange with her for instruction.

— Bright and early yesterday morning William Winn, Esq., of Pleasant street honored the JOURNAL office with the light of his countenance which is always a welcome visitor but unusually so this time on account of a large box of dead ripe "Winn Seedling" peaches raised on his Burlington farm which he brought along for the Editor. They were by far the finest peaches we have set a tooth into this season. Mr. Winn planted the pit from which the tree that bore this box of delicious fruit grew many years ago and it was the only one of the 18 that took root. The "Winn Seedling" has taken first premium year after year at State and County Fairs, and the specimens at the Middlesex Co. Fair now in full feather at Mystic Park, Medford, will no doubt win first honors for peaches. They were lucious.

— In the next issue of the JOURNAL we hope to be able to submit to our readers perfected plans for a "Merchants' Day" to be held very soon in this city. It will probably be gotten up somewhat after the style of the one held last April and proved such a remarkable success. Many of the leading merchants are out of town this week which made it nearly impossible to get the enterprise sufficiently on its feet, or give it such form as to make it safe to publish much about it. Whatever other papers may have to say concerning the matter great caution should be exercised in accepting their statements, or rather, they should be discarded altogether. The only safe plan that can be adopted is to wait until the JOURNAL "says the word," and publishes all necessary information concerning this very commendable move of the Woburn Merchants.

— Tom McCarthy of this city was worsted in 8 rounds in a prize fight with Billy Smith of Australia at the California Athletic Club of San Francisco, Cal., last Tuesday night, for a purse of $1200. McCarthy was lately taken to California by the Club with other professional fighters under contract to engage in any fistic contest which the Club desired. The fight was a big one, but the Australian carried too many guns for the Woburn boy. McCarthy has a good record. He was born in Woburn 23 years ago. He has beaten B. Fitzpatrick in three rounds, Conly in four rounds, Billy Baker in six rounds, Mike Dyer in 10 rounds, John McLaughlin, John Fitzpatrick, John McGillicuddy, George Smith and Mike Nelson in from one to five rounds. He has fought a 10-round draw with Mike Brennan and an 11-round draw with Arthur Upham.

— A JOURNAL reporter says the Winchester V. I. A. did themselves proud yesterday afternoon and last night. They held an exhibition of Fruits, Flowers and Vegetables at the Town Hall and such a spirit of rivalry had been worked up that the display of the farm, garden and orchard products of that town was just simply immense. It was the tallest thing of the kind ever seen in those parts. A grand good supper was furnished for the big crowd of people at low figures and before the guests arose from heavily and very richly laden tables neat oratious, addresses and speeches, all of an agricultural, horticultural and floricultural type of character, were closely listened to and loudly applauded. The Woburn Orchestra composed of 9 pieces—one of the best musical combines anywhere to be found—discoursed the finest of music all the evening and were highly praised for their important contribusions to the delights of the occasion. It was really a very big affair, and everyone enjoyed it hugely.

— In this issue of THE JOURNAL appears a correct and well executed portrait of Mr. F. H. Lewis, Principal of the Lewis Music School in this city, accompanied by a brief biographical sketch of him and a longer one of his musical career and professional triumphs, which we take from the August number of *The Keynote* of New York City, the leading musical magazine in this country. We understand that the publishers of this monthly, which makes a specialty of portraits, biographies and professional lives of prominent singers, instrumentalists, teachers, and distinguished patrons of the art, have for three years or more been seeking of him the materials needed for a proper notice of Mr. Lewis's work as an organist, pianist and teacher, but not until the present time has he seen fit to furnish them, and it was only after he had investigated and found *The Keynote* to be firstclass in every particular would he consent to comply with the urgent request of the publishers. The entire publication is highly complimentary to Principal Lewis and his musical career, and is flattering also to Mrs. Lewis.

Massachusetts Schools.

The census report gives fresh proof that "nothing can lie like figures." It shows that the population of Massachusetts has increased 25.57 per cent in ten years, while the public school enrollment has increased but 17.3 per cent; from which it is easily argued that the public school increase is falling behind the gain in population. Consequently the conclusion is inevitable that the public schools are losing in popularity.

What are the real facts? The increase in the number of children of school age—five to fifteen—is but 18.3 per cent, while the increase in enrollment of children of those ages is 16 per cent. The slight difference is accounted for on the ground that the private kindergartens claim many of the children of five years, and the sentiment is decidedly against sending children to school so early. The test years are now from eight to fourteen, and the statistics show that the increase of enrollment between these years is 27 per cent, which is higher than the gain in population. The fact is incontestable, that in the actual school years the increased enrollment in the public schools is ahead of the increase of population; and the only thing which the census figures show is that children do not go to school so early, which is a matter for public rejoicing. The interest and confidence in the public schools was never so great as at present, as these facts prove.—*Journal of Education.*

A Sensible Suggestion.

Our suggestion that inducing the rank and file of political parties to become contributors of small sums for campaign purposes would be an important influence in bringing out the stay-at-home vote, has been quite generally commented upon by our contemporaries, most of them fully comprehending the real purpose of the suggestion (creating an interest in political affairs and introducing that element of personal responsibility so essential to the best results), and urging some such action by town and ward committees. A few have discovered in what we wrote, merely a plan for raising money, and have spoken slightingly of the suggestion. Modified a trifle, our plan is feasible even along this lower plane—the money getting idea. Suppose there are 600 Republican voters in any town or ward. Is it unlikely that among this number sixty active and energetic men could be found who would be willing to agree to consult with nine other Republicans in the immediate neighborhood of each to review the situation and collect a small sum (say twenty-five or fifty cents) to be turned into a general fund? We believe nothing could be more easily secured than this number of solicitors; and then not only would an ample fund for campaign purposes be secured, but that other more essential thing—the house to house canvas, a coming into touch and sympathy by those who in the main think alike thus securing concerted action—would be accomplished. Will our town committee make the experiment?—*Arlington Advocate.*

The above plan for raising money for campaign purposes and arousing a deeper interest in the Republican cause is worthy of a hearty trial.

Frederic H. Lewis.

Frederic Henry Lewis was born in Manchester, New Hampshire, July 9, 1856. At an early age, marked talent for music was noticeable. He was placed under the instruction of the late Mrs. Dr. Custer a thoroughly schooled musician from Germany, and he believes to-day, that the unusual success he enjoys, is greatly owing to the first few years of conscientious and competent drilling received under that noted teacher. When about 12 years of age, he made his debut as a concert pianist, before a large and cultivated audience, at one of the principal concerts at Manchester, where he created great furore. Advancing in his study and desiring to take up harmony and organ playing, he secured the services of a supposed competent teacher of these branches in his native city, and plodded along unsatisfactorily for a year or so, then resolved to take an exhaustive and expensive course of study in Boston. 1872 finds him at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, where an examination resulted in securing for the College of Music, Boston University, of which Dr. Tourjee was Dean, one of its best students. After a most exacting course of study, including Harmony, Counterpoint, Composition, History, Theory, Analysis, Organ, Piano-forte and Conducting, of about four years duration, we find him graduating at the head of his class, performing the Rubinstein concerto in *D* minor, on a hot June day, and also, an organ work of prominence, on the Boston Music Hall Organ. Mr. Lewis's studies were persued under the guidance of such able masters as J. C. D. Parker, Dudley Buck, J. K. Paine, Signor Maggi and Carl Zerrahn. His course in the college was marked by close application to work, frequent appearances at the college concerts and marked display of talent. During this period he was constantly teaching others, and considers he has learned very much in so doing. His career as a teacher has been marked by a steadfast resolution to adhere to a common sense system of work: To cultivate an artistic and quiet style, even at the expense of a too rigid adherence to prescribed mechanical gyrations. Art first, technique secondary. In 1875 he was tendered a position as one of the faculty of the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, by Dr. Tourjee, which he accepted and has filled the position for the past 16 years, without the loss of a term. In 1886 he founded a music school in Woburn, Massachusetts, which is proving so remunerative as to compel him to give up other work of less prominence, and as he has received an additional appointment in Woburn, that of Musical Director at "Ashley Hall," a new and prosperous select school for young ladies, he has severed his Conservatory connection of 16 years duration. In 1878 Mr. Lewis married Annie M. Soule, daughter of F. L. Soule, the indefatigable Secretary of the South-eastern Massachusetts Musical Association and a resident of Taunton. Miss Soule was a prominent piano-forte teacher in Taunton, and now, as Mrs. Lewis, fills an important position in the Lewis Music School, in Woburn, as assistant piano-forte teacher. She is a descendant of Miles Standish, who came over in the Mayflower in 1620. Thus two families of very honorable repute are united. One son, Frederic Percyval Lewis, is already making an enviable reputation as a young pianist at 12 years of age. Mr. Lewis is one of our best American Pianists. His concert programs are models of excellence. His Boston concerts of ten years ago, when he gave much time to concert work, established a reputation equal to the best. His greatest triumph was made at one of the Symphony Concerts in Boston Music Hall, gaining on that occasion, by his "masterly rendering" of Schumann's difficult concerto, a most favorable indorsement of from all of Boston's noted critics. He has established and successfully maintained a course of Free Concerts at his school in Woburn, and also, at "Ashley Hall." He has such a reputation for thorough work, that his services are sought by those who have finished a course, and graduated from the New England Conservatory and wish more thorough instruction. He confines himself to three departments of music study, viz: Piano-forte, Organ and Composition, including Theory, History and Analysis, as far as relates to the above-named branches. Such, then, is a brief outline of the career of F. H. Lewis to date. At the age of 35, we find him occupying an unusually successful position among the musicians of America. A leading teacher in Boston, director of two schools, and at the head of all teachers in New Hampshire, his work including a small portion of teaching in Manchester. His compositions have attracted favorable notice from those best qualified to judge. Only a system of technique has been published. (By O. Ditson Company, Boston). Manuscript works include: A complete Grand Opera of considerable length, several Piano-forte suites, Sonatas, Trios, Studies, other lesser works for piano-forte and organ, also vocal works, sacred and secular. Many have received public performances in Boston and elsewhere, and invariably receive the most favorable notices by the press.

The actual statistics show that, in spite of the new tariff, the prices of cotton cloth, printed cottons, iron nails, steel nails, steel rails, etc., are lower now than they were a year ago.

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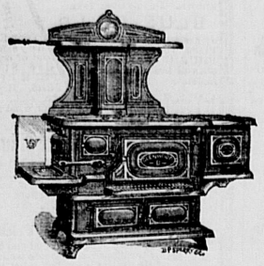

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City Government.

COMMON COUNCIL.

This honorable Body held a meeting on the evening of Sept. 11th inst., with all the members present except President Waldron who had not sufficiently recovered from a very severe illness to permit his attendance. Petition of Charles W. Bryant and others for an electric light on Eastern Avenue was referred to the Committee on Street Lights. ——Petition of Joseph F. DeLoriea for edgestones on the sidewalk in front of his residence on Lawrence street was referred to the Committee on Highways.

The order authorizing the City Treasurer to hire $20,000 for the building and furnishing of the new school at Central Square, and give ten notes of $2000 each, payable yearly, the first one in 1882, was passed in concurrence to a second reading, under suspension of the rules.

The order transferring $1500 from Miscelaneous Department to Schools, Highland School Building Department, and $150 from same department to Military Aid Department, was passed in concurrence.——Order to authorize the sale of land from the Highland Schoolhouse lot, some 14,180 square feet, and also to sell the old schoolhouse was passed in concurrence.

Report of City Auditor for July and August was received and placed on file, the reading being dispensed with.——Report of the Overseers of the Poor for August was received and placed on file without reading. It shows 44 families of 163 persons aided to the amount of $259.24.——The Committee on Highways reported recommending leave to withdraw on the petition of Henry B. Hayes for alterations on Main street. Granted. The same committee recommended leave to withdraw, which was also granted, on the petition of Isaac W. Butler and others for laying out and accepting Tremont street, Ward 5, as a public highway.——Councilman Larkin, of Ward 3, offered an order that an electric light be placed at the corner of Morse and Munroe streets and one at the wooden bridge on Harrison Avenue, west of the railroad. Referred to Committee on Street Lights.

Woburn Co-operative Bank.

There is a large and increasing demand for the money of this prosperous institution. At the next October meeting there will be between $2,000 and $4,000 for sale, and there are a plenty of people waiting for it to be offered.

There was sold at the meeting on the evening of the 10th inst., $600—all the bank had on hand for sale, although there was in its vaults $2,683.78, which parties had previously bought. That sold on the 10th went for from 20 to 30 cents per share premium. It was voted to issue the 10th series of shares of 300, which will be offered for sale at the October meeting. At a meeting held on the evening of the 11th, Friday last, a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent was declared, while Treasurer Whitcher was able to show a very handsome surplus of $981.52. Such a surplus is unusual with Co-operative Banks generally speaking.

The Bank has a membership of 421. The total number of shares sold is 2,556. The number of real estate loans made is 96, and of share loans 17.

The Bank has been in operation 55 months, which means $55 paid in by the original share-holder, and those first shares are now worth $63.06, a net enhancement in value of $8.06 The amount which the Bank had safely invested in real estate at the meeting on Sept. 10, was $79,425.

Secretary Whitcher reports a brisk demand for the Bank's funds chiefly by young men for building purposes and that the institution is doing all in its power to meet it. The Bank is one of the most prosperous in the State.

William D. Howells' New Story.

Rumor says that the scene of William D. Howells's new story, not yet published, is laid mainly in Boston. This story will not appear in book form for a considerable time as Mr. Howells has sold the right of publication in New York to a leading newspaper for a very large sum. It is reported that the author is now negotiating with the leading Boston newspapers to find a purchaser in that city, and the papers are bidding against each other at a rate which will make Mr. Howells's price a very handsome one.

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High School.

The Woburn High School gets larger and larger as the years roll by. Each succeeding graduating class, with rare exceptions (or none at all), is bigger than its predecessor, and if the city keeps on growing in the future as it has in the past two High Schools will become a prime necessity and perhaps more.

This regular and quite considerable annual increase of High School pupils speaks volumes to the credit of the teachers in the Primary and Intermediate branches as well as being an assurance of growth of the city. If the foundation is not well laid the superstructure cannot be a good one; and if boys and girls are not well grounded in the rudiments of learning they will knock in vain for admission into the High School.

Principal Mendum found a large flock of pupils gathered together when he went to his post of duty last Monday morning. After looking the field over with care and deliberation about the first thing he put his hand to was to fulfill his promise to the JOURNAL and make out a list of scholars who had come up from the Primaries and Grammars to enter the High this fall. The result of that piece of work (for which he will please accept the hearty thanks of the JOURNAL) was this, viz.:

Abbie H. Allen, Harry D. Buxton, Ambrey Bonelli, Ethel S. Burbeck, Mabel Burgess, John T. Callahan, Clyde Carleton, Michael J. Clancy, Waldo P. Cutler, Bertha L.Cutler, Waldo P. Converse, Mabel T. Cooper, Emma Laura Felch, J. Berton Ferguson, Mary Louisa Flynn, Helen Burgess Fosdick, Ida M. Hawkins, John F. Hoy, Elizabeth C. Kellelea, Ruby Kentie, Frank W. Knights, Edith M. Leathe, James H. Linnell, Irma F. Lovering, Mary E. Maloney, James F. McCormick, John E. Moore, George C. Munroe, Harry E. Nickles, Maggie A. O'Brien, Ethel H. Perley, Ida L. Robbins, Mary E. Scanlon, Mary Scanlon, Mary J. Smith, Katharina E. Spencer.

SPECIAL STUDENTS.

Florence E. Charman, Luiu A. Simonds, Mary F. Simonds, Emma L. Whitten.

These names constitute a very pretty exhibition of new entries to the W. H. S. and would seem to point to hard work for Principal Mendum during the current School year.

Warren Academy Free Industrial School Exhibition.

An exhibition of the work of the above successfully conducted institution of learning in this city will be given from 2 to 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 26, to which everybody is cordially invited.

A miscellaneous display of the products of each of the three departments of the School—Cooking, Sewing, Carpentry, etc.—will be made and opportunities afforded for judging of the progress the pupils have made during the comparatively brief period of the School's prosperous existence. Those attendants who are capable of judging will be surprised beyond measure by the proof of such progress as they will discover in the handiwork of the boys and girls.

With this exhibition the school closes its first term and on that account it is especially desired by Supt. Richardson and the corps of teachers that parents, guardians, and friends of industrial education should attend it and see for themselves what such a school, properly carried on, is capable of accomplishing.

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Maud—"I'd hate to think that you'd throw yourself at Fred." Mamie—"Why not? He's a good catch."

A Classmate on Dr. Crapo.

EDITOR WOBURN JOURNAL:—I am surprised that the Woburn delegation is all against Crapo. I have known Crapo well since 1848. He was my right hand man all through College. He was the idol of his class and in my opinion the best man, all in all, in this class which has President Gilman of John Hopkins University, President Johnston of Indiana University, President Sprague of North Dakato University, Judge McCully of the Supreme Court, H. I., Judge Vanderbury of the Supreme Court of Minn., Senator Stewart of Nevada, and many others the superiors of the writer. He was a fine prose and poetical writer. His prose is quoted as famous in the Stedman and Hutchinson Libraries of American Literature. His College songs have become classic. If he would, he could write National Hymns that the country would prize. He has no "fuss and feathers." He is accesible and considerate of others. He has a manly, solid character—a true man.

CLAIMS FOR GOVERNORSHIP.

In Congress he wrote the text of the law in relation to the Alabama Claims, as I was told. He was on the Committee of Finance and largely moulded the laws as to money matters in the darkest hours of the Republic and shares the honors of financial victory which was almost as great as that over Slavery.

President Porter of Yale replied when I said that the class of '52 now proved that Yale had honored herself in giving Crapo an LL. D.: "Well, he deserved it for his good work in Congress."

Dr. Crapo is a railroad authority and a thorough man of business. I have nothing to say against Mr. Allen. I am glad to know he is a good man; but if Crapo is made Governor Massachusetts will honor herself more than she honors him.

No one has asked me to write this nor am I any the less a citizen because I am a Doctor of Medicine. But I can't keep silence when such a nature's nobleman as Dr. Crapo is ignored in my native city Next to him I would put the Hon. John Cummings. Both of them ought to have been Governors before this.

Sincerely yours,
EPHRIAM CUTTER.

New York, Sept. 10, 1891.

[The receipt of this letter after the JOURNAL had gone to press last week gives it somewhat the character of a "back number" considered as a communication for publication; but we print it in these columns that his former neighbors may see how the Doctor feels on the Gubernatorial question.—ED. JOURNAL].

Montvale.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.—Do you want me, Mr. Editor, to tell you "how the Democratic caucus was carried out in Ward 5" last Tuesday night? Well, Lawrence Martin read the call and read it well. William McDonough said it was wrong because no Councillor was mentioned. Martin replied, "I'm running this thing." James Cogan was appointed Chairman, and James McEvoy, Clerk.

Then ignorance prevailed. No regard for the ballot act was paid. A committee of 5 was appointed to retire and bring in a list of delegates to the various conventions. The following composed the committee: William Flynn, Lawrence Martin, James Dwyer, Thomas Connell, John Walsh, who went out, meditated, came back and reported.

Mr. Flynn and Mr. Dwyer were roughly handled. Ald. Walsh threw off his coat and went for Dwyer. It was "rough and tumble" until Dwyer made his escape back to the hall and reported facts. Flynn was pulled back half a dozen times to the room.

A prominent politician would say to the lot of men he had stuffed with rum, "don't go—I want you." There will be two sets of delegates to the Senatorial convention.

The Republicans will gain a number of votes in this Ward this fall.—BOB.

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Burlington.

Our summer residents are leaving us and returning to their winter homes.

Rev. C. F. Hersey returns to Andover this week. He will come here to preach every Sunday as usual.

Mr. W. E. Carter who has suffered so many times from depredations of thieves who have a taste for trout has lately had a valuable dog stolen from him.

The Young Peoples' Society held a very pleasant sociable in the church parlor Wednesday evening. This society is growing in numbers and influence and is already a means of great benefit to our young people.

MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

BAPTIST—At 10 30 a. m. preaching; at 12 m. Sunday School; at 5.45 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.; at 7. m. Prayer and praise service led by the preacher of the day. Wednesday evening prayer service.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Doing and Believing." Young peoples meeting at 6 p. m. At 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Flight of Moses from Egypt to Midian." The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST.—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. E. P. Telford. Subject: "The Remarkable sermon of an old preacher." At 3 p. m. preaching by Evangelist. Subject: "How to be Saved." At 6 p. m. Epworth League meeting; at 7 p. m. preaching. Subject: "The Two Brothers who went borrowing and how they succeeded. Meetings every evening during the week, Saturday excepted at 7.30 p. m.

Died.

Date, name, and age, inserted free; all other notices 10 cents a line.

In this city, Sept. 8, Terrence E. McGrath, aged 58 years.

In this city, Sept. 13, Mary Doherty, aged 60 years, 7 months.

In this city, Sept. 14, Elizabeth Doerley, aged 1 year, 9 months, 13 days.

In East Amherst, Mass., Sept. 16, Miss Sallie Bond Hosmer, formerly of North Woburn, aged 71 years.

In Webster, Me., Sept. 12, Mrs. Emily M. Wright, daughter of Levi and Lydia Teel of Woburn, aged 55 years and 4 months.

Boston Theatres.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

Guy Carlton's great success "Ye Earlie Trouble" is drawing large crowds at the Museum and will be the attraction until further notice. The treatment of war and comedy, the stealing of his Majesty's Statue to mould into bullets and Geo. Wilson's impersonation of Ebenezer Buck are some of the leading features that make this play such a success. The play is one of Mr. Carleton's best and is one of the most exciting plays seen at the Museum for years.

PARK THEATRE.

"Cold Molasses" is still winning each race in Neil Burgess' popular play "County Fair." Standing room only is the placard to be seen nightly.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Denman Thompson plays each night to crowded houses and "The Old Homestead" at Swanzy seems more realistic than ever. Several weeks more will hardly satisfy the patrons from present indications.

HOLLIS THEATRE.

This week closes a successful two week's engagement of "Blue Jeans." Monday night Wm. H. Crane in "The Senator" will be here for one week and probably the last time in Boston of this play. Mr. Crane will receive a hearty welcome. The cast includes Messrs. Neil, Frawley, Bergman and Misses Russell, Florence and Foster and others equally popular. "The Senator" is one of Messrs. Floyd & Rosenfeld's Comedies and is under the direction of Mr. Joseph Brooks and will surely draw full houses.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Saturday matinee and evening closes a successful engagement of "Stepdaughter." Next Monday Mr. D. K. Higgins powerful melodrama "Kidnapped" comes to the Grand Opera House and Boston for the first time. It presents realistic pictures of the slums, the home and street and holds the audience so closely that one could not find a dull moment from beginning to end. The play is elaborately mounted, the abduction of the handsome young lady, the patrol wagon filled with police, and drawn by a pair of blooded horses are only a part of the attractions in this realistic production.

THE GLOBE.

"The Power of the Press" has won great success during its run at the Globe and will continue one week more. There are many features of this American melodrama which are worthy of more than passing notice. The hero through drink is falsely accused sent to prison and upon his return is shunned by his former friends, but through the efforts of his faithful wife sets about to prove his innocence which he does and again establishes his honor before the world. The scenic effects add greatly to the situations and make it seem real and it is indeed wonderful and a great success.

TREMONT THEATRE.

"A Texas Steer" opened a two weeks engagement at the Tremont on Monday evening and was received by rounds of applause and a full house. Mr. Hoyt, the author, was loudly called for at the close of the third act. He responded with a short speech thanking one and all for the compliment paid him. The election of the Texas Congressman, his life in Washington, and adventures with bummers, negro office-seekers, and finally with a set of ruffianly politicians who come on from Texas to investigate him are only a few of his trying positions and keep the audience in the best of humor from beginning to end.

WINCHESTER.

A. S. Hull wants to go to the Legislature.

Main street has got to be widened sure pop.

The High School opened last week with 123 pupils.

Contrary to all expectations Mr. Arthur Nichols is very nearly well again.

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in the course of a week or so.

The Unterrified of this town will hold a caucus this, Friday, evening in Town Hall to choose delegates to the various conventions.

Abijah Thompson and wife, after enjoying the summer at the beach very much, have returned their pleasant home in this village for the season.

Mrs. Herrick's cat has found more than her match for size in one at Wakefield. In view of which the *Star* mournfully sighs:

"I never loved
A dear Gazelle," etc.

The Congregational church's big new organ will be dedicated on this, Friday, evening, by a grand concert in the church, at which Mr. S. B. Whitney will be the organist. A male quartet will sing.

If the JOURNAL knows of anyone in Woburn who would like to buy a balky horse it had better send him down here to buy the animal that is supposed to haul the engine to fires, but don't. That critter's contrariness will cost this town 40 times more than his head is worth one of theee days.

The *Star* didn't tear its hair so much over Lawyer McCall for Representative last week as it did the week before. Sometimes that sort of a thing is overdone. See Boston *Record* on Crapo. The *Star* means well, but it wants to go just a little mite slower—that's all. No doubt Lawyer McCall will get there, but some of our folks would prefer Dr. Geo. P. Brown.

Boston *Journal:* Samuel J. Elder, Esq., was among the happy arrivals on the Cephalonia at this port yesterday. A moment's chat with him as he was making his way from the boat to Young's Hotel gave assurance that his trip abroad had been thoroughly satisfactory. He was in fine health and spirits, pleased with what he had seen and better satisfied than ever with what he had returned to, as becomes a genuine American.

Boston *Herald:* Edmund H. Garrett now makes his home in Winchester, near the borders of Mystic pond. Winchester is one of the most picturesquely situated towns in the neighborhood of Boston, and is rich in woodland, water and pastoral scenery of the kind that painters delight in. There is considerable architecture in the town that takes its place charmingly in with the landscape in a semi-rural English kind of way—as, for instance, the town hall with its fine tower viewed from the bridge over the Aberjona river, reflecting itself in the calm water; also, the pretty little Episcopal Chapel on the banks of the stream beside another bridge. J. Foxcroft Cole had his home in Winchester for several years in a beautiful house on a bluff overlooking Mystic pond.

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CITY OF WOBURN.

Assessors' Notice.

SEPTEMBER, 15, 1891.

The Assessors will be in session at their Room, Municipal Building, **the 29th and 30th days of September, and the 1st day of October, 1891,** from 3 to 5 and 7.30 to 10, P. M., to receive applications for assessments from all persons not already assessed, for their polls, personal and real estates under the provisions of Sects. 14, 15, 16 and 17, Chapter 423, Acts of 1890.

No application will be received after October 1, 1891.

WILLIAM T. GRAMMER,
JOHN FERGUSON,
ELIPHAZ PRIOR,
Assessors of Woburn.

CITY OF WOBURN.

Office of the Clerk of Committees.

The Joint Special Committee on Highland School Building will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of the old Highland School Building and of the lot of land at the N. E. corner of Highland and South streets, containing 14,182 square feet. Bids may be for both building and land together or, for either separately; and a proposition to purchase one-half the land will be entertained. Proposals should be directed to the undersigned endorsed "Proposal for purchase of Highland School Building, etc." Proposals for the purchase of the building must be received at this office by Saturday, Sept. 26, 1891, at 7.00, P. M.

By order of the Committee,
EDWARD H. LOUNSBURY, Clerk.
Woburn, 17 September, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John Dunnigan, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Bryan McSweeney who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of September in year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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Per order District Committee,
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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law next of kin, and all other persons interested in the Estate of Weltha L. Brooks, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by William J. Maxwell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth Tuesday of September instant, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Andrew M. Faden, late of Woburn in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Elizabeth B. Faden of Woburn who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week for three successive weeks in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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Text of the Lesson, John x, 1-16—Commit Verses, 14-16—Golden Text, Ps. xxiii, 1—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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1. "Verily, verily, I say unto you."

These great and most emphatic words occur so often (some twenty-five times in this gospel) that the careless reader is apt to slight them instead of attaching to them the importance which they deserve. "Verily" is "Amen," and carries us back to Isa. lxv, 16, where we read of "the God of Truth" or "the God Amen" (R. V., margin). "I say unto you" is equal to the "Thus saith the Lord" of the prophets.

"He that entereth not by the door into the sheepfold, but climbeth up some other way, the same is a thief and a robber."

2. "But he that entereth in by the door is the shepherd of the sheep."

3. "To him the porter openeth, and the sheep hear his voice; and he calleth his own sheep by name and leadeth them out."

The porter is the Lord the Spirit, the third person of the Blessed Trinity, who opens the heart to the Lord Jesus and His message as He opened the heart of Lydia (Acts xvi, 14); and who also opens doors for the followers of Jesus (Acts xiv, 27; Cor. xvi, 9; II Cor. ii, 12). His own sheep who hear His voice are those that are truly His, not having merely a name to live, but having life indeed, having sincerely received Himself as their life. As to calling His own sheep by name, see Ex. xxxiii, 12, 17, and Isa. xlii, 1; and remember how He spoke to Simon and Nathaniel and Lazarus and Mary, calling each by name (John i, 42, 47; xi, 43; xx, 16).

4. "And when He putteth forth His own sheep, He goeth before them, and the sheep follow Him, for they know His voice."

He does not drive them out, but He leadeth them out. He does not ask His sheep to go where He has not gone Himself, nor to do what He Himself has not done.

5. "And a stranger will they not follow, but will flee from him; for they know not the voice of strangers."

The stranger is the thief and robber of verse 1, the shepherds that feed themselves of Ezek. xxxiv, 2, or the idol shepherds of Zach. xi, 17

6. "This parable spake Jesus unto them, but they understood not what things they were which He spake unto them."

Even the disciples understood not many of His sayings (John xii, 16; Luke xviii, 34; Mark ix, 32), so that He had to say to them, "Are ye also yet without understanding? Do not ye yet understand?" (Math. xv, 16, 17). The secret of understanding is simply hearing and believing (Math. xv, 10; Heb. xi, 3) without reasoning or questioning.

7. "Then said Jesus unto them again, Verily, verily, I say unto you, I am the door of the sheep."

He is the door by which the sheep enter the fold, for no one can come to the Father but by Him, and there is none other name given under Heaven among men whereby we must be saved (John xiv, 6; Acts iv, 12).

8. "All that ever came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not hear them."

He could not possibly refer to such as Moses and the prophets who were before Him in the sense of antecedent to Him, for they were sent by Him and were His faithful witnesses, but the word "before" sometimes signifies "instead of" or "in preference to," as when God said, "Thou shalt have no other gods before me" (Ex. xx, 3).

9. "I am the door, by me if any man enter in he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture."

He is not only the entrance to Life and to the Kingdom, but He is the only entrance, and He is an entrance wide open, inviting and entreating all to enter in. Any one, whosoever will, may enter with the assurance of being made welcome (John vi, 37; Rev. xxii, 17).

10. "The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy; I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly."

The thief or stranger or false prophet is well described in Ezek. xxxiv, and elsewhere in the prophets. His aim is always selfish; he speaks to please the king and the people, that he may have their favor and receive their wealth, or he oppresses that he may enrich himself.

11. "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd giveth His life for the sheep."

He is also called the Great Shepherd and the Chief Shepherd (Heb. xiii, 20; I Pet. ii, 25). Instead of killing and destroying for His own benefit, like the thief, He suffers Himself to be killed for others.

12. "But he that is an hireling, and not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth, and the wolf catcheth them and scattereth the sheep."

Hireling and wolf are all one with thief and robber—that is, they are all on the side of the enemy, and against the sheep and the Good Shepherd. "He that is not with me is against me, and he that gathereth not with me scattereth abroad" (Math. xii, 30).

13. "The hireling fleeth, because he is an hireling, and careth not for the sheep."

He cares only for his hire, as if a minister should think more of his salary than of the souls committed to his care.

14. "I am the good shepherd, and know my sheep and am known of mine."

This is the essential theme of the whole discourse. The under shepherds may receive into the church many who are not His, and may fail to gather in many who are His. "Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal, The Lord knoweth them that are His."

15. "As the Father knoweth me, even so know I the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep."

At another time He said, "No man knoweth the Son but the Father; neither knoweth any man the Father save the Son, and he to whomsoever the Son will reveal Him" (Math. xi, 27). He dwells much upon the oneness of the Father and Himself, and also upon the oneness of believers with the Father and Himself. If we but grasped this great truth more fully we would be more ready to lay down our lives for the brethren, as we are taught in I John iii, 16. See how He repeats again and again the fact of His laying down His life for the sheep; and in chapter xv, 13, He tells us that this is the greatest possible love of man to man. But in Rom. v, 8, the Spirit by Paul calls our attention to the fact that God's love is so far beyond ours that He died for sinners.

16. "And other sheep I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice; and there shall be one fold and one shepherd."

He is speaking to Jews, but His heart goes out to the Gentiles yet to be gathered to form the great company out of all kindreds and peoples and tongues and nations.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 *Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

The *Herald* prints conspicuously a comunication attempting to discredit the existence of American tin plate industry, but it makes no attempt to explain how it is that if the tin plate industry is a myth, we are enormously increasing our imports of pig tin, as was stated in its columns the other day.

THE CALF ON THE LAWN.

I'm goin to hitch this 'ere young caff out here
in my front lawn;
He'll stay right here an chaw the grass till the
hull thing is chawn;
He'll chaw thet corner off today until he's et it
bare;
Fermorrer I will move his stake an he'll chaw
over there.

Looks bad, yer say, to see a caff out in a man's
front yard,
An blattin like a barnyard on this stylish boolevard;
But that air caff shall eat that grass until I get
him fat,
An if he feels like blattin, w'y, I reckon he
will blat.

W'en I fust took my farm out here this wuz a
country road;
Across the way wuz parstchure lan, ware
huckleberries growed.
My caff wuz then hitched in my yard fer the
hull town's inspection,
An no darn enterprisin dood cum roun to
make objection.

W'en this road growed a village street my caff
wuz in the yard,
An now the street it swells 'ith style—a city
boolevard,
But I will hitch this 'ere young caff out here in
my front lawn;
He'll stay right here an chaw the grass till the
hull thing is chawn.

You say the way I carry on makes the hull city
laff,
Wall, let 'em laff; this ere's my lawn an this
'ere is my caff.
An things hez reached the purtiest pass the
worl' hez ever sawn
Ef an ol' duff can't let his caff chaw grass on
his own lawn.

Wall, let 'em laff; this 'ere young caff shall stay
here anyhow,
An if I hear 'em laff too hard I'll trot out the
old cow.
I'll hitch 'em both to the same stake right here
in my front lawn,
An let 'em stay an chaw the grass till the hull
thing is chawn!

—S. W. Foss in Yankee Blade.

She Was Awfully Tired.

The car was pretty well filled, but the bright faced miss who tripped in with her music roll and parcels managed somehow to squeeze in beside an old colored man, who, half asleep, opened his eyes for a moment and then slept right on. Whether it was the warm weather, or the lulling speed of the car, or the remembrance of dreamy music, or of cleverly concluded bargains cannot be determined, but this is certain, that the young lady fell beautifully asleep, and gently her head rested on the shoulder of the old colored man.

The passengers began to get out in a little while, and presently the two sleepers were the only occupants of their side of the car. How sweetly they slumbered, and how sympathetically the observer smiled until it became irresistible, and the smile broke into a laugh, and the laugh into the old fellow's dreams, and his great hand slipped and fell upon her little one, and she awoke. Her face was a study. —Washington Post.

The Emperor as a Business Manager.

When I think of the emperor as the business manager of a practical political corporation I am constantly inclined to look for the key to his success and popularity in Germany by quoting the laconic opinion of him expressed by an American officer who was presented to him for the first time at the Baltic maneuvers in 1890. He came away from his audience flushed with excitement, and I expected a vigorous report from the fact that this officer had been drawing his impressions of Germany principally from Paris and St. Petersburg.

"What do you think of him now?" I said.

"Immense; he has a genuine Yankee head on him."

It only need be added that this compliment was the highest in the court vocabulary of my fellow countryman.—Poultney Bigelow in Century.

A Sermon That Stopped a Horse.

The late Archbishop Tait, of Canterbury, once made an effective use of a sermon. Driving down Holloway hill he was confronted by a runaway horse, with a heavy dray, making straight for his carriage. He threw a sermon in its face. The horse was so bewildered by the fluttering leaves that it swerved and paused, the driver regained control, the sermon was picked up, and the bishop proceeded on his way. "I don't know," he said to his companion, the present Archbishop of York, "whether my sermon did any good to the congregation, but it was of considerable service to myself."—San Francisco Argonaut.

How a Caterpillar Eats.

The caterpillar feeds with two saw-edged jaws, working transversely, and uses them to such good advantage that he eats three or four times his own weight every day. Toads, tortoises, turtles and most lizards have no teeth. Frogs have teeth in their upper jaws only. Anteaters, sloths and armadillos have no teeth.—New York World.

Masks for the face are made of asbestos. It is said that the heat from the hottest fire cannot penetrate through them to the skin. Air for breathing is supplied through a tube from beneath the mask, so that the flame or the burned atmosphere is not inhaled. In this way the discomfort of working directly in front of retorts and furnaces is greatly relieved.

People who through accident are obliged to use a glass eye should have one for night and one for day use. The pupil of the natural eye is smaller by day than by night. A glass eye that looks all right during business hours gives the wearer an uncanny appearance at night.

In the Portuguese settlement of Ambriz, Africa, the seeds of the custard apple are strung upon thread for necklaces; and in the Kew museum are rosaries made of olive seeds and other fruit stones.

Are Dogs Afraid of Ghosts?

"Perhaps you are not aware," said a young lawyer to the scribe, "that dogs and horses are as much afraid of ghosts and other uncanny or mysterious things as are the most timid of the human race. I proved it one time on two dogs, at any rate. Not long after the war the negroes were so bad about our place in Kentucky that it was with difficulty that we could keep our belongings on our place. Every other method having failed I finally hit upon the plan of frightening them by appearing before them dressed as a ghost is said to habilitate itself.

"Of course, the negroes were successfully frightened away from us, but upon one occasion I also frightened our two watch dogs as badly as any negro ever was frightened by ghostly apparition. The dogs were fierce fellows, and would allow no stranger or strange thing on the place; but one moonlight night they came upon me in spectral attire. The dog that first caught a glimpse of me just humped up his back until all four of his feet covered not more than six square inches of Kentucky soil. His eyes stood out and his hair stood up, and he began moving backward, never for an instant taking his eyes off my figure.

"His companion came up, went through the same movement, and both began backing cautiously from me. And as long as I could see them they put distance between us in that way. A few moments later I heard them barking at home, half a mile distant. They had taken refuge under the house, and it was four days before we could coax them out again."—Charleston Democrat.

Hard to Swallow.

The teller of "tall stories" generally finds his rebuke awaiting him in an intelligent company. On one occasion, when several physicians had met, the conversation ran to the subject of the extraordinary things which a human being might swallow and still live.

The familiar stories about swallowing silver dollars, sets of false teeth, and so forth, had been related, when Dr. Longbow began to speak.

"Two years ago," he said, "I was called in great haste to attend a carpenter in my town, though the message said that the man was beyond doubt already dead, for he had, while holding a large gimlet in his mouth at his work, suddenly been taken with a fit of hiccoughs and swallowed the gimlet.

"But when I arrived at the man's house I found him very comfortable. The gimlet, gentlemen, gave him no trouble at all to digest."

There was silence for a moment. Presently one of the other doctors remarked:

"With you for his physician, Longbow, the man was lucky that it was only a gimlet that he undertook to swallow."

"What do you mean?"

"Why, if he had tried to swallow one of your stories it would have choked him to death."—Youth's Companion.

A Laconic Correspondence.

It is said that the celebrated German theologian Schleiermacher was rather inclined to save than to spend money.

He was at one time quite ill, and sent for a renowned physician, Dr. Grafe, who was court physician at the time, and whose son became the great oculist.

Schleiermacher recovered, and when fully restored to health he sent a polite note to Dr. Grafe, expressing his gratitude and inclosing four louis d'or, begging the physician to accept this small sum as a token of his appreciation of the services which had been rendered him.

The following day he received his gold pieces again, accompanied by the following laconic note from the great physician, "The poor I cure for nothing; the well to do pay me according to the regular 'medicine tax'; the rich reward me lavishly, according as it suits their pleasure!"

Thereupon the clergyman sat down and sent Dr. Grafe this still more laconic answer:

"The four louis d'or are received back with gratitude. The poor Schleiermacher!"—Exchange.

A Somnambulist the Thief.

A somnambulist story comes from Georgia. The somnambulist mysteriously lost four suits of clothing, one after the other, and his son, unknown to the father, thought he would set a trap for the thief. Invariably the thefts were committed at night. So the son hid himself in the room. The thief came, but it proved to be the father himself. He got out of bed, dressed himself, walked down to the river, and after placing his garments in the hollow of a tree, took a swim; finishing, he couldn't remember where he had put his clothing, and so returned home without it, all this while being asleep, and even not awakening on tumbling into bed again. It was in this manner that he had lost all four suits.—Philadelphia Ledger.

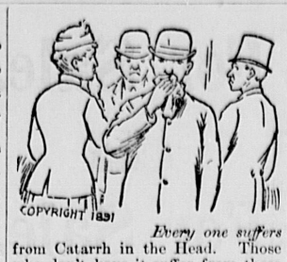
Calls for Domestic Animals.

In controlling the movements of domestic animals by the voice, besides words of ordinary import, man uses a variety of peculiar terms, calls and inarticulate sounds—not to include whistling—which varies in different localities. In driving yoked cattle and harnessed horses teamsters cry "get up" (usually "git ep"), "click, click" (tongue against the teeth), "gee," "haw," "whoa" or "wo," "whash," "back," etc. All of the above are used in English speaking countries. In Continental Europe the same terms are expressed as "arre," "arri," "juh," "jahi," "gio," etc.—St. Louis Republic.

Take Warning

And don't let the germs of that vile disease, catarrh, take root and flourish in your system. Sulphur Bitters will prevent this and make you strong and healthy.—*Editor Weekly Press.*

Should the telephone girl wear "yeller" shoes in summer?



Every one suffers from Catarrh in the Head. Those who don't have it suffer from those who do. It's a disease you can't keep to yourself.

Here are some of the symptoms: Headache, obstruction of nose, discharges falling into throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acrid, at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody, putrid, and offensive; eyes weak, ringing in ears, deafness; offensive breath; smell and taste impaired, and general debility. But only a few of these likely to be present at once.

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Some Habits of the People in the Bahamas.

There are about 10,000 people in Nassau, three-fourths black, and of the 7,500 blacks you see about 7,000 on the streets every day. They are nearly all barefoot, though some of the old women shuffle along with their toes stuck in slippers, and now and then a proud young girl limps along in shoes. They carry their parcels on the top of their heads.

They do not sing or chant on the streets, but they do a great deal of shouting at one another. Conversation usually begins when the participants therein are about a block apart, and continues uninterrupted till the same distance, or perhaps a block and a half, has been put between them by their slow and lazy footsteps.

The conversations are usually accompanied by a strange swinging of the hands. The gestures are not definite or emphatic—nothing is in the Bahamas but the bite of the mosquitoes—and are not often belligerent. What their meaning is no one can find out.

This aimless swinging of the arms and hands is a peculiar characteristic of the negroes here. Even while alone, standing or walking in the street, with heads down and apparently unconscious of what they are doing, fully one-half of the adults move their hands and arms about, spreading their fingers and working the wrist joints almost constantly. Even the policemen, who are all colored and great dandies in the white uniforms and helmets, have the same habit.—Cor. Chicago Herald.

She Didn't Want Much.

Among the arrivals on a Hamburg ship recently were a German widow and her seven china eyed, flaxen haired stair steps. Being turned over by the authorities to a German paternal society of the city, the widow complacently sat down upon their temporary weekly allowance, awaiting its evolution by the most natural laws into a permanent weekly allowance. The German Ladies' Aid society appointed a committee to wait upon her Hamburgian majesty and propose some plan of reasonable investment on the part of the society whereby the widow could undertake the support of herself and family. She listened amiably to their propositions of a cow, a goat, a washerwoman's outfit, but evidently demurred at such humble walks through American life. Finally, being asked to suggest something, this is what she said:

"Ef you blease, laties, dis is wot I tinks. I tinks ef you laties would so gute be, dat you call a wisit upon de mayor of New Yorruk, und ask would he so gute be dat he gif me but one of dose so many stfreet cars dat on de Broadway strasse run—I kann meinselb de horses make to go, und I will meinselb see dat you gute laties wot have so helped me gute, must no money pay for riten. I kann much money maken von so many man dat rite all de day in my stfreet car."—New York World.

Shirt and Pigtail.

A correspondent sends to The Youth's Companion a copy of a letter written by an English sailor on his return from an India voyage. It is dated "Warren Hastings, East Indiaman, off Gravesend, March 14, 1813." One thought was uppermost in the writer's mind, as will be perceived by the hastiest reader.

DEAR BROTHER TOM—This cums hoppin to find you in good health, as it leaves me safe anchor'd here yesterday after a pleasant voyage, doable short and few squalls.

Dear Tom—Hopes to find poor old father stout, and am quite out of pigtail. Sights of pigtail at Gravesend, but unfortunately not fit for a dog to chor. Dear Tom—Captain's boy will bring you this, and put pigtail in his pocket when bort. Best in Lannon at the black boy in seven diles, where go acks for the best pigtail, pound of pigtail will do and am short of shirts, only took two whereof one is wored out, and t'other most, but don't forget the pigtail, as I 'aven't 'ad a quid to chor since a Thursday.

Dear Tom—as for shirts, yer size will do only longer, I like 'em long—get one at present—best at Tower Hill, and cheap—But be particler to go to 7 diles at the black boy for the pigtail, and dear Tom—acks for pound of best pigtail, and let it be good—captain's boy will put the pigtail in his pocket Boy likes pigtail so ty it up strong.

But dear Tom, shall be up on Monday, there or there-abouts—according not so particler about the shirt, as the present can be washed, but dont forget the pigtail without fail, and so am your loving brother. T. P.

P. S.—be sure you dont forget the PIGTAIL.

Small Change in Plenty.

A well dressed and not bad looking woman, with a small handbag, rushed into up town shops and stores the other day for "just one cent to make up five cents for car fare." She took it systematically, and nearly everybody she came across responded to her appeal. A group of gentlemen in a cigar store each contributed a penny—all but one. He said apologetically that he was sorry, but that he had nothing less than half a dollar.

"I can change it," she said promptly.

The three men opened their eyes, but she saw her bad break at the same moment and slipped away with a faint smile creeping up from behind her ears. —New York Herald.

A Mushroom Caterpillar.

New Zealand sends large quantities of mushrooms to San Francisco and also to Hong Kong. The Chinese eat it, use it for medicine, and make a fine dye out of it. One remarkable species grows out of the body of a large caterpillar, practically converting the animal into a vegetable.—Indianapolis Journal.

A Warning to the Supersensitive.

Primary—What did you do that she should leave you on the wedding tour and return to her father?

Secundus—I kept the promise she exacted of me that we should not be taken for a newly married couple.—New York Epoch.

No one doubts that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy really cures Catarrh, whether the disease be recent or of long standing, because the makers of it clinch their faith in it with a $500 guarantee, which isn't a mere newspaper guarantee, but "on call" in a moment. That moment is when you prove that its makers can't cure you. The reason for their faith is this: Dr. Sage's remedy has proved itself the right cure for ninety-nine out of one hundred cases of Catarrh in the Head, and the World's Dispensary Medical Association can afford to take the risk of you being the one hundredth.

The only question is—are you willing to make the test, if the makers are willing to take the risk? If so, the rest is easy. You pay your druggist 50 cents and the trial begins. If you're wanting the $500 you'll get something better—*a cure!*

Bolivar (an enthusiastic advocate of cremation)—"I wrote the Cremation Company last week asking them to file my formal application to be cremated." Van Dyke—"Ah! Did you recieve a reply?" Bolivar—"Oh, yes. They told me to come early and avoid the rush."

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NOT MOURNING FOR THE BUFFALO.

A Retired Army Officer Who Sees No Reason for Lamenting Him.

The disappearance of the buffalo has been the fruitful occasion of much unreasonable sentiment. Men who never saw a buffalo except in a menagerie are especially given to lamentation. An eastern paper recently gave up a column or more to one of the mourners who sorrowed with much satisfaction because of the disappearance of large game from the face of the earth. The sad fate of the hippopotamus, the rhinoceros and other useful quadrupeds is often bemoaned, but the American bison comes in for the largest amount of cheap sympathy. Those who enjoyed the personal acquaintance of great numbers of buffalo are not numbered among the eulogists.

A retired army officer, who in his day saw much service on what was called "the plains," said the other day: "I am tolerably familiar with the buffalo and feel justified in saying that one might with equal sense lament the disappearance of the bobtail car. When I first struck the plains those animals bounded and abounded in countless numbers. I remember that once when marching down the Republican valley for miles we passed a herd of the enormous bovines moving up the same valley.

"They traveled about three miles an hour and we about four, and yet, though going in opposite directions, we were over six hours in passing the herd, which almost filled the valley. Any one who feels that he is a born mathematician can figure out how long that herd was. Compute it for yourself. The heard averaged, I would think, about 300 yards in width. Quite a large aggregation of tough beef, wasn't it?

"Hunting the buffalo was never sport; a plainsman never did it except for food and hides. Occasionally some English tourist or all around Nimrod would come out west armed with a complete arsenal of rifles and shotguns of the most cumbersome make and elaborate finish. He would proceed to butcher a few stupid bulls, have the hides carefully dressed and, I presume, exhibit them with appropriate blood curdling yarns in the halls of his ancestors.

"I think that with the exception of a few sentimentalists and naturalists, few see any reason to regret that the buffalo no longer cumbers the earth. He required about three times the acreage an American steer does for subsistence, his meat was tough and flavorless, his robe not half as good as a Minnesota blanket and five times as heavy, and his habits were inconsistent with a settled country. No, we might as sensibly lament the loss of the trees that once stood where now are fields of corn and wheat. The buffalo served his purpose, fulfilled his destiny, and has simply, like other things of the earth, passed away in the Lord's good time."—Kansas City Times.

Where She Could Hear the Clock Tick.

Bertha is a blue eyed little German girl from Gotham court who had never before seen the grass and the trees. Bertha has a poet soul in that squat, sturdy body of hers. "I never saw a child like her," said the good woman of the farm where the child had staid. And it is very likely such children are not common.

"Was it very strange in the country?" I asked her.

"I could hear the clock tick all the time," answered the child.

Go down to Gotham court and you will understand that. All day there is the long rumble of the city's streets. Sometimes the sound is loud and smites sharply on the nerves; sometimes it is heavy and dull, or pierced through with the cries of men and of little children. Can you think what it would be to live where you could never be sure that you heard the sound of your timepiece, and to come to hold it as the strangest of surprises that you could "hear the clock tick all the time?"—Harper's Bazar.

The First Friction Matches.

The first really practicable friction matches were made by an English apothecary named Walker in 1827. He coated splints of cardboard with sulphur and tipped them with a mixture of sulphate of antimony, chlorate of potash and gum. Each box, holding eighty-four matches and sold for one shilling, contained also a folded piece of glass paper, which was to be pressed together while the match was drawn through it.

Three years later another ingenious person named Jones, in London, patented the idea of making a small roll of paper, soaked with chlorate of potash and sugar at one end, with a thin glass globule filled with strong sulphuric acid attached at the same point. When the sulphuric acid was liberated by pinching the globule it acted upon the chlorate of potash and sugar so as to produce fire.—Washington Star.

Only Half Correct.

Matthew Arnold, next to Whistler, was, perhaps, the most colossal egotist of his time. After his return to London from his first lecturing tour in this country, he visited old Mrs. Proctor, widow of the poet "Barry Cornwall" and mother of Adelaide Proctor. Mrs. Proctor, who was then eighty years old, in giving Mr. Arnold a cup of tea, asked him, "And what did they say about you in America?" "Well," said the literary autocrat, "they said I was conceited, and they said my clothes did not fit me." "Well, now," said the old lady, "I think they were mistaken as to the clothes."—San Francisco Argonaut.

HOW CROWS CATCH CRABS.

Watching Patiently for These Delicate Shellfish for a Meal.

Fishermen in Havre de Grace at the mouth of the Susquehanna river, tell amusing stories of the way crows catch crabs and prepare them for eating. When the crows first come in the spring they visit the streams connecting bay and ponds every morning looking for crabs. They commonly arrive before crabs begin running, but the crows exhibit great patience, sometimes waiting ten or fifteen days.

The crows scan the stream from small tree tops or mounds of sand. Others stand on the banks of the rivulet with heads cocked sidewise and an eye staring at the water. When the crabs begin running the crows dive into the water from any coign of vantage near by, clutch the crab, soar into the air and drop their prey with great precision on the stone covered beach which fringes the bay. By this means the crabs are reduced to pulp, and the crows, with much wing flapping and discordant cawing, voraciously bolt the meat.

Captain Tom Carroll, of Chincoteague, says he once saw five crows teasing a crab. One of the birds caught and carried it to a big dry sandbar. There it was put down. The crow's cawing brought five of his tribe. They pulled it about, turned it upon its back and fumed over it. These gymnastics were accompanied by hoarse chattering and a gurgling sound, which Carroll avers was laughter. To vary the sport they would make believe to fly away, but dropped softly to the sand forty or fifty feet off.

From that point the dusky quartet of practical jokers kept their eyes intently fixed on the crab rolling along in the direction of the water, a hundred yards away. The crows, without a sound, craned their necks watching their hard shell victim flopping laboriously through the soft, dry sand. Suddenly they broke into a wild chorus of caws and made after the crab. One picked it up and soared away to the beach, followed by his fellows. There he was dropped to death and the crows flew away to their roost.—New York Recorder.

The Telephone Has Made Them Stout.

The telephone is more used in Honolulu than any other place. There are two rival companies in the island, and the rates are so cut that every soda water stand has its telephone, and the marketing is all done over the wire. Even railway trains are started by telephone, and men use their legs as little as possible, now that the facilities for verbal intercourse enable them to avoid to a considerable extent the inconveniences of a hot climate.

An English electrical engineer who has been engaged in making a series of surveys in the island says that the introduction of the telephone has had a somewhat ludicrous sequel. The ladies, who were wont to do their marketing with more energy than could be looked for in such a warm climate, now stay at home and send their orders by telephone, and the business men to a great extent follow suit. The consequence is that there is a marked accession of avoirdupois among the better classes of the community, male and female. This phenomenon, which is vouched for as a fact, can be easily understood when the cessation of accustomed exercise is taken into consideration.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Future of Silk.

The days of the excessive costliness of silk have gone by, and the probability is that in the next few years large additions will be made to the silk producing area of the world. Southern California, many parts of the southern states, the West Indies, Mexico, Central America, the northern part of South America and large districts in Africa are excellently well suited to the growth and development of the worm, as well as of the mulberry on which it feeds, and in not a few localities arrangements are now being made, both in this and other countries, by planting mulberry groves to prepare for silk culture. Good silk is still costly enough, but the change in price from the time when Leicester imported his famous breeches to that of the present day augurs well for a still further reduction in the future.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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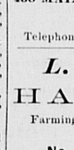

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Ever made by the hand above;
A woman's heart, and a woman's life,
And a woman's wonderful love?
Do you know you have asked for that priceless thing
As a child might ask for a toy,
Demanding what others have died to win,
With the reckless dash of a boy?

You have written my lesson of duty out,
Men like you have questioned me,
Now stand at the door of my woman's soul,
Until I shall question thee.
You required your mutton shall always be hot,
Your socks and your shirts be whole;
I require your heart to be as true as God's stars,
And as pure as is heaven your soul.

You require a cook for your mutton and beef;
I require a much greater thing;
A seamstress *you're* wanting for socks and shirts;
I look for a man and a king—
A king for the beautiful realm called Home,
And a man that his Maker, God,
Shall look upon as He did on the first
And says: "It is very good!"

I am fair and young, but the rose will fade
From my soft young cheek one day;
Will you love me then, 'mid the falling leaves,
As you did 'mid blossoms of May?
Is your heart an ocean, so strong and deep,
I may launch my all on its tide?
A loving woman finds heaven or hell,
The day she becomes a bride.

I require all things that are grand and true,
All things that a man should be;
If you give me this all I would stake my life
To be all you demand of me.
If you cannot be this—A laundress and a cook
You can hire—and little to pay;
But a woman's heart and a woman's life
Are not to be won that way.

WAS MARRIAGE A FAILURE?

Vas marriage a failure? Vell, now dot depends
Altogeddher on how you look at id, mine friends,
Like dhose double-horse teams dot you see at der traces;
Eef dhey don't pool togeddher rightd off at der shtart
Ten dimes oudt off nine dhey vas beddher apart.

Vas marriage a failure? Der vote vas in doubt;
Dhose dot's oudt vould be in, dhose dot's in vould be oudt;
Der man mit exberience, goot look und dash
Gets a wife mit five hundred doussand in cash,
Built after der honeymoon, vhere vas der honey?
She haf der exberience—he haf der money.

Vas marriage a failure? Eef dot was der case
Vot vas to pecome off der whole human race?
Vot you dink dot der oldt "Pilgrim faders" vould say,
Dot came in der Sunflower to oldt Plymouth Bay,
To see der fine coundry dis peoples haf got,
And dhen hear dhem ask sooch conondhrums as dot?

Vas marriage a failure? Shust go, ere you tell,
To dot Bunker Mon Hillament, vhere Varren fell,
Dink off Washington, Franklin and "Honest Old Abe"—
Dhey vas all been aroundt since dot first Plymouth babe.
I vas only a Deutscher, budt I dells you vot!
I pelief, every dime, in sooch "failures" as dot.

Vas marriage a failure? I ask my Katrine,
Und she look off me so dot I feels pretty mean.
Dhen she say: "Meester Straus, shust come here, eef you blease."
Und she dake me vhere Yawcob und Icedie Lorenzo
By dher shnug trundle bed vas shust saying dheir prayer,
Und she say, mit a smile:—"Vas dhere some fail' ures dhere?"

—*Charles Follen Adamc.*

A YOUNG MAN SAVED.

Julius May was a lawyer—that is, he was going to be one—it spending more or less hours every day in Reed & Tappen's offices could produce the arranged-for result. At first the prospect had been pleasant enough to him, but a course of winter amusements in New York must have some effect in Mr. May's case had not been, in a legal sense, satisfactory.

Music and drama, libraries bound in Russia, instead of calf; fine ladies and fancy balls, London tailors and Fifth avenue boarding houses—these, and many other splendid things, had become very agreeable to the newly-fledged exquisite. But his little fortune was rapidly disappearing, and his little salary was so extremely small that it was scarcely worth counting as a means toward these desired results.

What must he do? He had asked himself this question almost every hour lately, and had never got but one answer—"Marry!" At first he had met the suggestion with a negative shrug, and a muttered "Nonsense!" but it had come back every time with a more persuasive appearance. Finally, one cold, windy night in March, he determined to devote an hour or two to a consideration of his chances in the matrimonial market. After a careful and honest review, he was compelled to admit that among all the rich and splendid girls whom he had habitually spoken of as crazy about him, only two were likely to be crazy enough to entertain the thought of marrying him—pretty little Bessie Bell and the exceedingly clever Nora St. Clair. He was quite sure both of these lovely creatures adored him; the only point to settle was which he liked better; or, rather, which it would be best for him personally and commercially to choose.

Bessie was the only child of a rich widow, who lived in excellent style, and who was perfect mistress of her income. She was a sweet, dainty little blonde, always ready to dimple into smiles, and never at a loss for just the most agreeable thing to say.

Nora was a close friend of Bessie's but in all respects a contrast. She was no tenderly nurtured heiress, but a poor, brave girl who had by the force of intellect, study and hard work gained an enviable position in the literary world. Her income from her writings was very handsome; she visited in the most aristocratic circles; she was charming in person and manners, and dressed like the rest of the fashionable world. But then Julius felt that in every sense she would not only be the "better half," but probably the four-fourths of the house; and that his personality would simply sink into Mrs. May's Husband.

So Bessie won the decision, and he determined, if his new suit came home the next day, to offer Miss Bell the handsome person which it adorned. For, to tell the truth, he was a handsome fellow; and if this work-a-day world had only been a great drawing-room, with theatrical alcoves and musical conservatories, why, then Julius May would have been no undesirable companion through it.

The new suit came home, and fitted perfectly; the tonsorial department was equally effective in results; every precaution had been taken, and he felt an earnest success in the very prosperity of these preliminaries. He rang at Mrs. Bell's door; before the footman could open it, a gentleman came quickly out, threw himself into Mrs. Bell's carriage, and, in a voice of authority, ordered the coachman to drive to the wharf.

The incident scarcely attracted his attention until, upon entering the parlor, he saw pretty Bessie watching the disappearing vehicle with tearful eyes. She glided into her usual beaming, pretty manner; and very soon Mrs. Bell came in and asked him to remain to dinner.

After dinner, Mrs. Bell's clergyman called about some of the church's charities, and as the young people were singing they went into the library to discuss them. Now was the golden moment, and Julius was not afraid to seize it. What do men say on such occasions?

Do they ever say what they intended? Do they remember what they say? I don't believe Julius did; for before he had done—right in the middle of a most eloquent sentence—Bessie laid her hand on his with a frightened little movement, saying:

"Mr. May, please, sir, please do stop! Surely you know that I have been engaged ever since I was eighteen to Professor Mark Tyler. Everybody knows it—we had a betrothal party—he is just gone to Europe for six months that is what I was crying about; why, all our set knew about it, though he has been away for nearly two years in the Rocky Mountains and California. Mamma said we were to wait until I was twenty-one, but I love him just the same—and I am quite sure I never did anything to make you think I could care for you in this way, Mr. May;" and Bessie looked just a little bit indignant.

"I have had the honor, Miss Bell, of being your escort all winter."

"Oh, dear! Did you think I was going to marry you for that? In all our pleasant, little dinners and drives and dances, is there matrimonial speculation? That would indeed be dreadful!" She loved the professor too truly; she had been simply pleasant and friendly to him as she had been to all her other gentlemen friends, who, however, had had too much sense and modesty to misconstrue her kindness. Then she walked to her pretty little aviary and began cooing to her birds. Julius hardly remembered what passed afterward, except that he received a cool courteous "Good-night, sir," in answer to his "Farewell," and that he found himself walking round Madison Square in a very unenviable state of mind.

To this speedily succeeded the thought of Nora; he must see her to-night; to-morrow Bessie would give her own version of his conduct, and then—well, he would not acknowledge that that could make any difference in Nora's liking for him. "And yet," he murmured, "women are such uncertain creatures." Where his own interests were concerned, Julius was not wanting in a certain strength and decision of character, and in less than an hour after his rejection by Bessie Bell he had so far composed and encouraged himself as to determine upon a visit to Nora, though whether he should offer himself to her or not was a point he left to the development of circumstances.

He found Nora at home, and, moreover she seemed disposed to welcome him with extra cordiality. He noted with admiration the refined and cultured aspect of the room—the luxurious copies of her favorite authors—the artist's proofs of rare engravings—the blooming ferneries and bowers—the cosy student's chairs—the sofa, warm rugs and carpet—the dancing firelight—the rich silk and lace that robed the lithe, graceful figure of Nora—all these things had a fresh and delightful charm in them. In a little while he managed to make the conversation drift toward Bessie.

Would she be married when the professor returned from Europe?

"Oh, dear, no; not till she is twenty-one."

"Is it not rather a mesalliance?"

Nora's eyes grew dangerously bright.

"Certainly not. Professor Mark Tyler is a wonderful chemist and geologist—a man of wold-wide fame. It is a great honor for Bessie to be loved by such a great soul."

"Ah, indeed! I had not thought of it in that light. People usually spoke of a mesalliance with regard to money affairs."

"Yes I know," replied Nora, "and just there they are frightfully wrong—there are worse mesalliances than disparities in fortune—but, however, here there is none of any kind; the professor has found shemistry a sufficiently rich alembic with a residum admitting of no kind of doubt."

"Will you be glad when she marries?"

"Very."

"Yet you will lose your friend?"

"By no means. She will remain at home, and the professor and I are very old friends; he knew me when I was a little girl."

"Indeed! Perhaps you may marry before Miss Bell."

"I may do so. I have no specific against doing such a thing eventually; but I am quite sure I shall not do so immediately."

"Why not?"

"Because I cannot afford it. I am just one of those women who would be likely to make a mesalliance—in money matters—and I repeat, I cannot afford it just yet. I have at present another extravagance before me, a great deal nicer than a husband."

"I should like to know what it is."

"A long European tour, with, perhaps a peep at the Pyramids and a ramble about old Jesusalem."

"Oh, dear!" said Julius, in a tone half serious and half mocking. "I should have no chance, I suppose, against such a temptation?"

"None at all," she said, positively; and though she kept up the bantering tone, it was quite evident to Julius that if he asked her in sober earnest she would answer just the same with a slightly different accent.

But Nora with a woman's ready tact, turned the conversation, and gradually led it into a very unusual and practical channel—the nobility and the necessity of labor. The glowing thoughts, the plain yet hopeful truths that fair young woman uttered, Julius heard for the first time in his life that night. Never before had he realized the profit and the deep delight which might spring—and only spring—from an honest career, no matter how humble or laborious, if it was steadily pursued until success crowned it. She hid none of her own early mistakes and struggles, and then alluding to her assured position and comfort, asked Julius "how he supposed she had won it?"

"By your genius," he said, admiringly.

"Not so, sir; but by simple persevering, conscientious labor in the path I had marked out for myself. Therefore," she said, with a bright, imperative face, "go home to-night, Mr. May, choose what particular form of law you will study, throw yourself with all your capacities into that one subject, and success is sure to come. Depend upon it, the world is not far wrong in making success the test of merit."

"You have made a new man of me, Miss St. Clair," said Julius enthusiastically. "When I have proved this may I come in to see you again?"

He had risen to go, and they stood with clasped hands—"Then you may come again." Nothing more was said, but they quite understood each other, and Julius went out into the clear starlit night, determined to make himself worthy of a good woman's acceptance before he offered himself again.

Next evening, Bessie and Nora sat in the firelight, sipping their after-dinner coffee; it was an hour for confidence, and Bessie said, rather sadly:

"Poor Julius May—he asked me to marry him last night."

Nora turned quickly, but said nothing.

"That is, he wanted to marry my money; everybody knows that if he loves anybody really, it is you, Nora."

"He called on me, too last night," said Nora, "and I saw he was in trouble, so I gave him something to do. Nothing like that old, old gospel of Work when you're in trouble. When he had done it, I told him he might come and see me again."

"Surely you would never marry him! You will just have him to dress and take of."

"All men need women to care for them, else why were women made? But I think Julius will do very well yet. These elegant carpet-knights sometimes don armor and take the world by surprise."

"We shall see."

"Yes, we shall see. Time proves all things."

Time proved in this case what has often been asserted, "that every woman influences every man she comes in contact with, either for good or bad." Julius went steadily to work, used with economy the remains of his patrimony, became known among the lawyers as a hard-reading, clear-headed, steady young man and in a little more than two years he ventured to call again on Nora St. Clair and ask her a certain question to which she answered, with pride and confidence: "Yes."

Another evening Bessie and Nora sat sipping their coffee together in the gloaming of an early summer evening.

"Bessie," said Nora, "Julius May asked me last night to marry him."

"Going to do so, Nora?"

"Yes, dear, I am going to take care of him, and he is going to take care of me."

"That's all right, I suppose."

"Yes, I am quite sure it couldn't be better."

Both girls sat silent awhile, and then Nora said sadly:

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Literary Notices.

The September issue of ST. NICHOLAS is introduced by The Song of the Goldenrod, written by Grace Denio Litchfield, and illustrated by Laura C. Hills, whose frontispiece drawing has proved a successful trap to catch a sunbeam. Perhaps if this illustrated poem had been in time to serve as a campaign document, the result of the vote for a State flower in New York might have been less pleasing to the advocates of Queen Rose. Charles F. Lummis begins in this number a series of Tee-Wahn, or Pueblo, Folk-Stories which are truly remarkable. Of unknown age, these tales are aboriginally American, and will, no doubt, be as eagerly examined by wise professors skilled in such lore, as by their chubby children who care nothing for comparative mythology, but know a good story when they see it. The illustrating, by George Wharton Edwards, is remarkable for its force and originality of motive. The number furnishes a feast of fat things, a few of which are: To Malcom Douglas, How the Great Plan Worked, Two Lads of Block Island, Lost in a Cornfield, The Old Clock's Story, A Formal Call, The Isle of Skye, etc. The illustrations are very fine.

THE CENTURY for September has many salient points of interest. The subject which will probably attract the widest interest is the discussion of the Treatment of Prisoners at Camp Morton, Indianapolis, during the war, a discussion began by Dr. John A. Wyeth's article in the April CENTURY. The present number contains a reply to that article by Col. W. R. Holloway, who during the war was private secretary

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

Possibly the leaders of the party have already selected the Republican candidates for Representatives to the General Court from the 14th District, but if so our ear has failed to catch their names. We should sooner think that it had not been done.

From our point of view it looks as though the Republicans never had a better chance for electing their candidates than they have now. In the first place neither party in the District has much advantage over the the other in point of numbers and a very little thing is as likely as any way to give either side the victory.

The Democracy do not pretend to deny the fact that their forces are hopelessly divided and under no circumstances will it be possible for them to unite and pull together on Representative question this fall. Their quarrel increases in bitterness every day.

The Republicans ought not to ask for anything better than that. A divided Democracy and a decent degree of harmony in their own ranks means victory for their side at the polls, if the conditions are rightly utilized. They can't help winning if every Republican does one half his duty. Let such men as Jacob Brown, Benjamin Hinckley, Edward E. Thompson, Dr. J. M. Harlow, E. C. Cottle or any two of a couple of dozen of others be nominated for the Legislature and the Republicans will be able to carry this Representative District without any sort of trouble.

INCONSISTENCY.

The editor of the Woburn JOURNAL is a curious creature in politics. In his last paper he has an article opposing the renomination of J. O. Hayden of Somerville for the office of treasurer of Middlesex County because he has been there long enough—six years. He has no fault to find with the man or the officer. He has administered his duties faithfully and correctly, but he has been in office long enough.

To show his consistency the Woburn editor advocates the nomination of "Brother Jefts" of Hudson for Councillor. Brother Jefts has held remunerative offices for more years than you can shake a stick at. He is always in office or a candidate for office—and this ain't saying anything against Mr. Jefts, either.

Our motto is, If you get a good man keep him.—*Reading Chronicle.*

The JOURNAL has never advocated the nomination of "Bro. Jetts" or any other man for the office of Councillor for this District. Uncle Twombly should not be quite so free with his accusations against his neighbors if he wants to stand well in their estimation.

But what does the venerable quill-driver mean by saying: "If you get a good man keep him?" What has that to do with either Jefts or Loring? What does it mean, anyway?

GRAND RALLY—GREAT ENTHUSIASM.

The Boston Republicans are wide awake and ready for the fight. They made a beginning last Tuesday evening and it was a glorious one. Music Hall was packed with live party men and euthusiasm was at fever heat. Music and oratory were rampant.

Such political giants as Hon. Charles H. Allen, Hon. W. W. Crapo, Senator George F. Hoar, ex-Governor Brackett, Lieutenant Governor Haile, Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, ex-Congressman Greenhalge, Collector A. W. Beard, Congressman Elijah A. Morse, Congressman Walker, Hon. A. W. Tufts, Hon. E. Pillsbury, ex-Governor Ames and Hon. Frank D. Allen, sat on the platform and from the lips of the most of them flowed eloquent speeches till late into the night.

It was indeed a grand Republican ratification rally and one that foretells victory for that party in November.

Another big meeting was held at Haverhill on Wednesday evening at which candidate Allen did full justice to his oratorical powers.

Things look as though there wouldn't be much left of the Democracy after election.

CAMPAIGN OPENED.

Candidate Allen has opened the canvass in good style. He started out for Democratic scalps on the night of the Republican State convention and has kept things humming ever since.

His speech in Boston last Saturday evening was a good one. It will trouble Gov. Russell to face candidate Allen's statements and arguments such as he made in Boston, but he's got to do it or give up beat.

The efforts of the Democrats to keep the tariff bill, the silver question, and some other topics of a general interest out of the canvass are bound to fail, because the Republicans are determined that these great subjects shall not be kept in the background but be made prominent and laid fairly before the people of the State. It is evident from the samples he has given us that candidate Allen's speeches will prove to be hard nuts for Gov. Russell to crack.

Judging from present appearances the campaign is going to be a lively one, with everything in favor of the Republicans and victory for them at the polls. That is the way it looks.

FOR COUNCILLOR.

Charles F. Loring, Esq., of Melrose was nominated at the Republican Sixth District Councillor Convention held at Lowell last Tuesday over Luman T. Jefts, Esq., of Hudson by a good sized majority. Mr. Loring is a prominent Boston lawyer and a leading citizen of Melrose.

Griffin Place, Esq., of this city was elected a member of the District Committee.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Nellie Platts—Piano.
J. G. Maguire—Taxes.
F. W. Wells—For Sale.
E. C. Colman—For Sale.
J. G. Maguire—Citation.
Savings Bank—Meeting.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
G. R. Gage & Co.—Wanted.
T. C. Evans—Ivers & Pond Pianos.

Job Work.

Job printing is done as neatly, as promptly, and at as low prices, at the JOURNAL office as at any establishment in Middlesex County. Entire satisfaction in quality of work and prices is guaranteed.—tf.

— The weather yesterday was elegant.

— Mr. John Johnson is not real well this week.

— It is said that Edward L. Shaw had 20,000 on his life.

— Mrs. Hagan of California is visiting friends in this city.

— Thanks to City Auditor Preston for a copy of his last report.

— The look for a "Merchants Day" is not so brilliant as it might be.

— W. R. Greenleaf and family are visiting in the Old Granite State.

— There was a bit of a blaze at the Montvale railroad bridge last Monday.

— Mr. John Gilcreast Supt. Gaslight Co. hasn't been very well lately.

— No. 71 Wyman street wants to sell farm wagons. See card in JOURNAL.

— G. R. Gage & Co. want to hire some pants and vest makers. See Card.

— "They say" 20 traders have subscribed to the idea of a bazaar at the Rink.

— The Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank has a notice of a meeting in this paper.

— Over half of the late isaue of 300 Co-operative Bank shares have already been sold.

— Capt. Conn's new house at Sedgwick Park is being rapidly pushed to completion.

— Mr. Estabrook, the Main street baker, was very low at last accounts with rheumatic fever.

— Engineer Charles G. Chase is about to move to Wilmington under the new order of things.

— Mr. Webster Woodman is still sick with but slight change in his condition during the week past.

— Tuesday and Wednesday last were oppressively hot days. But the nights were quite endurable.

— Mr. E. G. Clough of this city will open a stove and hardware store in Winchester on the first of October.

— Miss Grace M. Cummings is Assistant Principal in the Weymouth High School. She's a fine scholar.

— Our old friend Mr. Walter Wyman is frequently seen on the streets although he is not real well this fall.

— Rev. Mr. Telford will preach on the Common at 9 o'clock next Sunday morning. He will doubtless have a large audience.

— We received a pleasant visit from Mrs. Wilson, the accomplished Associate Editor of the Winchester *Star*, last Wednesday.

— Our old friend Mr. Joseph Johnson of Pleasant st., the Veteran Comrade of Post 33, has been very sick, but is improving.

— The heads of the warring Democratic factions in this city will bury the hatchet and meet in loving embrace at the polls—in a horn.

— The wife of Supt. Wentworth of the East Middlesex St. Ry. has been dangerously ill for several weeks but is now very much better.

— Last evening Burbank Woman's Relief Corps, No. 84, gave a "Dolls' Show" in G. A. R. Hall. It was pronounced a great success.

— The Celtic Association showed good sense last week when they refused to let their hall for a pugilistic entertainment. They did right.

— There were not less than six deaths in this city last Friday night including Mr. Edward L. Shaw who died at his summer residence at Swampscott.

— Charlie Taylor has discarded crutches and exhibits a good article of locomotion with canes only. He went into Boston the other day, the first time for several months.

— The match game of bal. between the Champion Young Lady Ballplayers of the World and the Hudsons of this city did not come off last Monday afternoon as advertised.

— Mr. Charles W. Gilbert, husband of she that was Nellie True, has returned and is at Mrs. True's with his wife. He recently fell heir to quite a handsome bunch of money.

— The National Band gave their final open-air concert last Friday evening and had a ball afterwards at Lyceum Hall. The concert was a very fine one and a large crowd enjoyed it.

— Mrs. Conway, wife of Dr. J. H. Conway is visiting New York, Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., Richmond, Va., dand other cities in the South and will be away several weeks longer.

— Dr. Harry G. Blake, John McConnell and newsdealer Charles R. Brown tried their luck for trout in the raging Shawsheen last Tuesday. No report of their catch has been made public.

— The first meeting of the Board of Trade after vacation was held on Monday evening and was well attended. Several themes of interest were discussed, after which the meeting was adjourned to Oct. 5.

— It looks as though we are to have in this city a bicycle club that will bear bragging on. Capt. David Ronco, an enthusiastic 'cyclist, is engineering the matter backed by some of the best wheelists in the city.

— Mr. Fred. B. Leeds is local agent for the World's Fair Excursion Co. of New Bedford, this State, which is a big thing. The arrangement for tickets is a unique one and to make a complete success of the business one cannot begin too soon. Read Mr. Leeds's card and the consult with that gentleman.

— Last Sunday was a beautiful day. The sunshine was delightful, the atmosphere delicious, the faint breezes came laden with sweet autumn odors, and a more charming Sunday nobody ever saw or enjoyed.

— Mr. William Winn's exhibition of "Winn's Seedling" pears carried off the champion's belt at the Middlesex County Fair held at Medford last week. So also did his display of apples from the old Burlington homestead.

— We have received a communication recommending Mr. F. H. Lewis for Representative to the Legislature. Everyone has notions and ideas peculiar to himself. But we do not believe Mr. Lewis would listen to such a proposition for a moment.

— The Democratic State Committee has ordered a new caucus to be held in Ward 1 in this city and left the fight in Ward 4 to be settled at the State Convention. The Ward 1 Caucus will be held this evening, and there will be dead loads of fun at it.

— Jimmy Carroll, formerly of this city but lately of Peabody, was sunstruck in Boston last Friday and the report reached here that it killed him. This was an error however, although it came very near proving true, and he is still suffering from the stroke.

— The following change in the North Woburn Street Railroad timetables has been made by Supt. Sewell: The first and last daily trips from Winchester to Medford have been taken off: also the 1.15 anb 2.15 p.m. trips from North Woburn to Winchester.

— Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bancroft are guests at the Mountain View House, North Woodstock, N. H., where they will remain for a week or two. Woodstock is one of the pleasantest regions in the mountains and this is the best season of the year to enjoy its loveliness.

— Mr. Frank W. Wells of Billerica Centre advertises wagons for sale in the JOURNAL this week to which announcement attention is called. Mr. Wells is a thorough workman, capable and trustworthy, and his own make of goods are always guaranteed as of the very best.

— After the allusion to Mr. F. H. Lewis's portrait in the local columns of last week's issue of the JOURNAL the gentle reader must have been considerably surprised at its absence therefrom. The trouble was, the cut wouldn't "work" and the attempt to print it proved abortive.

— Mrs. Helen Kimball of Chicago visited the JOURNAL family yesterday very much to their delight. She and her people were old Iowa and Illinois friends of ours and a day with Mrs. Kimball was an unusually pleasant experience which we hope may be repeated early and often.

— The entire family of Mr. Esta brook, the baker, including himself, have been very sick with divers complaints. There appears to be a good deal of sickness of one kind and another prevailing here at the present time. Nearly all of it has malarial foundation, typhoid being quite prevalent.

— Miss Nellie E. Platts has for some years given instructions on the piano-forte in this community to the satisfaction of her patrons. Her musical education is of the best quality, and she has the reputation of being painstaking and possessing a peculiar talent to teach. Her card is in this paper.

— Judge Johnson of the Fourth Middlesex District Court would have a pretty easy time of it were it not for the business furnished by Stoneham and Winchester. Last Monday morning nearly all the session was taken up with cases from Stoneham. That is a great place for non-observance of the Sabbath.

— We should advise people who take an interest in the Warren Academy Industrial School of this city not to forget the exhibition of the work of the school which will be given between 2 and 4 tomorrow afternoon. The JOURNAL told all about it last week and prints this item merely as a reminder of the affair.

— "And still there's more to follow." Richard Mack, W. L. Dodge, and Miss Minnie Perkins were the last Woburn names enrolled on the students' books of Burdett's widely known and very popular Business College of Boston. The Woburn young ladies and gentlemen would alone make quite a good sized school.

— The Woburn Woman's Club opens its fall meetings two weeks earlier than is its custom with an afternoon tea to its members to be given in Music Hall, on Friday, Oct. 2, from 4 to 6. This social will be followed on the regular day for opening the Club, the 16th of October, by a "home talent" meeting. Further details to be given later.

— The women of Woburn are respectfully asked to read over carefully the notice of the Board of Assessors in this paper. Please scan the dates very closely. Prominent ladies have asked the JOURNAL to throw out this hint that every woman may know just when it will become absolutely necessary for her to don her bonnet and visit the Rooms of the Board and get registered.

— Last Sunday morning Mrs. Sparrow Horton sent us, in token of her appreciation of the unsurpassed merits of the JOURNAL as a family newspaper, a magnificent bouquet of late summer and early fall flowers, for which she will please accept our thanks. We have not seen anything more beautiful in the way of a bouquet than the big one Mrs. Horton sent us last Sunday morning.

— Mr. Robert B. Eaton of Central Square is disposed to praise Street Commissioner Jones to the skies for his fine work on the road leading from the Centre to No. Woburn. He maintains that there is not a better piece of highway in Woburn or out of it. It has been transformed, under Com. Jones's intelligent direction, into a fine boulevard over which it is a perfect luxury to drive. Mr. Eaton speaks in high terms of the Commissioner and his good work on our city thoroughfares, and his words of praise are warmly seconded by the other good people of Central Square, No. Woburn, and all over the city.

— Messrs. T. Marvin Parker and Edward H. Richards returned from a very successful fishing trip to Parlin Pond in Somerset county, Maine, last Sunday leaving Mr. Joseph Henry Parker there to finish up the job. We should be very loath to report the fish stories these estimable gentlemen heard down there, but the stories of their own achievements were exceedingly modest and reasonable.

— Miss Elizabeth West of the High School class of '91, this city, is making good progress in the Salem Normal School and bids fair to be a firstclass instructress. The entrance tests were passed by Miss West in a highly satisfactory manner, her mark standing so high as to be conditioned in none of the subjects. The members of the class of '91 are likly to make their mark in any place.

— Dr. Carl H. Kylander died at his residence on Walnut street very suddenly last Saturday morning from the kick of a horse on the Wednesday before, aged 64 years. He was a native of Sweden and a graduate of King's College at Skara, and was well educated in his profession which was that of veterinary surgeon, in which he enjoyed a good practice. He had lived here since 1862. He left a widow to deplore his loss.

— The Innitou Canoe Club will give their annual concert at Lyceum Hall on the evening of October 14, for which the best talent in the country have been engaged, to wit: Gad Robbins, the celebrated Banjoist; the popular Romania Ladies' Quartet; Herbert Johnson, 1st tenor of the Ruggles street Church Quartet, and others. More particulars of this grand musical event will be given next week in these columns.

— Tuesday evening's *Globe* contained the exterior plan of the new Central school house with a description of the interior. The architect was J. Merril Brown of Boston and his work on this building met the approval of all. It is to be of brick with stone facings and will make a school structure which will be a credit to the town. The lot from the Page Eaton estate is a fine one. The house will contain 4 rooms and accommodate 200 pupils. The cut in the *Globe* looks firstrate.

— In less than 30 minutes after the handsomest pair of pickerel that made their headquarters in Horn Pond's clear, cold waters were pulled out last Tuesday afternoon by Tom Kenney, the piscatorial belt-winner and wearer in these parts, a mighty handsome 2-pounder was planked down on the Editorial table for the especial delectation of the Editor's family's pickerel tooth by Thomas himself who took away with him in return our best thanks. Handsomer fish never swam the water or graced an Editorial banquet board.

— The way of it is this: Mr. Charles F. Lyford has not had a call to become General Secretary of the Cambridge Y. M. C. A., of which Mr. Whitford was up to a recent date the Secretary, but he has been chosen Associate Secretary with Mr. A. C. Cotton as Senior Secretary. Messrs. Cotton and Lyford have been assigned to different but equal tasks in the Cambridge Association and they will work together for the accomplishment of the same end, and with two such able laborers and real Christians at the helm the Association cannot but thrive. It would be hard to find two young men better equipped for successful Y. M. C. A. work than A. C. Cotton and C. F. Lyford. Success to both and their labors to save the young men of Cambridge.

— Rev. E. P. Telford, the widely known London (Eng.) Evangelist, under the auspices of the M. E. Church of this city, has delivered sermons of power and eloquence by the roadside near the Common every evening at 7 o'clock for two weeks past with excellent results. At a later hour on each evening he has preached in the Methodist meetinghouse to large and attentive audiences. It was well worth ones while to go to the Common on any of the evenings the gifted Evangelist held forth there and listen to his discourses and exhortations and take note of the crowd there gathered about his rude pulpit. It would be hard at any time to see a disrespectful listener in the congregation, and that many people got a different idea of themselves and of their spiritual needs, and resolved to find the things they wanted most, there can be but little doubt. It is unquestionably true that Rev. Mr. Telford's evangelistic work here did this community good.

— Chief McIntosh and Officer McDermott made some successful liquor raids last Sunday. They captured "the critter" nearly every time. For their successful war on the illicit rumseller Chief McIntosh and his faithful aids are entitled to the lasting gratitude of all decent people. The places which Police lightning struck with damaging effect last Sunday were: Stephen Hart's on Conn street: half barrel beer, 4 cases of lager.——Mrs. Gilgun on Canal street: 2 half barrels beer; quantity of whiskey.——Tolan on Buckman street: 8 gallons beer; lager. We hope the Chief will keep up his raids on the "kitchen bars" and all other places where rum is sold illegally until the miserable business is abandoned. Of course, it is one of the most difficult things in the world to gather evidence against these people sufficient to convict them. The rumsellers will lie and their victims will lie in their favor; but if the Police keep pegging away sooner or later the law-breaking sellers will get sick of the business and give it up.

— The B. & M. and C. & M. Railroad excursion to Weirs last Friday was a great success and everybody enjoyed it hugely although it was by far the hottest day of the year. Wasn't it a scorcher though! Nevertheless the tourists had a right-down good time. Eighty-nine of them boarded the train at this station, about 20 at North Woburn, and the entire outfit consisted of 8 cars, everyone of which was loaded to the gun'ls with men, women and children of all ages, sizes, sexes, and without any regard to former condition of servitude. At the Weirs the big crowd had one of the times we read of. On arriving there the multitude scattered and in small flocks, bevies, knots, quartets, trios, pairs, and solus and took in the beauties and enjoyed the delights of that fairest part of the Old Granite State. Some spent the time in wandering over the rocky hills, through the groves, and along the sleepy streets of Weirs; but a large share took in the charming 2-hours sail on beautiful Winnepesaukee and declared it the finest thing in the world. The long heavily loaded train left for home at 5 P. M., and landed the Woburn Centre people at their doors long before bedtime. They reached here hot, grimmy, sweaty, and pretty well fagged, but everyone of them declared the day ought to be marked with a white stone, and should be. Mr. George W. Storer, the wideawake A. G. P. A., C. & M. Railroad Company, is mainly responsible for the annual series of delightful autumn excursions to the beautiful and romantic regions of New Hampshire and the White Mountains for which the B. & M. RR. Co. have become famous.

City Government.

ALDERMEN.

The Board held a regular session last Friday evening.

John J. Hayden was made special Officer in Ward 6.——Electric Lights were established on Houghton, Park, Main, Charles, Morse and Munroe streets.—Edgestones were ordered in front of the residence of J. F. DeLoriea on Lawrence street.——Mayor Bean appointed the following Ward Officers:

Ward 1—Warden, A. S. Wood; deputy, A. F. Blake; clerk, R. J. W. Phinney; deputy, William A. Hyde; Inspectors, John W. Waters, Peter Kenney; deputies, Freeman C. Blake, Andrew Roach; inspectors as ballot clerks, Patrick McGowan, Andrew McHugh.

Ward 2—Warden, Henry M. Aldrich; deputy, John Maguire; clerk, David H. Eaton; deputy, Alexander Easley; inspectors, Albert M. Colby, John J. Gately; deputies, Fred W. McDonald, Michael H. Burke; inspectors as ballot clerks, Edward G. Clough, Charles J. Billingsby; deputies, Fred E. Cottle, James Dolan.

Ward 3—Warden, William R. Putnam; deputy, George E. Waters; clerk, Martin J. Walsh; deputy, Patrick H. Coughlin; inspectors, Chase Cole, Henry F. Bulfinch; deputies, Francis H. Clarke, John F. Rooney; inspectors as ballot clerks, John L. Given, William E. Mooney; deputies, Milton Moore, Samuel Skelton.

Ward 4—Warden, James McMahon; deputy, Charles A. McDonald; clerk, J. Fred Leslie; deputy, Arthur W. Whitcher; inspectors, Henry C. Hall, Edward F. Cassidy; deputies, James Partridge, Albert F. Converse; inspectors as ballot clerks, Edward E. Lynch, Alonzo L. Perham; deputies, Asa G. Sheldon, Everett P. Fox.

Ward 5—Warden, Sewall D. Samson; deputy, Augustus B. MCarthy; clerk, Benjamin F. Whittemore; deputy, George F. Hosmer; inspectors, William F. Greenough, Owen Kerrigan; deputies, Charles P. H. Kendall, Charles Sheehan; inspectors as ballot Clerks, John L. Fowle, Patrick McDonough, 3d.; deputies, Frederick B. K. Marter, John Dwyer, 2d.

Ward 6—Warden, Joseph M. Eaton; deputy, Edward E. Parker; clerk, Arthur U. Dickson: deputy, Moses W. True; inspectors, Charles H. Kimball, William McGrath; deputies, William H. Curtis, Andrew Dorrington, Jr.; inspectors as ballot clerks, Walter N. Hanson, Paschel M. Warland.

Ward 7—Warden, Franklin Flint; deputy, J. William Ellard; clerk, William A. Lynch; deputy, Jeremiah Sullivan; inspectors, John J. Roach, George Russell; deputies, Bryan Griffin, James Given; inspectors as ballot clerks, Michael T. Hickey, Mark Downs; deputies, Thomas Caulfield, John Cummings, 2d.

Middlesex County Tennis League.

The annual Tournament of the Middlesex County Tennis League was to have been held on the Courts of the Woburn Lawn Tennis Association in this city on Monday, Sept. 7, but failed to materialize on account of the rain. The event was postponed to Saturday, Sept. 19, and came off accordingly. It was a splendid day for the business and a big crowd of people watched with great interest the games as they took place. It was observed with pleasure that there were many young ladies hanging on to the outskirts of the Courts who were deeply interested spectators of the plays. Evidently the gallant contestants were much encouraged by the presence of so many fair ones and that fact may also account in a measure for the excellence of the work of those engaged in the contest. It was a gay affair, set off and enlivened by the presence of the ladies aforesaid, and made interesting from the nature of the stakes played for. There were 15 entries and all the events were played except the finals.

The defeat of J. B. Reed of Cambridge by J. H. Carter of Winchester was hardly expected. Shaw's victory over Sheafe was also a surprise.

Really the best tennis of the tournament was between Keyes of Concord, who is a member of the Woburn club, and Banks of Belmont.

The final event between Keyes and Shaw was played off last Tuesday afternoon, at 4.30 o'clock.

The winner of this match will then contest with H. B. Bixby of the Lowell club for the championship of the county. The summary:

SINGLES.

J. B. Reed beat A. S. Hill	6—4 6—0
A. J. Shaw beat P. K. Richardson	default
Edward Sheafe beat E. H. Lounsbury	6—2 6—3
A. J. Wellington beat E. F. Johnson,	6—5 6—2
G. S. Keyes beat C. H. Mosely	6—0 6—2
G. H. Dickerman, Jr., beat C. A. Proctor	default
G. S. Banks beat W. C. Bailey, Jr.	6—2 6—3

FIRST ROUND.

J. H. Carter beat J. B. Reed,	6—3 6—4
A. J. Shaw beat Edward Sheafe,	6—4 6—0
G. S. Keyes beat A. J. Wellington	6—2 3—6 6—0
G. S. Banks beat Dickerman, Jr.	6—3 6—0

SEMI-FINALS.

A. J. Shaw beat J. H. Carter	6—3 3—6 6—4
G. S. Keyes beat G. J. Banks	6—5 6—1

At the final bout Keyes won the championship.

An Anniversary.

On Friday evening of last week about twenty of the friends and neighbors of the veteran street car conductor, John E. Russell, and his estimable wife, called on them at their residence on Nichols street, North Woburn, it being the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. The worthy couple were found sitting on the veranda trying to keep cool, as the evening was sultry. That Mr. and Mrs. Russell were surprized there can be no doubt, as they had not presence of mind enough left to invite the company in.

But the company knew what they had come for, so they invited themselves in and took possession. The table was soon laid in the cozy dining-room and a bountiful supper was served which the company had brought with them, consisting of cake, coffee, fruit and ice cream.

The party left for their homes at eleven o'clock, leaving behind them a sum of money with which to buy something as a reminder of the occasion, coupled with many wishes for many happy returns of the day.

By the kindness of Superintendent Sewell a special car was tendered Conductor Russell to return his friends to the Centre.—REPORTER.

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A Correction.

Lawrence Martin of Montvale complains that the JOURNAL's Ward 5 correspondent did him great injustice in his report of the Democratic caucus over there. Naturally Martin was very mad about it. Like a man, he brought his grievance direct to the JOURNAL office where he received genuine Editorial sympathy and strong promises of better fashions by the correspondent in the future.

Martin says things were pretty lively at the caucus but McDonough was the only man who had been drinking, and he wasn't cock-sure about *him* even. Martin said he didn't deny he was a rumseller, but he wasn't a rum drinker, and the last thing he ever thought of saying at the caucus that night was "I'm running this thing." Such a preposterous idea never entered his bosom, and his lips never uttered any such daring and boasting words as those. The JOURNAL correspondent lied about it, he said. He wanted us to ask Captain C. K. Conn of the *Globe* about it and we did.

The JOURNAL regrets exceedingly that the feelings of Mr. Martin were so severely lacerated by the correspondent's inaccuracies of statement, and hastens to deny the correspondent's story in toto, and to tender the *amende honorable* to the agrieved Mr. Martin.

EDTIOR JOURNAL:—I have received a letter from Rev. James L. Fowle, a Missionary at Cesarea, in which he says he would like to have you correct a statement made in your paper of July 10, in which you say that there were no young men graduated in the class of 1864. He and Jotham Hill both graduated that year and afterwards re-entered the classical department graduating the second time in 1866. If you will correct the former statement you will oblige him.

A. B. WYMAN.

[The article in which the error occurred was prepared for the JOURNAL by Capt. C. K. Conn whose care and accuracy in such matters are proverbial and therefore we did not deem it necessary to verify his statement.—ED.

Resolutions on Wm. S. McGregor.

The following resolutions have been drawn by a committee of and confirmed by Clan McKinnon, No. 45, Order of Scottish Clans, of this city.

WHEREAS, by the inscrutable will of the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, our well beloved brother Clansman, William Scott McGregor, has been removed from our midst; and,

WHEREAS, it is but a just tribute to his memory to say that we mourn for one who was a true Scotsman, genial in manner and generous of heart, anxious to promote peace and harmony among his brother Clansmen, and ever ready and willing to assist the needy and distressed:

Resolved, That we, members of Clan McKinnon, No. 45, Order of Scottish Clans, while we bow in humble submission to the will of an all-wise Providence, who doeth all things well, yet we lament the departure of our brother and we desire to place upon record our sense of the loss this Clan has sustained in the death of W. S. McGregor, who was one of its originators, and has ever since been a leading official:

Resolved, That we extend our most tender sympathy to the bereaved family in their great affliction; that these resolutions be engrossed in the minutes of the Clan and that a copy of the same be presented to Mrs. Julia McGregor.

Signed

HUGH MURRAY,
WALTER SCOTT STACKPOLE,
ALEXANDER GRANT,
CHARLES A. CAMPBELL,
ALEXANDER MURRAY,
Committee.

Boston Primary Union.

The Boston Primary Union of Sunday-school Teachers will resume its regular weekly sessions at Chapel Hall, Tremont Temple, on Saturday, October 3, at 2 P. M.

Miss Lucy Wheelock will teach the lesson each Saturday, and at the opening session give an account of Sunday-school work in the West. No admission fee is charged, and all interested cordially invited to be present.

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Boston Theatres.

TREMONT THEATRE.

On Monday night next, September 28, the Comedian, Stuart Robson, will come to the Tremont Theatre in "She Stoops to Conquer" and will find the welcome to a friend and artist, and a gentleman personally held in high esteem. Mr Robson will be seen in the role in which he should be superlatively excellent, that of Tony Lumpkin, the graceless scamp who makes a victim of everyone, his vain, fussy mother included. Of all the old English plays this is probably the most perfect specimen of what real comedy should be. At the very first sentence the stream of humor begins to flow. The original epilogue, slighted by modern managers, and not spoken from the stage since the first production of the comedy at Covent Garden Theatre, London, 1773, will be delivered in this production by Miss Waldron, Miss Bushby, and Mr. Robson.

HOLLIS THEATRE.

"The Senator" opened this week and a hearty welcome was given to Mr. Crane and his Company and the engagement closes Saturday evening. Next Monday a rare treat is in store for those who attend this popular house. Rose Coghlan in "Dorothy's Dilemma" will be at the Hollis for one week. Miss Coghlan is always careful and painstaking and in this play she is said to be able to do some of her finest work she has ever done. From present indications full houses will welcome her.

GLOBE THEATRE.

This week closes a successful run of "The Power of the Press." Next Monday Mlle. Rhea will present Mr. Alexander's new play "Judith" at the Globe for one week only. An excellent company supported by William Harris, Erroll Dunbar, E. L. Walton, Burr Caruth, J. R. Amory, Laura Rees, Gracie Sherwood, Lillian Lawrence, Una Abell, Florence Sherwood and as favorites of the Theatre going people will surely meet a hearty welcome. Mr. Alexander, the author, is well known as he calls Boston his home.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Ye Earlie Trouble" continues to crowd the Museum at every performance. Mr. Carleton has succeded beyond his expectation in dealing with incidents of the revolution and has brightened his play with a delightful love romance. The members of the excellent Museum Company have opportunities to display their abilities, and from the fact that the Museum always prerents plays of such high character it is safe to say "Ye Earlie Trouble" will please all who attend.

PARK THEATRE.

Neil Burgess is delighting thousands nightly at the Park with his "County Fair" and to say it is meeting the expectations of the public would be expressing it lightly. The horse race with its wonderful mechanism, the affection displayed by "Cold Molasses" for Aunt Abby and the husking scene are only a part of the good things to be seen in "The County Fair." Standing room only is the nightly sign and full houses are sure to greet Mr. Burgess and his creditable Company for the entire season.

BOSTON THEATRE.

"The Old Homestead" draws the people nearer at each performance and Denman Thompson and his assistant's popularity seems to increase each night. Cy Prime and Silas Perkins about even on checkers.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

"Kidnapped" is a great success. Tonight, Saturday matinee and evening, closes the engagement. Next Monday "Natural Gas" will be presented. The play has been entirely re-written, new music introduced, new dances, etc. It is one of the best farce comedies before the public. Donnelly and Girard are so well known as comedians of the first rank, that the mere announcement of their appearance is sufficient; but when May Howard is mentioned and others equally popular, it is safe to announce that the patrons of this house will surely have an evening of great enjoyment.

The Wilmington Farmers' Club.

The Farmers and Mechanics Club of Wilmington held its biennial fair Sept. 17. The day was fine and everything anticipated was realized. Fully 2000 people were in attendance. The Town Hall was filled with a fine exhibit of fruits, flowers and needlework. A spacious tent was devoted to vegetables. The sheds were filled with a fine collection of cattle, swine and poultry.

The dinner tent was a most attractive feature, and was presided over by A. Porter Pearson. About 600 sat down to a bountiful feast spread by the people of the town. Rev. Mr. Hammond said grace. The Woburn Brass Band furnished fine music.

After the dinner the President, John T. Wild, made a short address, and was followed by Rev. C. C. Hussey of Billerica. He was followed by L. C. Chase of the State Grange, Horace Gowing of Wakefield, Mr. Morse of Lowell and Rev. Mr. Hammond of Wilmington.

The officers of the society are: President, John T. Wild; Treasurer, Otis C. Buck; Secretary, Edward M. Nichols; Executive Committee, J. H. Eames, Justin L. Parker, John W. Perry, Otis Gowing, Henry Blanchard, Mrs. Dr. Frances B. Hiller, Mrs. J. L. Parker, Mrs. John T. Wild and Mrs. J. H. Eames.

Mr. Allen's Qualifications.

Boston Evening Record.

He was born in Lowell.
He is 43 years old.
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He is very fond of chemistry.
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He belongs to the Congregational church.
He is tall and athletic.
He is fond of hunting and fishing.
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His only brother is a Democrat.
He is a skilful typewriter.
He has been twice to the Legislature.
Then he was elected to the Senate.
But he was defeated the second time.
He served two terms in Congress.
He declined a third nomination.
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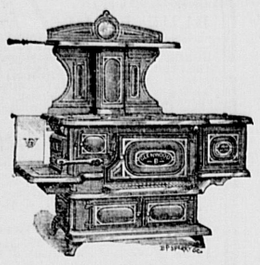

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Ex-Ald. A. R. Linscott has been making improvements on his residence in this village.

Over 20 No. Woburn people joined the B. & M. RR., Lake Winnepeesaukee excursion last Friday and had a glorious good time.

Burlington.

Mr. H. M. Reed has raised a fine crop of peaches, this season.

Rev. Mr. Marston of Montvale preached at the church last Sunday.

The Ladies Benevolent Society met in the church parlor, Thursday afternoon.

We are glad to hear that Mr. C. G. Foster is recovering from his recent illness. His daughter has been filling his place in the Postoffice.

Mr. Barna Snow of the Boston Seaman's Bethel will speak next Sunday evening at the Burlington church upon the work among the sailors. He is an interesting speaker and has an interesting theme. All are invited.

At their business meeting on Wednesday of last week, the Young Peoples' Society voted to become a Society of Christian Endeavor. They also planned for the winter's work. Rev. C. F. Hersey is arranging for a popular course of lectures and entertainments to be given under the auspices of the Society. A number of good lecturers have been secured and several popular artists are already engaged to give a fine concert. Further particulars will be given hereafter. It is hoped that we may again enjoy one of Burlington's popular lecture courses. The Society also propose to have a class for instruction in singing under the tuition of a first class teacher. All who wish to learn to sing should avail themselves of this opportunity.

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Literary Notices.

The numbers of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for September 12, and 19, contains The Revival of Quakerism, Port-Royal, The Apology of Aristides, The Poet of the Knights, Thy Persecuted Russian Jews, The Anak of Publishers, and The Congress of Vienna, Jt. Jean de Luz, and Some Pagan Epitaphs, Scarron, and Ignatius Loyola, The Strange Instincts of Cattle, The Death of Mr. Lowell, with instalments of Montes the Matador, Francesca's Revenge, and Jeanne Zephir's Lovers, and poetry. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages (or more than 3,300 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low. Littell & Co., Boston are the publishers.

The Trouble Grandpa Nature had with the Horse, by L. J. Bates, Bee-Hunting, by Rowland E. Robinson, and A Joint Snake, by E. Olin, are three peculiarly interesting Natural History articles in the October WIDE AWAKE. A Night with Russian Wolves, a blood-curdling true story by Lieut.-Col. Thorndike, Jessie's Chickens, a home-life story by Hattie Tyng Griswold, Edith's Guinea Pig, a travel story by Esther George and Bronson Company (Limited), another home-life story by J. H. Jamieson, are very entertaining. A Moqui folk-tale of The Genesis of Earth and Moon, a Norse fold-tale of Why the Sea is Salt, the Margaret-Patty Letter, The Drawing of the Child Figure (Miss Rimmer's art-paper), The Lake Maidens, a literary narrative by Miss Garland about the daughters of Wordsworth, Southey, and Coleridge, with portraits, and the Peppers Serial, The Italian Child-life Serial, and Miss Matilda Archambeau Van Dorn, together with the poems and pictures, and four pages of Men and Things anecdotes, make up a most readable number. $2.40 a year. D. Lothrop Company, Boston.

It is not surprising that the ladies are so attached to PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, for it caters very successfully to their needs and tastes. Its publishers seem to know just what will please and help them. The October number is a most admirable one, and it would be difficult for any household not to find something to suit every member thereof, however varied the tastes might be. There are two historical sketches that will interest every woman, The Princess de Lamballe, a vivid sketch of the early days of the Reign of Terror in France, and Women in Ancient Rome, by Prof. A. P. Montague. The illustrated articles A Trip from Naples to Amalfi, and Cups, Gourds and Vases, are well written. The numerous stories are first-class as they always are in PETERSON. The Fashion department gives complete descriptions and illustrations of the early fall styles. In fact, everything about the magazine is good. Terms, $2 00 per year, with great reductions to clubs, and valuable premiums for getting up clubs. Send for their premium list, or five cents will secure a sample copy of the magazine and premium offers. Address, PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, Philadelphia, Pa.

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MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK.

Y. M. C. A. At 4 p. m. Men's meeting at the Rooms.

BAPTIST—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. W. M. Lisle; at 12 m. Sunday school. At 5.45 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.; at 7 p. m. prayer and praise service led by Rev. W. M. Lisle. Wednesday evening preaching; this service will be especially interesting. Friday evening church meeting.

CONGREGATIONAL—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Salvation Free to all." Young peoples meeting at 6 p. m. At 7 p. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Shepherd life of Moses in the Desert." The usual meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings.

METHODIST.—At 10.30 a. m. preaching by Rev. E. P. Telford. Subject: "A Religion not worth having at any price." At 7 p. m. preaching by Mr. Telford. Subject: "An old man's terrible curse." 9 a. m. Love feast." Meetings every evening during the week, Saturday excepted at 7.30 p. m.

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WINCHESTER.

The Registrars of Voters will hold a final meeting from 7.30 to 9 this, Friday, evening.

Treasurer Spurr will pay the teachers of our public schools on the first Wednesday of each month.

Supt. Sewell has discontinued the first morning and last evening trips from here to Medford. The public will take due notice of the change.

Miss Jennie Maxwell, daughter of Mr. John Maxwell the well known leather manufacturer and merchant, is on here from Pennsylvania where she has been for a couple or three years past, and enjoying a visit at the old home on Cross street.

Nobody has a word to say against Lawyer McCall or would dispute that he would make a good Representative, but Hon. A. B. Coffin would poll a larger vote I honestly believe, and as for qualifications he is second to no gentleman in the District. The town would honor itself by sending Mr. Coffin to the Legislature.

As the JOURNAL had it last week, the Winchester fruit, flower and vegetable show on the evening of Sept. 17 in Town Hall was an affair of which everybody feels proud. The exhibition was one of the finest ever seen in these parts, and the interest taken in it couldn't very well have been increased. Possibly the Village Improvement Association will make it a permanent feature in their annual programme.

The wedding of Miss Grace M. Brown, daughter of our esteemed townsman, Mr. George P. Brown, and Mr. L. E. Johnson of Waterloo, Iowa, last week Wednesday, was a notable social event. The hymenial knot was tied in the Unitarian church by Rev. Herbert Mott at 8 o'clock P. M. and was witnessed by a large concourse of the leading society people of this village, Boston, Cambridge and elsewhere. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will reside at Wilmington, Del.

The quarantine regulations respecting North Carolina and Tennessee cattle have been modified by the Department of Agriculture.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Edward L. Shaw, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Nellie S. Shaw, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of Kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Neil Noon, late of Woburn in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Mary E. Noon of Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or sureties on her bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

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Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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NOTICE.

The quarterly Meeting of the Trustees of the Woburn Five Cents Savings Bank will be held at the Banking Rooms, on **Friday, October 2, 1891,** at 7.30 P. M., to hear the report or the Treasurer and Auditors and transact such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

Money deposited on or before Saturday, October 10, 1891, will draw interest from October 1, 1891.

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Collector's Sale

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Real Estate for Non-Payment of Taxes.

WOBURN, MASS., Sept. 23, 1891.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the City of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the year 1890, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said City of Woburn, by the Assessors of Taxes of said Woburn, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, Room No. 3, Municipal Building, Common street, in said Woburn, on **SATURDAY, October 31, A. D. 1891,** at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the payment of said taxes and interest from October 15, 1890, together with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

NON-RESIDENTS.

GEORGE BARNES.—About 4900 square feet of land situated on a private street called Perry street, being lots numbered 644 and 645 shown on Plan C of Montvale Land Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 99, Plan 5, and the same premises conveyed to said Barnes by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated June 29, 1889, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1927, Page 511. Tax of 1890, $1 32

JARVIS W. FERRIS.—About ¼ acre of land situated on Pine street, bounded as follows, viz:—Beginning at a point on Pine street and at land now or formerly of Tate; thence the line runs southwesterly by said land of Tate about 100 feet; thence southeasterly still by land of Tate about 86 feet; thence southerly by other land of Tate about 43 feet, to land now or formerly of Dennis; thence northeasterly by land of Dennis about 100 feet to Orange street; thence northerly on and by said Orange street about 50 3-10 feet to said Pine street; thence northwesterly on said Pine street about 79 feet to point of beginning. Same premises conveyed to said Ferris by deed of James L. Tate *et ux* dated Sept. 16, 1889, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book 1955, Page 439. Tax of 1890, 4 12

ELIZABETH A. GLADDING.—About 145,727 square feet of land situated on Hill street, sometimes called Maple street, being Lot 4, Lots 6 to 12, both inclusive, and Lots 19 to 37 both inclusive on plan of land belonging to Heirs of Luther Hill made by Walter H. Sears, April 18, 1888, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book of Plans 62, Plan 3. Tax of 1890, 29 70

ANNIE O'CONNOR.—About 14,275 square feet of land situated on Hill street, being Lots 1, 2 and 3 on plan of land belonging to Heirs of Luther Hill made by Walter H. Sears, dated April 18, 1888, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book of Plans 62, Plan 3. Tax of 1890, 2 89

MARRON IGNAZIO.—About 2450 square feet of land situated on a private street called Wilbur street, being lot numbered 556 on Plan C of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 99, Plan 5, and the same premises conveyed to said Ignazio by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated June 24, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1916, Page 439. Tax of 1890, 83

MARY J. WELD.—About 2450 square feet of land situated on a private street called Hill street, being lot numbered 560 on Plan B of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 99, Plan 4, and the same premises conveyed to said Weld by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated June 29, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1920, Page 401. Tax of 1890, 66

EMBERT W. LELACHEUR.—About 2450 square feet of land situated on a private way called Dale street, being lot numbered 217 on Plan A of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 99, Plan 3, and the same premises conveyed to said Lelacheur by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated March 15, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1960, Page 78. Tax of 1890, 58

JAMES BACON.—About 4900 square feet of land situated on a private street called Perry street, being lots numbered 617 and 618 on Plan C of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 99, Plan 5, and the same premises conveyed to said Bacon by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated June 29, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1918, Page 354. Tax of 1890, 1 32

MARIA L. STEVENS.—About 4890 square feet of land situated on a private way called Montvale Road being lots numbered 1 and 2 on Plan A of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 3, and the same premises conveyed to said Stevens by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated Feb. 1, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1959, Page 514. Tax of 1890, 1 65

EDMUND FREEMAN.—About 2450 square ft. of land situated on a private way called Gregg St., being lot numbered 424 on Plan B of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 4, and the same premises conveyed to said Freeman by Jacob W. Wilbur by deed dated June 29, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1920, Page 407. Tax of 1890, 66

SYAETHA FREEMAN.—About 2,450 square feet of land situate on a private way called Gregg street, being lot No. 423 on Plan B of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 4, and the same premises conveyed to said Freeman by Jacob W. Wilbur, by deed dated June 29, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1920, Page 406. Tax of 1890, 66

EDWARD JOHNSON.—About 2,450 square feet of land situate on a private way called Elm street, being lot No. 314 on Plan B of Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 4, and same premises conveyed by Jacob W. Wilbur to said Johnson, by deed dated Feb'y 28, 1890, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 1960, Page 67. Tax of 1890, 66

FREDERICK MAHONEY.—About 20,000 sq. feet of land, being lots numbered 84, 85, 86, 87 and 88, on plan of land of France B. Hiller, situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50. Tax of 1890, 83

MARK A. PROCTOR.—About 4900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 10 and 11, Block 3, Section B, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and the same premises conveyed to said Proctor by Edward S. Eaton, by deed dated October 19, 1888, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1924, Page 79. Tax of 1890, 66

CHARLES O. NOBLE.—About 9,800 square feet of land, being Lots 312 and 313, situate on a private way called Elm street, and Lots 348 and 349 on a private street called Felton street, all of said Lots being shown on Plan B, Montvale Park Land Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 4, and the same premises conveyed to said Noble by Jacob W. Wilbur, by deed dated Feb'y 28, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1960, Page 66. Tax of 1890, 2 89

GEORGE B. JAMES.—About 10,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 72, 73 and 74 on plan of land of France B. Hiller, situated in the northerly part of Woburn, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50. Tax of 1890, 41

LEONARD S. RINES.—About 4900 square feet of land, being lots numbered 8 and 9, Block 3, Section B, on plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and the same premises conveyed to said Rines by Arthur H. Gannett, by deed dated March 25, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1918, Page 247. Tax of 1890, 66

JOHN A. STEWART.—About 5000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 65 and 66 on plan of lands owned by France B. Hiller, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 39, Plan 50, and same premises conveyed to said Steward by Hattie Hill, by deed dated June 6, 1883, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1914, Page 514. Tax of 1890, 66

EDWIN M. WHITE.—About 13 acres of land situate in the northeasterly part of Woburn, bounded westerly by a cart path and land of persons unknown; northerly also by land of persons unknown, and on all other sides by land of Ames, being the first lot of land described in deed of Trustees of Tufts College and Trustees of Boston University to said White, dated Nov. 1, 1884, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 1685, Page 376. Tax of 1890, 4 55

JOHN J. HAYES.—About 15,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, Block 28, Section B, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and the same premises conveyed to said Hayes by William Kelly, by deed dated Aug. 1, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1923, Page 310. Tax of 1890, 1 65

ELIZABETH D. DAVIS.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 35 and 35, section B, Block 34, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1. Tax of 1890, 66

CHARLES E. FARNSWORTH.—About 4,900 square feet of land, being lot numbered 30 and 31, section B, Block 33, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, Book of Plans No. 57, Plan 1, and same premises conveyed to said Farnsworth by deed of Edward S. Eaton, dated October 29, 1888, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist Deeds, Book 1893, Page 180. Tax of 1890, 66

MARY E. B. BAIRD.—About 2,450 square feet of land, being lot No. 3, Block 22, section A, on plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex, So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 2, and same premises conveyed to said Baird by Edward S. Eaton by deed dated April 24, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1905, Page 295. Tax of 1890, 83

ALEXANDER C. BLOMERTH.—About 2,350 square feet of land, being lot No. 4, Block 12, section B, on plan of the Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and the same premises described in deed of Edward S. Eaton to said Blomerth, dated Oct. 19, 1888, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1927, Page 485. Tax of 1890, 33

FRANCIS J. BRIGHAM.—About 2,450 square feet of land, being lot No. 2, Block 22, section A, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 2, and same premises conveyed to said Brigham by Edward S. Eaton by deed dated April 24, 1889, recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book 1905, Page 294. Tax of 1890, 83

MICHAEL D. CREED AND MARGARET A. CREED.—About 57,000 square feet of land, being lots numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, Block 29, Section A, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex So. District Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 2, and the same premises conveyed to said Michael D. Creed and Margaret A. Creed, by deed of Edward S. Eaton, dated April 8, 1890, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1965, Page 585. Tax of 1890, 15 84

MARY JOHNSON.—About 4900 square feet of land, being Lots No. 47 and 48, Block 3, Section B, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and same premises conveyed to said Johnson by Edward S. Eaton, by deed dated Dec. 14, 1888, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1907, Page 211. Tax of 1890, 66

CATHERINE L. MCAVOY.—About 4900 sq. feet of land, being lots numbered 49 and 50, Block 3, Section B, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and same premises conveyed to said McAvoy by Edward S. Eaton, by deed dated Dec. 14, 1888, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1907, Page 564. Tax of 1890, 66

OLIVER E. PHILBRICK.—About 2450 square feet of land, being Lot No. 5, Block 23, Section B, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and same premises conveyed to said Philbrick by Edward S. Eaton, by deed dated Nov. 3, 1888, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1879, Page 30. Tax of 1890, 41

JANE C. WILSON.—About 2450 square feet of land, being Lot No. 10, Block 3, Section A, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 2, and same premises conveyed to said Wilson by Edward S. Eaton, by deed dated July 25, 1889, recorded with said Deeds, Book 1956, Page 124. Tax of 1890, 66

MARY W. PHIPPS.—About 5060 square ft. of land, being Lots 1 and 2, Block 20, Section A, of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 59, Plan 2, and being the same premises conveyed by Richard H. Arnold to said Phipps, by deed dated Dec. 5, 1889, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 1948, Page 256. Tax of 1890, 18 15

HENRY BARLOW.—About 2450 square feet of land, being Lot 22, Block 13, Section B, on Plan of Woburn City Land and Improvement Company, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Plan 1, and being same premises conveyed by Edward S. Eaton to said Barlow, by deed dated Nov. 3, 1888, and recorded with said Deeds, Book 1924, Page 399. Tax of 1890, 33

JOHN G. MAGUIRE, Collector of Taxes for the City of Woburn, 66

CITY OF WOBURN.

Assessors' Notice.

SEPTEMBER, 15, 1891.

The Assessors will be in session at their Room, Municipal Building, **the 29th and 30th days of September, and the 1st day of October, 1891,** from 3 to 5 and 7.30 to 10, P. M., to receive applications for abatements from all persons not already assessed, for their polls, personal and real estates under the provisions of Sects. 14, 15, 16 and 17, Chapter 423, Acts of 1890.

No application will be received after October 1, 1891.

WILLIAM T. GRAMMER,
JOHN FERGUSON,
ELIPHAZ PRIOR,
Assessors of Woburn.

CITY OF WOBURN.

Office of the Clerk of Committees.

The Joint Special Committee on Highland School Building will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of the old Highland School Building and of the lot of land at the N. E. corner of Highland and South streets, containing 14,182 square feet. Bids may be for both building and land together or, for either separately; and a proposition to purchase one-half the land will be entertained. Proposals should be directed to the undersigned endorsed "Proposal for purchase of Highland School Building, etc." Proposals for the purchase of the building must be received at this office by Saturday, Sept. 26, 1891, at 7.30, P. M.

By order of the Committee,
EDWARD H. LOUNSBURY, Clerk.
Woburn, 17 September, 1891.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs at-Law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of John Cunningan, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased,

GREETING:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Bryan McSweeney who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on his bond pursuant to said will and statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of October next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of September in year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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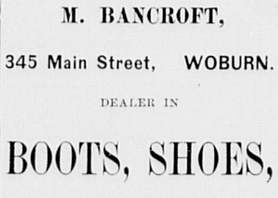

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JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn, July 10, 1891.

REVIEW OF THE QUARTER

LESSON XIII, THIRD QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, SEPT. 27.

The Gospel of St. John from the Beginning to and Including the Tenth Chapter—Specific Objects of This Gospel. Its Date and Authorship.

For the diligent student this Gospel is full of interest. It is the final summary of one who had personally known Jesus among the first, had been an eye witness of His ministry and then both a witness and a partaker of the labors and sufferings of the apostles, who had seen Christianity grow into a living and truly missionary organization, and had also been a sorrowful witness of the spread of many errors in the infant church. With all these matters present in his mind, he addressed himself to the composition of a Gospel which should at once confute the prevalent heresies and set the true mission and personality of Jesus Christ clearly before the minds of the converts.

Such being the object of this Gospel, it was but natural that it should be subjected to the most merciless criticism. Every word or phrase on which a doubt could hang has been seized upon by the so called critical school and every hint or quotation of it by the early fathers has been studied by critics of all schools. The result has been to prove to a reasonable certainty that the Gospel was generally known in the church as early as A. D. 115—at least so well known that Christian writers assumed a familiarity with it on the part of converts. It is also almost, but not quite absolutely, proved that it was the last book of the New Testament to be written.

As to the author, "The Beloved Disciple," the testimony generally goes to show that he was a few years younger than Jesus, and that he died at Ephesus about 100 A. D. at a very advanced age. Also that he was banished to Patmos in the year 95 during the persecution by the cruel Domitian, that on the death of that emperor he was released and lived in quiet during the peaceful reign of Nerva, and died in the reign of Tragan just before the lighter persecution of that reign began. These facts enable us to see why St. John began by assuming a general knowledge of the previous gospels, and of the commonest terms of Greek philosophy on the part of the Christians, and then goes on to treat of the teachings of Christ.

The opening is singularly beautiful. The first words are the same as those of Genesis. The first verse contains in simple yet sublime phrases the whole truth of God made manifest in the flesh. There is the eternity of the Word, there is the identity of the Word with the Eternal Father. The Greek word "Logos" may be translated Word or Wisdom. Among the Platonic philosophers it had a somewhat fanciful signification, as they held that the material universe was created by an eon or emanation from an Eternal God. St. John took their own word and recoined it. He means by it all that they meant and a great deal more. With him it means not only the power of God, not only the Eternal Thought, not only the Eternal Design as to this world and mankind, but far beyond that the Essential Divine Personality.

Having declared this basis truth, he proceeds to the earthly ministry of Christ. His Divine Being was without limit, but the man Jesus had a beginning in time and an earthly career. In narrating this St. John barely alludes to Galilee, and only relates so much of the Judean travels of Christ as is necessary to introduce His discourses. A very interesting episode is that of an interview with John the Baptist by a committee of the Jewish Sandhedrim. We are plainly informed that the mission of John attracted great attention, and that the Pharisees were among the first to hear of the claims of Jesus.

After the calling of five disciples and the miracle at the marriage feast of Cana, we are introduced to Nicodemus, and through him to the sublime doctrine of the new birth. Mark the important words, "Except" and "Ye must be." They are absolutely exclusive. "The natural man receiveth not the things of the spirit of God." Therefore He implicitly says to Nicodemus, take your place with the publican and sinner till you are spiritually renewed. It is a pleasure to hear of this Nicodemus twice more, and each time more favorably. In the Sanhedrim he insisted that Christ should not be condemned unheard, and he assisted in laying away the body of Christ. The early fathers agree that he was baptized by Peter and lived and died a faithful Christian.

Christ's authority over the Sabbath and the ordinances are next announced. Then after various teachings comes the all important doctrine of the resurrection. The Pharisees then openly exhibited their hostility, which gives occasion for that peculiar expression in the seventh chapter: "Yet a little while am I with you and then I go unto Him that sent me. Ye shall seek me and shall not find me, and where I am thither ye cannot come." This was most curiously fulfilled almost immediately after the crucifixion, and, strangely enough, it is one of the very few fulfillments of prophecy as to the facts of which there is no controversy whatever. It is among the best established truths in history that at that very time the Jews began to long passionately for a Messiah, to cry, "Lo here!" and "Lo there!" and to run after impostors of every variety. Nor did this cease in Judea until the last vestige of the Jewish community was destroyed and the remnant of the people was utterly scattered.

For the remainder of the quarter the minds of the disciples seem to have been generally prepared for a broader view, for the extension of Gospel privileges to all mankind, and for that glorious fullness set forth in the Epistles of St. John.

What Is Art?

Augustus, the greatest of all parvenus, did not ask of Virgil to recall in verse the cruelties of civil war. No true artist has ever sought to be degraded; no worker of the Middle Ages has reflected the brutality of the world around him. On the contrary, he has appealed to its chivalry and its religion. No treacherous adventurer of the Renaissance is pictured in the sunny, refined architecture that was made for him. You and I know that art is not the attempt at reflecting others, at taking possession of others, who belong to themselves, but that it is an attempt at keeping possession of one's self.

It is often a protest at what is displeasing and mean about us; it is an appeal to what is better. That is its most real value. It is an appeal to peace in time of brutal war, an appeal to courageous war in time of ignoble peace; it is an appeal to the permanent reality in presence of the transient; it is an attempt to rest for a moment in the true way.

We are augurs conversing together, and we can afford to laugh at any respected absurdity. We know that cleverness is not the way to the reality; cleverness is only man's weak substitute for integrity, which is from God.—John La Farge in Century.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it know to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, *820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

A number of the convicts in the Joliet (Ill.) penitentiary who are there through the influence of liquor have started to raise $100 and have a tablet with their names on it placed in the Temperance Temple.

If prohibition did not prohibit every rum-seller would favor prohibition.

AN ACROBATIC FAILURE.

He Dived Backward to Show Off Before His Fellows, but Does So No More.

One afternoon Lou Preston was in the middle of a story when we reached the swimming hole. He was always telling stories in the slow, drawling tone natural to him, and as the boys listened eagerly you may be sure they were interested. Boys are no flatterers in word or deed, and if they pay attention it is certain that your story is liked.

What he was telling that day was a little above me, as we say, and while the older boys delayed to hear the last of it I got ready, wet my head first "to prevent a rush of blood," according to tradition, and then jumped in.

As I was unnoticed I took the chance to learn to dive backward. This I did successfully several times, and when Lou's story was finished I had a new feat to execute for my own glory and the delectation of my friends.

"Look here, boys!" I cried. "Look here Charlie! look here! Aw! wait a minute and watch me." I got their attention at last, and braced myself for a triumphant exhibition of my great act.

I have described the swimming hole as a place at one side of the stream, worn deep by the current. Above and below and at the further side the water was shallow. The near side of this hole was perpendicular, and the hole was said to be twenty feet deep. This was just the place to dive.

That day, as the stream was high, its rippling surface overflowed the bank, the top of which formed a ledge several inches wide under water before the true rim of the hole was reached.

In my successful attempts to dive backward I had stood on this ledge, with my feet under water and my heels at the rim of the hole, and turned a back somersault. But now, having drawn all eyes to me, in my haste to act before their notice was distracted and in the flurry of a public performance, I set my heels at the margin of the overflowing water, my feet being on dry land, and forget the ledge hidden by the water between me and the rim of the hole.

Over I went and down I came head first on the ledge. I heard my neck bones crunch under the weight of my body, and I flopped over sidewise, limp and for a moment helpless, into the stream.

As I rose and the water gushed out of my ears, I heard from the bank a shout of wild laughter from the spectators of my great diving feat. The boys said afterward that had they known my neck was broken they could not have helped laughing. As they did not know it was not broken and had every reason to think it was, I believed them.

I had enough sense left to strike out feebly for the next shore. My neck was bent over to one side and I could not straighted it. I swam till my hands touched the gravel bottom, and dragging myself into three inches of water lay like a piece of driftwood on the beach.

My strength began to return after a little, and as the other boys kept up their laughter my recovery was hastened by indignation.

After that, when I dived, it was in the good, old fashioned way, face foremost.—St. Nicholas.

Why the Parson Left.

'Twas only a little hen, with a lopped comb and a flushed face, that broke up the pastorate of an able Maine parson. She used to sneak under the fence, you know, just the way hens do always, tiptoe across the grass border with the minuet step, and then the elder's garden had to take it. Of course it was aggravating. Did you ever watch a hen at this job! She trips carelessly into the middle of the garden bed; she cocks her head; a careless look comes into her eye; she balances partners with a flip and a scrape to the right, a flirt and a kick to the left, a double shuffle and a grand skirt dance flourish. Then she looks for grub.

Well, that parson saw the whole thing for days; same hen, same gestures and she came in miraculously, astonishingly, through a new hole every day. Then came at length wrath and girding of the loins; a gun, bang! dead hen floating upon the placid breast of a river eddy. The current washed the corse upon the neighbor's strand, and then the neighborhood heard the tale. The atrocity was fanned vigorously and the poor parson found that he was not be an assassin and the leader of the parish at the same time. Therefore his farewell sermon.—Dexter Gazette.

Due to Near Sightedness.

"My social blunders," said a near sighted woman recently, "would fill a book. Not long ago at an evening reception my hostess presented me to a lady whom, having heard of before, I was specially pleased to know. We talked together some time, and then drifted apart. Later, in another room, I saw standing near me a guest whose features I thought I recognized, but whose identity I could not place. As she was disengaged, I approached her in my blind way and said, 'Your face is very familiar to me; where have I met you before?' Imagine my consternation when she replied promptly and with a justifiable curtness, 'Fifteen minutes ago in the front drawing room.' She was my just acquired acquaintance."—Her Point of View in New York Times.

Two Things.

Dancing Master—I understand you want this young gentleman here taught how to enter a drawing room, eh?

Paterfamilias (father of two popular debutantes)—Yes—and when to leave it.—Harper's Bazar.

What Kind of a Store Was It?

He walked into a Kearney street dry goods store and asked for a pair of overalls. It was evident that he had not been long in town, and the clerks eyed him with amusement depicted plainly on each face.

"Very sorry, my friend," explained the polite gentleman behind the counter, "but this is a dry goods store and we have no overalls in stock."

"Aint, eh? Well, just give me three of your best flannel shirts and I won't kick."

"Sorry, but we don't keep them, either."

"Show me a pair of long legged boots, then."

"No boots either."

"Got any plug tobacco?"

"No."

"Any pipes or tallow candles?"

"No."

"Skillets or fryin' pans?"

"Not here. You'll have to go to a hardware store."

"Well, have you got any blood and thunder novels?"

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"See here, old man, I've come all the way from Alpine to lay in my supplies, and the first place I strike I run up against a snag. I always had a kind o' sneaking idea that you fellers down here was frauds, and now I know it. There ain't one of them things but what I can get in the little store up to home, and here you don't keep 'em. So long!" and he strolled out with a look of disgust on his face and disappeared in the throng on the street.—San Francisco Call.

Forrest's Castle.

The wreck of his home brought about by Forrest's jealousy is still visible to the eye, and passengers by the Hudson river steamboats may even now see the half ruined and partially completed baronial castle which Forrest built upon the banks of the Hudson, some thirty miles above New York, and where it was his purpose to entertain with true princely hospitality. The building of the castle was an attempt something like that of Alexander Dumas, who with his earnings from the sale of "Monte Cristo," undertook to erect near Paris a castle which he called by the name of this great romance, and which would have required the income of a duchy to maintain.

Had Forrest lived as he proposed doing, his earnings must have been very great to have maintained the life he intended to live in this estate upon the Hudson. Mrs. Forrest never saw it after she left it. Although after eight years' litigation she won a victory over her husband, yet victory in her case was tempered with sorrow. As she grew old her heart softened toward Forrest, and in her declining years she only spoke of him in terms of endearment, which suggested that her recollections of him went back to the earlier days when she was his bride and was happy.—Cor. Philadelphia Press.

Treatment of Indian Babes.

The conditions of existence among many savage tribes are so severe that only the "fittest," the sturdiest and wiriest constitutions can survive. There is a very fine and intelligent tribe of blacks in the neighborhood of the Cameroons, named the Duallas, which imposes from the first a very violent test upon the constitutions of their offspring. Like the ancient Germans, the Duallas take a child when only four or five days old and plunge it in the river. This is repeated every day till the child is strong enough to bathe itself, or till it has succumbed under the treatment. Other less intelligent and more savage tribes of Africans train their children to endure torture from a very early age.

Even the average nursing of the negro mother is enough to try the toughness of the child's constitution. When the child is being fed he is set astride his mother's hip, and he must hold on how he can and get what nutriment he can, while his mother moves about her ordinary duties. When he is not thus attached to his mother he lies on a bed of dried grass on the ground, in all the simplicity in which nature brought him into the world, and crams himself with earth, or whatever he can lay his hands on.—Strand Magazine.

Advice to a Young Man.

A successful young business man of Atlanta tells this story: He said that when he was a boy he had occasion to borrow twenty dollars on a gold watch, and went to a bank to secure the loan. He found there a venerable gentleman whom he had since come to know as the father of Mr. Darwin Jones. The old gentleman spoke very kindly to the boy, told him the bank did not lend money on watches and referred him to a pawnbroker. Then Mr. Jones said slowly and earnestly, "But if I were you I would not borrow the money." "Why?" was asked by the impetuous youngster. "Because"—and every word weighed a pound—"because you will have to pay it back!" The wisdom of a lifetime was in that sentence.—Atlanta Constitution.

Beliefs About Waves.

The Persians believe that the waves of the Persian gulf are caused by air entering caves which have subterranean outlets under the ocean. One of the most curious beliefs of all—one closely akin to a certain ancient oriental hell belief—is that of the South Sea islanders. According to their notion, the rolling of the sea is caused by a "thunder god." In old times this "thunder god" killed the chief deity of the islands and was confined under the ocean as a punishment. His rolling with rage causes the waves.—St. Louis Republic.

Take Warning

And don't let the germs of that vile disease, catarrh, take root and flourish in your system. Sulphur Bitters will prevent this and make you strong and healthy.—*Editor Weekly Press.*

Henceforth Mexico will give no cash subsidies to railroads.

How a Negro Got a Holiday.

A favorite name of the Virginia witch is Sally—due to the fact, probably, that one Sallie Slate achieved great fame in this region years ago through her infernal arts. She was guilty of many ugly tricks before she turned old Cæsar—her neighbor's hired man—into a horse and went foraging upon its brawny back. He was a strange negro from Georgia. He had never heard of Sallie Slate.

But the very night he arrived at his new home he was visited by her, so he declared when daylight came. "Bress Gawd, massa," said he in relating his adventure, "an old 'oaman wit' red beard an a hump on her back came to me las' night. 'Git up,' she ses; an up I hopped. Den she straddled my back an I went a pacin off seech as I never seen no hos do afore. She rode into a co'nfiel', an we didn't stop for no fence, but trabbled up a shaft o' moonlight.

"She filled a yaller bag wit' co'n an den make me kerry off her an de co'n to a little house up yander, whar a whole yardful o' black cats meow-ed us a welcome. Den she gim me a slash wit' a black snake whip an ses 'scat,' an I tuck to my heels and paced home. Yoh can't 'spec' me to work to-day, massa; I'se too fagged out."

Of course he was allowed a holiday.—Chicago News.

The Future of Storage Batteries.

There are few electrical appliances that elicit such widely varying opinions from electricians as the storage battery. Some stoutly hold that for traction purposes the accumulator will never be reduced to a commercial basis, while others just as emphatically maintain that it will inevitably be the almost universal source of power for city electric lines. Be this as it may, the storage battery will unquestionably come into general use for lighting in the near future.

As a reserve when the machinery breaks or is at rest, or as a regulator when running, it insures that the consumer is never left in the dark. Buildings have been known to have been lighted for five or six days by storage batteries, while for temporary lighting, for concerts, balls, etc., they form a convenient method of installing, at a short notice, the electric light, while dispensing with the noise of running machinery, accompanied by the ordinary amount of smoke and dirt.—New York Telegram.

The Spirit of English Football.

It is entertaining to listen to the observations of foreigners upon our national game of football. Here it seems as if our character was objectively epitomized. For a mere piece of leather to risk broken necks, heads and limbs in so reckless a manner! And yet if herein one does not discover a very direct descendant of the chivalrous craze of the Middle Ages, I doubt if any such descendant may still be said to exist. Our forefathers, several centuries back, do not, to us, seem very wise in their habit of going about fighting with each other on behalf of the black or the blue eyes of their lady loves. But they did it with the same zest, and probably got as much satisfaction out of it, as our modern fellow countrymen in the honor of winning their game.—All the Year Round.

The Duke's Way.

During the occupation of Paris by the allies in 1815 a French marshal shouldered an English colonel from the sidewalk into the street. Thereupon the Englishman, being forbidden by a general order of Wellington's to give a challenge to or accept one from a French officer, did what he considered the only thing left him—knocked the Frenchman down, and later refused him satisfaction in a duel. The latter then made a formal complaint to the duke, who, to soothe the marshal's feelings, sent a written reprimand to the colonel, but in it inclosed a cordial invitation to dinner.—New York Recorder.

Storage of Heat.

A lake has a wonderfully tempering effect on the climate. Thus, according to M. Forel, the quantity of heat accumulated in the lake of Geneva during the summer of 1889 was equal to that given off by the combustion of 31,000,000 tons of coal, or the amount carried by a coal train 1,120 miles in length. The greater part of the heat is discharged into the air of the valley during the cold season, thus producing a milder temperature in autumn and winter.—La Famille.

One Sunday's Pleasure Crowd.

As to Staten Island the development there is simply marvelous. This is best illustrated by the simple statement that on one Sunday the receipts of the Rapid Transit railroad were $8,000. As the fare is ten cents, this means 80,000 fares, or 40,000 people, a larger aggregation of humanity carried by this little road than by any surface road in the world.—Erastus Wiman in Baltimore Sun.

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Clever Diamond Smuggling.

Talking about smuggling reminds me of a trick I saw resorted to by a passenger on one of the big steamers a couple of years ago," said a loquacious commercial traveler. "You know there is a duty on diamonds, and one of the passengers had three large stones, worth several thousand dollars, which he had purchased in London. The problem of how to evade paying the duty on the stones worried him considerably, but at last he evolved a plan, and a few days before the steamer arrived in New York he proceeded to execute it.

"The chief officer had a little Skye terrier, and the passenger after considerable coaxing induced him to sell the dog. As soon as the smuggler gained possession of the animal he tied him up and gave him nothing to eat until just before we were to go ashore. He then procured some fat meat from the cook, and cutting off a piece a little larger than a walnut made a hole in it into which he placed one of the diamonds.

"A dog will generally bolt a piece of fat without chewing it, and of course a diamond will go down with it. The hungry dog swallowed the meat, as his owner expected he would, and in a short time the three diamonds were safely stowed away in his interior. The diamond smuggler had no difficulty in evading the vigilance of the custom house officials, and was soon on his way up town leading the dog by a string.

"I met him again a few days afterward and asked him how he recovered the stones. 'Easily enough,' he replied. 'As soon as I got home I shot the dog and found the diamonds after a short search. Of course I was sorry for the dog, but dogs are cheap and the tariff on stones is high, and I never allow sympathy to interfere with business.'"—Jeweler's Weekly.

Did Not Want to Tell All.

It was an evening school in Providence, R. I. There was a class of restless, dirty newsboys and bootblacks on the front seat trying to see how little they could study and how much they could annoy the teacher. Finally the teacher called up the class and put them through the catechism of the United States history.

"Who discovered America?"

Nobody seemed to know and the teacher, a long suffering student from the university, lost his patience. Shutting the book with a bang, he dismissed the class with these sarcastic remarks:

"Well, when one of you boys gets to the point where he needs to have some one vote for him as governor or president, he will be ashamed to think he doesn't know who discovered America."

One of the wickedest looking of the boys raised his grimy paw.

"Well, Tom, what is it?"

"I know who discovered America."

"Why didn't you tell, then?" asked the teacher sharply.

"Cos I didn't want to tell all I know," said Tom, while the class cut off into a roar.

The teacher called on the advanced class in spelling, and there was a smile on his face the rest of the evening.—Boston Herald.

A Sculptor's Late Start in Life.

Hiram Powers was the eighth of nine children, and he was a very small boy when his father died, and he had to go to work for the family. He had been born in Vermont, but his parents had moved out to Ohio in that way poor people have of roaming hither and yon after better luck.

It was in Ohio that the father died, and in Ohio that Hiram fought his youthful battle. For seven years he had charge of the wax figures in a Cincinnati museum, and it was while there that he felt an impulse toward his future art, and tried his prentice hand at modeling in clay.

But it was not until he was thirty years old that he was at liberty to strike out for himself, and he was thirty-two before he had money enough to go to Italy. Yet he was to be the sculptor of the "Greek Slave!"—Youth's Companion.

He Knew Her.

A correspondent gives the following incident as one that actually occurred in a local business house:

Customer came smiling to cashier's desk—Will you please cash this check for me?

Cashier—Yes, if you can be identified.

Customer—Oh, ah—yes—well—how do I do that?

Cashier—Bring some one who knows you.

Customer—Oh, yes; there is my husband; he knows me.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Follicles and Gray Hair.

Whatever tends to paralyze the nerves in the outer membrane of the hair follicle will tend to prevent the flow of secretions and the consequent deposit of pigment. When these minute nerves of the follicle cease to act the person necessarily dons "the silver livery of advised age," and when the hair resumes its color in any degree, as it sometimes does, it is the result of an improvement of the follicles or the nerves and capillaries controlling the secretions, or both.—New York Times.

The Missing Information.

First Lady—Well, Emma, what is it you are looking for so anxiously in your cookery book?

Second Lady (newly married)—Ach, our silly cook is stopping out so late, and my husband says he would like to eat some radishes—but I cannot find in the whole book any directions how to cook them!—Creuznacher Anzeiger.

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SEVEN YEARS AND DIVORCE.

A Chicago Lawyer's Idea, Which Will Be Regarded as Original.

The Chicago attorney of a scientific turn of mind who evolved the idea of what is known as the seven year amendment to the divorce law, may or may not have simplified one of the greatest social problems. An absolute conclusion in this regard will be impossible until the amendment becomes an act and the practical workings of the new statute have been tested by a more or less intelligent and impatient community. It may not be generally understood that the suggested legislation is imperative as a deduction from consideration of what is known of the constant change occurring in particles of the human body.

Each individual is made up of atoms, and each day some of these atoms are cast off to be replaced by others from the food we eat, the water we drink and even the air we breathe. Miss Jones, though perhaps quite as charming as she was a week ago, is not entirely the same person, nor is Mr. Smith the same young man he was. Each has lost a portion of the body and each has gained an equivalent.

There is the same general contour as before, but there is a slight difference in material. In course of time this change will be complete. Every recent atom of Miss Jones or Mr. Smith will have gone out into the great world and new atoms will have taken their respective places. Miss Jones and Mr. Smith will be new people.

The consensus of learned opinion is that the body changes entirely once in every seven years. Now, suppose Mr. Smith and Miss Jones to wed. Mr. Smith has sworn to cherish the lady who has just become his wife, not some other woman, and, vice versa, Mrs. Smith, nee Jones, has made pledges of equal solemnity and import to love none other than the man beside her. For a time it is all right, that is, relatively so, but at the end of a year only six-sevenths of the present Mrs. Smith remain, while Mr. Smith has suffered an equal variation.

At the end of seven years Mrs. Smith is not the same woman Smith married, nor is he the same man whom she promised to cleave to. There is not a particle, not one jot or tittle, remaining about either of the couple who were married. Clearly their relationship is scandalous, and something should be done about it. To remedy the evil the amendment to the divorce law makes a separation at the end of seven years permissible if not mandatory.

Of course it is claimed by the opponents of the proposed legislation that neither Mrs. Smith nor Mr. Smith can properly be deemed unfaithful, since neither longer exists, and the argument, it must be admitted, has its force. But, admitting the assumption, who are the two people at present living together under the name of Smith, and what excuse have they for the relations now existing? Should not they either separate or marry without delay?—Chicago Tribune.

Wood More Fireproof Than Iron.

In his recent lecture on fire prevention Professor Goodman states that, generally speaking, wooden joists are better for buildings than steel or iron joists. The two latter materials, he explained, lose their strength at a not very high temperature, whereas wood would sustain a heavy strain for a much longer period when exposed to great heat. Besides when wood has once been charred it does not burn so readily again.

Iron and steel soon expand under the influence of heat. Brick and stone are objectionable; the former become fused under great heat, and the latter is liable to crack or fly when suddenly cooled after heating. The drawback to tiles is that when fire plays upon the joists of floors fitted with them the joists expand and allow the fire to play upon the joists through the tiles. Portland cement is objectionable, as it flakes off when heated, but if wire netting or bars are imbedded in concrete this defect is remedied.

A joist padded with silicate of cotton and incased in salamander plaster (a mixture of silicate, cotton and plaster of paris), the professor holds, is a splendid fireproofing material. Such a material is not only a nonconductor, but it is elastic and would yield with the joist. In an experiment undertaken by Professor Goodman it was found that a joist of this kind withstood very fierce heat for eight to nine hours without sustaining any serious damage.—Builder.

A Cat Setting on Eggs.

A cat story comes from Bridgeport, Conn. Mike is a brindle puss belonging to Miles B. Ferris. Twenty eggs packed in sawdust were standing in the window of Mr. Ferris' saloon, when Mike took it into his head to go to sleep on them. Every attempt has been made to drive him away from the box, and every inducement in the way of soft beds was offered to him, but he persists in lying on those eggs all day, only leaving them long enough to eat and drink. Next week the period of incubation will have expired. What Mike will do with his brood if he is successful is an interesting question. But perhaps he knows what he is about, and is hatching them for his own especial benefit.—Cor. New York Sun.

Two of a Kind.

De Science—I do not object to paying high prices for books, but I do hate to spend money for clothes.

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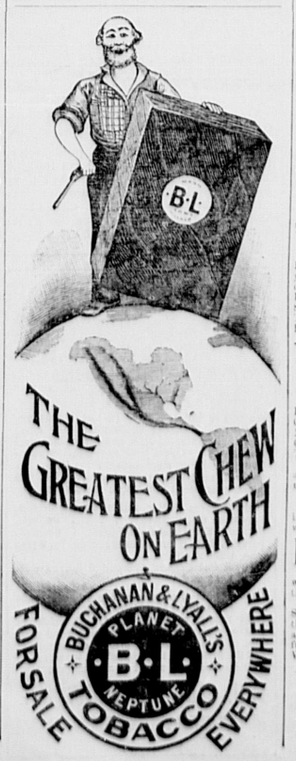

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